



# Homer Software

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## What is HOMER

HOMER (Hybrid Optimization of Multiple Electric Renewables).

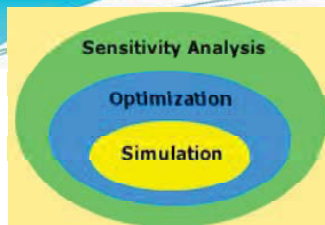
HOMER simplifies the task of designing of distributed generation (DG) systems - both on and off-grid for a variety of applications.

In configuration of the system helps in

- What components does it make sense to include in the system design
- How many and what size of each component should you use.

HOMER's optimization and sensitivity analysis algorithms make it easier to evaluate the many possible system configurations

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## Core capabilities Simulation, Optimization, Sensitivity Analysis

**Simulation:** At its core, HOMER is a simulation model. It will attempt to simulate a viable system for all possible combinations of the equipment that you wish to consider. Depending on how you set up your problem, HOMER may simulate hundreds or even thousands of systems.

**Optimization:** The optimization step follows all simulations. The simulated systems are sorted and filtered according to criteria that you define, so that you can see the best possible fits. Although HOMER fundamentally is an economic optimization model, you may also choose to minimize fuel usage.

**Sensitivity analysis:** This is an optional step that allows you to model the impact of variables that are beyond your control, such as wind speed, fuel costs, etc, and see how the optimal system changes with these variations

**HOMER® Pro** can help you design the best micropower system to suit your needs.

HOMER Pro lets you:

Evaluate off-grid or grid-connected power system designs

Choose the best system based on cost, technical requirements, or environmental considerations

Simulate many design configurations under market price uncertainty and evaluate risk

Choose the best addition or retrofit for an existing system

The **HOMER Support Site** has many resources to help you with

.**Create a system** with a load, generator, wind turbine, batteries, and a system converter.

.**Perform an economic optimization** to find the best combination of battery bank, converter, generator, and wind turbine quantities and capacities.

.**Perform a sensitivity analysis** to investigate how results are affected by fuel price, wind speed, and load size.

.Explore the effect of **interest rate** on the optimal system type.

## STEPS IN THE USE OF HOMER SOFTWARE

### Step 1: Create a new HOMER file

- title, author, and notes (project description) if desired.
- Project Location
- Resources(1)
- Sensitive analysis values input

### Step 2: Load profile

- Create a synthetic load from a profile
- Import a load from a time series file

### Step 3: System Design

- Component settings (Generators, PV, Wind Turbine, battery, Flywheel, Converter)

### Step 4: Resources

- Input data of Solar, Wind, Temperature, Fuels, Hydrokinetic

### Step 5: Calculation & Analysis

- HOMER simulations results

### Step 1: Create a new HOMER file

A HOMER file contains all of the information about the technology options, component costs and resource availability required to analyze power system designs. The HOMER file also contains the results of any calculations HOMER makes as part of the optimization and sensitivity analysis processes. HOMER file names end in .hmr, for example:

## Step 1: Create a new HOMER file

Resources

**Solar**  
 NASA Surface meteorology and Solar Er  
 Global horizontal radiation, monthly averaged  
 values over 22 year period (July 1983 - June  
 2005).

**Temperature**  
 NASA Surface meteorology and Solar Er  
 Air temperature, monthly averaged values over  
 22 year period (July 1983 - June 2005).

**Wind**  
 NASA Surface meteorology and Solar Er  
 Wind speed at 50m above the surface of the  
 earth for terrain similar to airports, monthly  
 averaged values over 10 year period (July 1983  
 - June 1993).

Download Cancel

NominalDiscountRate (%)

Variable: NominalDiscountRate (%)

Link with: <none>

Values:

| NominalDiscoi (%) |
|-------------------|
| 8                 |

OK Cancel

ExpectedInflationRate (%)

Variable: ExpectedInflationRate (%)

Link with: <none>

Values:

| ExpectedInflat (%) |
|--------------------|
| 2                  |

OK Cancel

Capacity Shortage (%)

Variable: Capacity Shortage (%)

Link with: <none>

Values:

| Capacity Shor (%) |
|-------------------|
| 0                 |

OK Cancel

Project Lifetime (years)

Variable: Project Lifetime (years)

Link with: <none>

Values:

| Project Lifetir (years) |
|-------------------------|
| 25                      |

OK Cancel



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## Step 2: Load profile

FILE LOAD COMPONENTS RESOURCES PROJECT SYSTEM HELP

Home Design Results View Library Electric #1 Electric #2 Deletable Thermal #1 Thermal #2 Hydrogen

SCHEMATIC DESIGN

Take Tour

REQUIRED CHANGES

- Add a load
- Add power sources to the microgrid.
- Add a renewable energy source
- Newer version of HOMER Pro available

**HOMER PRO**

**ELECTRIC LOAD SET UP**

Choose one of the following options:

Create a synthetic load from a profile:  Advanced Load Set Up Options

Peak Month:  January  July  None

Profile: Residential

Ok

Import a load from a time series file:

Import and Edit... Import...

NEED HELP LEARNING HOMER? CERTIFIED ONLINE COURSES ARE AVAILABLE



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## Step 2: Load profile



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|      | A     | B | C |
|------|-------|---|---|
| 1    | 16343 |   |   |
| 2    | 14916 |   |   |
| 3    | 13849 |   |   |
| 4    | 13389 |   |   |
| 5    | 13084 |   |   |
| 6    | 13084 |   |   |
| 8748 | 12692 |   |   |
| 8749 | 18808 |   |   |
| 8750 | 20640 |   |   |
| 8751 | 20732 |   |   |
| 8752 | 18961 |   |   |
| 8753 | 19115 |   |   |
| 8754 | 19452 |   |   |
| 8755 | 22224 |   |   |
| 8756 | 24387 |   |   |
| 8757 | 21981 |   |   |
| 8758 | 20030 |   |   |
| 8759 | 18661 |   |   |
| 8760 | 17898 |   |   |
| 8761 |       |   |   |

1hour each 365 days data



|               |                  |                 |
|---------------|------------------|-----------------|
| Load 2025     | 2016/01/11 15:17 | Microsoft Excel |
| Load 2026     | 2016/01/11 15:19 | Microsoft Excel |
| Load 2027     | 2016/01/11 15:19 | Microsoft Excel |
| Load 2028     | 2016/01/11 15:20 | Microsoft Excel |
| Load 2029     | 2016/01/11 15:21 | Microsoft Excel |
| Load 2030     | 2016/01/11 15:21 | Microsoft Excel |
| Load 2015.prn | 2016/01/11 13:44 | PRN ファイル        |
| Load 2016.prn | 2016/01/11 15:09 | PRN ファイル        |
| Load 2017.prn | 2016/01/11 15:10 | PRN ファイル        |
| Load 2018.prn | 2016/01/11 15:11 | PRN ファイル        |
| Load 2019.prn | 2016/01/11 15:12 | PRN ファイル        |
| Load 2020.prn | 2016/01/11 15:13 | PRN ファイル        |
| Load 2021.prn | 2016/01/11 15:14 | PRN ファイル        |
| Load 2022.prn | 2016/01/11 15:15 | PRN ファイル        |

Save in txt. file

## Step 3: System Design (Generator)

**GENERATOR SET UP**

Choose one:

- 500kW Genset
- Set N-1
- Set SP
- Set N2

PROPERTIES:

Name: 500kW Genset  
 Abbreviation: 500kW Genset  
 Manufacturer: 500kW Genset  
 Weight (lbs): 2000kW Genset  
 Footprint (in<sup>2</sup>): Autosize Genset  
 Website: Generic 725kW Prime Power  
 Notes: Innovus VSG600, Innovus VSG1200, Innovus VSG1800, Innovus VSG2400

Use the drop down box to select a generator that you would like to add to the model. A guideline for the total power available to the microgrid is 1.2 times the peak load.

All operations to add and remove generators take place on this Add/Remove page for generators. The list of generators in the model will replace this text after generators have been added. You may add up to 20 generators to the model.

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## Step 3: System Design (Generator)

**REQUIRED CHANGES**

- Add a load
- Add a renewable energy source
- Newer version of HOMER Pro available

**GENEATOR**

Name: 500kW Genset    Abbreviation: Gen500

Properties:

- Name: 500kW Genset
- Abbreviation: Gen500
- Manufacturer: Generic
- Website: [www.homerenergy.com](http://www.homerenergy.com)

| Capacity (kW) | Capital (\$) | Replacement (\$) | O&M (\$/hr) |
|---------------|--------------|------------------|-------------|
| 1             | \$500.00     | \$500.00         | \$0.030     |

Click here to add new item

Site Specific Input:

- Minimum Load Ratio (%): 25.00
- Lifetime (Hours): 15,000.00
- Minimum Runtime (Minutes): 0.00

Fuel Resource: Diesel

SELECT FUEL: Diesel    Manage Fuels

Diesel Fuel Price (\$/L): 1.00    Limit Consumption (L): 5,000.00

PROPERTIES:

- Lower Heating Value (MJ/kg): 43.2
- Density (kg/m<sup>3</sup>): 820
- Carbon Content (%): 88
- Sulfur Content (%): 0.33



## Step 3: System Design (Generator)

Fuel Resource | **Fuel Curve** | Emissions | Maintenance | Schedule

Reference generator capacity:

Intercept Coefficient (L/hr/kW rated):

Slope (L/hr/kW output):

Fuel Curve Table

| Output (kW)                                | Consumption (L/hr) |
|--|--------------------|
| <a href="#">Click here to add new item</a> |                    |

Chart Type:  Fuel Flow  Efficiency

Fuel Resource | Fuel Curve | **Emissions** | Maintenance | Schedule

Carbon Monoxide (g/L of fuel):

Unburned Hydrocarbons (g/L of fuel):

Particulate Matter (g/L of fuel):

Proportion of Fuel Sulfur converted to PM (g/L of fuel):

Nitrogen Oxides (g/L of fuel):

## Step 3: System Design (Generator)

Fuel Resource | Fuel Curve | Emissions | **Maintenance** | Schedule

Consider Maintenance Schedule

| Procedure                                  | Interval (op. hrs.) | Down time (real hrs.) | Cost (\$) |
|--|---------------------|-----------------------|-----------|
| <a href="#">Click here to add new item</a> |                     |                       |           |

Simulation will choose the highest cost maintenance item in a given interval.

Fuel Resource | Fuel Curve | Emissions | Maintenance | **Schedule**

Step 1: Select an operating mode:  
 Forced On  Forced Off  Optimized

Step 2: Select a time period:  
 All Week  Weekdays  Weekends

Step 3: Click on the chart to indicate when the selected operating mode applies.

00:00

Generator Schedule

## Step 3: System Design (PV)

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| Capacity (kW) | Capital (\$) | Replacement (\$) | O&M (\$/year) |
|---------------|--------------|------------------|---------------|
| 1             | \$3,000.00   | \$3,000.00       | \$10.00       |



### Step 3: System Design (PV)

MPPT Advanced Input Temperature

Ground Reflectance (%):  (i)

Tracking System:

Use default slope  
Panel Slope (degrees):  (i)

Use default azimuth  
Panel Azimuth (degrees West of South):  (i)

MPPT Advanced Input Temperature

Consider temperature effects?  
Using ambient temperature defined in the temperature resource.

Temperature effects on power (%/°C):  (i)

Nominal operating cell temperature (°C):  (i)

Efficiency at standard test conditions (%):  (i)

### Step 3: System Design (Wind Turbine)

HOMER Pro Microgrid Analysis Tool 3.3.3

FILE LOAD COMPONENTS RESOURCES PROJECT SYSTEM HELP

Home Design Results Library Generator PV Wind Turbine Battery Flywheel Converter Boiler Hydro Reformer Electrolyzer Hydrogen Hydrokinetic Grid Thermal Load Controller

**SCHEMATIC** **DESIGN**

Gen500 AC DC PV

**REQUIRED CHANGES**

- Add a load
- Add a solar GHI resource.
- Add a system converter.
- Newer version of HOMER Pro av...

**WIND TURBINE SET UP**

500kW Genset

PROPEL

Set N-1  
Set BP  
Set N1  
Set N2

Name: 10kW Genset  
Abb: 50kW Genset  
Rate: 100kW Genset  
Mar: 200kW Genset  
Autopise Genset  
Wei: Generic 725kW Prime Power  
Innovus VSG1200  
Innovus VSG1800  
Innovus VSG2400

Add Wind Turbine

Use the drop down box to select a wind turbine that you would like to add to the model. A guideline for the total power available to the microgrid is 1.2 times the peak load.

All operations to add and remove wind turbines take place on this Add/Remove page for wind turbines. The list of wind turbines in the model will replace this text after wind turbines have been added. You may add up to 2 different types of wind turbine to the model

**Microgrid News** by HOMER ENERGY

Online news and analysis focusing on microgrid advances, projects, and market drivers around the world

## Step 3: System Design (Wind Turbine)

**REQUIRED CHANGES**

- Add a load
- Add a solar GHI resource.
- Add a system converter.
- Add a wind resource.
- Newer version of HOMER Pro ava

**WIND TURBINE** Name: Generic 3 kW Abbreviation: G3

| Quantity | Capital (\$) | Replacement (\$) | O&M (\$/year) |
|----------|--------------|------------------|---------------|
| 1        | \$18,000.00  | \$18,000.00      | \$180.00      |

Click here to add new item

Site Specific Input  
 Lifetime (years): 20.00 Hub Height (m): 17.00  
 Consider ambient temperature effects?

Power Curve | **Turbine Losses** | Maintenance

| Wind Speed (m/s) | Power Output (kW) |
|------------------|-------------------|
| 0                | 0                 |
| 3                | 0                 |
| 4                | 0.06              |
| 5                | 0.11              |
| 6                | 0.28              |

Wind Turbine Power Curve

## Step 3: System Design (Wind Turbine)

**Turbine Losses**

|                                 |          |   |   |
|---------------------------------|----------|---|---|
| Availability Losses (%):        | 0        | Wake Effects Losses (%):                                      | 0 |
| Turbine Performance Losses (%): | 0        | Electrical Losses (%):  | 0 |
| Environmental Losses (%):       | 0        | Curtailment Losses (%):                                       | 0 |
| Other Losses (%):               | 0        |   |   |
| <b>Overall Loss Factor (%):</b> | <b>0</b> | Loss factors combine multiplicatively rather than additively. |   |

**Maintenance**

Consider Maintenance Schedule

| Procedure                  | Interval (op hrs.) | Down time (real hrs.) | Cost (\$) |
|----------------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|-----------|
| Click here to add new item |                    |                       |           |

Simulation will choose the highest cost maintenance item in a given interval.



### Step 3: System Design (Converter)

**CONVERTER**

Name: System Converter    Abbreviation: Convert    Remove    Copy To Library

| Capacity (kW)              | Capital (\$) | Replacement (\$) | O&M (\$/year) | Search Space Size (kW) |
|----------------------------|--------------|------------------|---------------|------------------------|
| 1                          | \$300.00     | \$300.00         | \$0.0         | 100                    |
| Click here to add new item |              |                  |               | 0                      |

Weight (lbs): 1500  
Footprint (in2): 2000  
Website: [www.homerenergy.com](http://www.homerenergy.com)  
Notes: This is a generic system converter.

**Inverter Input**

Lifetime (years): 15.00  
Efficiency (%): 90.00  
 Parallel with AC generator?

**Rectifier Input**

Relative Capacity (%): 100.00  
Efficiency (%): 85.00

### Step 3: System Design (Battery)

**BATTERY SET UP**

Generic 1kWh Lead Acid  
Generic 1kWh Li-Ion  
Generic Vanadium  
Beacon Smart Energy 25  
CELLCUBE® FB 10-40  
CELLCUBE® FB 10-70  
CELLCUBE® FB 10-100  
CELLCUBE® FB 10-130  
CELLCUBE® FB 20-40  
CELLCUBE® FB 20-70  
CELLCUBE® FB 20-100  
CELLCUBE® FB 20-130  
CELLCUBE® FB 30-40  
CELLCUBE® FB 30-70  
CELLCUBE® FB 30-100  
CELLCUBE® FB 30-130

Add Battery

Use the drop down box to select a battery that you would like to add to the model. A guideline for the total power available to the microgrid is 1.2 times the peak load.

All operations to add and remove batteries take place on this Add/Remove page for batteries. The list of batteries in the model will replace this text after batteries have been added. You may add up to 10 different types of battery to the model.

Up to 1,200 kW Bidirectional Inverter for Megawatt-scale Hybrid Mini-Grid System  
5MW total power  
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## Step 3: System Design (Battery)

**Costs**

| Quantity                   | Capital (\$) | Replacement (\$) | O&M (\$/year) |
|----------------------------|--------------|------------------|---------------|
| 1                          | \$300.00     | \$300.00         | \$10.00       |
| Click here to add new item |              |                  |               |

**Site Specific Input**

Batteries per string: 1 (12 V bus)

Initial State of Charge (%): 100.00

Minimum State of Charge (%): 40.00

Lifetime Throughput (kWh): 800.00

Enforce minimum battery life?

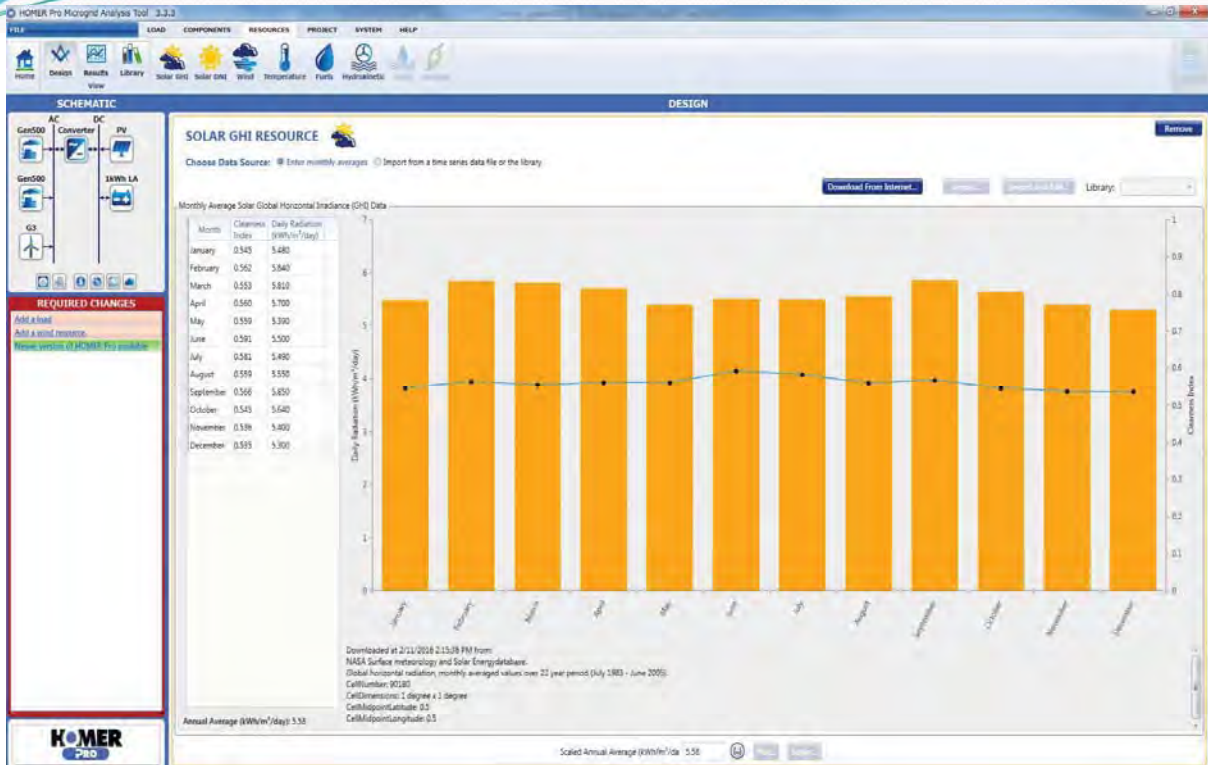
Minimum battery life (yr): 5.00

## Step 4: Resources

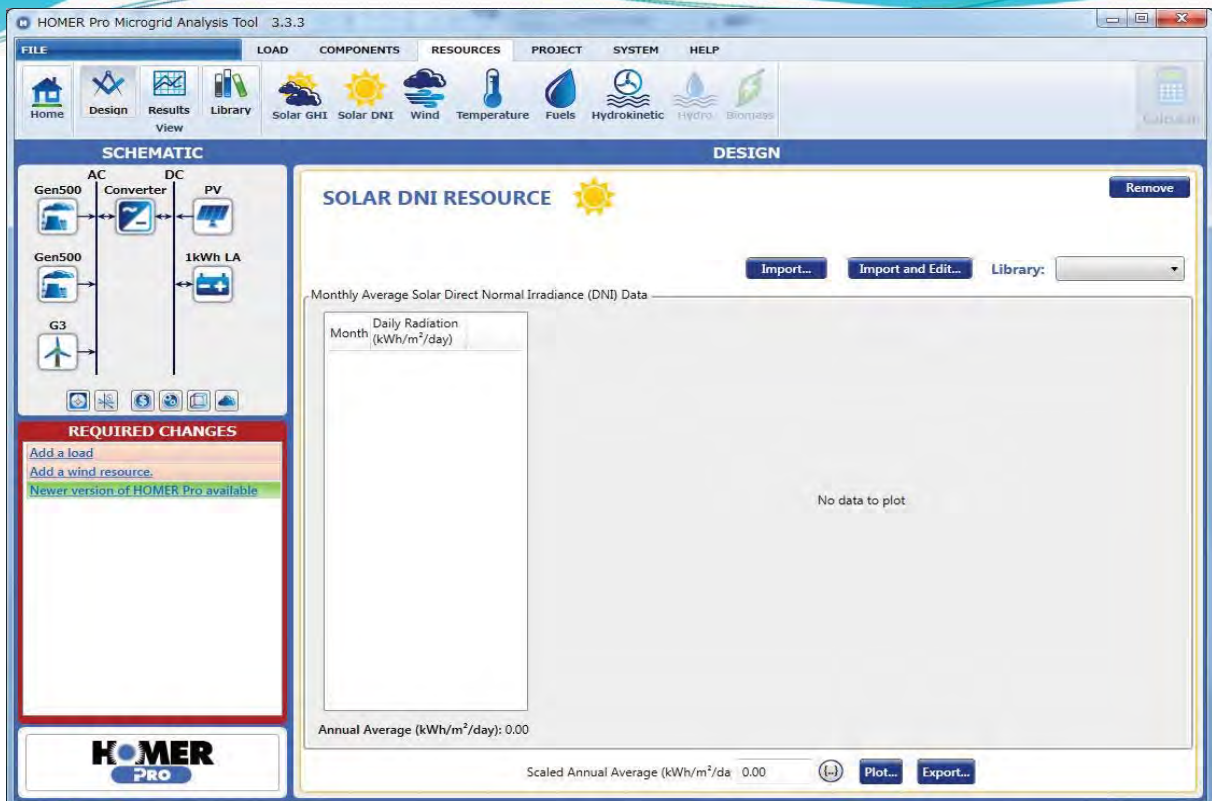
**RESOURCES**

Solar GHI, Solar DNI, Wind, Temperature, Fuels, Hydrokinetic, Hydro, Biomass

## Step 4: Resources



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**WIND RESOURCE**

Choose Data Source:  Enter monthly averages  Import from a time series data file or the library

Download From Internet... Import... Import and Edit... Library: [Dropdown]

Monthly Average Wind Speed Data

| Month     | Average (m/s) |
|-----------|---------------|
| January   | 3.590         |
| February  | 3.680         |
| March     | 3.490         |
| April     | 3.560         |
| May       | 4.220         |
| June      | 5.210         |
| July      | 4.690         |
| August    | 4.300         |
| September | 4.400         |
| October   | 4.560         |
| November  | 4.570         |
| December  | 4.090         |

Annual Average (m/s): 4.20

Scaled Annual Average (m/s): 4.20

Downloaded at 2/11/2016 2:17:51 PM from:  
NASA Surface meteorology and Solar Energydatabase.  
Wind speed at 50m above the surface of the earth for terrain similar to airports, monthly averaged values over 10 year period (July 1983 - June 1993)  
CellNumber: 90180  
CellDimensions: 1 degree x 1 degree  
CellMidpointLatitude: 0.5  
CellMidpointLongitude: 0.5

Parameters: Variation With Height: Advanced Parameters  
Altitude above sea level (m): 0  
Anemometer height (m): 50

## Step 4: Resources

**TEMPERATURE RESOURCE**

Choose Data Source:  Enter monthly averages  Import from a time series data file or the library

Download From Internet... Import... Import and Edit... Library: [Dropdown]

Monthly Average Temperature Data

| Month     | Daily Temperature (°C) |
|-----------|------------------------|
| January   | 25.890                 |
| February  | 26.320                 |
| March     | 26.700                 |
| April     | 26.870                 |
| May       | 26.530                 |
| June      | 24.790                 |
| July      | 23.590                 |
| August    | 23.440                 |
| September | 24.080                 |
| October   | 25.000                 |
| November  | 25.590                 |
| December  | 25.780                 |

Annual Average (°C): 25.38

Scaled Annual Average (°C): 25.38

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NASA Surface meteorology and Solar Energydatabase.  
Air temperature, monthly averaged values over 22 year period (July 1983 - June 2005)  
CellNumber: 90180  
CellDimensions: 1 degree x 1 degree  
CellMidpointLatitude: 0.5  
CellMidpointLongitude: 0.5



## Step 4: Resources

The screenshot shows the HOMER Pro Microgrid Analysis Tool interface. The 'RESOURCES' tab is active, displaying the 'FUEL RESOURCE' configuration screen. On the left, a schematic diagram shows a power system with Gen500, AC, Converter, DC, PV, and 1kWh LA components. Below the schematic is a 'REQUIRED CHANGES' section with a message: 'Add a load' and 'Newer version of HOMER Pro available'. The main area is titled 'FUEL RESOURCE' and contains a table of 'FUELS AVAILABLE IN MODEL'.

| Name   | LHV  | Density | Carbon | Sulfur | Special |
|--------|------|---------|--------|--------|---------|
| Diesel | 43.2 | 820     | 88     | 0.33   | X       |

Below the table, there is a text prompt: 'Select fuel from model to view properties.'

## Step 4: Resources

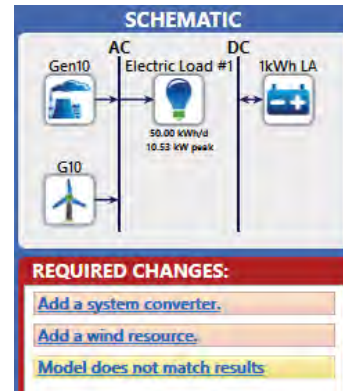
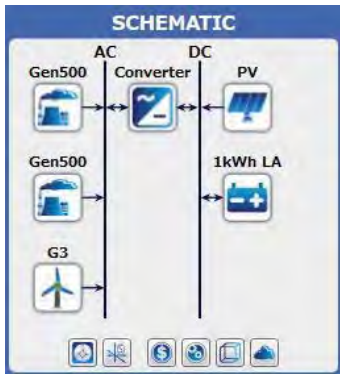
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| Month     | Water Speed (m/s) |
|-----------|-------------------|
| January   | 0.000             |
| February  | 0.000             |
| March     | 0.000             |
| April     | 0.000             |
| May       | 0.000             |
| June      | 0.000             |
| July      | 0.000             |
| August    | 0.000             |
| September | 0.000             |
| October   | 0.000             |
| November  | 0.000             |
| December  | 0.000             |

Below the table, there is a text prompt: 'Annual Average (m/s): 0.00'. At the bottom, there is a 'Scaled Annual Average (m/s): 0.00' field with 'Plot...' and 'Export...' buttons.

## Step 5: Calculation & Analysis

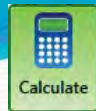
The schematic on the left side of the window :



Notice the "Required Changes": add a system converter (since you have components on the AC and DC buses) and add a wind resource (since you have a wind turbine). "Model does not match results" indicates that you have changed the model since the last time "Calculate" was performed. We have added a wind turbine and batteries since then.

Red items are required changes and will prevent calculations. Yellow items are important warnings, and green items are suggestions.

## Step 5: Calculation & Analysis



Click the "Calculate" button in the upper-right corner of the HOMER window.

You'll see the results screen, which consists of two related tables. Sensitivity cases are listed in the top table, and simulation runs are listed in the bottom table. You can double click the entry in the lower table to show the detailed "simulation results" for that simulation.

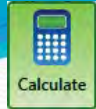
| RESULTS   |          |          |           |                     |                      |              |          |        |  |       |
|---|----------|----------|-----------|---------------------|----------------------|--------------|----------|--------|--|-------|
| <input checked="" type="radio"/> Tabular <input type="radio"/> Graphical                                    |          |          |           |                     |                      |              |          |        |  |       |
| Export... Column Choices... <small>Notes: Left Click on sensitivity case to see optimization cases.</small> |          |          |           |                     |                      |              |          |        |  |       |
| Architecture  |          |          |           | Cost                |                      |              |          | System |  | Gen10 |
| Gen10 (kW)  | Dispatch | COE (\$) | NPC (\$)  | Operating cost (\$) | Initial capital (\$) | Ren Frac (%) | Fuel (L) | Hours  |  |       |
| 15  | CC       | \$1.35   | \$319,046 | \$22,939            | \$22,500             | 0            | 16,003   | 8,760  |  |       |

| Export... Optimization Cases: Left Double Click on simulation to examine details. <input checked="" type="radio"/> Categorized <input type="radio"/> Overall |          |          |           |                     |                      |              |          |        |  |       |
|--|----------|----------|-----------|---------------------|----------------------|--------------|----------|--------|--|-------|
| Architecture   |          |          |           | Cost                |                      |              |          | System |  | Gen10 |
| Gen10 (kW)   | Dispatch | COE (\$) | NPC (\$)  | Operating cost (\$) | Initial capital (\$) | Ren Frac (%) | Fuel (L) | Hours  |  |       |
| 15   | CC       | \$1.35   | \$319,046 | \$22,939            | \$22,500             | 0            | 16,003   | 8,760  |  |       |



## Step 5: Calculations & Analysis



HOMER will run a few thousand simulations, and the results tables will display. In the upper table, each row corresponds to one sensitivity case. For each case, the configuration for the lowest net present cost system is listed.

