Multi Period Optimal Power Flow using Matpower and Pyomo

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Background

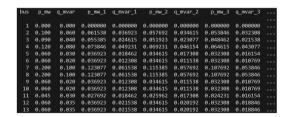


Multi Period Optimal Power Flow

- MPOPF (Multi-Period Optimal Power Flow) is a method for optimizing the operation of a power system over multiple time periods.
- It extends the conventional single-period Optimal Power Flow (OPF) to consider multiple time intervals.



Single-period Data (specific time)



Multi-period Data (1-24h)

Multi Period Optimal Power Flow Formulation



Overview

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 - MPOPF Load balance
 - MPOPF Power and voltage
 - MPOPF Current

Optimization problem is formulated as:

MPOPF Objective function:

minimize (or maximize) f(x)

MPOPF Constraints:

$$g(\mathbf{x}) \leq 0, \quad h(\mathbf{x}) = 0$$

MPOPF Functions in the objective and constraints:

$$f(\mathbf{x}), g(\mathbf{x}), h(\mathbf{x})$$



Nomenclature

Sets, indices, parameters

Indicesi,j Index of busIndex of lineIndex of time

• Sets Ω_I Set of lines Ω_b Set of buses Ω_{b_i} Set of connected buses in the bus i Set of generation buses Ω_{b_g} $\Omega_{b_g} \subset \Omega_b$ The total time period (e.g 1,2...,24 for 24 hours)

Nomenclature

Sets, indices, parameters

 Parameters or constants Impedance and admittance of line ij Z_{ii}, Y_{ii} (from bus i to bus i) Conductance and susceptance of line ii G_{ii} , B_{ii} (from bus i to bus i) Maximum and minimum \overline{V} , \underline{V} voltage magnitude Maximum current flow limit of line ii

 $P_{D_{i,t}}, \ Q_{D_{i,t}} \quad \text{Active and reactive} \\ \text{power demand at bus } i \\ \text{Maximum and minimum} \\ \text{active power from generator} \\ \text{at bus } i \\ \text{Maximum and minimum} \\ \overline{Q}_{G_i}, \ \underline{Q}_{G_i} \quad \text{reactive power from} \\ \text{generator at bus } i \\ \text{baseMVA} \quad \text{Value of base MVA}$

Nomenclature

Sets, indices, parameters

Functions

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

Real and Imaginary current

flow of line ij at time t

 $P_{I,t}^{lineloss}$ Active line loss of line I(ii)

at time t

Variables

Voltage magnitude in bus i $\dot{V}_{i,t}$

at time t

Voltage phase angle in bus i

 $\theta_{i,t}$ at time t

Active and reactive power

from generator at bus i $P_{G_{i,t}}, Q_{G_{i,t}}$

at time t

MPOPF At glance...

Objective function: Eq. (1)

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

Constraints: Eqs. (5),(6),(9),(10),(11),(12),(13)

$$\begin{split} P_{G_{i,t}} - P_{D_{i,t}} &= \sum_{j \in \Omega_{b_i}} (P_{ij,t}) \quad \forall i \in \Omega_b, \ \forall t \in T \\ Q_{G_{i,t}} - Q_{D_{i,t}} &= \sum_{j \in \Omega_{b_i}} (Q_{ij,t}) \quad \forall i \in \Omega_b, \ \forall t \in T \\ &\underline{P}_{G_i} \leq P_{G_{i,t}} \leq \overline{P}_{G_i} \quad \forall i \in \Omega_b, \ \forall t \in T \\ &\underline{Q}_{G_i} \leq Q_{G_{i,t}} \leq \overline{Q}_{G_i} \quad \forall i \in \Omega_b, \ \forall t \in T \end{split}$$

$$\underline{V} \leq \left| \dot{V}_{i,t} \right| \leq \overline{V} \quad \forall i \in \Omega_b, \ \forall t \in T \\
\theta_{i,t} = \begin{cases} 0 & : \text{ Bus } i \text{ is slack,} \\ \text{free } & : \text{ Otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

$$I_{Fit}^2 + I_{Imit}^2 \leq \overline{I}_{ii}^2 \quad \forall I(ij) \in \Omega_I, \ \forall t \in T$$

MPOPF At glance...

