# Network reconfiguration in distribution system with radiality constraints

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# Nomenclature

#### Indices and sets

- $t / \mathcal{T}$  Index of time / Set of time steps.
- $i, j / \mathcal{N}$  Index of bus / Set of buses.
  - $l / \mathcal{L}$  Index of line / Set of lines.
- $dg / \mathcal{G}_{dg}$  Index of distributed generator / Set of distributed generators.
  - $\mathcal{N}_{dq}$  Set of distributed generation buses.
  - $\mathcal{N}_{tf}$  Set of transfer buses.
  - $\mathcal{N}_{sb}$  Set of substation buses.
  - $\delta^+(i)$  Set of lines to bus i.
  - $\delta^{-}(i)$  Set of lines from bus i.

#### **Parameters**

- $n_b$  Number of buses.
- $n_{dg}$  Number of distributed generation buses.
- $n_{sb}$  Number of substation buses.
- $Z_{ij}$ ,  $Y_{ij}$  Impedance and admittance of line ij (from bus i to bus j).
- $G_{ij}$ ,  $B_{ij}$  Conductance and susceptance of line ij (from bus i to bus j).
  - $B_{ij}^c$  Charging capacity of line ij (from bus i to bus j).
  - Base Value of base MVA.

 $\overline{V}$ , V Maximum and minimum voltage magnitude.

 $\overline{S}_{ij}$  Maximum complex power flow limit of line ij.

 $P_{D_{i,t}}$ ,  $Q_{D_{i,t}}$  Active and reactive power demand at bus i at time t.

 $\overline{P}_{G_i}$ ,  $\underline{P}_{G_i}$  Maximum and minimum active power from generator at bus i.

 $\overline{Q}_{G_i}, \underline{Q}_{G_i}$  Maximum and minimum reactive power from generator at bus i.

 $K_i$  Fictitious load of each distributed generator in bus i (If bus i has a distributed generator, the value is 1 [PU], otherwise 0).

#### **Functions**

 $P_{ij,t}$ ,  $Q_{ij,t}$  Active and reactive power flow of line ij at time t.

 $I_{r_{ij,t}}$ ,  $I_{Im_{ij,t}}$  Real and Imaginary current flow of line ij at time t.

 $P_{l.t}^{lineloss}$  Active line loss of line l(ij) at time t.

#### Variables

 $|\dot{V}_{i,t}|$  Voltage magnitude in bus i at time t.

 $\theta_{i,t}$  Voltage phase angle in bus i at time t.

 $P_{G_i,t}$ ,  $Q_{G_i,t}$  Active and reactive power from generator at bus i at time t.

 $x_{ij}$  Circuit that can be reconfigured on line ij.

 $y_i$  Status of transfer bus in bus i.

 $k_{ij}$  Fictitious flow associated with line ij.

## 1 Optimization problem for network reconfiguration

Based on previous researh, the optimization model for the network reconfiguration with radiality constraints can be respresented as follows [1].

Objective function:

$$\min \sum_{\forall t} \sum_{\forall i,j} \left[ -G_{ij} x_{ij} \left( \left| \dot{V}_{i,t} \right|^2 + \left| \dot{V}_{j,t} \right|^2 - 2 \left| \dot{V}_{i,t} \right| \left| \dot{V}_{j,t} \right| \cos \left( \theta_{i,t} - \theta_{j,t} \right) \right) \right]$$
(1)

General constraints with network, power balance, and switchable lines:

$$P_{G_{i},t} - P_{D_{i,t}} = \sum_{(ij)\in\delta^{-}(i)} x_{ij} P_{ij,t} - \sum_{(ji)\in\delta^{+}(i)} x_{ji} P_{ji,t},$$

$$\forall i \in \mathcal{N}, \forall t \in \mathcal{T}.$$
(2)

$$Q_{G_{i},t} - Q_{D_{i,t}} = \sum_{(ij)\in\delta^{-}(i)} x_{ij}Q_{ij,t} - \sum_{(ji)\in\delta^{+}(i)} x_{ji}Q_{ji,t}$$
$$-\left|\dot{V}_{i,t}\right|^{2} \left(\sum_{(ij)\in\delta^{-}(i)} x_{ij}B_{ij}^{c}/2 + \sum_{(ji)\in\delta^{+}(i)} x_{ji}B_{ij}^{c}/2\right)$$
$$\forall i \in \mathcal{N}, \forall t \in \mathcal{T}.$$
 (3)

$$\underline{P}_{G_i} \le P_{G_i,t} \le \overline{P}_{G_i}, \quad \forall i \in \mathcal{N}, \forall t \in \mathcal{T}.$$
(4)

$$Q_{G_i} \le Q_{G_i,t} \le \overline{Q}_{G_i}, \quad \forall i \in \mathcal{N}, \forall t \in \mathcal{T}.$$
 (5)