Click on the column headings to sort by the different parameters. If you select a sensitivity case, the lower table will show all system configurations that were simulated for that case. Infeasible system configurations are not included.

Export... Column Choices... Sensitivity Cases: Left Click on sensitivity case to see optimization cases.

| Architecture |            |         |                | Cost     |          |           |                     | System               |               | Gen10    |       |
|--------------|------------|---------|----------------|----------|----------|-----------|---------------------|----------------------|---------------|----------|-------|
| G10          | Gen10 (kW) | 1kWh LA | Converter (kW) | Dispatch | COE (\$) | NPC (\$)  | Operating cost (\$) | Initial capital (\$) | Ren. Frac (%) | Fuel (L) | Hours |
| 1            | 15         | 8       | 6              | CC       | \$0.81   | \$191,522 | \$10,104            | \$60,900             | 31            | 5,883    | 3,174 |

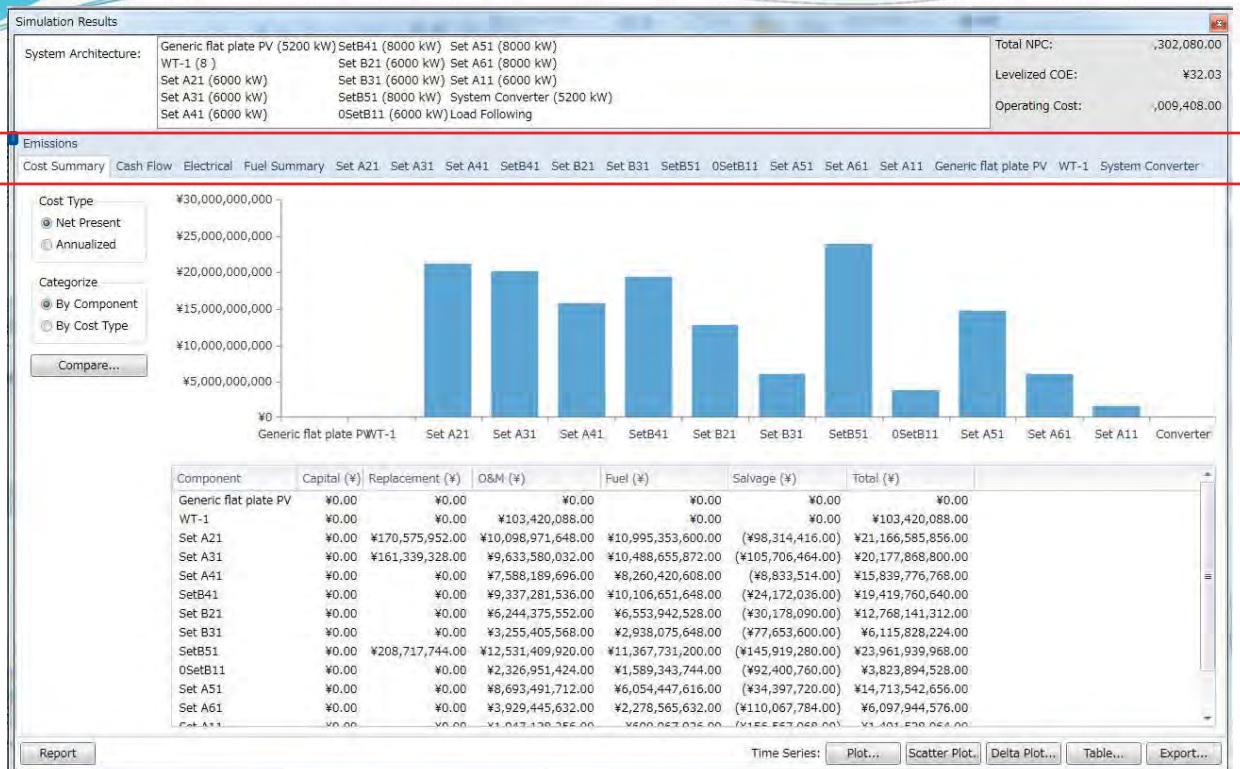
Export... Optimization Cases: Left Double Click on simulation to examine details.

| Architecture |            |         |                | Cost     |          |           |                     | System               |               | Gen10    |       |
|--------------|------------|---------|----------------|----------|----------|-----------|---------------------|----------------------|---------------|----------|-------|
| G10          | Gen10 (kW) | 1kWh LA | Converter (kW) | Dispatch | COE (\$) | NPC (\$)  | Operating cost (\$) | Initial capital (\$) | Ren. Frac (%) | Fuel (L) | Hours |
| 1            | 15         | 8       | 6              | CC       | \$0.81   | \$191,522 | \$10,104            | \$60,900             | 31            | 5,883    | 3,174 |
| 1            | 15         | 8       | 6              | CC       | \$1.11   | \$261,535 | \$17,841            | \$30,900             | 0             | 11,407   | 6,104 |
| 1            | 15         | 8       | 6              | CC       | \$1.17   | \$275,171 | \$17,225            | \$52,500             | 0             | 11,579   | 6,383 |
| 1            | 15         | 8       | 6              | CC       | \$1.35   | \$319,092 | \$22,943            | \$22,500             | 0             | 16,012   | 8,760 |

Categorized  Overall



## Step 5: Calculations & Analysis







You can also edit the search space in the search space editor. Go to the System tab and click on the "Search Space" button. You will see the values 16 and 24 that you just added to the battery search space.

Add the number 2 to the column "G10 Quantity" to include 2 in the wind turbine search space.

Add 10 and 20 kW to the "Gen10 Capacity" search space. Click OK.

Search Space

This table displays the values of all optimization variables. HOMER simulates the set of all possible combinations of these variables. You can also edit the search space for each component individually in the Component Input menus.

| Converter Capacity (kW) | 1kWh LA Strings (#) | Gen10 Capacity (kW) | G10 Quantity (#) |
|-------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|------------------|
| 6.00                    | 0.00                | 15.00               | 0.00             |
| 0.00                    | 8.00                | 0.00                | 1.00             |
| 12.00                   | 16.00               | 10.00               | 2.00             |
|                         | 24.00               | 20.00               |                  |

**Thank you very much for your attention**

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# Feed-In Tariff System

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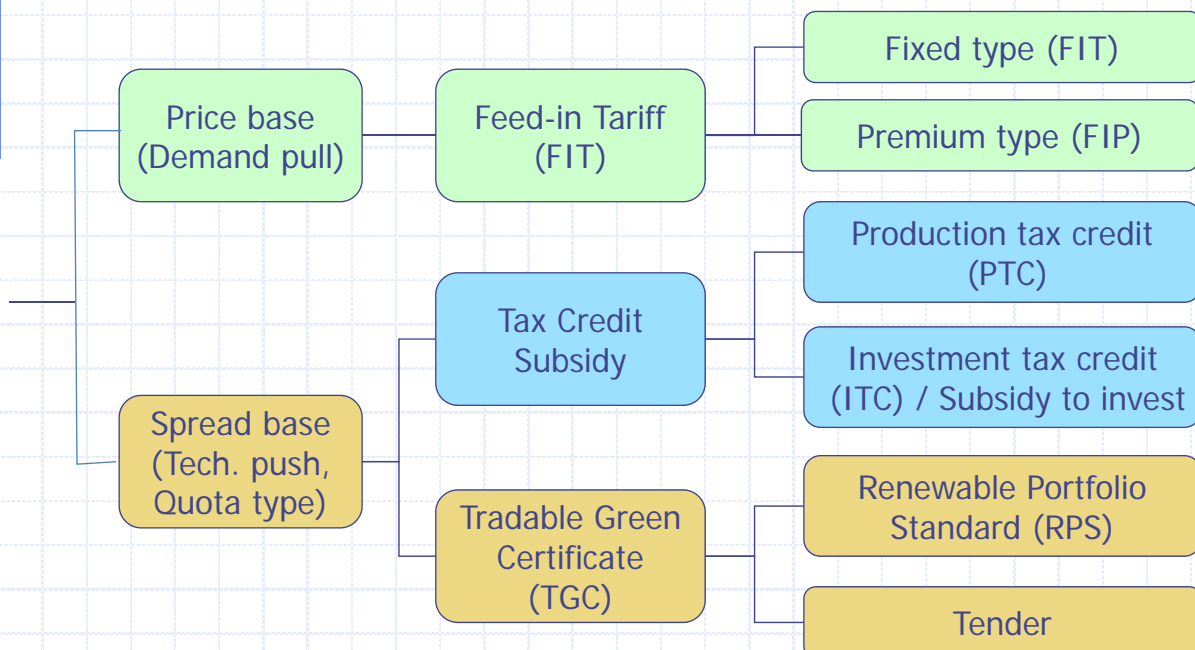


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## Supporting Instruments for Renewable Energy (RE)

- To promote RE



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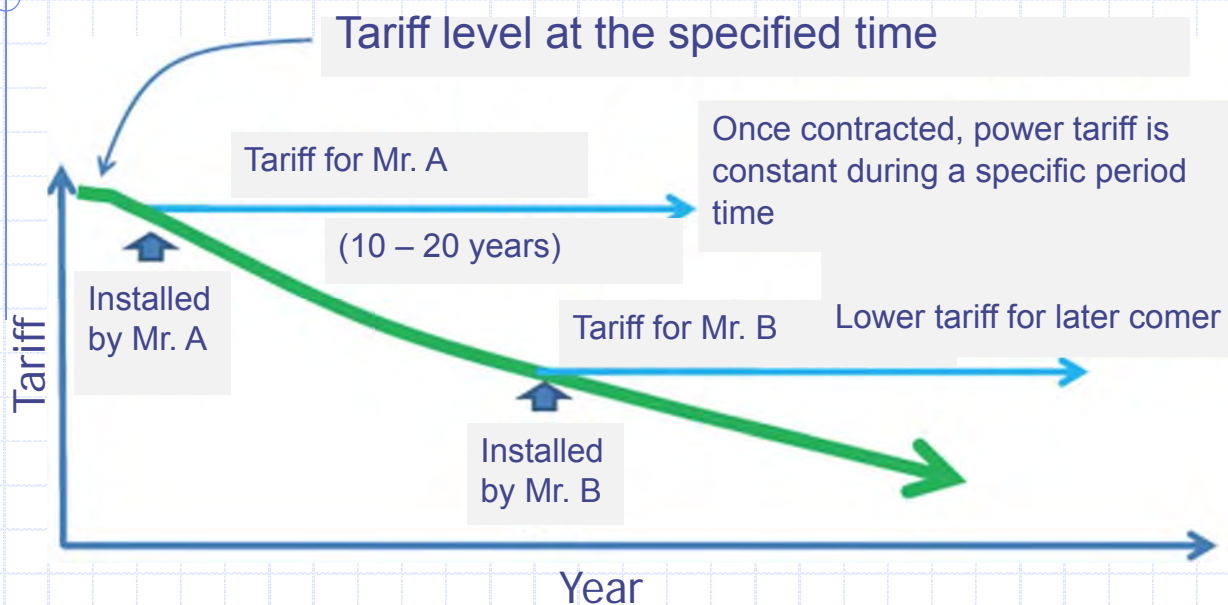


## Feed-In Tariff (FIT)

- An governmental assistance to accelerate dissemination of RE
- Provides profit by lowering investor's cost at initial stage

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## Mechanism of FIT

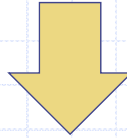


- On installation, tariff during a specific period time is determined.
  - Easy to estimate rough balance at initial stage
- Lowered tariff in later stage is not applied to installed facilities.
- Dissemination speed can be controlled by tariff.

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## Feed-In Tariff (FIT)

- An governmental assistance to accelerate dissemination of RE
  - Provides profit by lowering investor's cost at initial stage



- Allows RE generators (auto producer) to sell their electricity at a fixed price per kWh
  - Spain and Germany have been applying FIT systems during the last years very successfully
  - But in Japan, ...

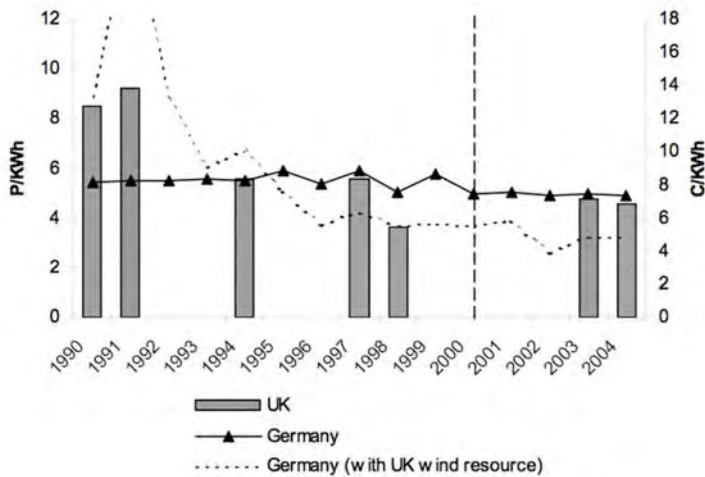
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## Japanese Case

- FIT has been started in 2012. (after Fukushima)
  - 42 JPY (4.43 SCR, 0.34 USD) / kWh for PV, No total limit
  - Resource is avoided fuel cost + surcharge on tariff
- ⇒ Subdivision business of Mega-solar
  - Elec. Business Act doesn't cover RE < 50kW: no strict regulation
- Revised system in April 2014
  - 38 JPY (4.01 SCR, 0.31 USD) / kWh for PV
  - Prohibited subdivision of mega-solar
- ⇒ In march, application of 27,000MW PV received
- But, revision was too late.
  - From September 2014, 5 utilities refused new PV connection
  - Unlimited curtailment of PV output w/o compensation

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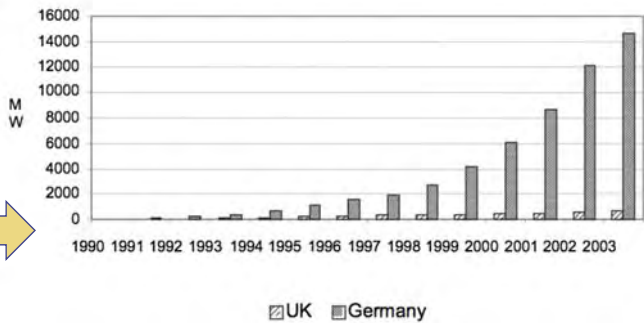
# FIT (Germany) vs Quota (UK): Wind Gen.



Striking effect of FIT in cost and dissemination, even though better wind condition in UK.

↑ Anticipated Price of Wind Energy in Germany and the UK

Installed Capacity in Germany and the UK (1990 - 2003)



Lucy Butler et. al. "Comparison of Feed in Tariff, Quota and Auction Mechanisms to Support Wind Power Development"

# World trend (Upper-middle income countries - 1)

| UPPER-MIDDLE INCOME COUNTRIES | REGULATORY POLICIES                    |                                       |              |                             |                         |              | FISCAL INCENTIVES                 |                                      |  |                           | PUBLIC FINANCING                    |                            | \$\$\$ |
|-------------------------------|--|---------------------------------------|--------------|-----------------------------|-------------------------|--------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|---------------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------------|--------|
|                               | Feed-in tariff (incl. premium payment) | Electric utility quota obligation/RPS | Net metering | Biofuels obligation/mandate | Heat obligation/mandate | Tradable REC | Capital subsidy, grant, or rebate | Investment or production tax credits | Reductions in sales, energy, CO <sub>2</sub> , VAT, or other taxes | Energy production payment | Public investment, loans, or grants | Public competitive bidding |        |
| Algeria                       | ●                                      |                                       |              |                             |                         |              |                                   |                                      |  |                           |                                     |                            |        |
| Argentina                     | ●                                      |                                       |              | ●                           |                         |              | ●                                 | ●                                    | ●  | ●                         | ●                                   | ●                          |        |
| Belarus                       |  |                                       |              |                             |                         |              |                                   |                                      | ●  |                           |                                     |                            |        |
| Bosnia & Herzegovina          | ●                                      |                                       |              |                             |                         |              | ●                                 |                                      |  |                           |                                     | ●                          |        |
| Botswana                      |  |                                       |              |                             |                         |              | ●                                 |                                      | ●  |                           |                                     |                            |        |
| Brazil                        |  |                                       |              | ●                           | ○                       |              |                                   | ●                                    | ●  | ●                         | ●                                   | ●                          |        |
| Bulgaria                      | ●                                      |                                       |              | ●                           |                         |              | ●                                 | ●                                    | ●  | ●                         | ●                                   | ●                          |        |
| Chile                         |  | ●                                     |              |                             | ●                       |              | ●                                 |                                      | ●  |                           |                                     | ●                          |        |
| China                         | ●                                      | ●                                     |              | ●                           | ●                       |              | ●                                 |                                      | ●  |                           | ●                                   | ●                          |        |
| Colombia                      |  |                                       |              | ●                           |                         |              |                                   |                                      | ●  |                           |                                     |                            |        |
| Costa Rica                    | ●                                      |                                       |              |                             |                         |              | ●                                 |                                      | ●  |                           |                                     |                            |        |
| Dominican Republic            | ●                                      |                                       | ●            |                             | ●                       |              | ●                                 | ●                                    | ●  |                           |                                     | ●                          |        |
| Ecuador                       | ●                                      |                                       |              |                             |                         |              |                                   |                                      | ●  |                           |                                     | ●                          |        |
| Grenada                       |  |                                       |              |                             |                         |              |                                   |                                      | ●  |                           |                                     |                            |        |



## World trend (Upper-middle income countries - 2)

|                                      | REGULATORY POLICIES                    |                                       |              |                             |                         |              | FISCAL INCENTIVES                 |                                      |  |                           | PUBLIC FINANCING                    |                            |
|--------------------------------------|--|---------------------------------------|--------------|-----------------------------|-------------------------|--------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|---------------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------------|
|                                      | Feed-in tariff (incl. premium payment) | Electric utility quota obligation/RPS | Net metering | Biofuels obligation/mandate | Heat obligation/mandate | Tradable REC | Capital subsidy, grant, or rebate | Investment or production tax credits | Reductions in sales, energy, CO <sub>2</sub> , VAT, or other taxes | Energy production payment | Public investment, loans, or grants | Public competitive bidding |
| <b>UPPER-MIDDLE INCOME COUNTRIES</b> |  |                                       |              |                             |                         |              |                                   |                                      |  |                           |                                     |                            |
|                                      | <b>\$\$\$</b>                          |                                       |              |                             |                         |              |                                   |                                      |  |                           |                                     |                            |
| Iran                                 | ●                                      |                                       |              |                             |                         |              |                                   |                                      | ●  |                           |                                     |                            |
| Jamaica                              |  |                                       |              | ●                           |                         |              |                                   |                                      |  | ●                         |                                     | ●                          |
| Jordan                               |  |                                       | ●            | ●                           |                         |              |                                   |                                      |  |                           | ●                                   | ●                          |
| Kazakhstan                           | ●                                      |                                       |              |                             |                         | ●            |                                   |                                      |  |                           |                                     |                            |
| Latvia                               | ●                                      |                                       |              | ●                           |                         |              |                                   |                                      |  |                           | ●                                   | ●                          |
| Lebanon                              |  |                                       | ●            |                             |                         |              |                                   |                                      |  |                           |                                     |                            |
| Lithuania                            | ●                                      |                                       |              |                             |                         |              |                                   |                                      |  |                           | ●                                   |                            |
| Macedonia                            | ●                                      |                                       |              |                             |                         |              |                                   |                                      |  |                           | ●                                   |                            |
| Malaysia                             | ●                                      | ●                                     |              | ●                           |                         |              |                                   |                                      |  |                           | ●                                   | ●                          |
| Mauritius                            |  |                                       |              |                             |                         |              |                                   |                                      | ●  |                           |                                     |                            |
| Mexico                               |  |                                       | ●            |                             | ●                       |              |                                   |                                      | ●  |                           | ●                                   | ●                          |
| Palau                                |  | ●                                     |              |                             |                         |              |                                   |                                      |  |                           |                                     |                            |
| Panama                               | ●                                      |                                       | ●            |                             |                         |              |                                   |                                      | ●  |                           | ●                                   | ●                          |
| Peru                                 | ●                                      |                                       |              | ●                           |                         |              |                                   |                                      |  |                           | ●                                   | ●                          |
| Romania                              |  | ●                                     |              | ●                           |                         | ●            |                                   |                                      |  |                           | ●                                   |                            |
| Russia                               |  |                                       |              |                             |                         |              |                                   |                                      | ●  |                           |                                     |                            |
| Serbia                               | ●                                      |                                       |              |                             |                         |              |                                   |                                      | ●  |                           |                                     |                            |
| South Africa                         |  |                                       |              |                             |                         |              |                                   |                                      | ●  |                           |                                     | ●                          |
| Thailand                             | ●                                      |                                       |              | ●                           |                         |              |                                   |                                      |  |                           | ●                                   | ●                          |
| Tunisia                              |  |                                       | ●            |                             |                         |              |                                   |                                      |  |                           | ●                                   |                            |
| Turkey                               | ●                                      |                                       |              |                             |                         |              |                                   |                                      | ●  |                           | ●                                   |                            |
| Uruguay                              | ●                                      |                                       | ●            | ●                           | ●                       |              |                                   |                                      | ●  |                           | ●                                   | ●                          |

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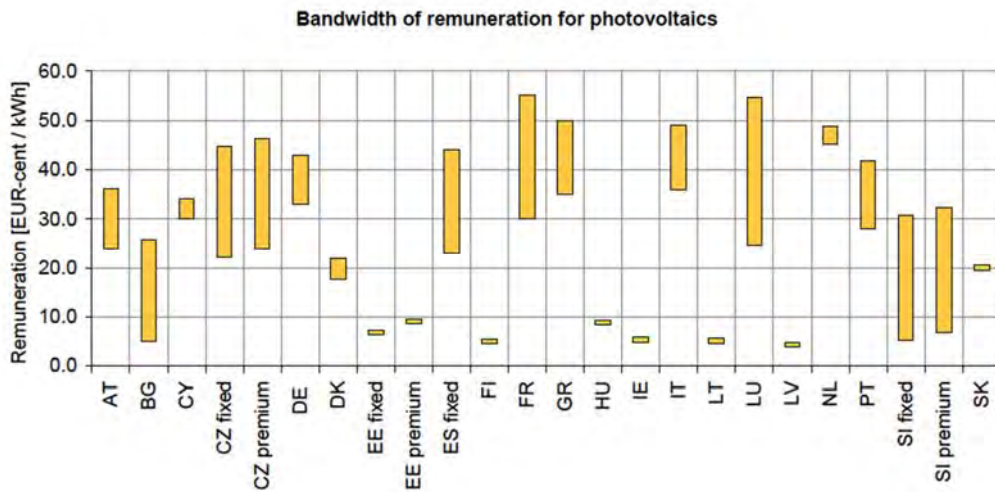
## World Trend

- Beginning of 2012
  - 65 countries and 27 states/provinces use FIT.
    - New comer: Netherland, Syria, Palestine and Rwanda
  - 18 countries and 58 states/provinces/ regions use Quota/RPS.
    - US, India, Canada ...
  
- We can apply;
  - ① FIT
  - ② Other instruments, such as investment subsidy, low interest loan, tax credit and etc.,
  - ③ ①+②

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# FIT design: General condition

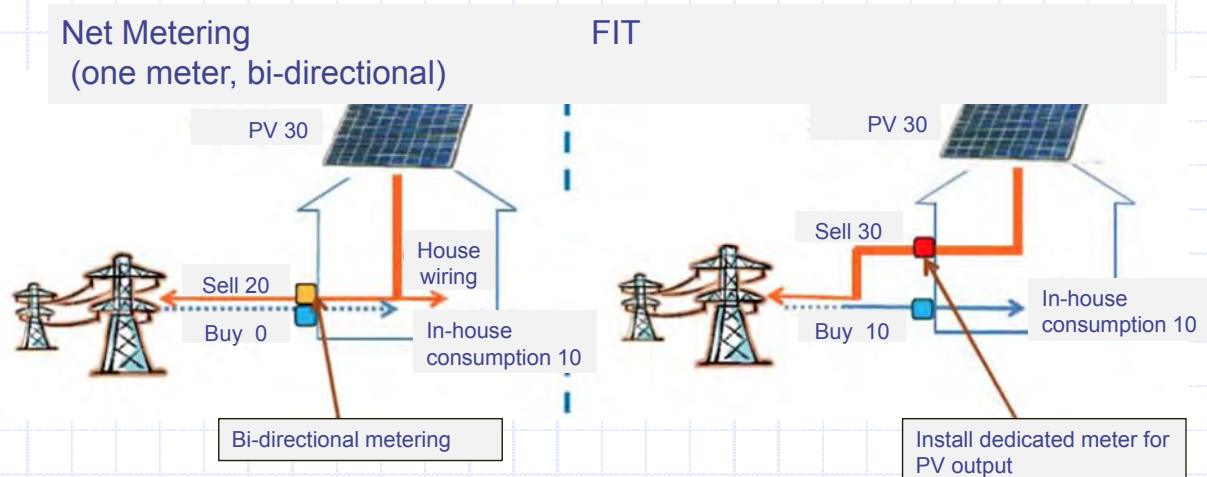
- Tariff & duration
  - Based on generation cost or avoided external cost



- Limit of total RE volume & revision of tariffs
  - Monitoring of PV penetration is essential.

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# Net Metering (1)



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|--|--|
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ Good for energy saving</li> <li>■ No change for existing wiring</li> <li>■ NG for small energy seller</li> <li>■ Typical for residential house</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ Small effect for energy saving</li> <li>■ Need change on existing wiring</li> <li>■ Good for small energy seller</li> <li>■ Must for public and industrial user</li> <li>■ Utility and public owned facility</li> </ul> |
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## Net Metering (2)

- Measured with a bi-directional meter or a pair of unidirectional meters spinning in opposite directions.

| Advantages  | Disadvantages   |
|---|---|
| Additional financial incentives for RE                            | Revenue losses for electricity utilities might induce them to raise their prices  |
| Awareness for energy consumption is enhanced                      |   |
| Incentives for consumers to adjust their load to their generation | Remuneration too low for PV without further incentives  |
| Decentralization and higher efficiency in electricity-use         | Profitable to producers only if consumption is not considerably lower than production in case energy consumed is compensated with energy produced (see Italy) |

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## FIT by Energy Nautics: Methodology & Rates

- With parameters shown in APPENDIX D
- FIT duration: 15 and 20 years
- W/ and w/o PV rebate
- Seychelles FIT MODEL (Excel) with annual 10% of ROE as a Goal
- FIT rates is calculated by Goal Seek function of Excel

**Table 61: Proposed FIT Rates for Solar PV and Small Wind**

| Contract Length & Rebate Assumption | Solar PV 1-10kW | Solar PV 11-100kW | Wind 1-100kW |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------|-------------------|--------------|
| 15-Year (With Rebate)               | 2.59            | 3.87              | n/a          |
| 15-Year (Without Rebate)            | 3.30            | 4.05              | 5.49         |
| 20-Year (With Rebate)               | 2.33            | 3.52              | n/a          |
| 20-Year (Without Rebate)            | 2.97            | 3.69              | 4.97         |

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## FIT by Energy Nautics: Impact to PUC (1)

Table 66: Summary of deployment scenario assumptions

| Deployment Scenario   | Residential-scale Solar PV (1-10kW)  | Commercial-scale Solar PV (11-100kW)  | Commercial-scale Wind (1-100kW)   | Total   |
|---|--|---|---|---|
| <b>Scenario A:</b><br>Residential-Scale Solar               | # projects: 1000<br>System size: 5 kW<br>433 projects receive PV rebate<br><b>Total capacity: 5 MW</b> | None  | None  | # projects: 1000<br><b>Total capacity: 5 MW</b> |
| <b>Scenario B:</b><br>Commercial-Scale Solar                | None   | # projects: 100<br>System size: 50 kW<br>All receive PV rebate<br><b>Total capacity: 5 MW</b>         | None  | # projects: 100<br><b>Total capacity: 5 MW</b>  |
| <b>Scenario C:</b><br>Residential & Commercial Solar & Wind | # projects: 150<br>System size: 5 kW<br>All receive PV rebate<br><b>Total capacity: 0.75 MW (15%)</b>  | # projects: 75<br>System size: 50 kW<br>All receive PV rebate<br><b>Total capacity: 3.75 MW (75%)</b> | # projects: 10<br>System size: 50 kW<br><b>Total capacity: 0.5 MW (10%)</b> | # projects: 235<br><b>Total capacity: 5 MW</b>  |

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## FIT by Energy Nautics: Impact to PUC (2)

Table 67: Summary of Policy Cost Scenarios to PUC (in Millions SR)

| Deployment Scenarios:                                    | Policy Scenarios:        |                             |                          |
|--|--------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------------|
|  | Scenario 1:<br>Gross FIT | Scenario 2:<br>Net Metering | Scenario 3:<br>No Policy |
| <b>Scenario A:</b> Residential-Scale Solar               | \$(0.4)                  | \$(7.6)                     | \$(11.4)                 |
| <b>Scenario B:</b> Commercial-Scale Solar                | \$(6.2)                  | \$(14.7)                    | \$(14.7)                 |
| <b>Scenario C:</b> Residential & Commercial Solar & Wind | \$(5.6)                  | \$(12.6)                    | \$(13.9)                 |

- Scenario 3 (No Policy): No reverse power flow, no power selling
- Scenario 2, 3 could not be got by re-calculation.
- Reduced fuel cost is added in this analysis. However, this is not valid in Profit/Loss Table calculation in accounting.

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## FIT by Energy Nautics: Conclusion

- Gross FIT is the cheapest measure
  - Recommend 20 years duration
  - Parallel with existing Net-Metering program
    - Choose between Gross FIT Program or Net Metering in near term
    - Phase-out Net-Metering in 5 years
- More residential PV rather than commercial one
- More PV rather than Wind

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## FIT by Energy Nautics: Appendix

- APPENDIX E: Sensitivity analysis
  - Parameters
    - PV cost: \$2.10/W or \$3.20/W
    - Full Load Hour: 1400 FLH or 1500 FLH
  - Get FIT rates and then estimate impacts to PUC
- APPENDIX F: Impacts to installer & PUC in 100kW PV installation
  - Parameters
    - Residential 100kW or Commercial 100kW
  - With very cheap FIT rates
  - From the view point of installer, no merit in FIT.
    - No Policy is better.