Functions or expressions: Eq. (2), (3), (4)

$$\begin{aligned} \left[-G_{ij} \left(\left| \dot{V}_{i,t} \right|^{2} + \left| \dot{V}_{j,t} \right|^{2} \right) + 2G_{ij} \left| \dot{V}_{i,t} \right| \left| \dot{V}_{j,t} \right| \cos \left(\theta_{i,t} - \theta_{j,t} \right) \right] \\ &= P_{I,t}^{lineloss} = P_{ij,t} + P_{ji,t} \\ \forall I(ij) \in \Omega_{I}, \ \forall t \in T \end{aligned}$$

MPOPF At glance...

$$P_{ij,t} = -G_{ij} \left| \dot{V}_{i,t} \right|^2 + G_{ij} \left| \dot{V}_{i,t} \right| \left| \dot{V}_{j,t} \right| \cos(\theta_{i,t} - \theta_{j,t})$$
 $+B_{ij} \left| \dot{V}_{i,t} \right| \left| \dot{V}_{j,t} \right| \sin(\theta_{i,t} - \theta_{j,t})$
 $orall I(ij) \in \Omega_I, \ orall t \in T$

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

 $\forall I(ij) \in \Omega_I, \ \forall t \in T$

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MPOPF At Glance

Functions or expressions (Continued): Eq. (7),(8), (14), (15)

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

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

$$\forall I(ij) \in \Omega_{I}, \ \forall t \in T$$

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

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

$$\forall I(ij) \in \Omega_{I}, \ \forall t \in T$$

MPOPF At Glance

$$I_{r_{ij,t}} = -G_{ij} \left| \dot{V}_{i,t} \right| \cos \theta_{i,t} + B_{ij} \left| \dot{V}_{i,t} \right| \sin \theta_{i,t}$$
 $+G_{ij} \left| \dot{V}_{j,t} \right| \cos \theta_{j,t} - B_{ij} \left| \dot{V}_{j,t} \right| \sin \theta_{j,t}$
 $orall I(ij) \in \Omega_I, \ orall t \in T$

$$\begin{split} I_{lm_{ij,t}} = & -B_{ij} \left| \dot{V}_{i,t} \right| \cos \theta_{i,t} - G_{ij} \left| \dot{V}_{i,t} \right| \sin \theta_{i,t} \\ & + B_{ij} \left| \dot{V}_{j,t} \right| \cos \theta_{j,t} + G_{ij} \left| \dot{V}_{j,t} \right| \sin \theta_{j,t} \\ \forall I(ij) \in \Omega_{I}, \ \forall t \in T \end{split}$$

Objective function

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

$$\left[-G_{ij}\left(\left|\dot{V}_{i,t}\right|^{2}+\left|\dot{V}_{j,t}\right|^{2}\right)+2G_{ij}\left|\dot{V}_{i,t}\right|\left|\dot{V}_{j,t}\right|\cos\left(\theta_{i,t}-\theta_{j,t}\right)\right]=P_{l,t}^{lineloss}=P_{ij,t}+P_{ji,t}$$

$$\forall l(ji) \in \Omega_{l}, \ \forall t \in T$$

$$(2)$$

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MPOPF Objective function

$$P_{ij,t} = -G_{ij} \left| \dot{V}_{i,t} \right|^2 + G_{ij} \left| \dot{V}_{i,t} \right| \left| \dot{V}_{j,t} \right| \cos \left(\theta_{i,t} - \theta_{j,t}\right) + B_{ij} \left| \dot{V}_{i,t} \right| \left| \dot{V}_{j,t} \right| \sin \left(\theta_{i,t} - \theta_{j,t}\right)$$
(3)

$$\forall I(ij) \in \Omega_I, \ \forall t \in T$$

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

$$-B_{ij} \left| \dot{V}_{i,t} \right| \left| \dot{V}_{j,t} \right| \sin \left(\theta_{i,t} - \theta_{j,t}\right)$$
(4)

$$\forall I(ij) \in \Omega_I, \ \forall t \in T$$



Load balance

$$P_{G_{i,t}} - P_{D_{i,t}} = \sum_{j \in \Omega_{b_i}} P_{ij,t} \quad \forall i \in \Omega_b, \ \forall t \in T$$
 (5)

$$Q_{G_{i,t}} - Q_{D_{i,t}} = \sum_{j \in \Omega_{b_i}} Q_{ij,t} \quad \forall i \in \Omega_b, \ \forall t \in T$$
 (6)