$$\underline{V} \le \left| \dot{V}_{i,t} \right| \le \overline{V}, \quad \forall i \in \mathcal{N}, \forall t \in \mathcal{T}.$$
 (6)

$$\theta_{i,t} = 0, \quad \forall i \in \mathcal{N}_{sb}, \forall t \in \mathcal{T}.$$
 (7)

$$-\pi \le \theta_{i,t} \le \pi, \quad \forall i \in \mathcal{N} \setminus \mathcal{N}_{sb}, \forall t \in \mathcal{T}.$$
 (8)

$$P_{ij,t}^2 + Q_{ij,t}^2 \le x_{ij,t} \overline{S}_{ij}^2, \quad \forall l(ij) \in \mathcal{L}, \forall t \in \mathcal{T}.$$

$$(9)$$

$$x_{ij} \in \{0, 1\}, \quad \forall l(ij) \in \mathcal{L}.$$
 (10)

Functions (Appendix):

$$P_{ij,t} = -G_{ij} \left| \dot{V}_{i,t} \right| \left| \dot{V}_{i,t} \right| + G_{ij} \left| \dot{V}_{i,t} \right| \left| \dot{V}_{j,t} \right| \cos \left( \theta_{i,t} - \theta_{j,t} \right)$$

$$+ B_{ij} \left| \dot{V}_{i,t} \right| \left| \dot{V}_{j,t} \right| \sin \left( \theta_{i,t} - \theta_{j,t} \right),$$

$$\forall l(ij) \in \mathcal{L}, \forall t \in \mathcal{T}.$$

$$(11)$$

$$P_{ji,t} = -G_{ij} \left| \dot{V}_{j,t} \right| \left| \dot{V}_{j,t} \right| + G_{ij} \left| \dot{V}_{i,t} \right| \left| \dot{V}_{j,t} \right| \cos (\theta_{i,t} - \theta_{j,t})$$

$$-B_{ij} \left| \dot{V}_{i,t} \right| \left| \dot{V}_{j,t} \right| \sin (\theta_{i,t} - \theta_{j,t}),$$

$$\forall l(ij) \in \mathcal{L}, \forall t \in \mathcal{T}.$$
(12)

$$Q_{ij,t} = B_{ij} \left| \dot{V}_i \right|^2 + G_{ij} \left| \dot{V}_i \right| \left| \dot{V}_j \right| \sin \left( \theta_{i,t} - \theta_{j,t} \right)$$

$$- B_{ij} \left| \dot{V}_i \right| \left| \dot{V}_j \right| \cos \left( \theta_{i,t} - \theta_{j,t} \right),$$

$$\forall l(ij) \in \mathcal{L}, \forall t \in \mathcal{T}.$$
(13)

$$Q_{ji,t} = B_{ij} \left| \dot{V}_{j} \right|^{2} - G_{ij} \left| \dot{V}_{i} \right| \left| \dot{V}_{j} \right| \sin \left( \theta_{i,t} - \theta_{j,t} \right)$$

$$- B_{ij} \left| \dot{V}_{i} \right| \left| \dot{V}_{j} \right| \cos \left( \theta_{i,t} - \theta_{j,t} \right),$$

$$\forall l(ij) \in \mathcal{L}, \forall t \in \mathcal{T}.$$

$$(14)$$

- Radiality constraints using transfer buses which don't have distributed generators and demands from [1]:

$$x_{ij} \le y_i, \quad \forall ij \in \delta^-(i), i \in \mathcal{N}_{tf}.$$
 (15)

$$x_{ji} \le y_i, \quad \forall ji \in \delta^+(i), i \in \mathcal{N}_{tf}.$$
 (16)

$$\sum_{(ij)\in\delta^{-}(i)} x_{ij} + \sum_{(ji)\in\delta^{+}(i)} x_{ji} \ge 2y_i, \quad i \in \mathcal{N}_{tf}.$$

$$(17)$$

$$y_i \in 0, 1, \quad i \in \mathcal{N}_{tf}. \tag{18}$$

$$\sum_{(ij)\in\mathcal{L}} x_{ij} = n_b - n_{sb} - \sum_{j\in\mathcal{N}_{tf}} (1 - y_j).$$
 (19)

- Radiality constraints considering distributed generators with fictious load (K) from [1]:

$$-K_i = \sum_{(ij)\in\delta^-(i)} k_{ij} - \sum_{(ji)\in\delta^+(i)} k_{ji}, \quad \forall i \in \mathcal{N}.$$
(20)

$$K_i = -n_{dq}, \quad \forall i \in \mathcal{N}_{sb}.$$
 (21)

$$K_i = 1, \quad \forall i \in \mathcal{N}_{dq}.$$
 (22)

$$K_i = 0, \quad \forall i \notin \mathcal{N}_{sb} \cup \mathcal{N}_{da}.$$
 (23)

$$|k_{ij}| \le n_{da} x_{ij}, \quad \forall (ij) \in \mathcal{L}.$$
 (24)

## References

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