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# Grid Code

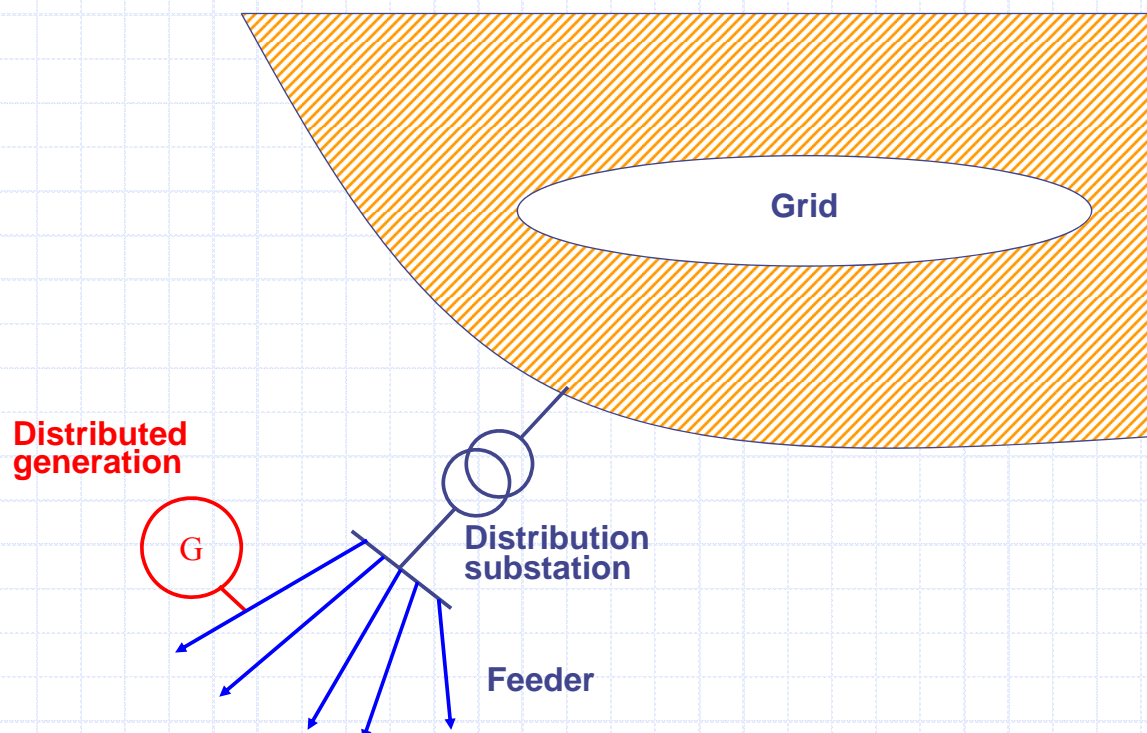
- Technical guideline for grid connection -

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## Distributed Generation

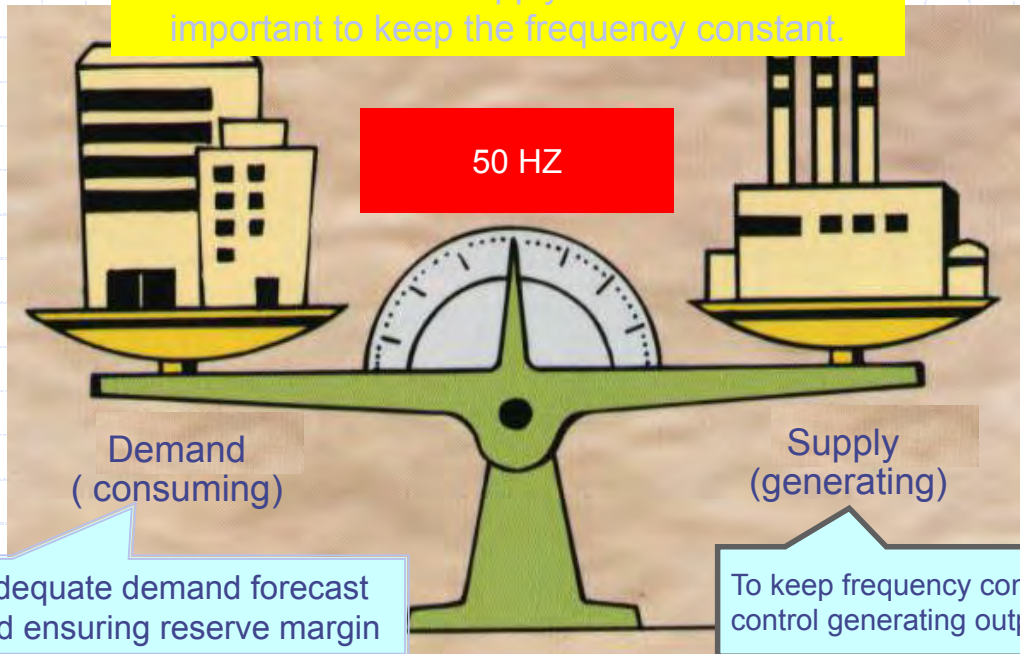




# Frequency Control

To keep the frequency constant, the amount of electric power supply and demand must be the same.

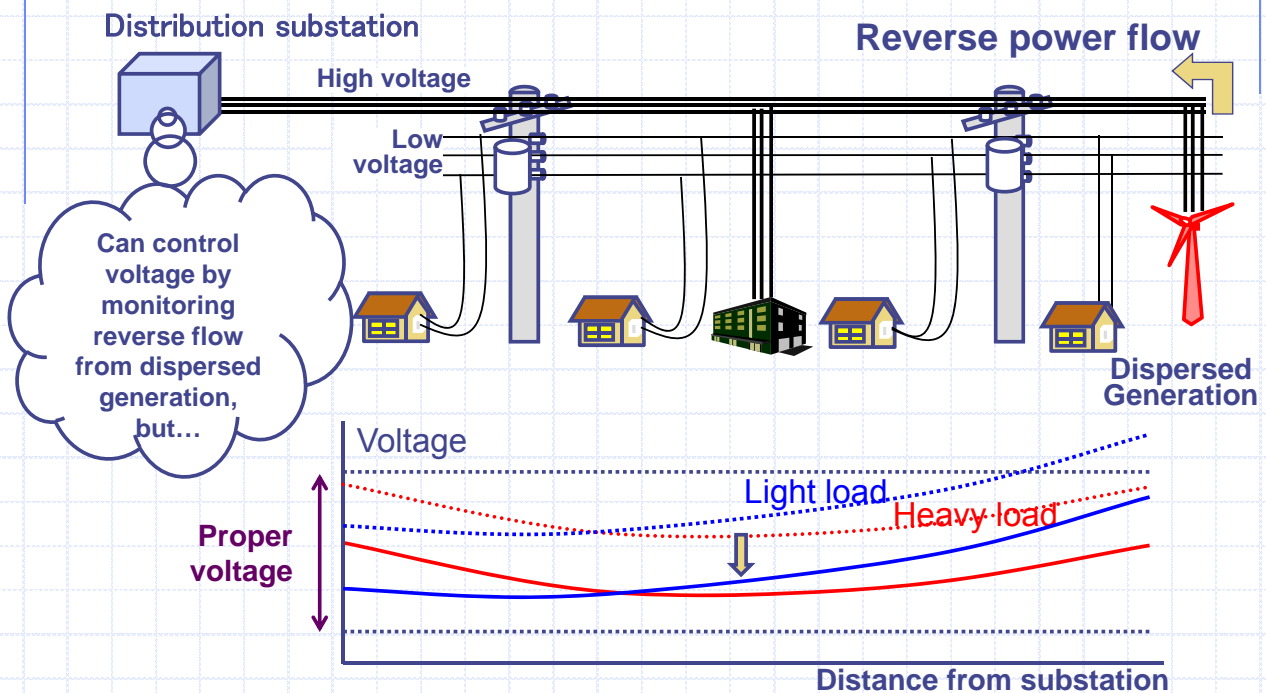
The balance of supply and demand is important to keep the frequency constant.



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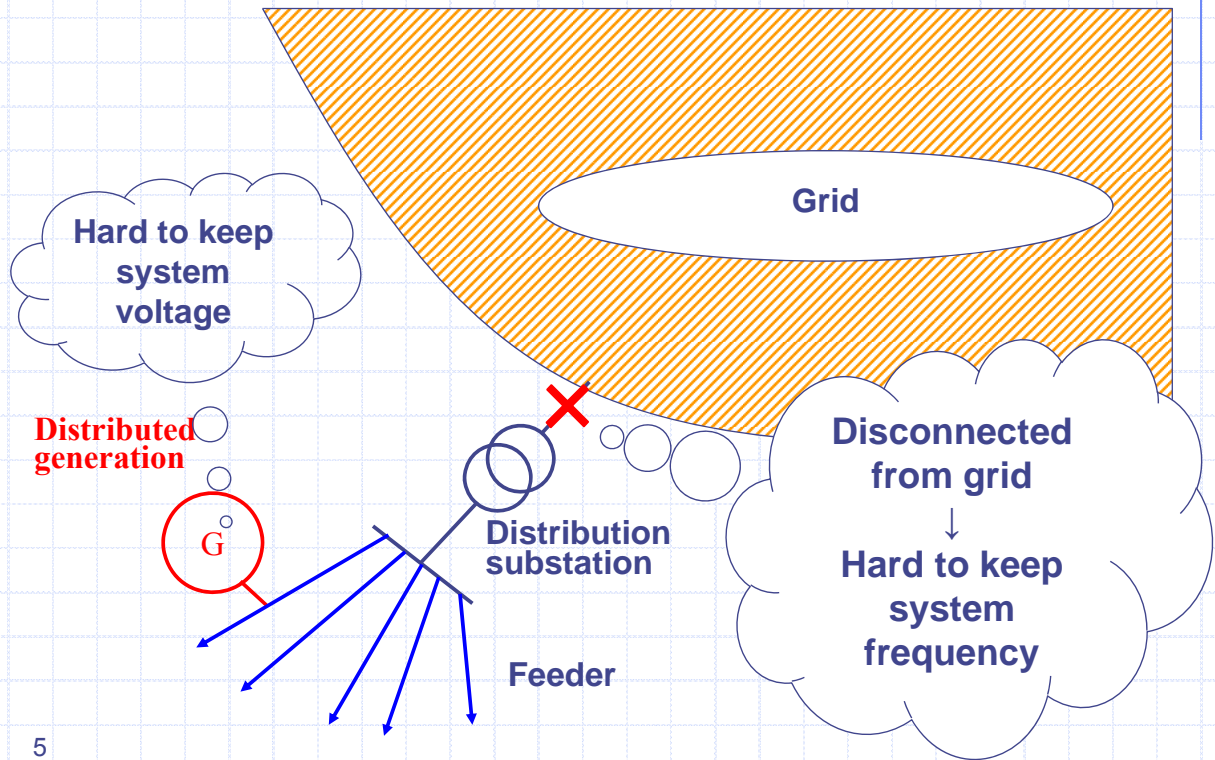
# Feeder Voltage

Voltage control of feeder by electric power company

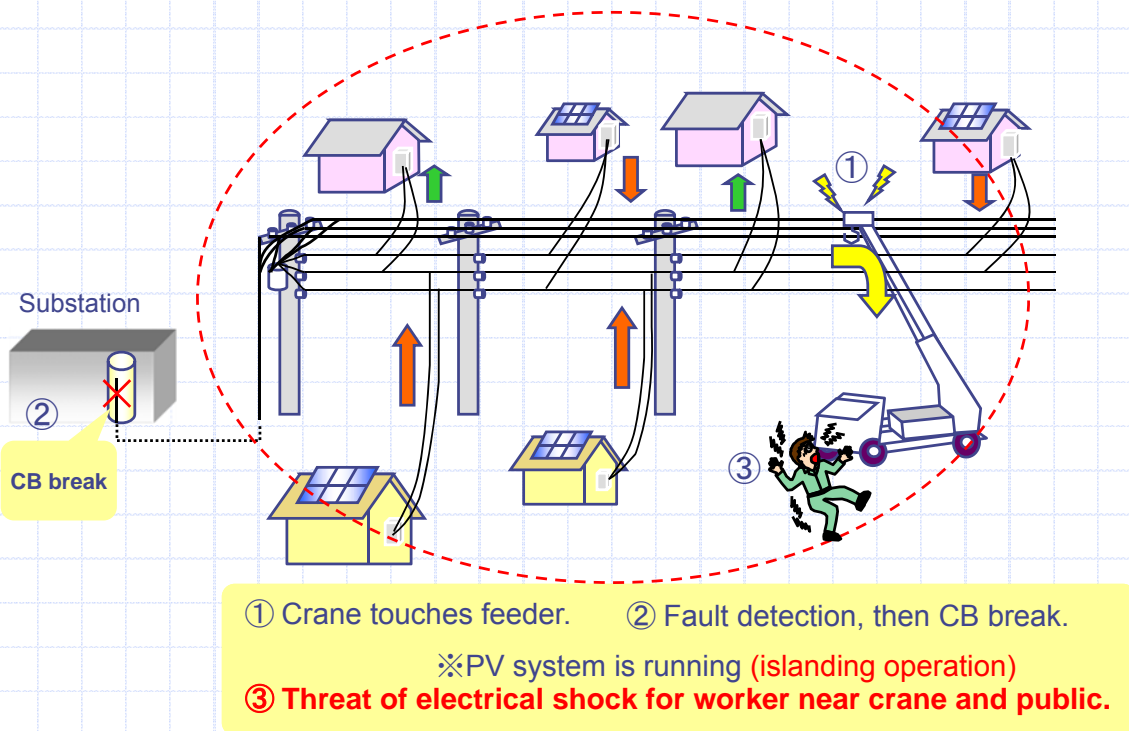


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# The Merit of Grid interconnection (1)



# Islanding Operation



# Grid Code: Major requirements

## ■ Grid parameters

- Frequency
- Voltage

## ■ Power quality

- DC injection
- Flicker
- Harmonics
- Surge withstand capability
- Power factor

• Possibility of harmful effect to other customers via grid  
• Become harder to operate grid in maintaining power quality and/or maintenance

## ■ Protection requirement

- Voltage regulation
- Frequency disturbance
- Unintentional islanding detection
- Fault ride through
- Disconnection
- Re-connection and synchronization
- Grounding
- Short circuit capacity

## ■ Others

- Harmonization of technical standards among and within countries

## ■ Safety and isolation

- Safe intentional islanding operation
- Isolation device
- Operation during utility system outage
- Control of faults when in grid-connected mode

• Public safety should be assured especially for distribution line which is easily accessible to public.

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# Certificate of Inverter

## ■ UL174 / IEEE1547

- Standard for Inverters, Converters, Controllers and Interconnection System Equipment for Use With Distributed Energy Resources

## ■ CAN/CSA-C22.2 NO. 107.1

- General Use Power Supplies

## ■ AS4777.2 & .3

- Grid connection of energy systems via inverters Part 2: Inverter requirements, Part 3: Grid protection requirements

## ■ VDE0126-1-1

- Automatic disconnection device between a generator and the public low-voltage grid

## ■ TÜV / IEC62109-1 IEC62109-2

- Safety of power converters for use in photovoltaic power systems - Part 1: General requirements, Part 2: Particular requirements for inverters

## ■ EN62109-1 EN62109-2

- Safety of power converters for use in photovoltaic power system -Part 1: General requirement, Part 2: Particular requirements for inverters



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# UL 1741 certificate: a recommended inverter

For example, SMA Sunny Boy



## SUNNY BOY 5000-US / 6000-US / 7000-US / 8000-US

Versatile performer with UL certification

The Sunny Boy 5000-US, 6000-US, 7000-US and 8000-US inverters are UL certified and feature excellent efficiency. Graduated power classes provide flexibility in system design. Automatic grid voltage detection\* and an integrated DC disconnect switch simplify installation, ensuring safety as well as saving time. These models feature galvanic isolation and can be used with all types of modules-crystalline as well as thin-film.

Extended operating temperature range to -40 °C available. Please specify when ordering.

\* US Patent US7352549B1



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### Certifications

- For countries that require UL certification (UL 1741/IEEE 1547)
- Optional integrated AFCI functionality meets the requirements of NEC 2011 690.11

Efficient



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## Detection of islanding operation

### Example of detection method

#### Active detection

- Add disturbance signal from generator to grid continuously
- On power outage, detect increased response to disturbance signal
- Secure detection, but need several seconds

#### Passive detection

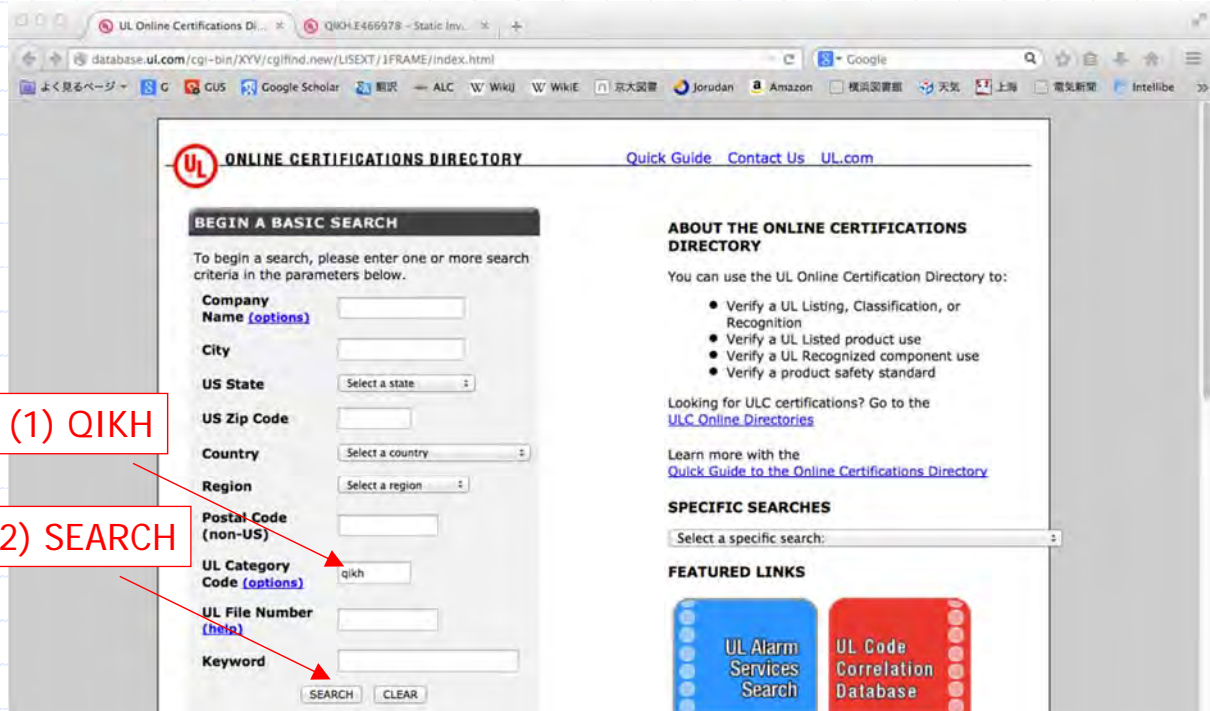
- On power outage, detect phase change of P, Q balance
- Possible instant detection
- But used as backup of active detection for grid connected generator in high voltage, because of little change at rotating generator

→ Use multiple detection to detect surely

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# Search inverter w/UL 1741 certificate

http://database.ul.com/cgi-bin/XYV/cgifind.new/LISEXT/1FRAME/index.html



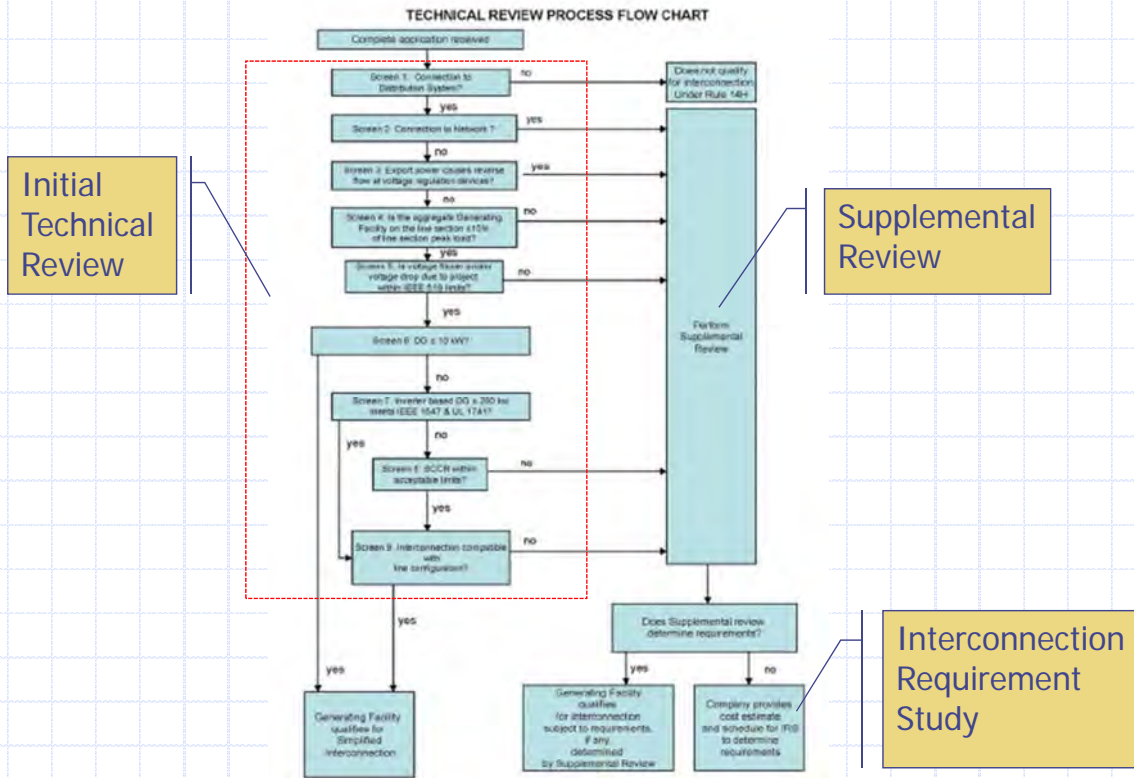
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## Grid Connection Approval

- The application Process
- Who is responsible for analysis/approval
- Demarcation of cost for installation & connection
- Safety and protection requirement
- Testing and commissioning procedure
- Communication and information exchange

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# Tech. review process flow chart (HECO)



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## SGC13: System Voltage (1)

- The distribution system network operates at the nominal voltages indicated in the table below:

|                     |  |
|---------------------|--|
| Low Voltage (LV)    | 230 Volts – phase to neutral<br>400 Volts – phase to phase |
| Medium Voltage (MV) | 11,000 Volts (11kV)<br>33,000 Volts (33kV)                 |

- The low voltage range tolerance is 230V +/- 10% (phase to neutral). The resulting voltage at different points on the system is expected to be in accordance with the table below under steady state and normal operating conditions.

| Nominal Voltage (phase-phase) | Steady-state Tolerance |
|-------------------------------|------------------------|
| 400V                          | +/- 10%                |
| 11kV                          | +/- 10%                |
| 33kV                          | +/- 10%                |

- Generators may not disconnect due to voltage deviation as long as the system voltage remains within the given ranges.

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## SGC12: Frequency Rating and Limits (1)

- The nominal frequency of the distribution system voltage is 50Hz. The deviation of the average frequency over a 30-day period should be kept as close to zero as possible by PUC. Under normal operating conditions the mean value measured over 10s of the fundamental frequency shall be within a range of: **50Hz – 5/+3% (i.e. 47.5 to 51.5Hz)**. Generators shall not disconnect due to frequency deviation as long as the system frequency remains within the following ranges:
  - 47.0 Hz – 47.5 Hz: for 20 seconds
  - 47.5 Hz – 49.0 Hz: for 90 minutes
  - 49.0 Hz – 51.0 Hz: unlimited
  - 51.0 Hz – 51.5 Hz: for 90 minutes
  - 51.5 Hz – 52.0 Hz: for 15 minutes

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## SGC18: Maximum Frequency Gradient

- Generators shall withstand frequency gradients of up to **2.0 Hz per second** in either direction without tripping as long as the steady state frequency limits are not exceeded.
- **Rationale**
- Measurement data from Mahé collected by Energynautics suggest that frequency gradients of more than 1.0 Hz per second can occur occasionally. Such steep frequency gradients are due to the low inertia in the system and should not cause generator tripping, as significant loss of generation would lead to more severe problems.

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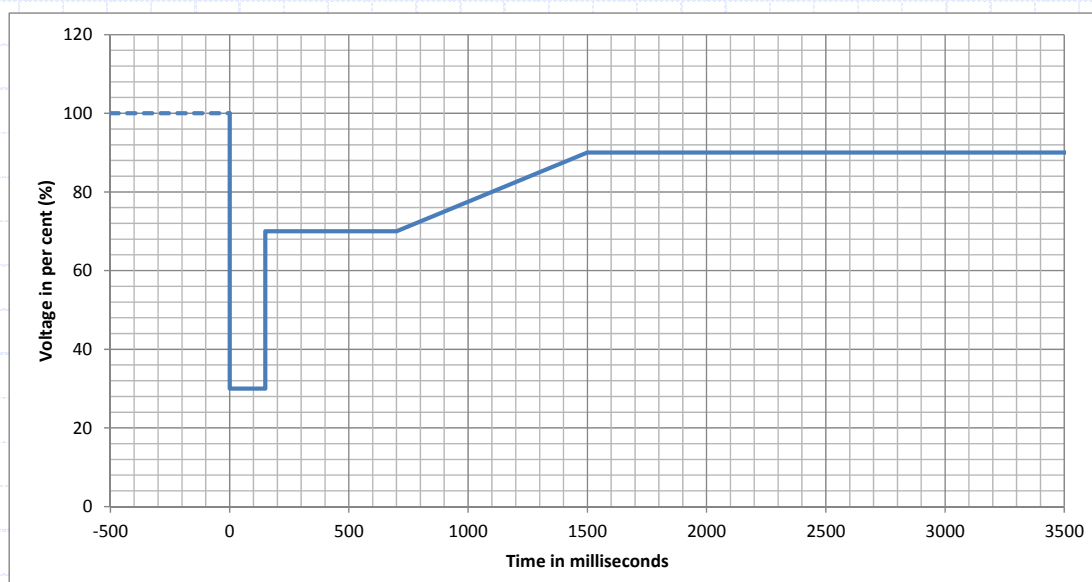
## SGC24: Power factor control mode (1)

- Generation plants that allow control of reactive power output shall operate at a fixed power factor to be assigned by PUC upon installation. If no specific other value is given by PUC, the desired fixed power factor shall be 0.9 (overexcited). Any other power factor assigned by PUC must be within the range specified as required in SGC14. Upon request by PUC, the generator operator shall adjust the configured power factor set-point to a new value within:
  - one month for generation plants without a communication and control interface ( $\leq 100$  kW)
  - one minute for generation plants with remote control interface (rated power above 100 kW)
- The power factor may be measured at the generator terminals.

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## SGC25: Fault ride-through (1)

- Generators above 10 kW nominal power must not disconnect from the grid due to voltage drops above the blue line in the following figure, representing the smallest line-to-line voltage at the generator terminals:



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# SGC27: Description of system protection (1)

- The purpose of system protection is to safely and reliably disconnect the generator from the grid in case of unsafe conditions of voltage and frequency. The following protection functions must be implemented:

| Protection against | Name | Limit     | Disconnection Time |
|--------------------|------|-----------|--------------------|
| Undervoltage       | U<   | 0.8 p.u.  | 1.5...2.4 s*       |
| Overvoltage (1)    | U>   | 1.1 p.u.  | 1 min              |
| Overvoltage (2)    | U>>  | 1.15 p.u. | 100 ms             |
| Underfrequency     | f<   | 47.0 Hz   | 100 ms             |
| Overfrequency      | f>   | 52.0 Hz   | 100 ms             |

\* Time to be assigned by PUC

- Limits apply to the half-cycle effective value (RMS), except for "U>" (Overvoltage (1)), which shall be based upon a 10- minute moving average. Any single limit violation must reliably trigger disconnection.
- Generators below 10 kW nominal power may disconnect due to "U<" (Undervoltage) or "U>" (Overvoltage (1)) with shorter time delays than the disconnection times listed above.
- Generators above 100 kW nominal power must automatically disconnect from the grid after 0.5 seconds if all line-line voltages are below 0.85 p.u. and the generator consumes inductive reactive power at the same time.

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## Example: Trip Setting of SMA Sunny Boy

### 11.6 Trip Limits/Trip Times

#### Frequency

| Nominal Frequency | Trip Limit                                  | Trip Frequencies   | Trip Times   |
|-------------------|---|--|--|
| 60 Hz             | > 60.5 Hz                                   | 60.45 Hz ... 60.55 Hz  | max. 0.1602 s  |
|                   | < 57.0 Hz ... 59.8 Hz<br>(standard 59.3 Hz) | 56.95 Hz ... 59.85 Hz<br>(standard 59.25 Hz ...<br>59.35 Hz) | adjustable, 0.16 s ... 300 s<br>(standard max. 0.1602 s) |
|                   | < 57.0 Hz                                   | 56.95 Hz ... 57.05 Hz  | max. 0.1602 s  |

#### Voltage

| Nominal Voltage | Trip Limit | Trip Voltages<br>Conductor-<br>Neutral<br>Conductor* | Trip Voltages<br>Conductor-<br>Conductor* | Trip Times    |
|-----------------|------------|--|---|---------------|
| 208 V           | 50 %       | 57.6 V ... 62.4 V                                    | 99.8 V ... 108.2 V                        | max. 0.1602 s |
|                 | 88 %       | 103.2 V ... 108.0 V                                  | 178.9 ... 187.2 V                         | max. 2.002 s  |
|                 | 110 %      | 129.6 V ... 134.4 V                                  | 224.6 V ... 233.0 V                       | max. 1.001 s  |
|                 | 120 %      | 141.6 V ... 146.4 V                                  | 245.4 V ... 253.8 V                       | max. 0.1602 s |
| 240 V           | 50 %       | 57.6 V ... 62.4 V                                    | 115.2 V ... 124.8 V                       | max. 0.1602 s |
|                 | 88 %       | 103.2 V ... 108.0 V                                  | 206.4 V ... 216.0 V                       | max. 2.002 s  |
|                 | 110 %      | 129.6 V ... 134.4 V                                  | 259.2 V ... 268.8 V                       | max. 1.001 s  |
|                 | 120 %      | 141.6 V ... 146.4 V                                  | 283.2 V ... 292.8 V                       | max. 0.1602 s |
| 277 V           | 50 %       | 133.0 V ... 144.0 V                                  | Not applicable                            | max. 0.1602 s |
|                 | 88 %       | 238.2 V ... 249.3 V                                  |   | max. 2.002 s  |
|                 | 110 %      | 299.2 V ... 310.2 V                                  |   | max. 1.001 s  |
|                 | 120 %      | 326.9 V ... 337.9 V                                  |   | max. 0.1602 s |

\* The intervals result from the measuring accuracies listed below:

#### Accuracy

Trip limits:  $\pm 2\%$  of nominal grid voltage

Trip time:  $\pm 0.1\%$  of nominal trip time

Trip frequency:  $\pm 0.1\%$  of nominal frequency

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# Republic of Seychelles

## Project for Formulation of Master Plan for Development of Micro Grid System



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# 1. Okinawa Enetech Overview

## ■ Company Overview

### ■ Background

Okinawa Enetech was established as an affiliated company of Okinawa Electric Power Co. Inc. in May 1994 specializing in research, design, and construction supervision of electric power facilities.