Load balance

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

$$- B_{ij} \left| \dot{V}_{i,t} \right| \left| \dot{V}_{j,t} \right| \cos \left(\theta_{i,t} - \theta_{j,t} \right)$$
(7)

$$\forall I(ij) \in \Omega_I, \ \forall t \in T$$

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

$$- B_{ij} \left| \dot{V}_{i,t} \right| \left| \dot{V}_{j,t} \right| \cos \left(\theta_{i,t} - \theta_{j,t} \right)$$
(8)

$$\forall I(ij) \in \Omega_I, \ \forall t \in T$$



Power and voltage

$$\underline{P}_{G_i} \le P_{G_{i,t}} \le \overline{P}_{G_i} \quad \forall i \in \Omega_b, \ \forall t \in T$$
(9)

$$\underline{Q}_{G_i} \le Q_{G_{i,t}} \le \overline{Q}_{G_i} \quad \forall i \in \Omega_b, \ \forall t \in T$$
 (10)

$$\underline{V} \le \left| \dot{V}_{i,t} \right| \le \overline{V} \quad \forall i \in \Omega_b, \ \forall t \in T$$
 (11)

$$\theta_{i,t} = \begin{cases} 0 & : \text{ Bus } i \text{ is slack,} \\ \text{free } : \text{ Otherwise.} \end{cases} \quad \forall t \in T$$
 (12)

$$I_{r_{ij,t}}^2 + I_{Im_{ij,t}}^2 \le \overline{I}_{ij}^2 \quad \forall I(ij) \in \Omega_I, \ \forall t \in T$$

$$\tag{13}$$

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Current

$$I_{r_{ij,t}} = -G_{ij} \left| \dot{V}_{i,t} \right| \cos \theta_{i,t} + B_{ij} \left| \dot{V}_{i,t} \right| \sin \theta_{i,t}$$

$$+ G_{ij} \left| \dot{V}_{j,t} \right| \cos \theta_{j,t} - B_{ij} \left| \dot{V}_{j,t} \right| \sin \theta_{j,t}$$

$$(14)$$

$$\forall I(ij) \in \Omega_I, \ \forall t \in T$$

$$I_{lm_{ij,t}} = -B_{ij} \left| \dot{V}_{i,t} \right| \cos \theta_{i,t} - G_{ij} \left| \dot{V}_{i,t} \right| \sin \theta_{i,t}$$

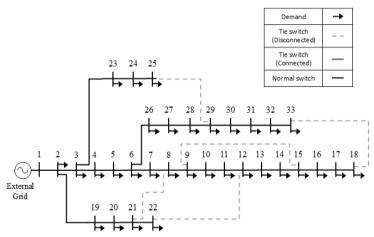
$$+ B_{ij} \left| \dot{V}_{j,t} \right| \cos \theta_{j,t} + G_{ij} \left| \dot{V}_{j,t} \right| \sin \theta_{j,t}$$
(15)

$$\forall I(ij) \in \Omega_I, \ \forall t \in T$$

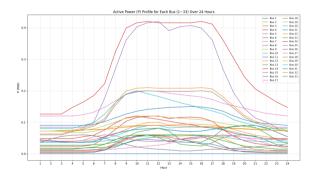


Implementation of Multi-Period Optimal Power Flow in a 33-bus distribution system

Structure of the 33-bus distribution system



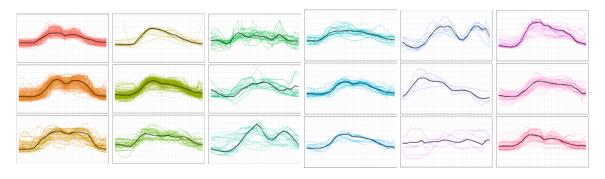
Input Data - Load



• The load data is based on the 24-hour load profile of a typical distribution system.

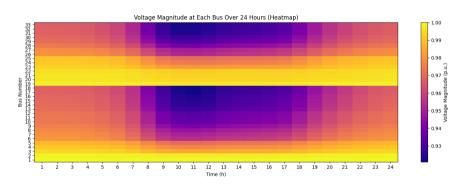
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Input Data - Load



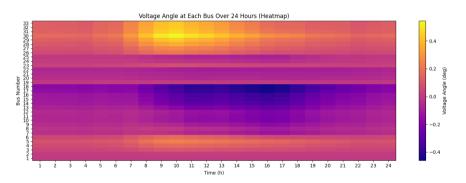
• The 18 load patterns were randomly assigned to the existing 33-bus system. ELMAS: a one-year dataset of hourly electrical load profiles from 424 French industrial and tertiary sectors ... (Bellinguer et al. 2023)

Output Data - Voltage magnitude



- Increased demand leads to a larger voltage drop
- The voltage drop increases with distance from the generator(BUS 1).

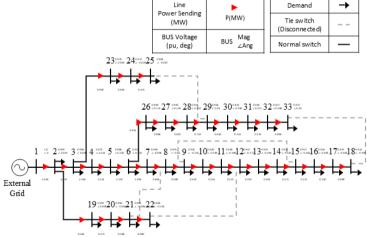
Output Data - Voltage angle



- Increased demand leads to a greater phase angle.
- The phase angle tends to decrease with increasing distance from the generator.
- Bus 30 has a substantial reactive power demand.

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Output Data - P line flow sending(at 13:00)



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