### ■ Corporate info

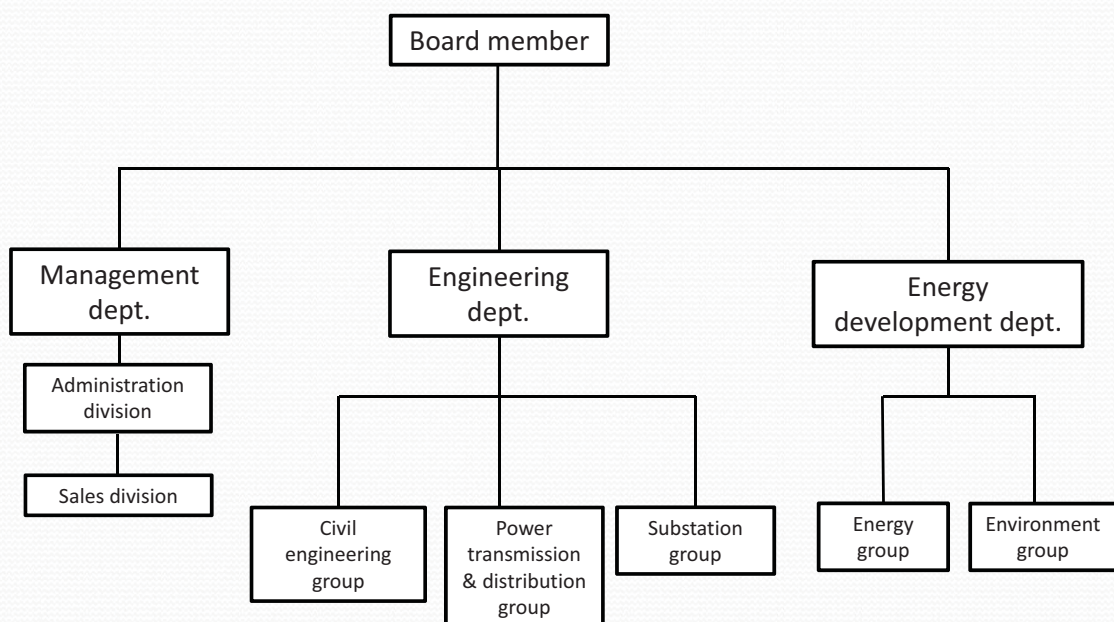
- Name : Okinawa Enetech Co. , Ltd.
- Location : Urasoe, Okinawa Prefecture
- Capital : 40 million yen
- Established : May 10, 1994
- No. of employees : 63

### ■ Business areas

- (1) Civil engineering design
- (2) Building & facilities design
- (3) Environmental survey
- (4) Design of power facilities
- (5) Renewable energy
- (6) Overseas projects

# 1. Okinawa Enetech Overview

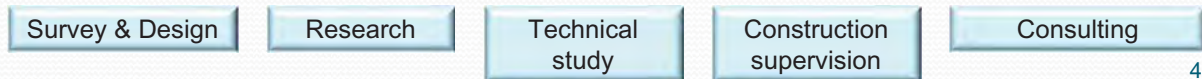
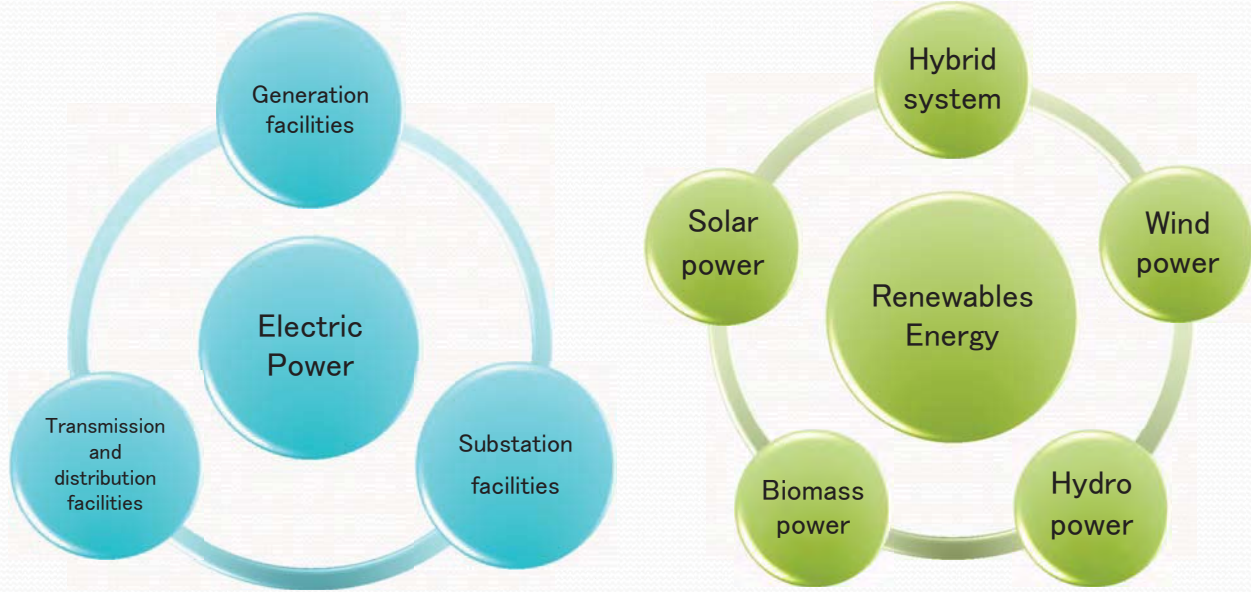
## ■ Organization chart





# 1. Okinawa Enetech Overview

## ■ Introduction of domestic energy-related business



# 1. Okinawa Enetech Overview

## ■ Electric Power related works



Support of engineers for management of construction work at Yoshinoura LNG power generation plant



Survey, basic planning, detailed design, and construction work management for the installation of new DGs in remote islands

Survey, planning, and design of transmission lines



Underground power line construction work management

Planning and design of power generation facilities (fuel storage tank)



Source: Okinawa Electric Power Company  
Okinawa electric Power Company 2010 - 2011 J



# 1. Okinawa Enetech Overview

## ■ Renewables Energy related works



Structural reengineering of foreign-made WT tower to ensure compliance with Japanese standard



Survey, planning, and construction work management of 4 MW solar power project in Miyako Island



Survey, planning, and construction work management of 200 kW PV project in Kita Daito Island



Survey, planning, and construction management of 240 kW PV project at an agricultural products processing plant in Higashi Village (Okinawa mainland)

# 1. Okinawa Enetech Overview

## ■ Overseas Renewable Energy Related Works





# 1. Okinawa Enetech Overview

## ■ Overseas Renewable Energy Related Works



Participation in OEPC NEDO project in Laos. General base plan, PV system design, construction work management, and validation Research (Micro Hydro + PV + capacitor)



Participation in demonstrative research project for interconnected PV system in Thailand



Performance evaluation of renewable energy system in Mongolia



Preparatory study for sustainable system development project for remote islands (operation of diesel generators) (JICA project)

# 2. Project Introduction



## 2. Project Introduction

### ■ Background

- Republic of Seychelles targets for Renewable Energy 5% by 2020, 15% by 2030
- Renewable energies such as wind and solar power are already grid-connected in Seychelles. Currently, 6 MW of wind power and about 1.2 MW of solar power.
- There are concerns that the grid on Mahe, the main island, and others will become unstable.



- The Government of Seychelles requested the transfer of technology and human resources development using Japanese experience in microgrid operations in island regions.
- In October 2014, an agreement between relevant institutions of Seychelles and JICA was signed for the implementation of the "Project for Formulation of Master Plan for Development of Micro Grid in Remote Islands."

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## 2. Project Introduction

### ■ Purpose of the Project

The purpose is to help develop a microgrid deployment plan for remote islands in Seychelles and an operating structure for grid stabilization technology based on Japan's experience in island regions.

### ■ Support areas for the project

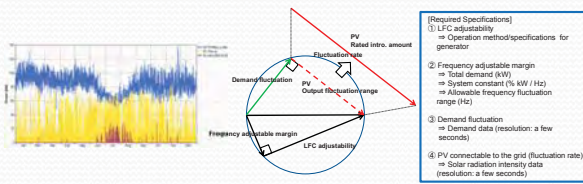
- ✓ Evaluation method to determine the RE integration capacity.
- ✓ Technical and economic study on the efficient use of diesel generators.
- ✓ Planning and designing PV-diesel hybrid power generation equipment.
- ✓ Proposal of a remote island microgrid deployment plan suitable to the characteristics of the power grid.
- ✓ Development of institutions for stable remote island microgrid operation.
- ✓ Introduction to grid stabilization technology for island regions of Japan through the training program in Japan.

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## 2. Project Introduction

### Support areas for the project



Maximum allowable amount of renewables

Planning of PV system



Seychelles

Optimizing operation of existing diesel gen. sets

Legal system related to renewables



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## 2. Project Introduction

### Expected results of the project

- ✓ Formulation of a remote island microgrid master plan.
- ✓ Evaluation of the maximum allowable amount of RE that can be interconnected to the grid and transfer of the evaluation methods.
- ✓ Presentation of sample plans and designs of hybrid systems (photovoltaic-diesel generation), and transfer of design technology.
- ✓ Proposal for improving power plant efficiency by improving power plant operation and transfer of optimization technology

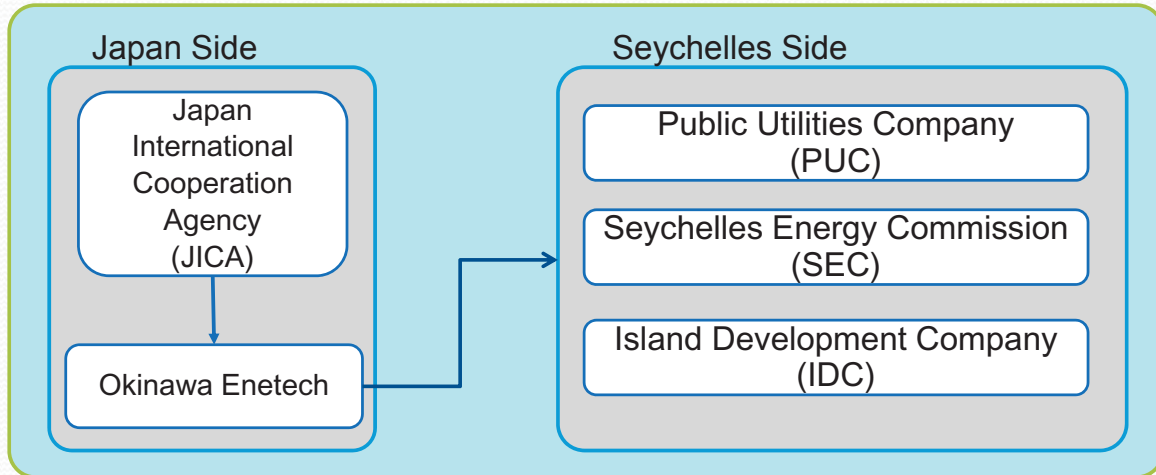
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## 2. Project Introduction

### ■ Implementation cooperation structure

Project for Formulation of Master Plan for Development of Micro Grid in Remote Islands.



### ■ Schedule

This project is conducted from March 2015 through June 2016.

| Event                 | 2015 |   |   |   |   |   |   |    |    |    |   |   | 2016 |   |   |   |              |   |  |  |
|-----------------------|------|---|---|---|---|---|---|----|----|----|---|---|------|---|---|---|--------------|---|--|--|
|                       | 3    | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 1 | 2 | 3    | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7            | 8 |  |  |
| Field Survey          |      |   | ■ |   |   | ■ |   |    |    | ■  |   |   | ■    |   |   | ■ |              |   |  |  |
| Training in Japan     |      |   |   |   |   |   |   | ▼  |    |    |   |   |      |   |   |   |              |   |  |  |
| Seminar in Seychelles |      |   |   |   |   |   |   |    |    |    |   |   |      |   |   |   | Final Report | ▼ |  |  |

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## 2. Project Introduction

### ■ Target island for the project

The survey was conducted on Mahe Island, Praslin Island, La Digue Island, Curieuse Island, and Desroches Island.



### 3. Support areas for the project

#### 3.1 Maximum allowable amount of renewables

- Summary of issues with stable grid operations due to high RE penetration
- Short-period issues-Shortage of frequency adjustability
- Long-period issues – Surplus energy
- Sorting out PV interconnection constraints

### 3. Support areas for the project

#### 3.1 Maximum allowable amount of renewables

➤ Issues with the implementation of RE

| PV Features                       | Impact              | Issues   | Summary  |
|-----------------------------------|---------------------|--|--|
| Connection to distribution system | Distribution system | ① Failure restoration                                | If a blackout area arising from a distribution line failure receives electricity from another power distribution line, since the shared power must also make up for the power that was generated by the stopped PV in the area, it may result in excess current flowing through the distribution line sharing power. |
|                                   |                     | ② Voltage management                                 | With the increase of reverse power flow to the distribution system from PV, distribution line voltage management becomes difficult.  |
| Output fluctuation                | Entire grid         | ③ Surplus power (Long-period constraints)            | In order for thermal power generation to maintain operation, output must be maintained at or over a certain value. Even when demand is low, since output can not be decreased below this value, power supply would exceed demand due to RE power generation.   |
|                                   |                     | ④ Frequency adjustability (short-period constraints) | A shortage in frequency adjustability occurs due to the expansion of PV and wind power output fluctuation range, and thus results in larger frequency fluctuations.  |
| Impact of PCSs                    | Entire grid         | ⑤ Grid stability during failures                     | Due to a decrease in the number of thermal generators in operation, synchronizing capacity decreases. Unnecessary disconnections during frequency and voltage disturbances foster power system disturbances.   |



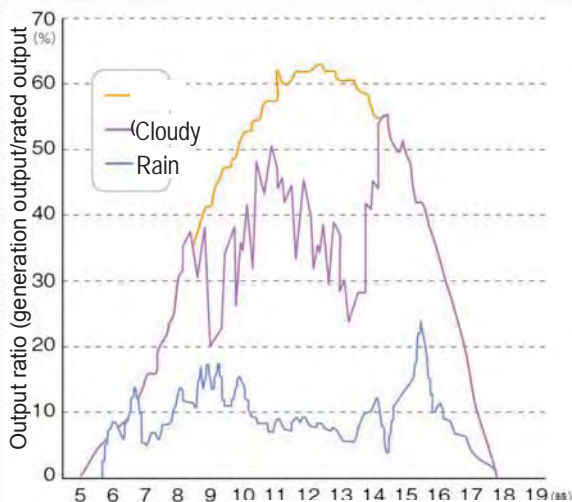
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#### 3.1 Maximum allowable amount of renewables

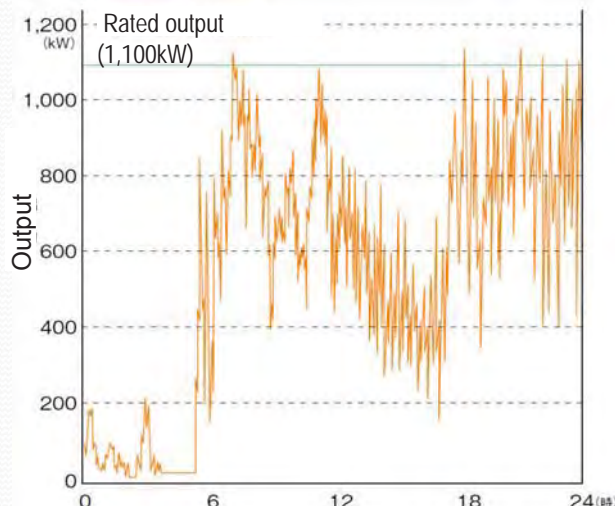
##### ➤ Short-period issues ▪ Variability of RE

PV and wind power output fluctuates according to changes in weather conditions such as solar radiation and wind speed.

##### ● PV power generation



##### ● Wind power generation



Source: The Federation of Electric Power Companies of Japan, Electric business and new energy 2009-2010

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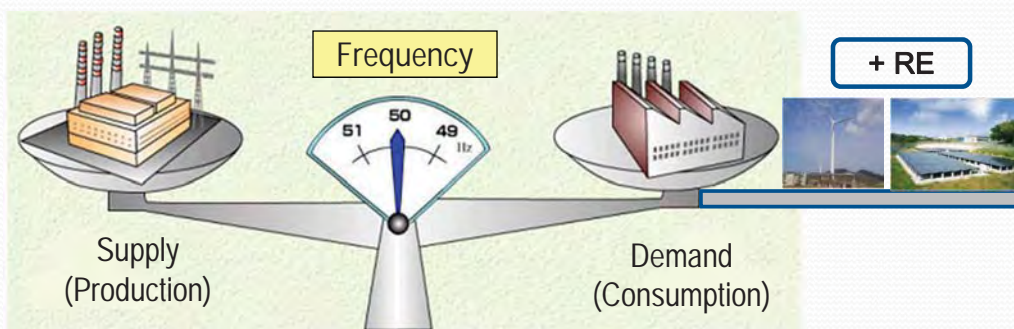
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#### 3.1 Maximum allowable amount of renewables

##### ➤ Short-period issues ▪ Energy Balance

##### • Influence of frequency fluctuation

Since electricity cannot be stored, the amount of production and consumption has to be equal (principle of the same amount at a time). If this is not maintained, frequency varies.



Demand (consumption) > Supply (production) ⇒ Frequency drop  
Demand (consumption) < Supply (production) ⇒ Frequency increase

When exceeding a certain amount, fluctuations cannot be compensated for by increasing or decreasing the output of thermal power generators which may lead to the inability to maintain a constant frequency (60 Hz).

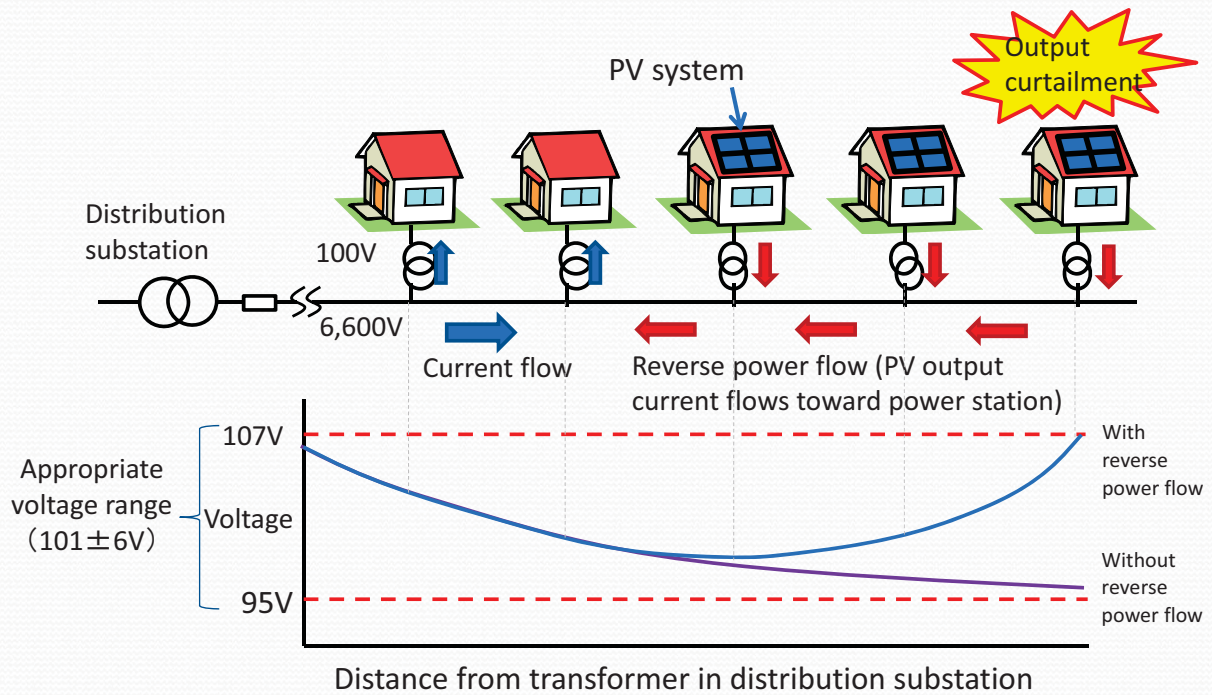
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### 3. Support areas for the project

#### 3.1 Maximum allowable amount of renewables

- Issues of voltage increasing in distribution lines



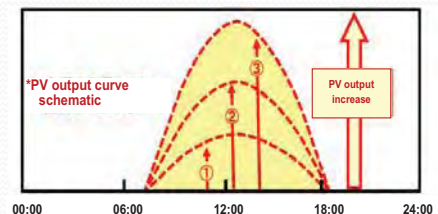
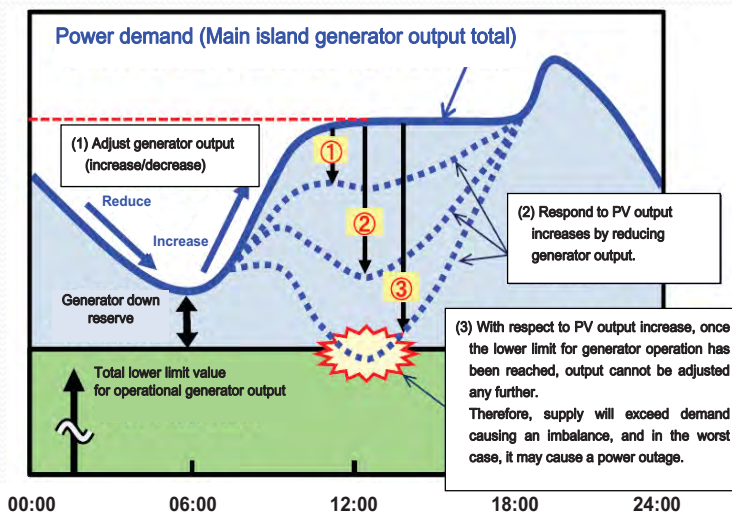
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### 3. Support areas for the project

#### 3.1 Maximum allowable amount of renewables

- Long-period issues ▪ Surplus energy

Thermal power generators have an operational lower limit, and output cannot be reduced below this value. When this level is reached, the total power generation amount of the PV and thermal power generators exceeds the demand causing the frequency to rise. This affects the stable operation of the thermal power generators, and in the worst case, it could cause a power outage.



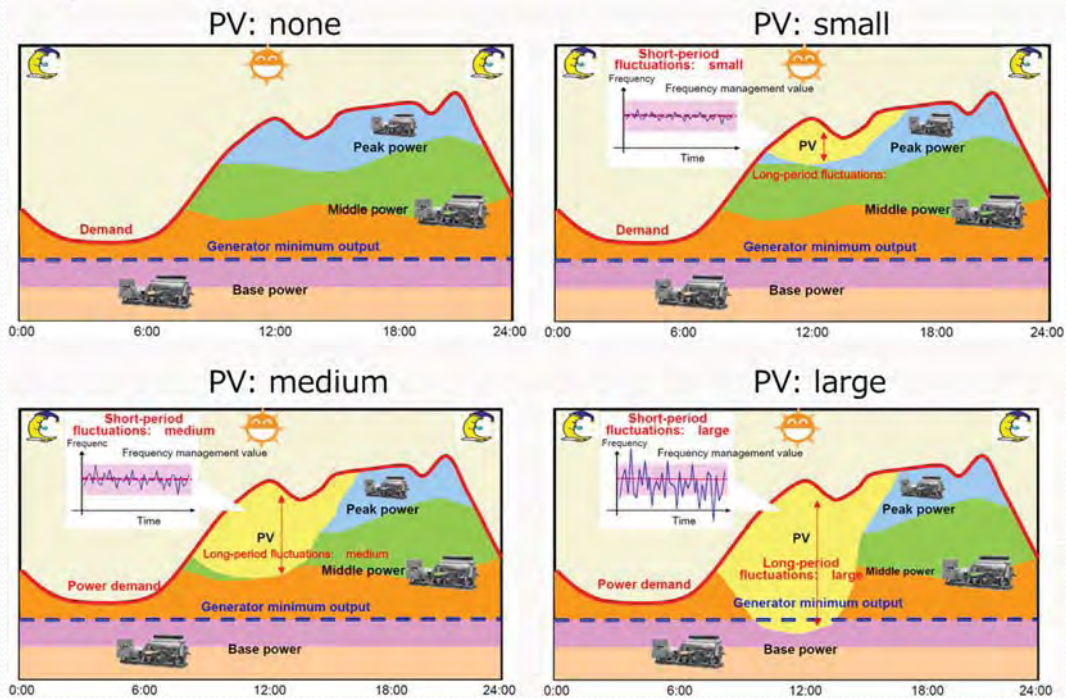
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### 3. Support areas for the project

#### 3.1 Maximum allowable amount of renewables

- Changes in generator load sharing associated with the PV integration

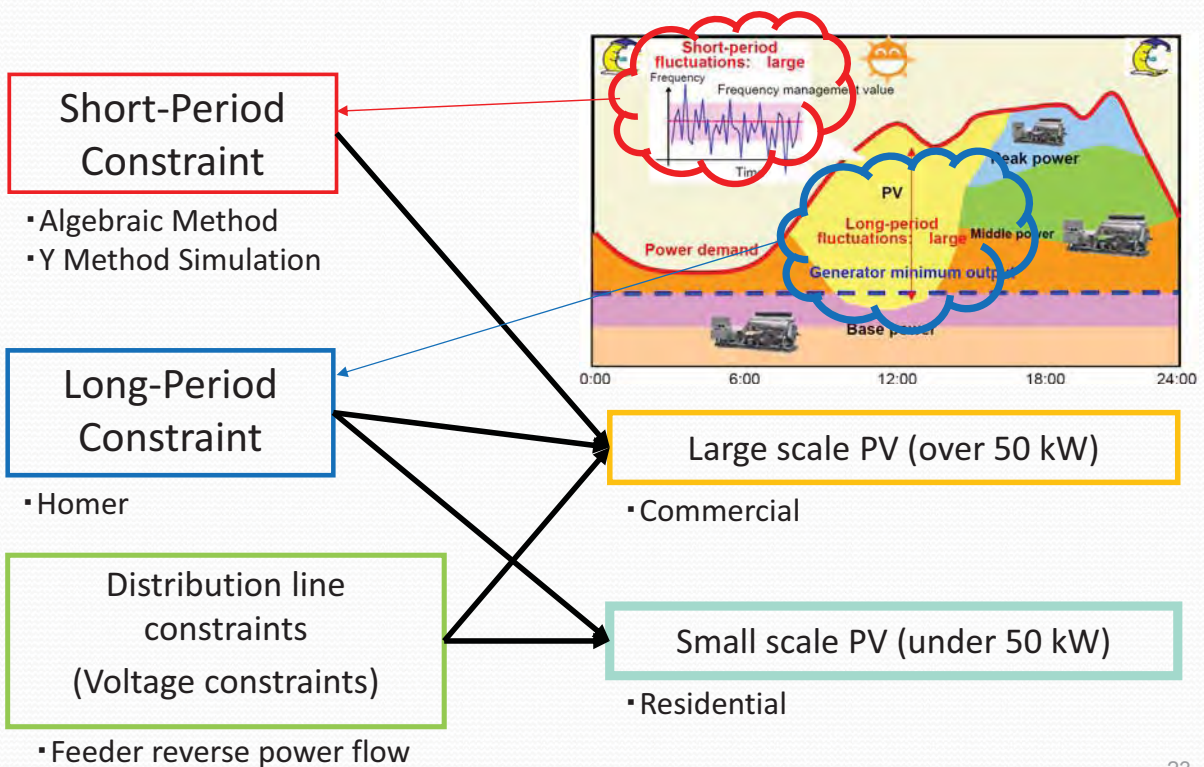


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### 3. Support areas for the project

#### 3.1 Maximum allowable amount of renewables

- Sorting out PV interconnection constraints



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### 3.2 Method for calculating the amount of RE deployable

- Algebraic method / short-period constraints
- Using Homer software / long-period constraints

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### 3. Support areas for the project

Short-Period Constraint

#### 3.2 Method for calculating the amount of RE deployable

##### (1) Algebraic method (simplified method)

- This estimation method is simple and clear.
- It has been proven in Japan and is highly reliable.
- Model construction of generators is unnecessary, and when expanding the adjustability of generators and storage batteries, estimation is possible by applying it to the LFC value.

##### (2) Simulation method (detailed method)

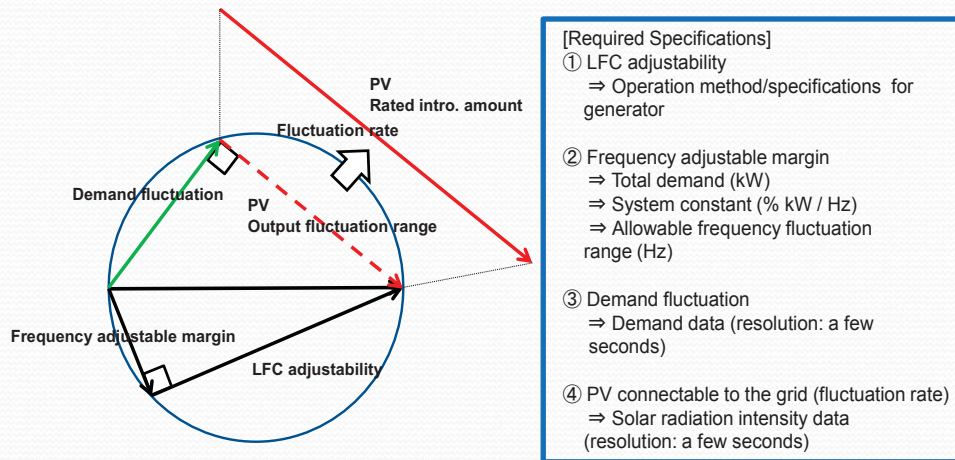
- This method reflects the grid's unique characteristics and is used in order to verify the validity of the algebraic method.
- Real wind and solar power data is used, so it is highly reliable.
- It requires dedicated tools for calculating and highly specialized knowledge.

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### 3. Support areas for the project

#### 3.2 Method for calculating the amount of RE deployable (Algebraic Method)



$$PV = \frac{\sqrt{(\text{Frequency adjustable margin})^2 + (\text{LFC})^2 - (\text{Demand fluctuation})^2}}{\text{Fluctuation Rate}}$$

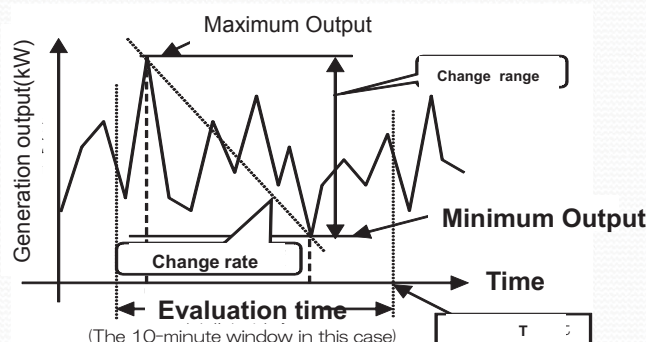
Connectable amount (short-period) = Allowable amount of PV fluctuation / PV output fluctuation rate

### 3. Support areas for the project

#### 3.2 Method for calculating the amount of RE deployable (Algebraic Method)

##### Definition of PV output fluctuation range and change rate

- The evaluation time window is set at 10 min, and the "output fluctuation range" is the difference between the maximum output and minimum output during this time.
- \* Since Okinawa is a small island, the simulation is conducted with the time window set at 10 minutes as this is believed to be most suitable.
- The "output change rate" is the result of the fluctuation range divided by the time required for the fluctuation range.

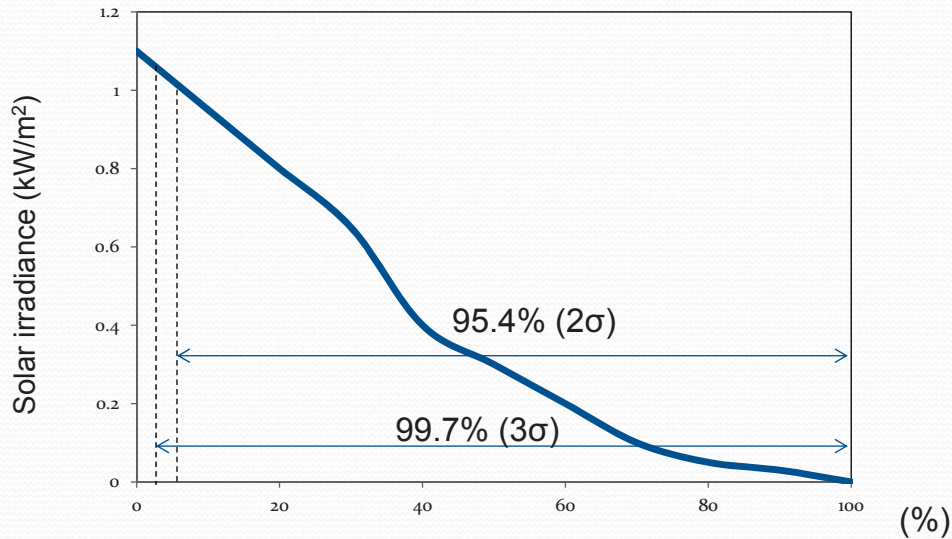


Definition of evaluation time window, output fluctuation range, and output change rate



### 3. Support areas for the project

#### 3.2 Method for calculating the amount of RE deployable (Algebraic Method) About Probability (3σ)



### 3. Support areas for the project

#### 3.2 Method for calculating the amount of RE deployable (Algebraic Method) Result of load rejection test

The formula below expresses the relationship between power fluctuation of the grid  $\Delta P$  and frequency fluctuation. Here, constant value is defined as the system constant. If the system constant for the grid is known, the amount of power fluctuation that occurred can be inversely calculated from frequency deviation. The algebraic method uses the system constant, which was estimated when conducting a load rejection test to calculate the allowable adjustable margin, to calculate the value for the maximum allowable power fluctuation.

**Test situation**

| Time of test      | 16/03/2016 9:17       |         | Run  | Trip |  |
|-------------------|-----------------------|---------|------|------|--|
| Rated Output (MW) | SET 8B                | 6.00    | ○    |      |  |
|                   | SET A21               | 6.00    |      | ○    |  |
|                   | SET A31               | 6.00    | ○    |      |  |
|                   | SET A41               | 6.00    |      |      |  |
|                   | SET A51               | 8.00    | ○    |      |  |
|                   | SET A61               | 8.00    | ○    |      |  |
|                   | SET B11               | 6.00    | ○    |      |  |
|                   | SET B21               | 6.00    | ○    |      |  |
|                   | SET B31               | 6.00    | ○    |      |  |
|                   | SET B41               | 8.00    | ○    |      |  |
|                   | SET B51               | 8.00    | ○    |      |  |
|                   | Generator Output (MW) | SET 8B  | 4.50 |      |  |
|                   |                       | SET A21 | 2.06 |      |  |
| SET A31           |                       | 4.31    |      |      |  |
| SET A41           |                       |         |      |      |  |
| SET A51           |                       | 6.49    |      |      |  |
| SET A61           |                       | 6.59    |      |      |  |
| SET B11           |                       | 4.47    |      |      |  |
| SET B21           |                       | 4.53    |      |      |  |
| SET B31           | 4.05                  |         |      |      |  |
| SET B41           | 6.72                  |         |      |      |  |
| SET B51           | 7.26                  |         |      |      |  |
| Demand (MW)       | 50.98                 |         |      |      |  |

**Result of test**

|                              |       |
|------------------------------|-------|
| Original frequency(Hz)       | 50.05 |
| Bottom frequency(Hz)         | 49.21 |
| Frequency deviation(Hz)      | 0.84  |
| Dropout generator output(MW) | 4.14  |
| Time of bottom frequency(s)  | 1.32  |
| End frequency(Hz)            | 49.87 |

**System constant**

|                         |      |
|-------------------------|------|
| System constant(%MW/Hz) | 7.99 |
|-------------------------|------|

$\Delta P$  (%MW) =  $\Delta P$  (MW) / total rated output of parallel input generators

$$K \text{ (%MW/Hz)} = \Delta P / \Delta F$$

K : system constant



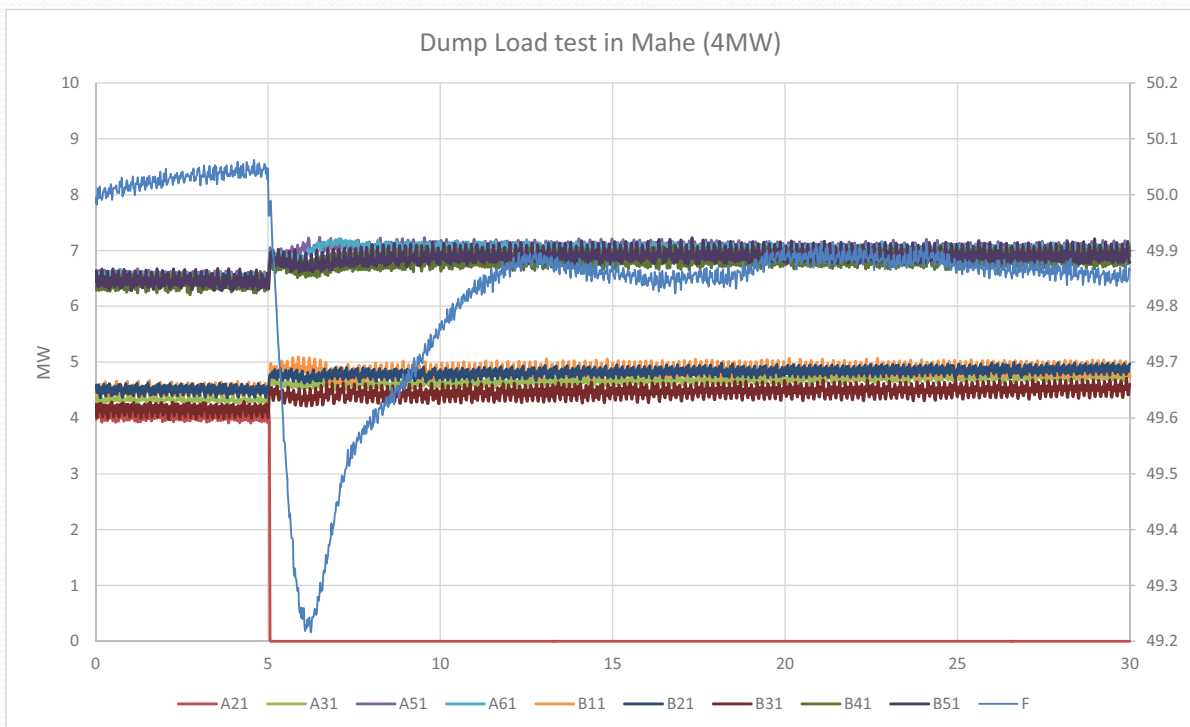
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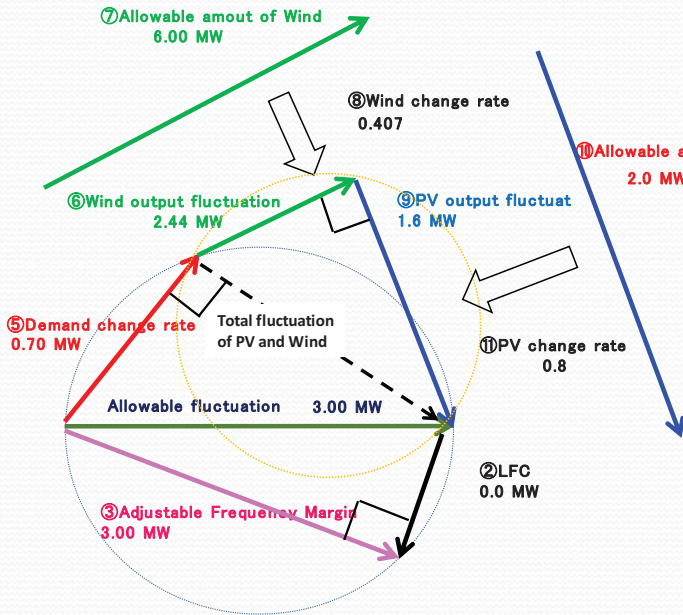
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### 3. Support areas for the project

#### 3.2 Method for calculating the amount of RE deployable (Algebraic Method) Result of load rejection test



|                           |                             |            |           |
|---------------------------|-----------------------------|------------|-----------|
| ①                         | Total demand                | 50.0       | MW        |
| ②                         | LFC                         | 0.0        | MW        |
| ③                         | Adjustable Frequency Margin | 3.0        | MW        |
| ④                         | System constant             | 8.0        | %/Hz      |
| ⑤                         | Demand change rate          | 0.7        | MW        |
| ⑥                         | Wind output fluctuation     | 2.4        | MW        |
| ⑦                         | Allowable amount of Wind    | 6.0        | MW        |
| ⑧                         | Wind change rate            | 0.4        | -         |
| ⑨                         | PV output fluctuation       | 1.6        | MW        |
| ⑩                         | Allowable amount of PV      | 2.0        | MW        |
| ⑪                         | PV change rate              | 0.8        | -         |
| <b>Total amount of RE</b> |                             | <b>8.0</b> | <b>MW</b> |

### 3. Support areas for the project

#### 3.2 Method for calculating the amount of RE deployable (Algebraic Method) Result of load rejection test

| Mahe Is.          | Demand (MW) | PV Fluctuation rate (%) | PV (MW) | WT (MW) | RE (MW) |
|-------------------|-------------|-------------------------|---------|---------|---------|
| Probability (95%) | 32          | 80                      | 0       | 6       | 6       |
|                   | 40          |                         | 0       |         | 6       |
|                   | 50          |                         | 2       |         | 8       |
| 16/03/2016        | 50          | 100                     | 1.6     | 6       | 7.6     |

| Praslin Is.       | Demand (MW) | PV Fluctuation rate (%) | PV (MW) | WT (MW) | RE (MW) |
|-------------------|-------------|-------------------------|---------|---------|---------|
| Probability (95%) | 4.5         | 80                      | 0.41    | 0       | 0.41    |
|                   | 5.5         |                         | 0.50    |         | 0.5     |
|                   | 6.5         |                         | 0.59    |         | 0.59    |
| 23/03/2016        | 6.5         | 50                      | 0.94    | 0       | 0.94    |

When system demand is low, it is difficult interconnect PV due to small system constant.



### 3. Support areas for the project

#### 3.2 Maximum allowable amount of renewables (Using Homer software)

HOMER (Hybrid Optimization of Multiple Electric Renewables).

HOMER simplifies the task of designing distributed generation (DG) systems - both on and off-grid for a variety of applications.

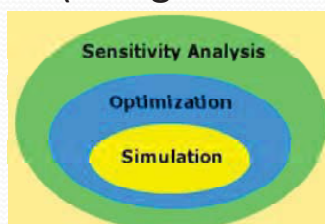
For configuration of the system, it helps in determining:

- What components does it make sense to include in the system design
- How many and what size of each component should be used

HOMER's optimization and sensitivity analysis algorithms make it easier to evaluate the many possible system configurations.

### 3. Support areas for the project

#### 3.2 Maximum allowable amount of renewables (Using Homer software)



#### Core capabilities Simulation, Optimization, Sensitivity Analysis

**Simulation:** At its core, HOMER is a simulation model. It will attempt to simulate a viable system for all possible combinations of the equipment that you wish to consider. Depending on how you set up your problem, HOMER may simulate hundreds or even thousands of systems.

**Optimization:** The optimization step follows all simulations. The simulated systems are sorted and filtered according to criteria that you define, so that you can see the best possible fits. Although HOMER fundamentally is an economic optimization model, you may also choose to minimize fuel usage.

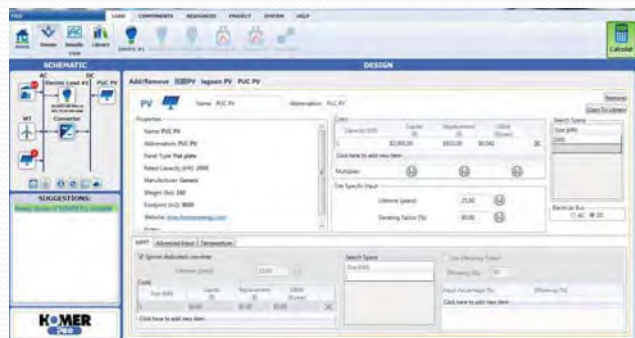
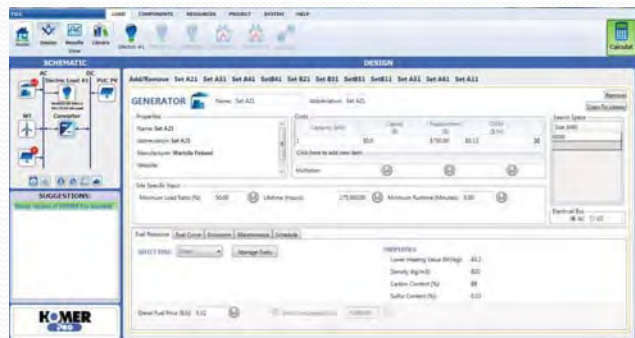
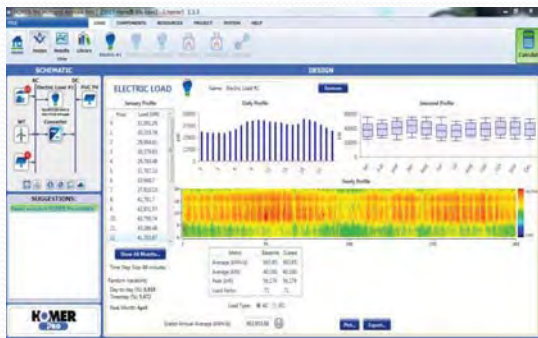
**Sensitivity analysis:** This is an optional step that allows you to model the impact of variables that are beyond your control, such as wind speed, fuel costs, etc, and see how the optimal system changes with these variations.



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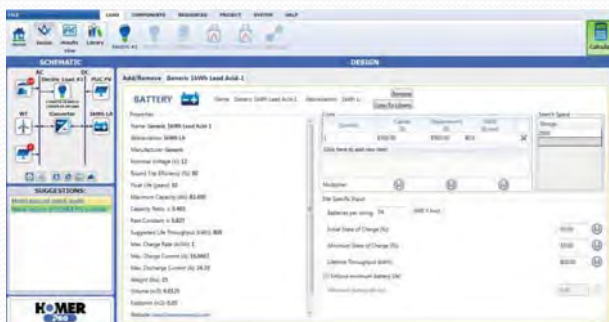
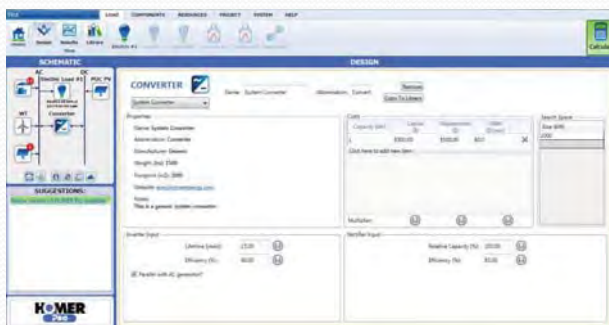
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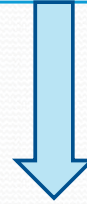
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Homer Simulation Result in Mahe Is.

| RE implementation (kW) | Scenario |             | WT(kW) | Cost of energy \$/kWh | Power generated kWh | Excess of energy % | PV generation rate % | WT generation rate % | % of RE | Max. RE rate % | Estimated Initial Cost \$ |
|------------------------|----------|-------------|--------|-----------------------|---------------------|--------------------|----------------------|----------------------|---------|----------------|---------------------------|
|                        | PV (kW)  |             |        |                       |                     |                    |                      |                      |         |                |                           |
|                        | PUC      | Domestic PV |        |                       |                     |                    |                      |                      |         |                |                           |
| 7,200                  | 0        | 1,200       | 6,000  | 0.286                 | 313,118,114         | 0.0                | 0.66                 | 2.89                 | 3.55    | 24.4           | 0                         |
| 8,200                  | 1,000    | 1,200       | 6,000  | 0.286                 | 313,365,024         | 0.0                | 1.22                 | 2.88                 | 4.10    | 26.2           | 2,800,000                 |
| 9,200                  | 2,000    | 1,200       | 6,000  | 0.286                 | 313,611,968         | 0.1                | 1.76                 | 2.88                 | 4.64    | 28.8           | 5,600,000                 |
| 10,200                 | 3,000    | 1,200       | 6,000  | 0.286                 | 313,858,848         | 0.1                | 2.32                 | 2.88                 | 5.20    | 31.4           | 8,400,000                 |
| 11,200                 | 4,000    | 1,200       | 6,000  | 0.287                 | 314,105,824         | 0.1                | 2.87                 | 2.88                 | 5.75    | 34.0           | 11,200,000                |
| 12,200                 | 5,000    | 1,200       | 6,000  | 0.287                 | 314,352,704         | 0.1                | 3.41                 | 2.87                 | 6.28    | 36.6           | 14,000,000                |
| 13,200                 | 6,000    | 1,200       | 6,000  | 0.287                 | 314,599,616         | 0.2                | 3.96                 | 2.87                 | 6.83    | 39.3           | 16,800,000                |
| 14,200                 | 7,000    | 1,200       | 6,000  | 0.287                 | 314,846,496         | 0.2                | 4.51                 | 2.87                 | 7.38    | 41.9           | 19,600,000                |
| 15,200                 | 8,000    | 1,200       | 6,000  | 0.287                 | 315,093,472         | 0.2                | 5.06                 | 2.87                 | 7.93    | 44.5           | 22,400,000                |
| 16,200                 | 9,000    | 1,200       | 6,000  | 0.287                 | 315,340,384         | 0.2                | 5.60                 | 2.87                 | 8.47    | 47.1           | 25,200,000                |
| 17,200                 | 10,000   | 1,200       | 6,000  | 0.288                 | 315,588,096         | 0.3                | 6.15                 | 2.86                 | 9.01    | 49.7           | 28,000,000                |
| 18,200                 | 11,000   | 1,200       | 6,000  | 0.288                 | 315,836,896         | 0.3                | 6.69                 | 2.86                 | 9.55    | 52.4           | 30,800,000                |
| 19,200                 | 12,000   | 1,200       | 6,000  | 0.288                 | 316,086,624         | 0.3                | 7.24                 | 2.86                 | 10.10   | 55.0           | 33,600,000                |
| 20,200                 | 13,000   | 1,200       | 6,000  | 0.288                 | 316,338,784         | 0.3                | 7.78                 | 2.86                 | 10.64   | 57.6           | 36,400,000                |
| 21,200                 | 14,000   | 1,200       | 6,000  | 0.288                 | 316,596,512         | 0.4                | 8.32                 | 2.85                 | 11.17   | 60.2           | 39,200,000                |
| 22,200                 | 15,000   | 1,200       | 6,000  | 0.288                 | 316,863,392         | 0.4                | 8.86                 | 2.85                 | 11.71   | 62.8           | 42,000,000                |
| 23,200                 | 16,000   | 1,200       | 6,000  | 0.289                 | 317,143,008         | 0.4                | 9.40                 | 2.85                 | 12.25   | 65.5           | 44,800,000                |
| 24,200                 | 17,000   | 1,200       | 6,000  | 0.289                 | 317,435,776         | 0.5                | 9.93                 | 2.85                 | 12.78   | 68.6           | 47,600,000                |
| 25,200                 | 18,000   | 1,200       | 6,000  | 0.289                 | 317,748,800         | 0.5                | 10.46                | 2.84                 | 13.30   | 71.6           | 50,400,000                |
| 26,200                 | 19,000   | 1,200       | 6,000  | 0.289                 | 318,088,992         | 0.6                | 11.00                | 2.84                 | 13.84   | 74.7           | 53,200,000                |
| 27,200                 | 20,000   | 1,200       | 6,000  | 0.289                 | 318,463,776         | 0.7                | 11.53                | 2.84                 | 14.37   | 77.8           | 56,000,000                |
| 28,200                 | 21,000   | 1,200       | 6,000  | 0.290                 | 318,882,208         | 0.7                | 12.06                | 2.83                 | 14.89   | 80.8           | 58,800,000                |
| 29,200                 | 22,000   | 1,200       | 6,000  | 0.290                 | 319,357,376         | 0.8                | 12.58                | 2.83                 | 15.41   | 83.9           | 61,600,000                |
| 30,200                 | 23,000   | 1,200       | 6,000  | 0.290                 | 319,900,928         | 1.0                | 13.10                | 2.82                 | 15.92   | 86.9           | 64,400,000                |
| 31,200                 | 24,000   | 1,200       | 6,000  | 0.290                 | 320,519,424         | 1.1                | 13.62                | 2.82                 | 16.44   | 90.0           | 67,200,000                |
| 32,200                 | 25,000   | 1,200       | 6,000  | 0.291                 | 321,218,304         | 1.3                | 14.13                | 2.81                 | 16.94   | 93.0           | 70,000,000                |
| 33,200                 | 26,000   | 1,200       | 6,000  | 0.291                 | 321,998,976         | 1.5                | 14.63                | 2.81                 | 17.44   | 96.1           | 72,800,000                |
| 34,200                 | 27,000   | 1,200       | 6,000  | 0.292                 | 322,856,640         | 1.7                | 15.12                | 2.80                 | 17.92   | 99.1           | 75,600,000                |
| 35,200                 | 28,000   | 1,200       | 6,000  | 0.292                 | 323,794,240         | 2.0                | 15.62                | 2.79                 | 18.41   | 102.2          | 78,400,000                |
| 36,200                 | 29,000   | 1,200       | 6,000  | 0.293                 | 324,805,632         | 2.3                | 16.10                | 2.78                 | 18.88   | 105.2          | 81,200,000                |
| 37,200                 | 30,000   | 1,200       | 6,000  | 0.293                 | 325,886,944         | 2.6                | 16.58                | 2.77                 | 19.35   | 108.3          | 84,000,000                |

Use of Battery Storage system for long-period constraint



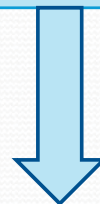
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Homer Simulation Result in Praslin (+ La Digue) Is.

| RE implementation (kW) | 組合せ例  |        | Cost of energy \$/kWh | Power generated kWh | Excess of energy % | PV generation rate % | Max. RE rate % | Estimated Initial Cost \$ |
|------------------------|-------|--------|-----------------------|---------------------|--------------------|----------------------|----------------|---------------------------|
|                        | PUC   | PV(kW) |                       |                     |                    |                      |                |                           |
| 0                      | 0     | 0      | 0.264                 | 42,872,584          | 0.0                | 0.00                 | 0.0            | 0                         |
| 100                    | 100   | 0      | 0.264                 | 42,897,248          | 0.0                | 0.40                 | 2.5            | 230,000                   |
| 200                    | 200   | 0      | 0.264                 | 42,921,928          | 0.0                | 0.81                 | 5.0            | 460,000                   |
| 300                    | 300   | 0      | 0.263                 | 42,946,596          | 0.0                | 1.21                 | 7.4            | 690,000                   |
| 400                    | 400   | 0      | 0.263                 | 42,971,300          | 0.1                | 1.61                 | 9.9            | 920,000                   |
| 500                    | 500   | 0      | 0.263                 | 42,995,992          | 0.1                | 2.01                 | 12.4           | 1,150,000                 |
| 600                    | 600   | 0      | 0.262                 | 43,020,696          | 0.1                | 2.42                 | 14.9           | 1,380,000                 |
| 700                    | 700   | 0      | 0.262                 | 43,045,356          | 0.1                | 2.82                 | 17.4           | 1,610,000                 |
| 800                    | 800   | 0      | 0.262                 | 43,070,060          | 0.2                | 3.22                 | 19.9           | 1,840,000                 |
| 900                    | 900   | 0      | 0.261                 | 43,094,724          | 0.2                | 3.62                 | 22.3           | 2,070,000                 |
| 1,000                  | 1,000 | 0      | 0.261                 | 43,119,432          | 0.2                | 4.02                 | 24.8           | 2,300,000                 |
| 1,100                  | 1,100 | 0      | 0.261                 | 43,144,100          | 0.2                | 4.42                 | 27.3           | 2,530,000                 |
| 1,200                  | 1,200 | 0      | 0.260                 | 43,168,776          | 0.2                | 4.82                 | 29.8           | 2,760,000                 |
| 1,300                  | 1,300 | 0      | 0.260                 | 43,193,468          | 0.2                | 5.21                 | 32.3           | 2,990,000                 |
| 1,400                  | 1,400 | 0      | 0.260                 | 43,218,180          | 0.3                | 5.61                 | 34.7           | 3,220,000                 |
| 1,500                  | 1,500 | 0      | 0.259                 | 43,242,864          | 0.3                | 6.01                 | 37.2           | 3,450,000                 |
| 1,600                  | 1,600 | 0      | 0.259                 | 43,267,564          | 0.3                | 6.41                 | 39.7           | 3,680,000                 |
| 1,700                  | 1,700 | 0      | 0.259                 | 43,292,244          | 0.3                | 6.80                 | 42.2           | 3,910,000                 |
| 1,800                  | 1,800 | 0      | 0.258                 | 43,316,940          | 0.3                | 7.20                 | 44.7           | 4,140,000                 |
| 1,900                  | 1,900 | 0      | 0.258                 | 43,341,616          | 0.4                | 7.59                 | 47.2           | 4,370,000                 |
| 2,000                  | 2,000 | 0      | 0.257                 | 43,366,316          | 0.4                | 7.99                 | 49.6           | 4,600,000                 |
| 2,100                  | 2,100 | 0      | 0.257                 | 43,391,004          | 0.4                | 8.38                 | 52.1           | 4,830,000                 |
| 2,200                  | 2,200 | 0      | 0.257                 | 43,415,672          | 0.4                | 8.78                 | 54.6           | 5,060,000                 |
| 2,300                  | 2,300 | 0      | 0.256                 | 43,223,656          | 0.4                | 9.17                 | 57.1           | 5,290,000                 |
| 2,400                  | 2,400 | 0      | 0.256                 | 43,238,916          | 0.5                | 9.57                 | 59.6           | 5,520,000                 |
| 2,500                  | 2,500 | 0      | 0.256                 | 43,489,760          | 0.5                | 9.96                 | 62.1           | 5,750,000                 |
| 2,600                  | 2,600 | 0      | 0.255                 | 43,269,444          | 0.5                | 10.35                | 64.5           | 5,980,000                 |
| 2,700                  | 2,700 | 0      | 0.255                 | 43,284,720          | 0.5                | 10.74                | 67.0           | 6,210,000                 |
| 2,800                  | 2,800 | 0      | 0.255                 | 43,300,000          | 0.5                | 11.13                | 69.5           | 6,440,000                 |
| 2,900                  | 2,900 | 0      | 0.254                 | 43,315,244          | 0.5                | 11.53                | 72.0           | 6,670,000                 |
| 3,000                  | 3,000 | 0      | 0.254                 | 43,613,208          | 0.6                | 11.92                | 74.5           | 6,900,000                 |

Use of Battery Storage system for long-period constraint





### 3.3 Planning and designing PV-diesel hybrid system

- Technical assistance in planning and design
- Use of SketchUp software

## 3. Support areas for the project

### 3.3 Planning and designing PV-diesel hybrid system

#### Introduction

- ★ With small-scale power systems, due to limitations on scale and adjustment capacity, they are sensitive to the output fluctuations of renewable energy such as grid-connected PV systems.
- ★ If these fluctuations are large, balancing supply and demand and securing power quality become difficult.
- ★ When deploying a high percentage of grid-connected PV systems, a hybrid system which supplies power in coordination with the existing diesel generators (DG) is regarded as promising.



### 3. Support areas for the project

#### 3.3 Planning and designing PV-diesel hybrid system

##### Introduction of the PV-diesel hybrid system developed in Okinawa

★ The 3 basic types are shown below.

- ① PV-diesel hybrid system
  - ② PV-WT-diesel hybrid system
  - ③ PV-battery-diesel hybrid system
- Keeping in mind that in any case, the deployment will take place on a small remote island, the configuration will consist of multiple generators.
  - We believe that by using a multi-unit configuration, serviceability can be enhanced on small remote islands where backup and repair are not easy.

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### 3. Support areas for the project

#### 3.3 Planning and designing PV-diesel hybrid system

##### ① PV-diesel hybrid system

In most cases, a system stabilizing device such as storage batteries is incorporated in PV-diesel hybrid systems. However, power system stabilizers are expensive, so if such equipment is incorporated, the economic burden on Seychelles to deploy the system alone is heavy and makes it unfeasible. Therefore, in this project, we will propose and design a system that does not feature a stabilizer such as a power storage battery. An example system is described below.

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#### 3.3 Planning and designing PV-diesel hybrid system

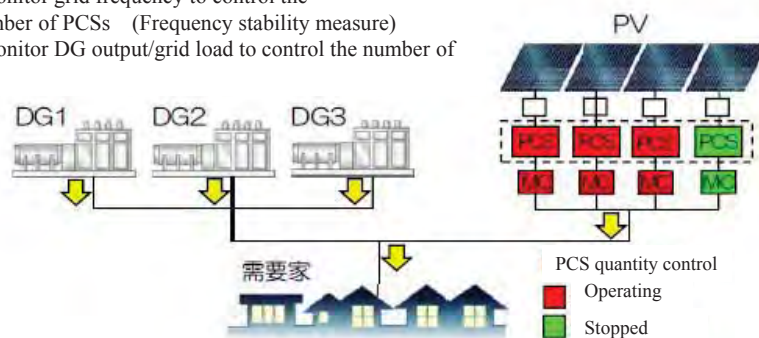
【Example】① PV-diesel hybrid system

< PV system without use of storage batteries >

- A system with improved frequency stability through quantity control of the PCSs that come with the PV systems
- A system that takes into account low-output DG operation measures through quantity control of power conditioners (PCS)

Hybrid system functions ( PCS quantity control )

- ① Monitor grid frequency to control the number of PCSs (Frequency stability measure)
- ② Monitor DG output/grid load to control the number of PCSs



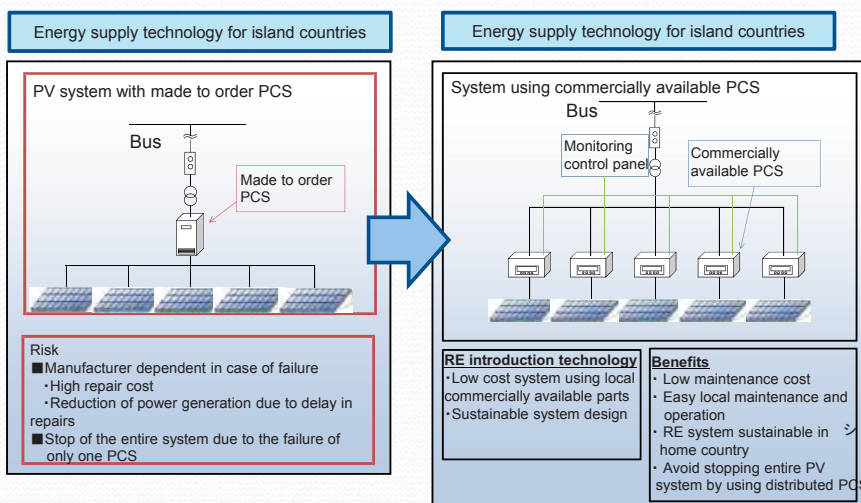
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#### 3.3 Planning and designing PV-diesel hybrid system

【Example】① PV-diesel hybrid system

<Features/advantages of the system>



Ex. Sustainable PV System configuration



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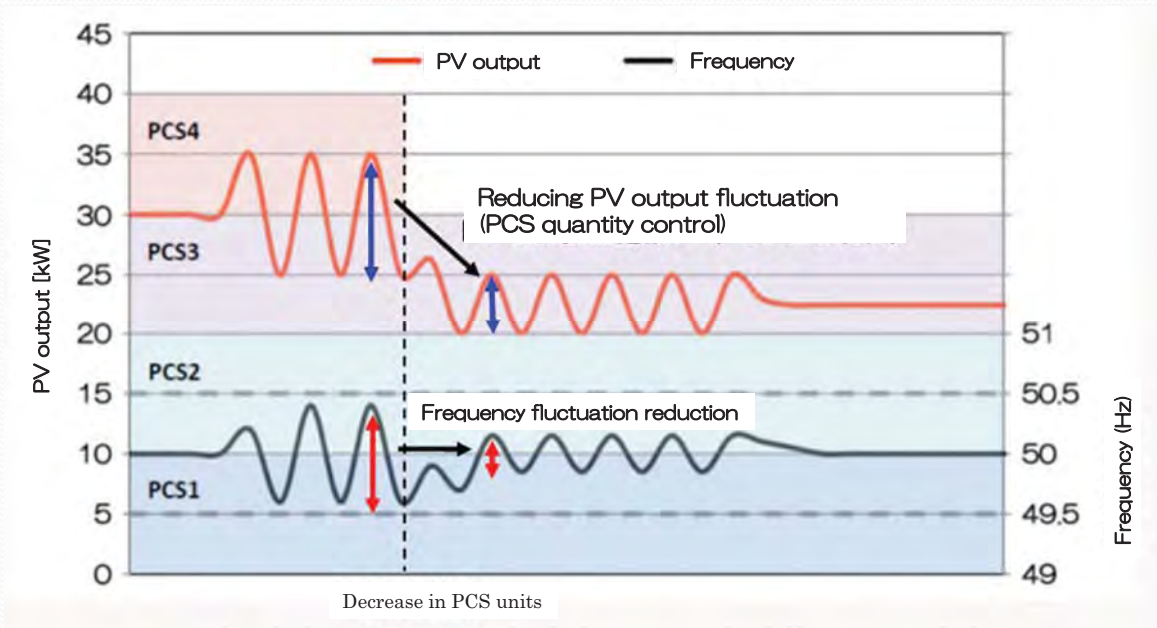


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#### 3.3 Planning and designing PV-diesel hybrid system

【Example】① PV-diesel hybrid system

＜Schematic of frequency stabilization measures through PCS quantity control＞

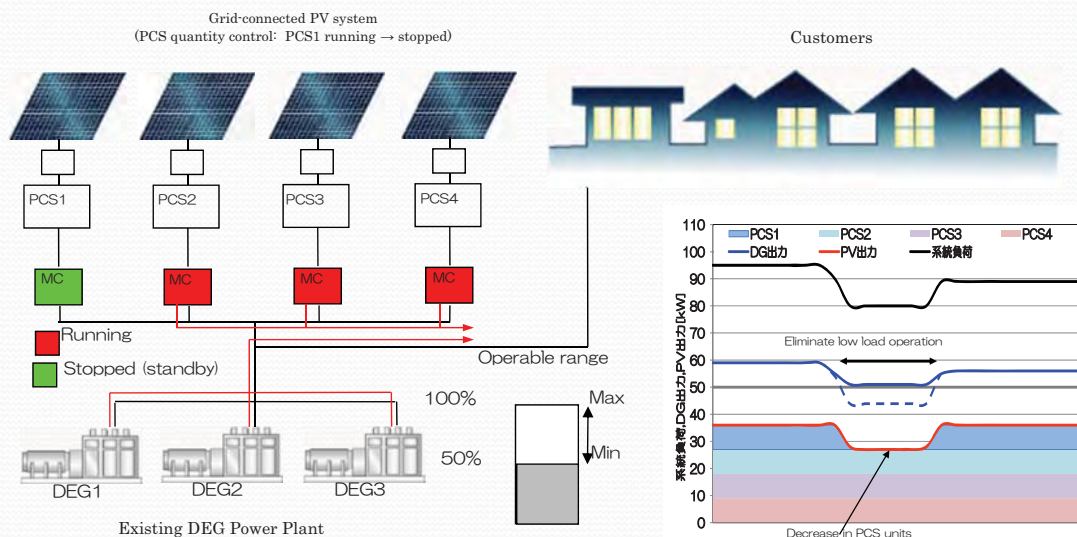


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#### 3.3 Planning and designing PV-diesel hybrid system

【Example】① PV-diesel hybrid system

＜Schematic of measures for low-load DG operation through PCS quantity control＞



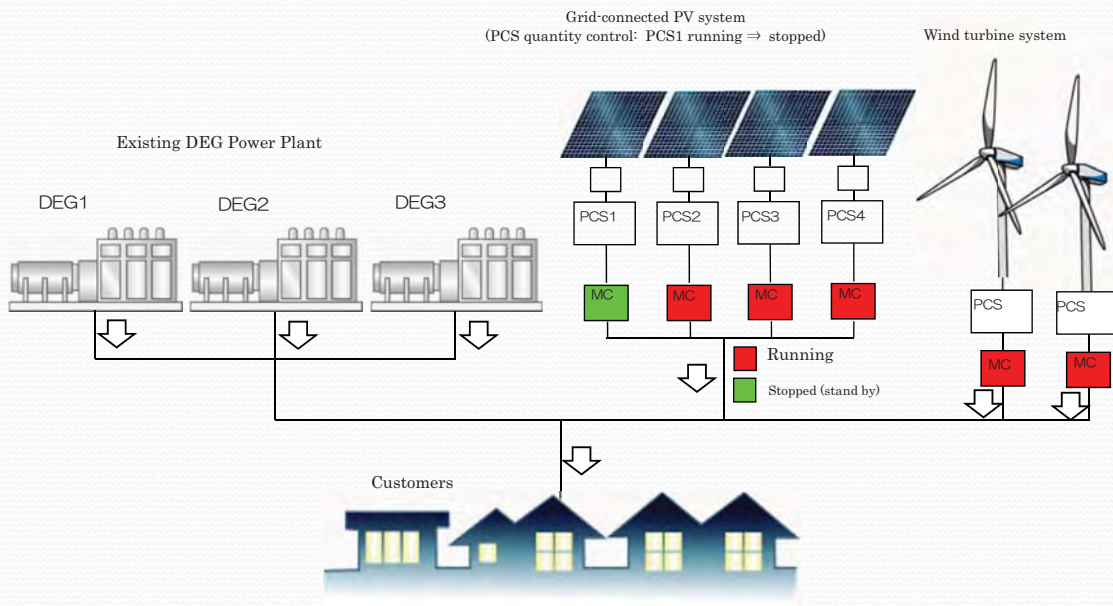


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#### 3.3 Planning and designing PV-diesel hybrid system

【Example】② PV-WT-diesel hybrid system

<Schematic diagram of PV-WT-DG hybrid system without battery system>

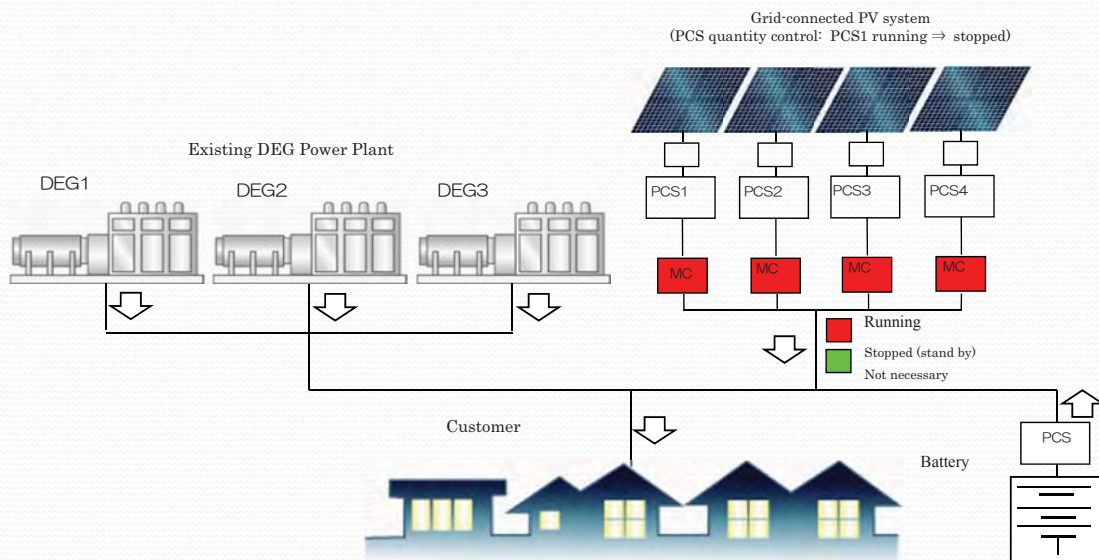


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【Example】③ PV-Battery-DG hybrid system

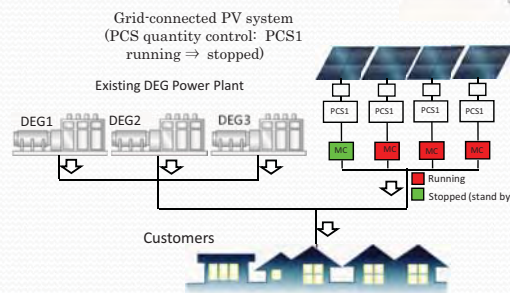
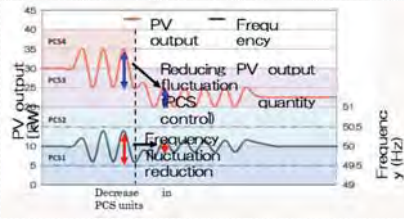
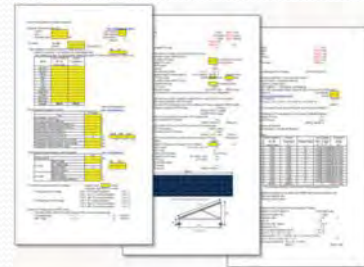
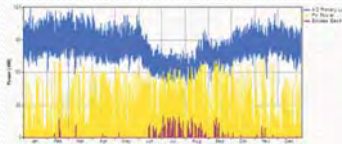
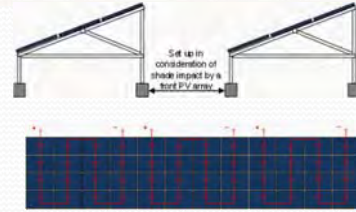
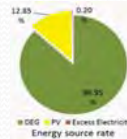
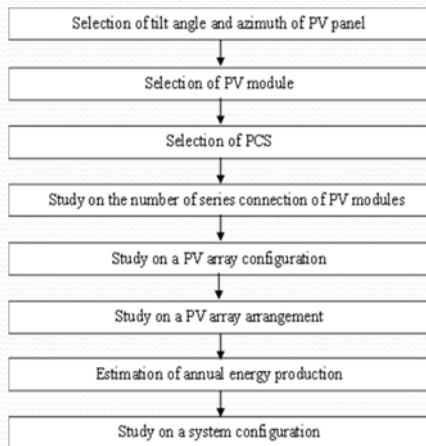
<Schematic of a PV-Battery-DG hybrid system>





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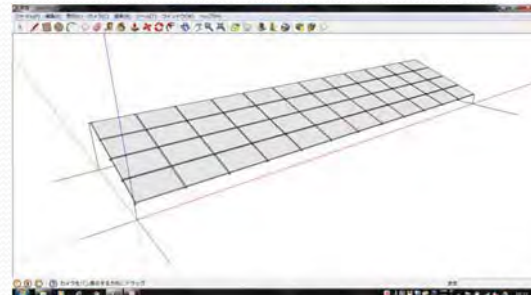
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#### 3.3 Planning and designing PV-diesel hybrid system

- Facility Planning Method using SketchUp software





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#### 3.4 Results of the project

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- Praslin Is., La Digue Is.
- Desroches Is.
- Curieuse Is.

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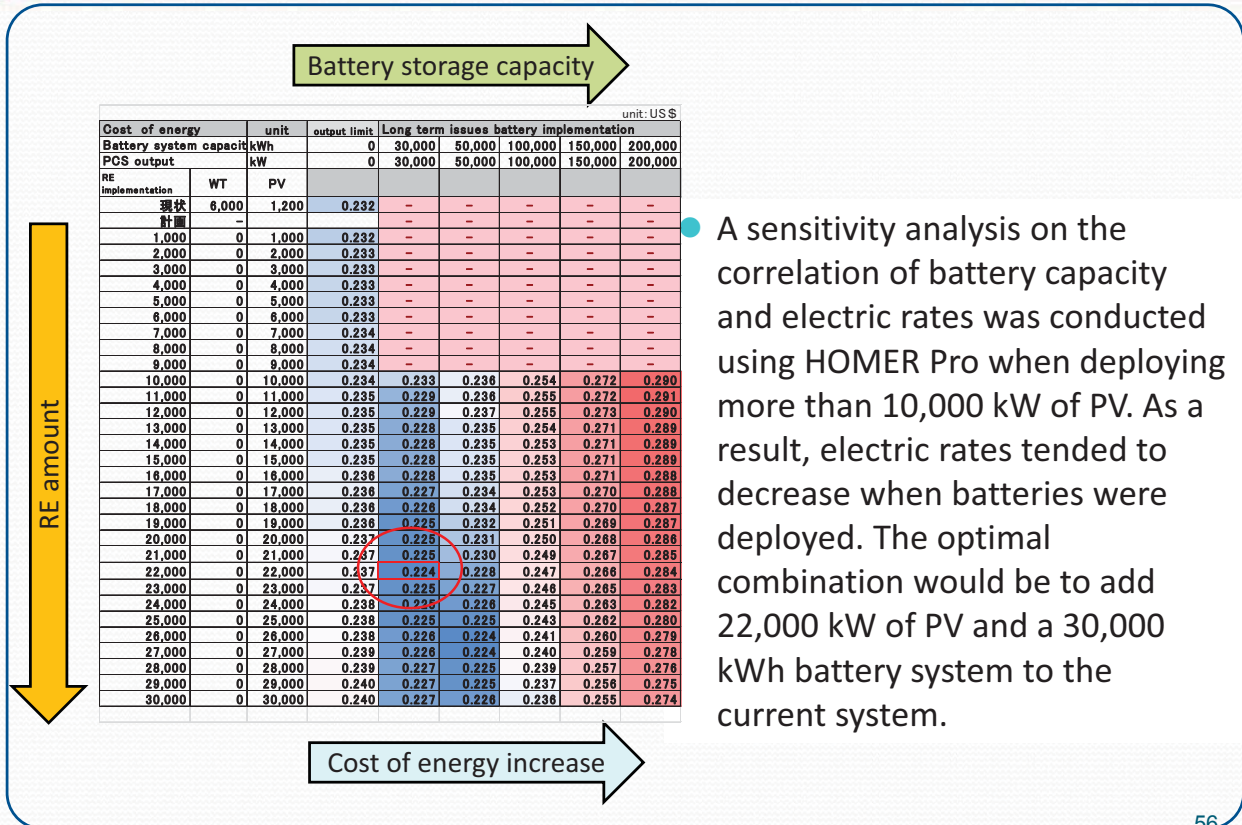






### 3.4 Result of Planning of PV-DEG Hybrid System ( Mahe Is.)

#### ▪ Electric rate simulation



• A sensitivity analysis on the correlation of battery capacity and electric rates was conducted using HOMER Pro when deploying more than 10,000 kW of PV. As a result, electric rates tended to decrease when batteries were deployed. The optimal combination would be to add 22,000 kW of PV and a 30,000 kWh battery system to the current system.

### 3.4 Result of Planning of PV-DEG Hybrid System ( Mahe Is.)

#### Supply-demand balance simulation

#### Summary

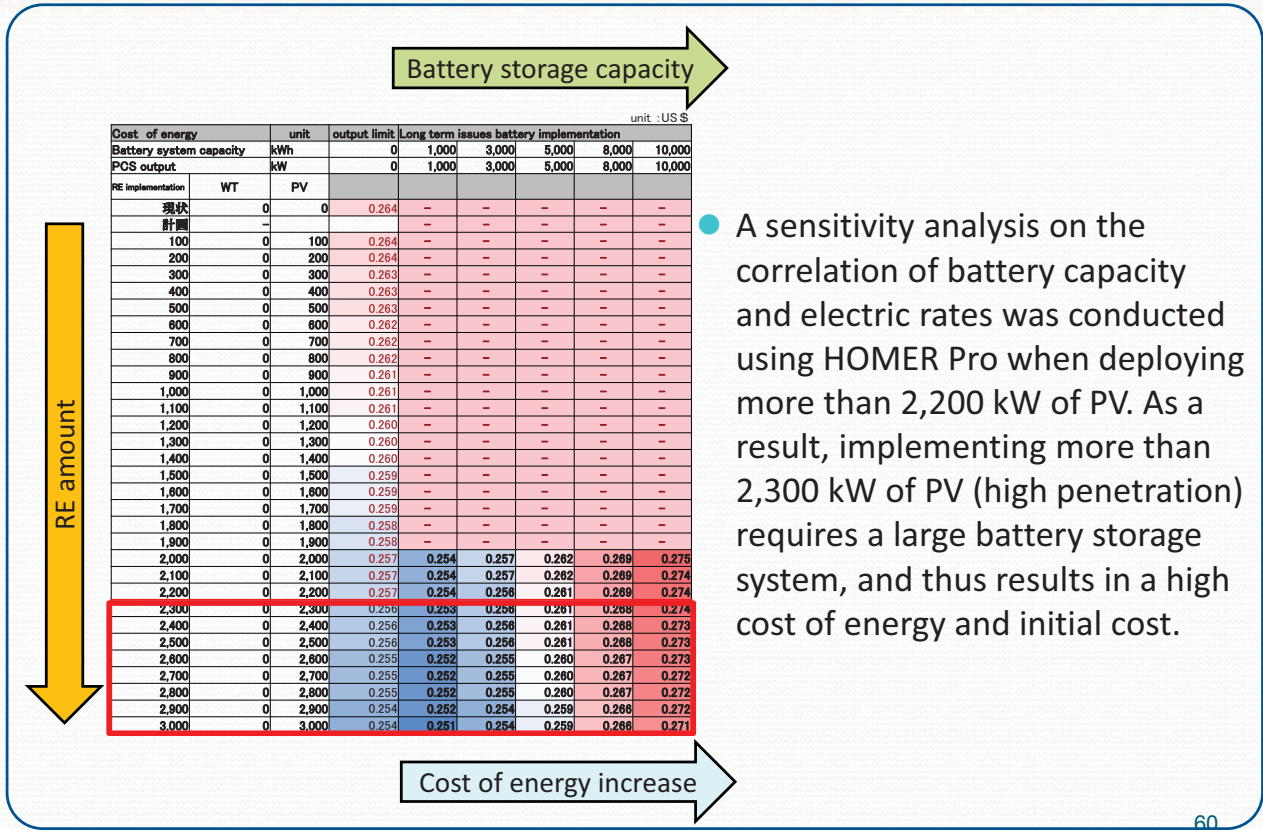
- The integration capacity for long-period constraints on Mahe Island was approximately 10,000 kW.
- The cost benefits of PV integration in Mahe Island is low with the current fuel price of 0.32 USD.
- Cost benefits of PV integration arise when fuel prices exceed the 0.8 USD.
- According to the battery capacity sensitivity analysis, electric rates tended to decrease when batteries were deployed.
- For the time being, aiming for deployments of 10,000 kW of PV, which does not require a battery system, is recommended.







### 3.4 Result of Planning of PV-DEG Hybrid System ( Praslin Is.+ La Digue Is.) / electric rate simulation



● A sensitivity analysis on the correlation of battery capacity and electric rates was conducted using HOMER Pro when deploying more than 2,200 kW of PV. As a result, implementing more than 2,300 kW of PV (high penetration) requires a large battery storage system, and thus results in a high cost of energy and initial cost.

### 3.4 Result of Planning of PV-DEG Hybrid System (Praslin Is.+ La Digue Is.) Supply-demand balance simulation

**La Digue Island power supply**  
 Power is supplied through two submarine cables.  
 • From Praslin Power Plant to La Digue.  
 • From Praslin Power Plant to La Digue via Eva Island.  
 (sea water desalination plant in Round Island)  
 Planning for the construction of a third submarine cable.  
 Planning for La Digue Green Island (100% RE)



**Possible sites for PV installation**



Logan Hospital



La Digue District Administration



La Digue primary school



### 3.4 Result of Planning of PV-DEG Hybrid System

(Praslin Is.+ La Digue Is.)

PV facility simulation (La Digue school) approx. 100 kW



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### 3.4 Result of Planning of PV-DEG Hybrid System

(Praslin Is.+ La Digue Is.)

Supply-demand balance simulation

#### Summary

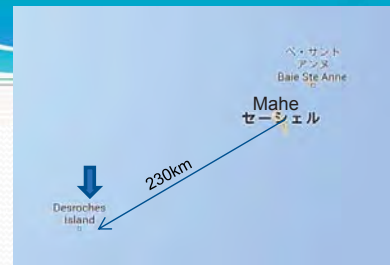
- The integration capacity for long period constraints on Praslin Island was approximately 2,000 kW.
- The cost benefits of PV integration in Praslin Island is low with the current fuel price of 0.49 USD.
- Electric rates tended to decrease with a battery capacity ranging 1,500 kWh – 2,000 kWh.
- For the time being, aiming for deployments of 2,000 kW of PV, which does not require a battery system, is recommended.

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### 3.4 Result of Planning of PV-DEG Hybrid System

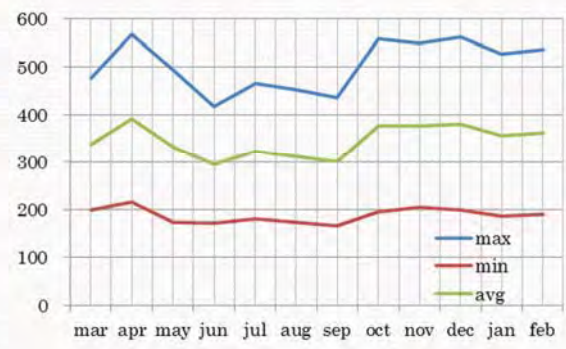
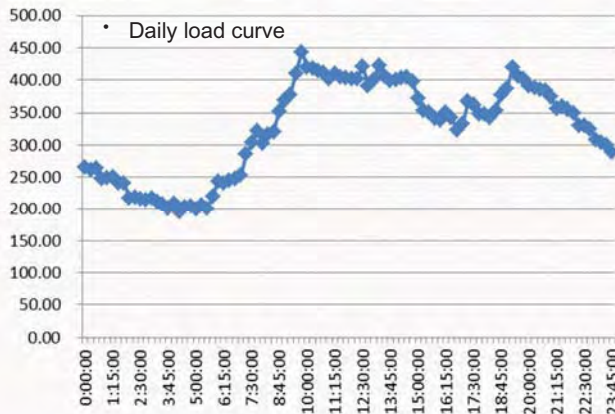
#### Desroches Is. (Actual)



Power Station 1.74 MW(580 kW × 3)



- Peak Load 0.6 MW
- Average 0.3 to 0.4 MW
- Normally the power is supplied by one unit.

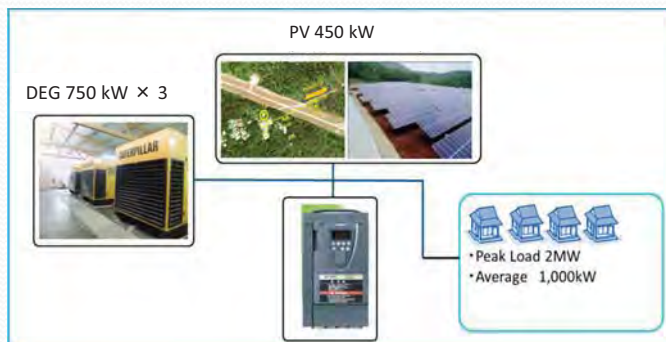


### 3.4 Result of Planning of PV-DEG Hybrid System

#### Desroches Is. (Future plan)

Future plan for Desroches Is.

- Peak load 2.0 MW
- Replacement of all existing diesel generators



| PV(kw) | DEG1(kw) | DEG2(kw) | DEG3(kw) | Converter (kW) | Dispatch | Cost/COE (\$) | System/Ren. Frac (%) |
|--------|----------|----------|----------|----------------|----------|---------------|----------------------|
| 450    | 750      | 750      | 750      | 300            | LF       | 0.534         | 7.70                 |
| 450    | 750      | 750      | 750      | 300            | OC       | 0.534         | 7.70                 |
| 450    | 750      | 750      | 750      | 240            | LF       | 0.535         | 7.18                 |
| 450    | 750      | 750      | 750      | 240            | OC       | 0.535         | 7.18                 |
| 450    | 750      | 750      | 750      | 210            | LF       | 0.537         | 6.73                 |
| 450    | 750      | 750      | 750      | 210            | OC       | 0.537         | 6.73                 |
| 450    | 750      | 750      | 750      | 180            | LF       | 0.539         | 6.14                 |
| 450    | 750      | 750      | 750      | 180            | OC       | 0.539         | 6.14                 |
| 400    | 750      | 750      | 750      | 300            | LF       | 0.535         | 6.97                 |
| 400    | 750      | 750      | 750      | 300            | OC       | 0.535         | 6.97                 |
| 400    | 750      | 750      | 750      | 270            | LF       | 0.535         | 6.89                 |
| 400    | 750      | 750      | 750      | 270            | OC       | 0.535         | 6.89                 |
| 400    | 750      | 750      | 750      | 240            | LF       | 0.536         | 6.69                 |
| 400    | 750      | 750      | 750      | 240            | OC       | 0.536         | 6.69                 |
| 400    | 750      | 750      | 750      | 210            | LF       | 0.537         | 6.34                 |
| 400    | 750      | 750      | 750      | 210            | OC       | 0.537         | 6.34                 |
| 350    | 750      | 750      | 750      | 270            | LF       | 0.537         | 6.12                 |
| 350    | 750      | 750      | 750      | 270            | OC       | 0.537         | 6.12                 |
| 350    | 750      | 750      | 750      | 240            | LF       | 0.537         | 6.05                 |
| 350    | 750      | 750      | 750      | 240            | OC       | 0.537         | 6.05                 |
| 350    | 750      | 750      | 750      | 300            | LF       | 0.537         | 6.13                 |
| 350    | 750      | 750      | 750      | 300            | OC       | 0.537         | 6.13                 |
| 350    | 750      | 750      | 750      | 210            | LF       | 0.537         | 5.85                 |
| 350    | 750      | 750      | 750      | 210            | OC       | 0.537         | 5.85                 |

Study results using Homer software

- Diesel generator configuration 750 kW × 3 units
- Maximum PV implementation without battery storage system 450 kW
- PCS 300 kW
- COE 0.534 USD/kWh

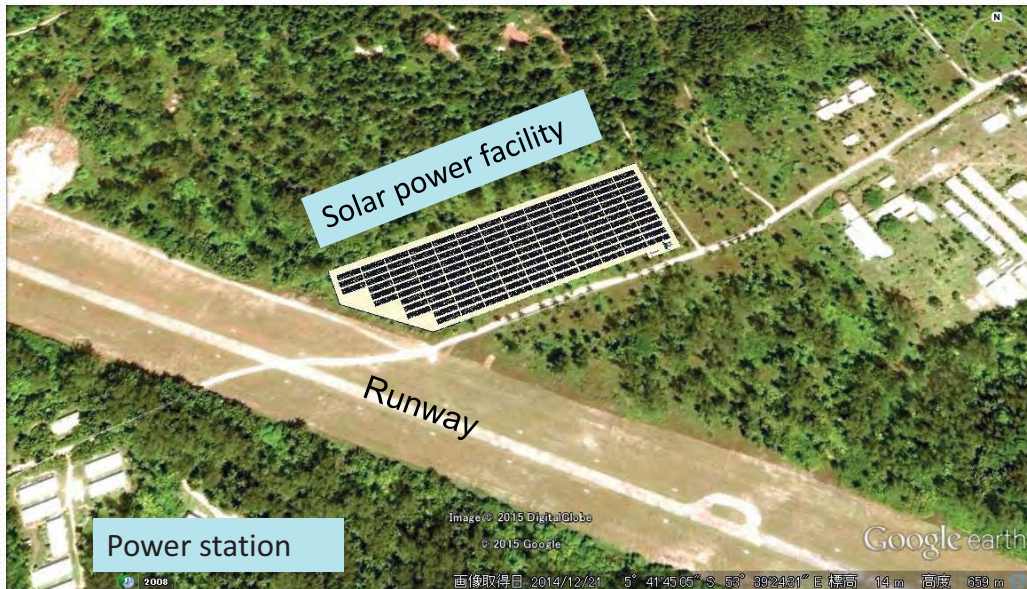
| DG1  | DG2  | DG3  | DG4  | Dispatch | Cost/COE (\$) |
|------|------|------|------|----------|---------------|
| 750  | 750  | 750  |      | LF       | 0.550         |
| 750  | 750  | 750  | 750  | LF       | 0.555         |
| 1000 | 1000 | 1000 |      | LF       | 0.577         |
| 1000 | 1000 | 1000 | 1000 | LF       | 0.583         |
| 1500 | 1500 |      |      | LF       | 0.580         |
| 1500 | 1500 | 1500 |      | LF       | 0.589         |
| 1500 | 1500 | 1500 | 1500 | LF       | 0.598         |
| 2000 | 2000 |      |      | LF       | 0.684         |
| 2000 | 2000 | 2000 |      | LF       | 0.696         |



### 3.4 Result of Planning of PV-DEG Hybrid System

#### Desroches Is.

Image of 450 kW PV facility



### 3.4 Result of Planning of PV-DEG Hybrid System

#### Curieuse Is.

Current condition

Curieuse Island is one of the remote islands of the Seychelles Islands. It is located to the northwest of Praslin Island and has an area of 2.86 km<sup>2</sup> making it the second largest remote island in the Seychelles.

- Generation equipment
  1. 5.5 kVA diesel generator
  2. 5 kVA gasoline generator
  3. Normal feeding time: 17:00-6:00
  4. Peak demand: approximately 7 kW
  5. Gasoline price: 22 SCR/L (1.23 USD/L)

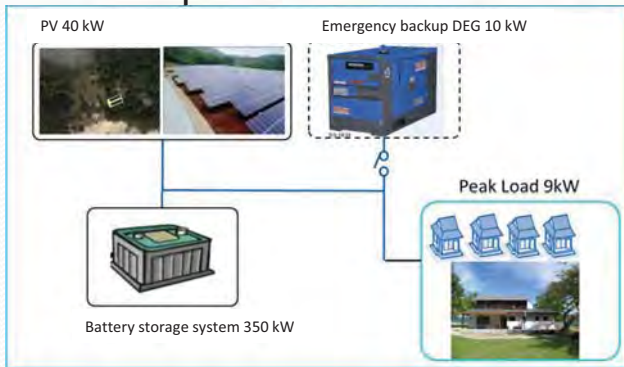




### 3.4 Result of Planning of PV-DEG Hybrid System

#### Curieuse Is.

##### Future plan



Assuming a Peak load of 9 kW  
System composition

- PV 40 kW
- Battery storage system 350 kWh
- PCS 10 kW
- Emergency backup DEG 10kW

| Components |          |           | electricity tariff | Amount of power generation | excess of energy | PV gen. rate | cost    |
|------------|----------|-----------|--------------------|----------------------------|------------------|--------------|---------|
| PV (kW)    | CON (KW) | BTT (kWh) | \$/kWh             | kWh                        | %                | %            | \$      |
| 40         | 10       | 350       | 1.16               | 69,290                     | 40.2             | 100          | 280,000 |
| 40         | 15       | 350       | 1.17               | 69,290                     | 40.2             | 100          | 282,500 |
| 40         | 20       | 350       | 1.18               | 69,290                     | 40.2             | 100          | 285,000 |
| 50         | 10       | 300       | 1.19               | 86,612                     | 52.3             | 100          | 280,000 |
| 25         | 25       | 350       | 1.19               | 69,290                     | 40.2             | 100          | 287,500 |
| 50         | 15       | 300       | 1.20               | 86,612                     | 52.3             | 100          | 282,500 |
| 40         | 30       | 350       | 1.20               | 69,290                     | 40.2             | 100          | 290,000 |
| 50         | 20       | 300       | 1.20               | 86,612                     | 52.3             | 100          | 285,000 |
| 40         | 35       | 350       | 1.21               | 69,290                     | 40.2             | 100          | 292,500 |
| 40         | 10       | 400       | 1.21               | 69,290                     | 40.2             | 100          | 305,000 |



### 3.4 Result of Planning of PV-DEG Hybrid System

#### Curieuse Is.

##### Summary

- A simulation on the optimal combination with 10-50 kW PV, 10-50 kW CON, and 50-400 kWh BTT for PV deployment was conducted. The results showed that a system combining 40 kW of PV + 350 kWh of batteries + 10 kW CON is the best in terms of electric rates.
- The entire load for Curieuse Island and can be supplied with the PV in the system mentioned above. In addition, since Curieuse Island lacks a backup power supply in case the above system fails, installing a 10 kW diesel generator as emergency backup is recommended.



### 3.5 Optimizing operation of existing diesel gen set

- Technical and economic study on the efficient use of diesel generators

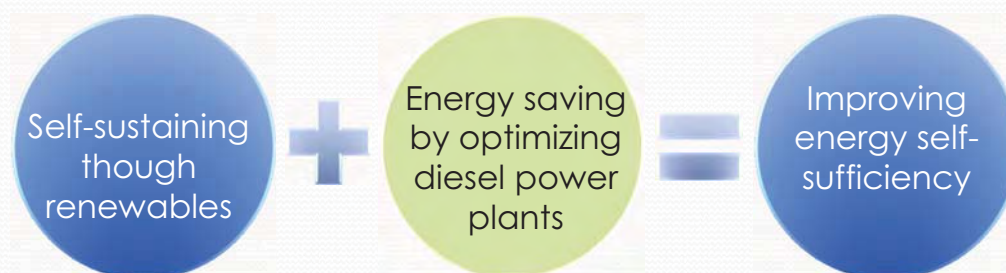
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## 3. Support areas for the project

### 3.5 Technical and economic study on the efficient use of diesel generators

- Position of this study on the project

In order to aim for improving energy self-sufficiency in Seychelles, in addition to the replacement of petroleum fuels with renewable energy, it is necessary to reduce fuel consumption through efficient operation of the existing power supply.



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### 3. Support areas for the project

#### 3.5 Technical and economic study on the efficient use of DEG

- Position of this study on the project

#### Method of optimizing energy efficiency in power plant

- ① Proper maintenance to prevent worsening of fuel consumption characteristics (**management of each individual generator**)
- ② Application of economic load dispatch (EDC) operation to optimize fuel consumption (**management of power plant operation**)



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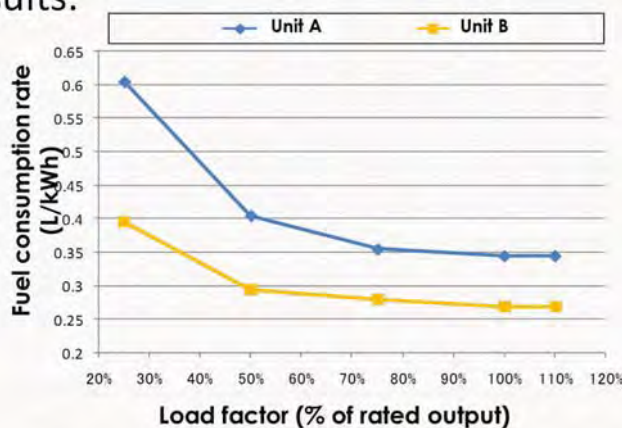
### 3. Support areas for the project

#### 3.5 Technical and economic study on the efficient use of diesel generators

- Overview of EDC operation

EDC (Economic load Dispatching Control)

Amid changes in demand, which generators (which have different fuel consumption characteristics) should be operated and at what output will lead to the most efficient operation is considered in advance, and the efficient operation of the generators is carried out based on the results.



#### Basic idea

- Each generator has different fuel consumption characteristics.
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- Aim for the most efficient point for each generator.

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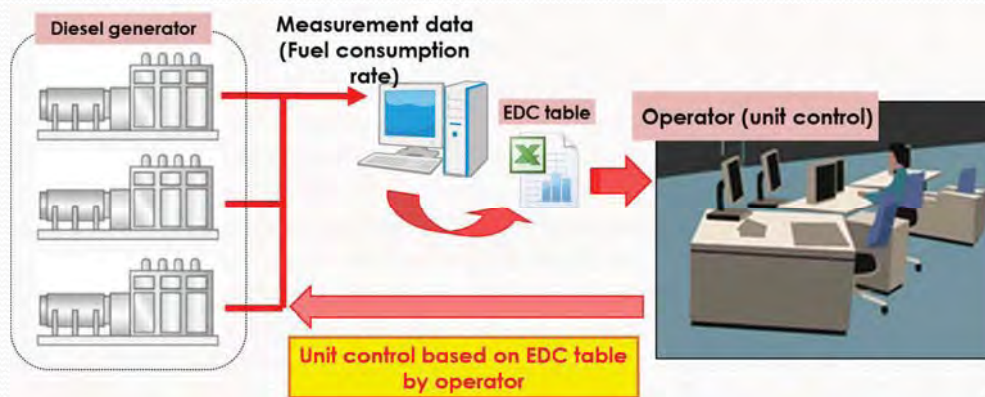


### 3. Support areas for the project

#### 3.5 Technical and economic study on the efficient use of DEG

- Applicability in Seychelles

- ① Economic load dispatch calculation is carried out with a commercial PC software (Microsoft Excel) using the fuel consumption characteristics of each generator (fuel consumption rate).
- ② Based on the economic load dispatch calculation results, an economic load dispatch table for each combination of generators is prepared.
- ③ EDC operation based on the economic load dispatch table (EDC operation is performed by manual governor operation at the power plant)



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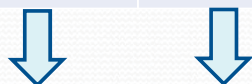
### 3. Support areas for the project

#### 3.5 Technical and economic study on the efficient use of DEG

- Field survey for implementation

- ① Power plant assessment

| Assessment items              | MAHE | PRASLIN | LA DIGUE                         | DESROCHES                       | CURIEUSE          |
|-------------------------------|------|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------|
| Existing power plant          | YES  | YES     | NO<br>Under sea cable to Praslin | YES                             | YES               |
| Multiple generator operation  | YES  | YES     | —                                | YES                             | NO<br>Only 1 unit |
| Manual control for DEG output | YES  | YES     | —                                | NO<br>Auto load sharing control | YES               |
| Others                        | —    | —       | —                                | Will be replaced                | —                 |



Plants selected for survey on EDC applicability

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### 3. Support areas for the project

#### 3.5 Technical and economic study on the efficient use of DEG

- Field survey for implementation

#### ② Power plant assessment (MAHE • PRASLIN)

To apply EDC operation, we conducted a survey on the following items.

- ✓ Specification of generators
- ✓ Operational status of generators
- ✓ Status of measurement equipment
- ✓ Structure of power plant maintenance
- ✓ Constraints on power plant operation



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### 3. Support areas for the project

#### 3.5 Technical and economic study on the efficient use of DEG

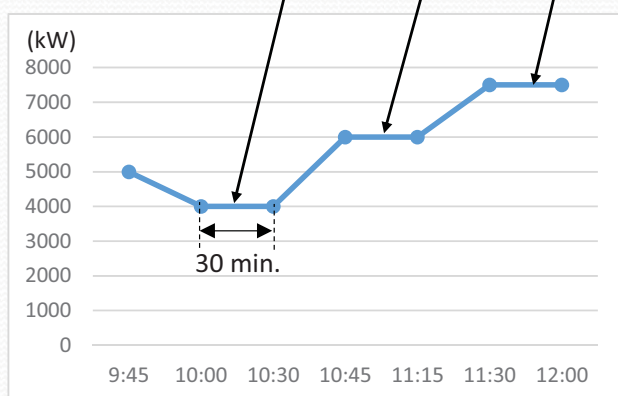
- Field survey for implementation

#### ③ Collection of data required for implementation and confirmation of collection method

It is necessary to determine the fuel consumption characteristic of each generator for EDC implementation.

- Required Data: Fuel consumption rate at each output
- Measured item: Generated power (kWh), Fuel consumption (Liters)

Fuel consumption rate is measured at a constant output for a defined period of time to determine each generators efficiency (fuel consumption rate).



Fuel consumption measurement test  
Procedure example



Fuel consumption measurement test  
(Fuel flow meter measurement)

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### 3. Support areas for the project

#### 3.5 Technical and economic study on the efficient use of DEG

③ Collection of data required for implementation and confirmation of collection method

Measurements on each DEG taken at Mahe PS. and Praslin PS. and results

##### Victoria C\_B5

Rated output 8000 kW

|       |       |       |       |
|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| KW    | 4000  | 6000  | 7500  |
| %     | 50%   | 75%   | 94%   |
| L/KWH | 0.257 | 0.232 | 0.230 |

##### Victoria C\_A4

Rated output 6348 kW

|       |       |       |       |
|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| KW    | 5500  | 4500  | 3000  |
| %     | 87%   | 71%   | 47%   |
| L/KWH | 0.238 | 0.239 | 0.249 |

##### Victoria C\_A2

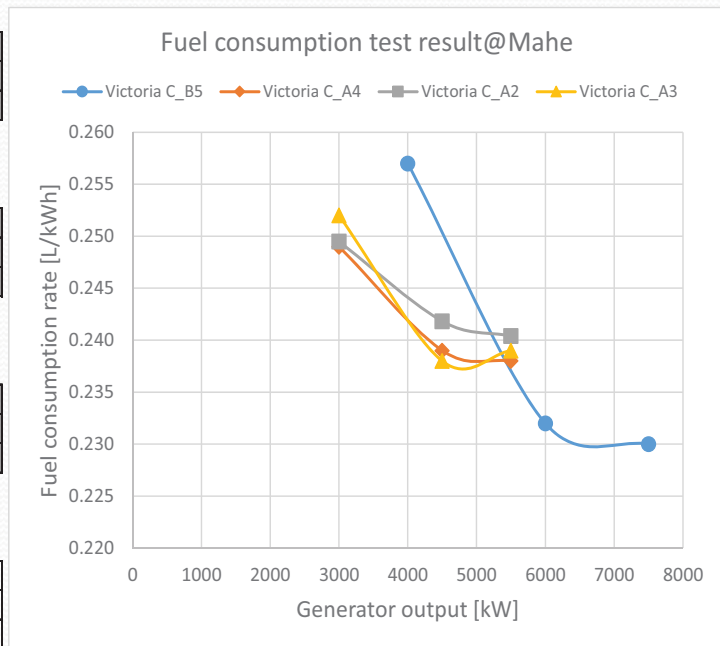
Rated output 6348 kW

|       |       |       |       |
|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| KW    | 3000  | 4500  | 5500  |
| %     | 47%   | 71%   | 87%   |
| L/KWH | 0.249 | 0.242 | 0.240 |

##### Victoria C\_A3

Rated output 6348 kW

|       |       |       |       |
|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| KW    | 3000  | 4500  | 5500  |
| %     | 47%   | 71%   | 87%   |
| L/KWH | 0.252 | 0.238 | 0.239 |



### 3. Support areas for the project

#### 3.5 Technical and economic study on the efficient use of DEG

③ Collection of data required for implementation and confirmation of collection method

Measurements on each DEG taken at Mahe PS. and Praslin PS. and results

##### Praslin 6P

Rated output 1500 kW

|       |       |       |       |
|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| KW    | 800   | 1040  | 1300  |
| %     | 53%   | 69%   | 87%   |
| L/KWH | 0.282 | 0.275 | 0.271 |

##### Praslin 7P

Rated output 3000 kW

|       |        |        |        |
|-------|--------|--------|--------|
| KW    | 1000   | 1700   | 2000   |
| %     | 54%    | 73%    | 81%    |
| L/KWH | 0.2837 | 0.2729 | 0.2723 |

##### Praslin 4P

Rated output 670 kW

|       |       |       |       |
|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| KW    | 548   | 444   | 296   |
| %     | 82%   | 66%   | 44%   |
| L/KWH | 0.276 | 0.278 | 0.296 |

##### Praslin M6

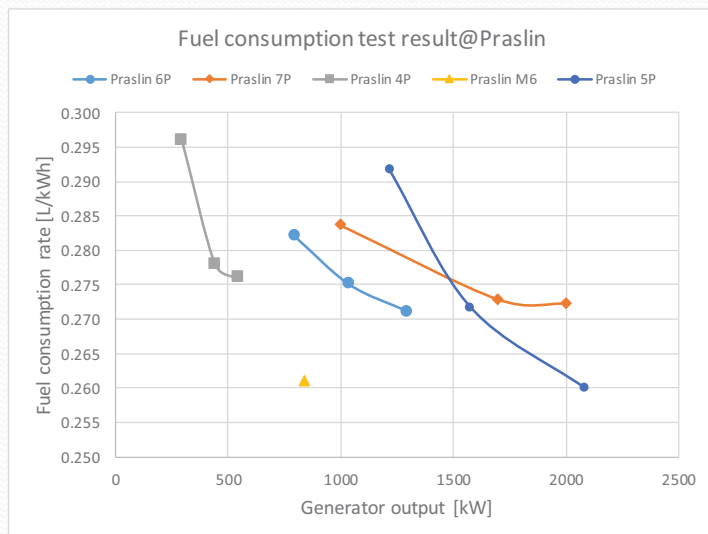
Rated output 1000 kW

|       |       |  |  |
|-------|-------|--|--|
| KW    | 840   |  |  |
| %     | 84%   |  |  |
| L/KWH | 0.261 |  |  |

##### Praslin 5P

Rated output 3000 kW

|       |          |          |          |
|-------|----------|----------|----------|
| KW    | 2084     | 1576     | 1216     |
| %     | 0.694667 | 0.525333 | 0.405333 |
| L/KWH | 0.260    | 0.272    | 0.292    |





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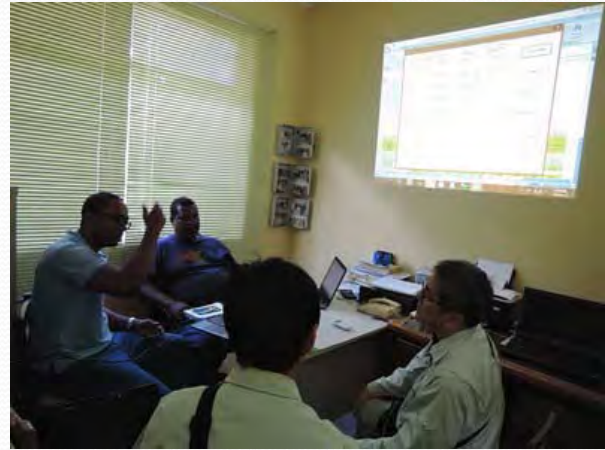
#### 3.5 Technical and economic study on the efficient use of DEG

##### ④ Confirmation of data collection method and EDC implementation method

We confirmed data collection method by conducting actual measurement tests. Also, we confirmed how to prepare an EDC table required for EDC operation using the measurement data.



Confirmation of how to implement EDC ①



Confirmation of how to implement EDC ②

### 3. Support areas for the project

#### 3.5 Technical and economic study on the efficient use of DEG

##### • Implementation effect (potential)

【Trial calculation conditions】

- ◆ Mahe Island Victoria C Power Plant was the target power plant.
- ◆ The target period was 11/1/2014 (Saturday) - 11/7/2014 (Friday) for a total of 7 days.
- ◆ Fuel consumption are not actual values, but instead calculated from the measured fuel consumption rates and actual generator output values.
- ◆ For the estimated fuel consumption after the application of EDC operation, we used fuel consumption when load is optimally shared for actual system loads.

|           |                      |             |         |           |                      |             |           |
|-----------|----------------------|-------------|---------|-----------|----------------------|-------------|-----------|
| 01-Nov-14 | Fuel consumption (t) | Without EDC | 190,972 | 05-Nov-14 | Fuel consumption (t) | Without EDC | 221,058   |
|           |                      | With EDC    | 190,275 |           |                      | With EDC    | 220,501   |
|           | Reduction            | 【t】         | 697     |           | Reduction            | 【t】         | 557       |
|           |                      | 【%】         | 0.365%  |           |                      | 【%】         | 0.252%    |
| 02-Nov-14 | Fuel consumption (t) | Without EDC | 189,546 | 06-Nov-14 | Fuel consumption (t) | Without EDC | 229,285   |
|           |                      | With EDC    | 189,173 |           |                      | With EDC    | 228,872   |
|           | Reduction            | 【t】         | 373     |           | Reduction            | 【t】         | 413       |
|           |                      | 【%】         | 0.197%  |           |                      | 【%】         | 0.180%    |
| 03-Nov-14 | Fuel consumption (t) | Without EDC | 217,722 | 07-Nov-14 | Fuel consumption (t) | Without EDC | 219,332   |
|           |                      | With EDC    | 217,268 |           |                      | With EDC    | 218,845   |
|           | Reduction            | 【t】         | 454     |           | Reduction            | 【t】         | 487       |
|           |                      | 【%】         | 0.209%  |           |                      | 【%】         | 0.222%    |
| 04-Nov-14 | Fuel consumption (t) | Without EDC | 222,207 | TOTAL     | Fuel consumption (t) | Without EDC | 1,490,123 |
|           |                      | With EDC    | 221,844 |           |                      | With EDC    | 1,486,777 |
|           | Reduction            | 【t】         | 364     |           | Reduction            | 【t】         | 3,346     |
|           |                      | 【%】         | 0.164%  |           |                      | 【%】         | 1.588%    |



### 3. Support areas for the project

#### 3.5 Technical and economic study on the efficient use of DEG

- Future efforts for EDC implementation

##### ① Continue measurement test on fuel consumption rate

Since efficiency of the generator is expected to constantly change due to conditions such as generator condition and weather conditions, it is necessary to accumulate and average the data through continuous measurement. Also, the condition of the generators can be determined by analyzing the accumulated data.

##### ② Digitization of daily power generation records

In addition to paper-based daily power generation records, by digitizing them, changes in system load and other factors required for EDC operation can be accumulated.

##### ③ Understanding system load in real time

There are no meters at Mahe and Praslin Island Power Plants which constantly display system load, so there is no way to know the ever-changing demand. This is lacking synchronism required to perform EDC operation, which optimizes load dispatch of generators for each demand portion.

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#### 3.6 Legal system related to renewables energy

- Grid Code
- Incentives for PV system

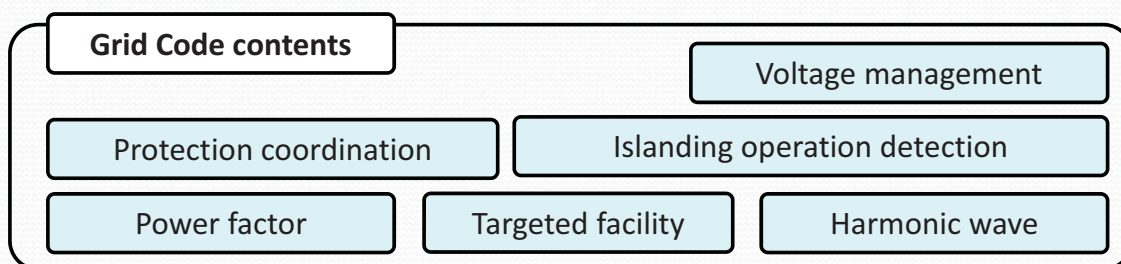
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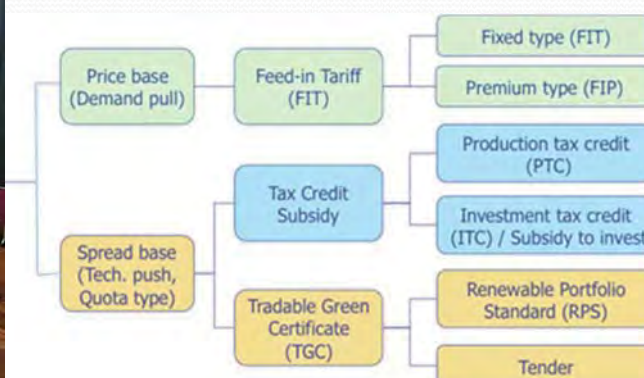
- Grid Code

If a power generation system connected in a distributed manner to the power transmission and distribution system provides power to the grid side (reverse power flow), the failure of the distributed power system, as well as the amount and quality of the power generated by it, would affect the grid of the power company, and the consumers supplied with electricity from the same power company will also be affected. Therefore, regarding the installation and operation of distributed power sources, prescribed standards must be met, and the owner must make efforts to ensure the quality of the generated power for public safety. For these reasons, guidelines for grid connection were improved.



### 3.6 Legal system related to renewable energy

- Promotion and Dissemination



General explanation on FIT and their world trend were made, and the approach for Seychelles in this project was described. As output, how to design a FIT scheme was provided.

Issues, which Seychelles faces in this field, were analyzed, and the country's biggest issue is financial resources for supporting a scheme such as FIT.



### 3.6 Legal system related to renewable energy

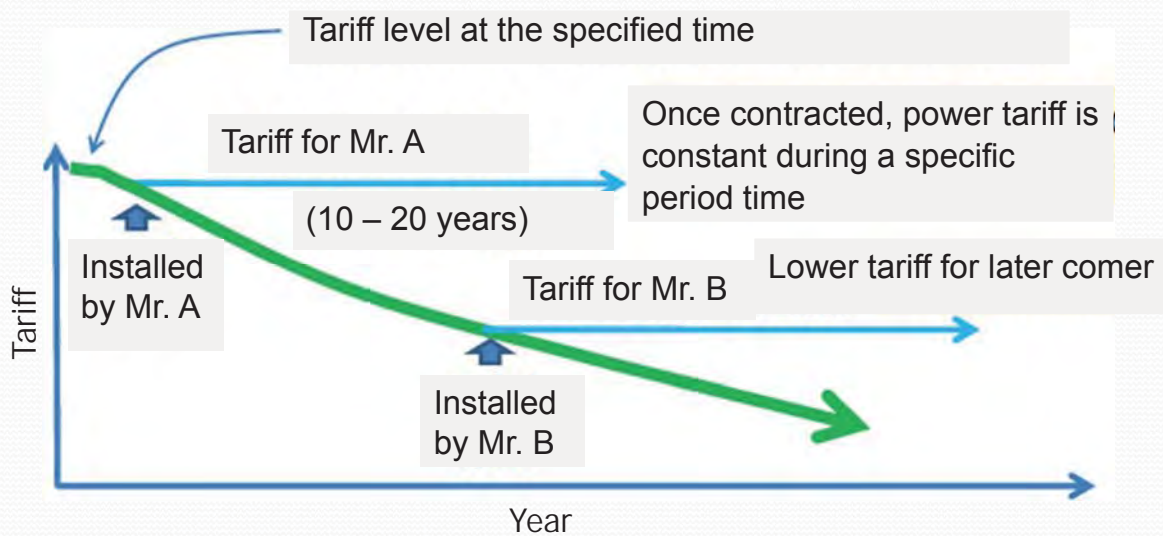
#### ▪ Incentives for PV system

| Type of Incentives |                                      |                             |                                    |
|--------------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------------------|
| Investment         | Tax Credit                           | Production tax credit (PTC) |                                    |
|                    |                                      | Investment tax credit (ITC) |                                    |
|                    | Subsidy                              |                             |                                    |
|                    | Low Interest Loan                    |                             |                                    |
| Operation          | Price base (Demand pull)             | Feed-in Tariff (FIT)        | Fixed type (FIT)                   |
|                    |                                      |                             | Premium type (FIP)                 |
|                    |                                      | Net Metering (NEM)          |                                    |
|                    | Spread base (Tech. push, Quota type) | Quota Obligation            | Renewable Portfolio Standard (RPS) |
|                    |                                      | Tender                      |                                    |

- Can be combined / mixed

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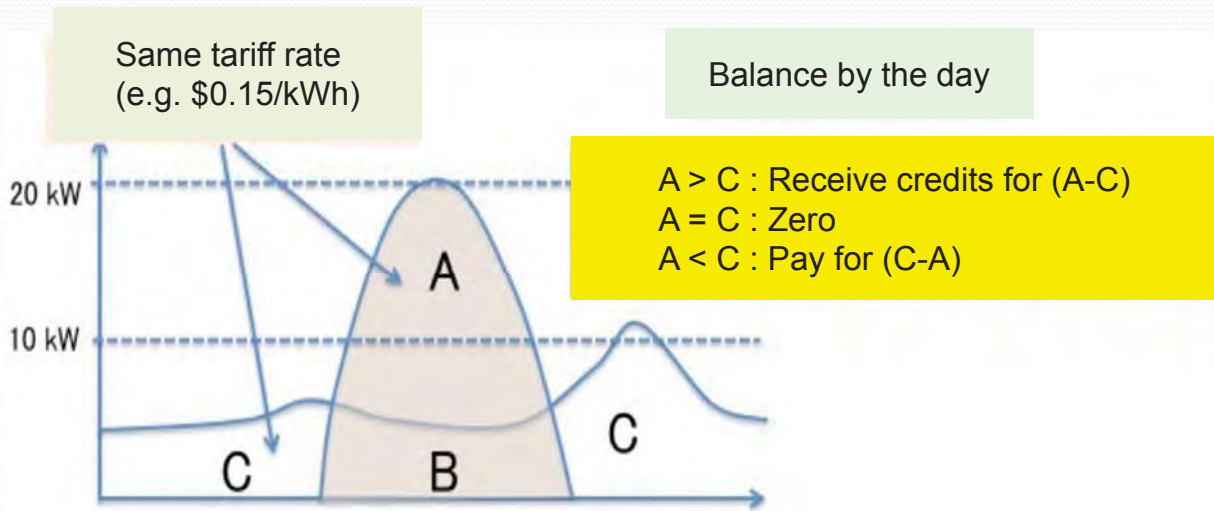
#### ▪ Mechanism of FIT



- On installation, tariff during a specific period of time is determined.
- Lowered tariff in later stage is not applied to already installed facilities.

### 3.6 Legal system related to renewable energy

#### Net Metering (NEM)



### 3.6 Legal system related to renewable energy

#### • FIT and NEM

|         | FIT   | NEM  |
|---------|---|--|
| Merit   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Stipulate selling energy at fixed price for long period</li> <li>● Can evaluate investment recovery</li> <li>● Can sell surplus energy at fixed price</li> <li>● Dissemination speed can be controlled by tariff.</li> <li>● Can accelerate dissemination of RE</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Can set off generated and consumer energy</li> <li>● Stipulate setoff, if agreement or act exists</li> <li>● More simple</li> <li>● Can hedge risk on soaring electricity price</li> </ul>                |
| Demerit | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Need contract</li> <li>● More complex</li> <li>● NEM is attractive, if electricity tariff is higher than FIT price</li> <li>● Cannot hedge risks on soaring electricity price</li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Change rules drastically by Clearing method of surplus energy</li> <li>● Generally, not very profitable for surplus energy</li> <li>● Longer payback period with lowering price of electricity</li> </ul> |



### 3.6 Legal system related to renewable energy






#### Japanese case

- FIT was initiated in 2012. (after Fukushima)
  - 42 JPY (4.43 SCR, 0.34 USD) / kWh for PV, No total limit
  - Resource is avoided fuel cost + surcharge on tariff
- ⇒ **Subdivision business of Mega-solar**
  - No strict regulation: Elec. Business Act doesn't cover RE < 50kW
- Revised system in April 2014
  - 38 JPY (4.01 SCR, 0.31 USD) / kWh for PV
  - Prohibited subdivision of mega-solar
- ⇒ **In March, application of 27,000 MW PV received**
- But, revision was too late.
  - From September 2014, **5 utilities refused new PV connection.**
  - **Unlimited curtailment of PV output w/o compensation**

### 3.6 Legal system related to renewable energy

#### Review History of FIT in Europe

- Steep drop in PV panel cost
  - Installed in large quantities → Increasing national burden

|  |  |  |  |  |   |
|--|--|--|--|--|---|
| <b>Germany</b><br>(2000 - )<br> | 2000-01<br>- Maintained price<br>- Cap 350MW<br>(abolished in 2003)                            | 2002-08<br>- Lowering mech. w/constant rate (5 to 6.5% annually)   | 2009 -<br>- Lowering mech. w/variable rate<br>2009-: annually, 2012/1-: every half year, 2012/4-: every 4 months<br>- Cap: 2.5GW | 2012/4 -<br>- Cap (accumulated): 52GW            | 2015 -<br>- Tendering for PV installed on ground (3 times a year) |
| <b>Spain</b><br>(1998 - )<br>   | 1998 -<br>- Same price for later installation<br>2004 -<br>- Annually revised price by formula | 2009 -<br>- Lowering mech. w/ constant rate revised every quarter<br>- Cap (Annual)                                | 2012/1 -<br>- Stopped  | 2013/7 -<br>- Repeal FIT<br>- Move to new scheme |   |
| <b>France</b><br>(2002 - )<br>  | 2002/7 -<br>- Maintained price<br>2006/7, Revised price  | 2010 -<br>- Adjusted price based on insolation condition at site   | 2011/3 -<br>- Lowering mech. w/ constant rate revised every quarter<br>- Cap (Annual)  | Tendering for over 100kW                         |   |
| <b>Italy</b><br>(2005 - )<br>   | 2005 -<br>Maintained price<br>Cap 350MW → 1.2GW → 3.5GW  | 2009 -<br>Lowering mechanism with constant rate<br>2009-: Yearly, 2011/1-: Every 4 months, 2011/6-: Every 6 months | 2011/6<br>Cap: 23GW  | 2012/8<br>Cap: 6.7 billion Euro annually         | 2013/7 -<br>- Stopped by accumulated cap                          |
| <b>UK</b><br>(2010 - )<br>      | 2010/4 -<br>- Maintained price<br>2012 -<br>- Lowering mechanism.                              | 2012/3 -<br>- Lowering mech. w/ constant rate revised every quarter  | 2014 -<br>- Tendering for over 5MW   |  |   |



### 3.6 Legal system related to renewable energy

#### ▪ Discussion on NEM in USA

- Demand charge
  - Contract capacity is determined based on max demand in a certain period.
- Grid access charge
  - Usage charge of utility's distribution line to access/connect with grid
- Standby charge
  - Charge to keep supply power for cloudy day and nighttime
- Installed capacity charge
  - Basic charge based on capacity of installed PV

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### 3.6 Legal system related to renewable energy

#### ▪ Incentives for PV system

#### Avoidable Cost

- Decreased utility's cost by PV installation
- Very controversial issue
  - Fuel only?
  - May be: lube oil, fuel transportation cost, ...
  - NG?: distribution cost, # of employee, ...
- Can reduced fuel cost improve Utility's P/L?
  - Reduced fuel is just a fuel cost down in Loss.
  - Not a profit

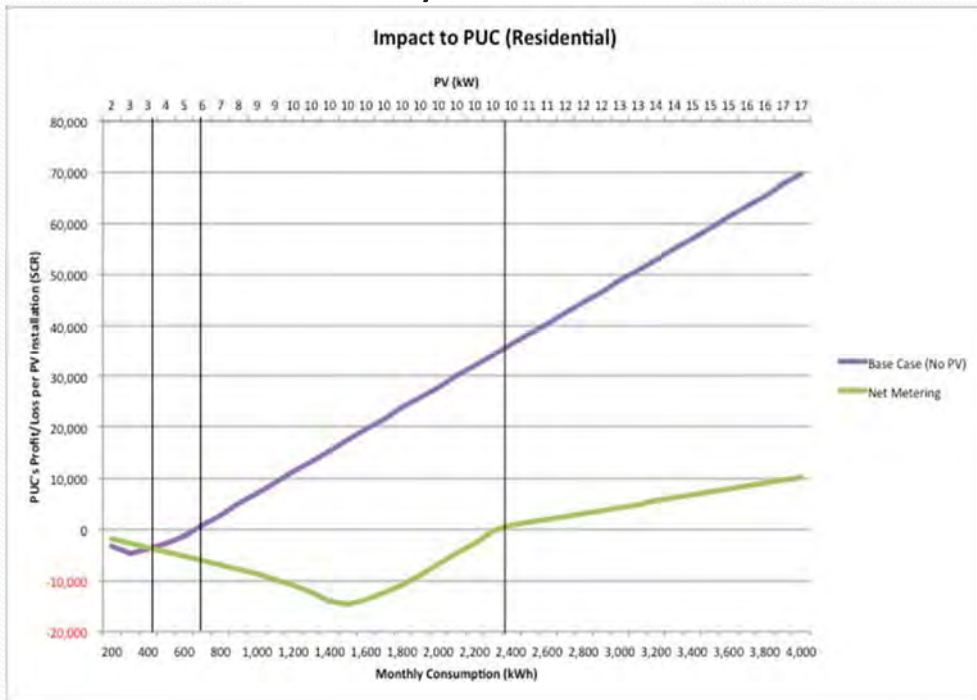
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### 3.6 Legal system related to renewable energy

- Incentives for PV system

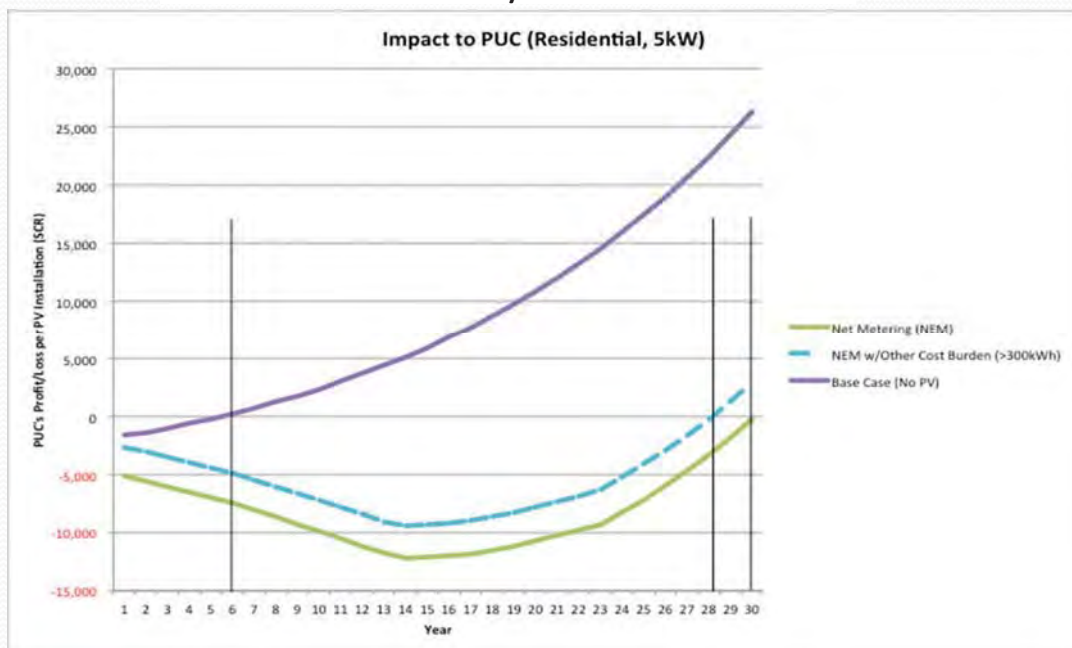
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### 3.6 Legal system related to renewable energy

- Incentives for PV system

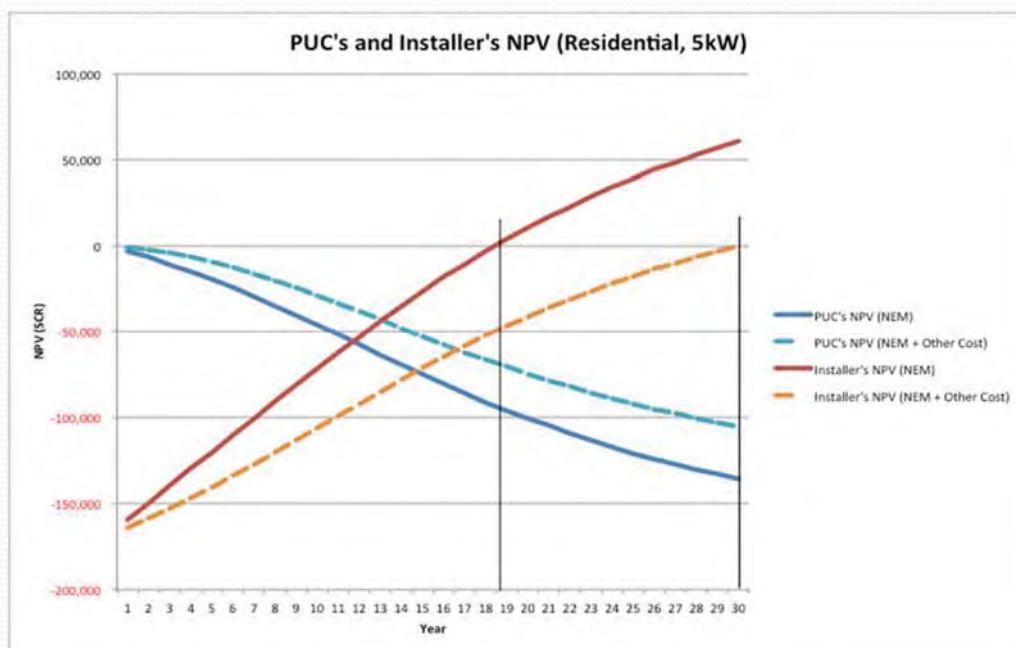
#### NEM: Seychelles Case, Domestic 5kW - Profit/Loss -



## 3.6 Legal system related to renewable energy

- Incentives for PV system

### NEM: Seychelles Case, Domestic 5kW - NPV -



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## 3.6 Legal system related to renewable energy

- Both FIT and NEM have issues.
  - Hard to maintain FIT price in long term
  - Network access charge ... Fairness between PV owner and non-owner
  - Financial resource
- Plan
  - Review current situations and select better scheme with cap
  - What is avoided cost?
  - Estimate economic effect on utility and PV owner side in NPV
- Do [Implementation] → Check
  - Monitor PV penetration and analyze impact to utility
- Act
  - Revise scheme periodically based on the evaluation

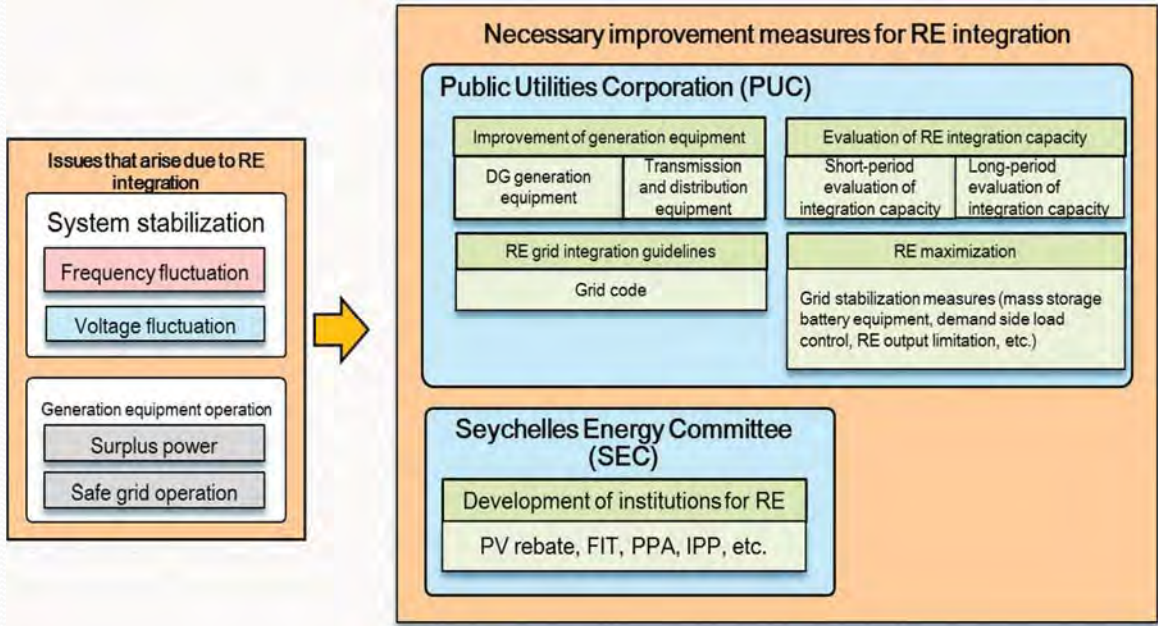


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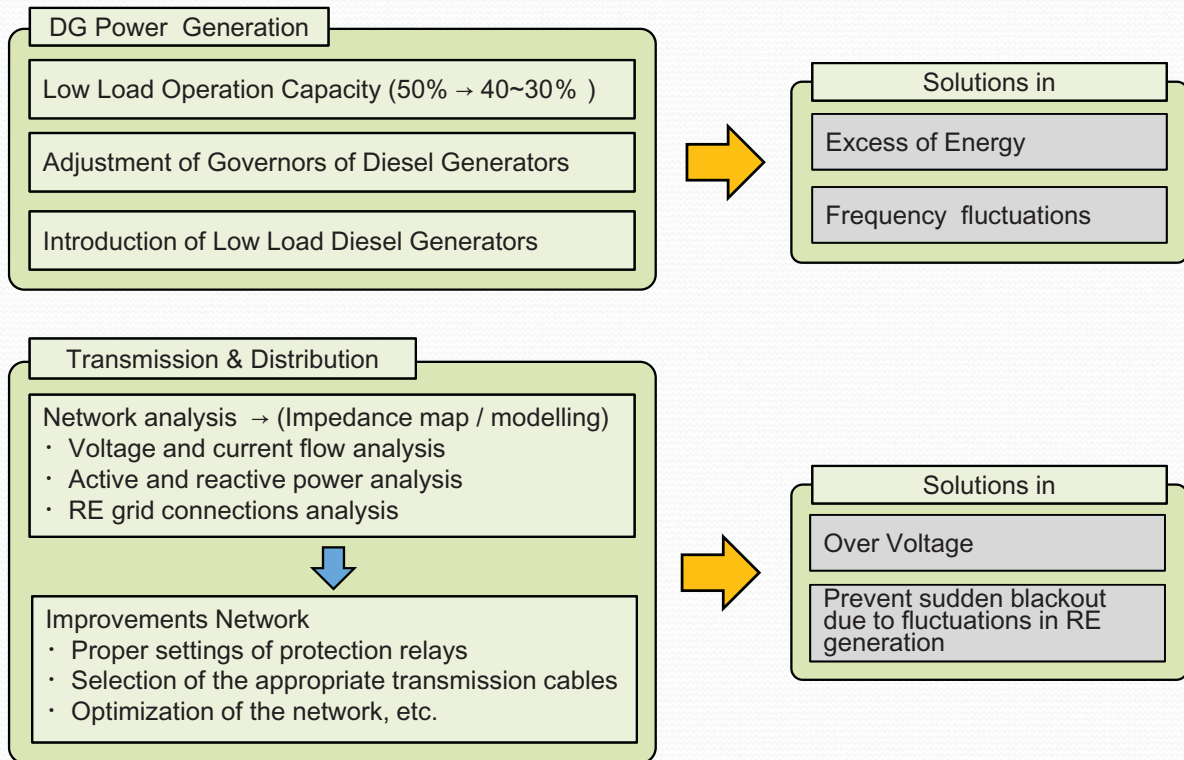
# 4. Master Plan for Seychelles

## 4. Master Plan for RE implementation in Seychelles Basic items for establishing a master plan



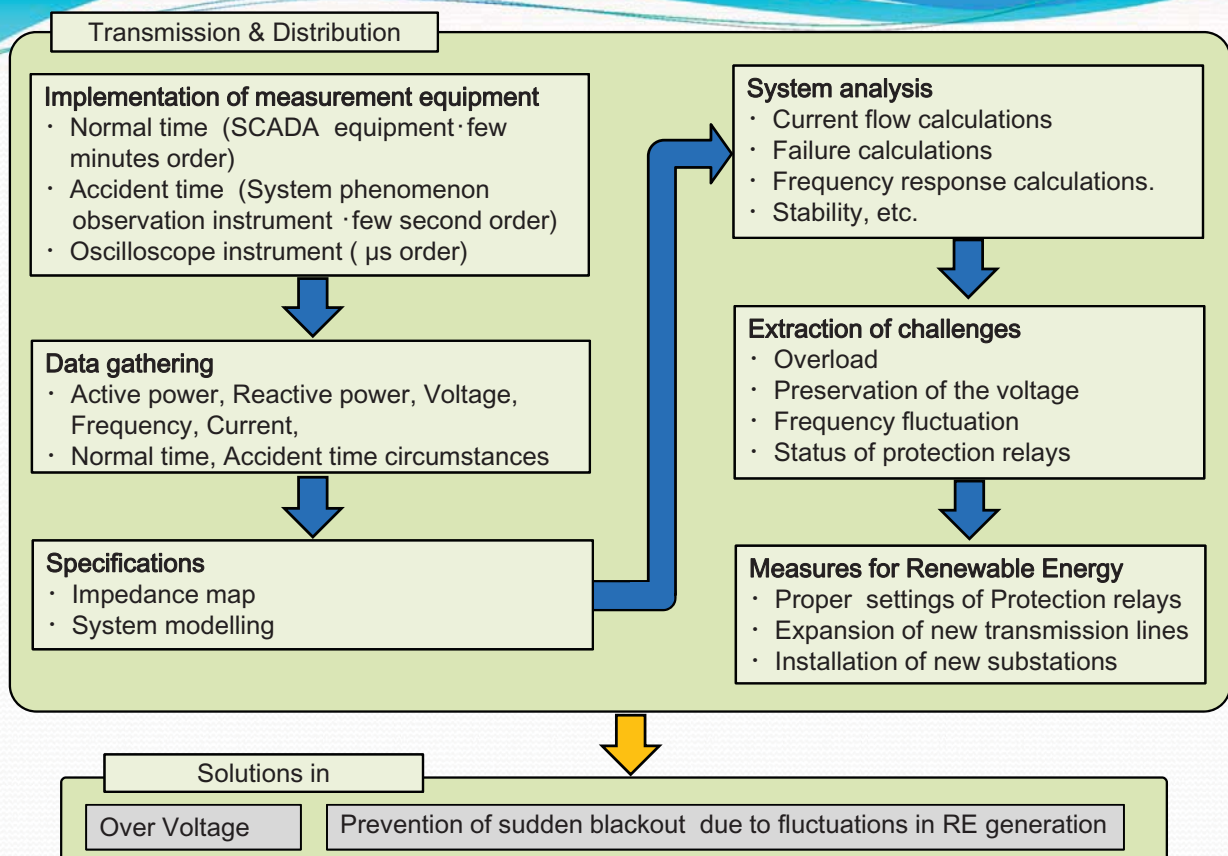
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### Improvements in Power Equipment to avoid issues in RE implementation



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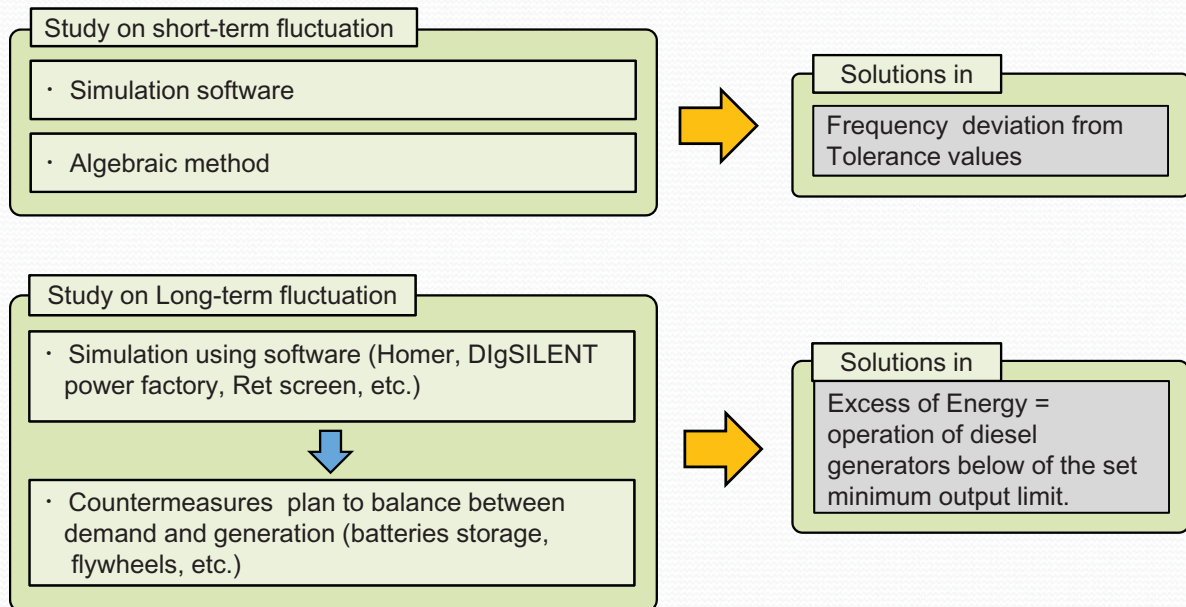


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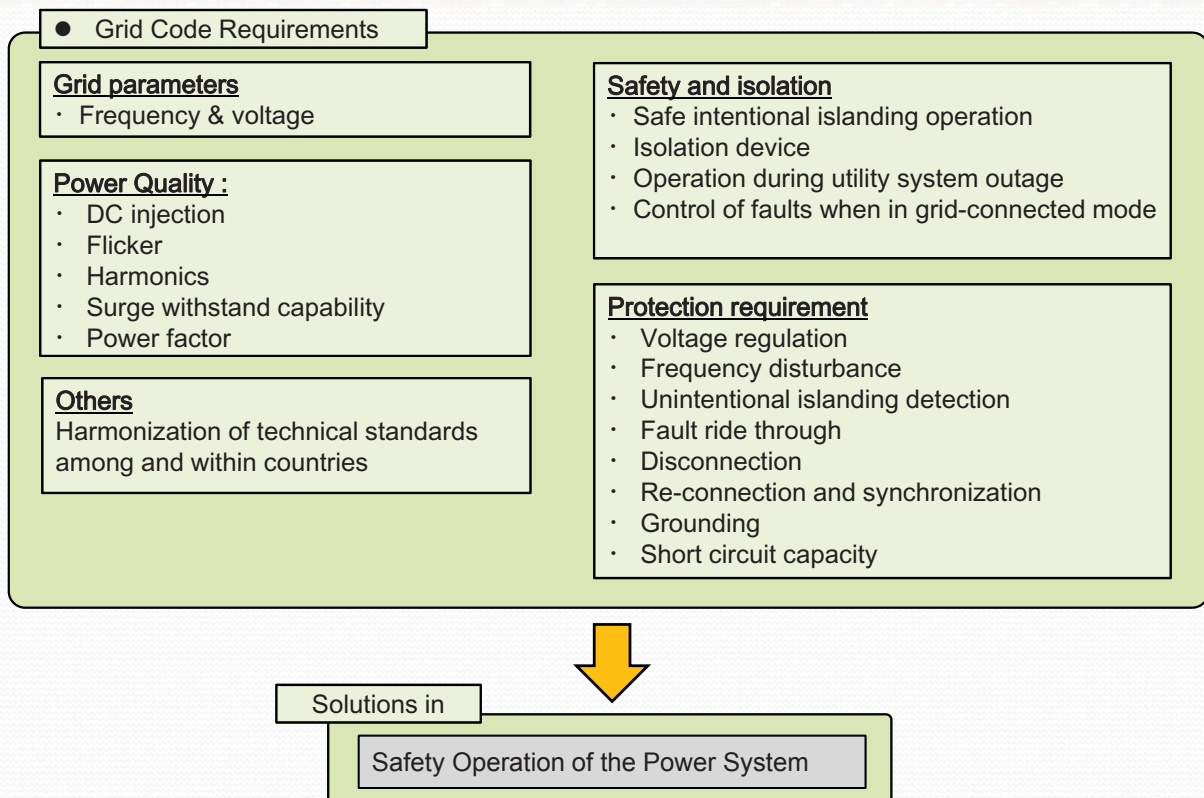
### ● Calculation of the Max. Amount of RE Implementable



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### ● RE Connection Guideline



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### ● Maximization Method

#### Power system stabilization

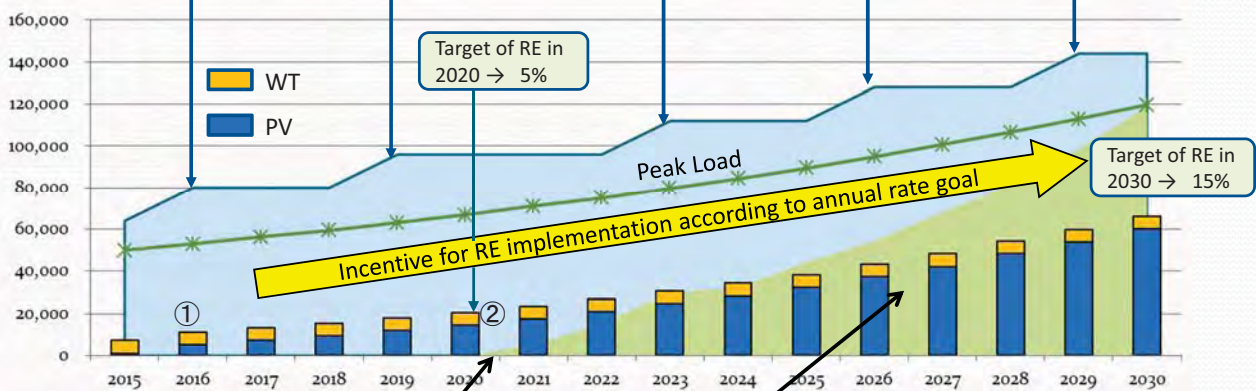
- EMS (Energy Management System)
- Grid stabilization using network available load, such as water facilities pump, fishing port ice makers, etc .
- Controlling of customers PV power conditioner.

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Short period constraint → calculation of the maximum amount of RE using Algebraic method) ①

■ Implementation of Diesel Generator to secure operational reserve for renewable energy.  
→variation of the system constant (%/Hz)



Long period constraint → calculation of RE integration capacity without the use of Battery storage system ②

Long period constraint → calculation of Battery storage system implementation amount using Homer software

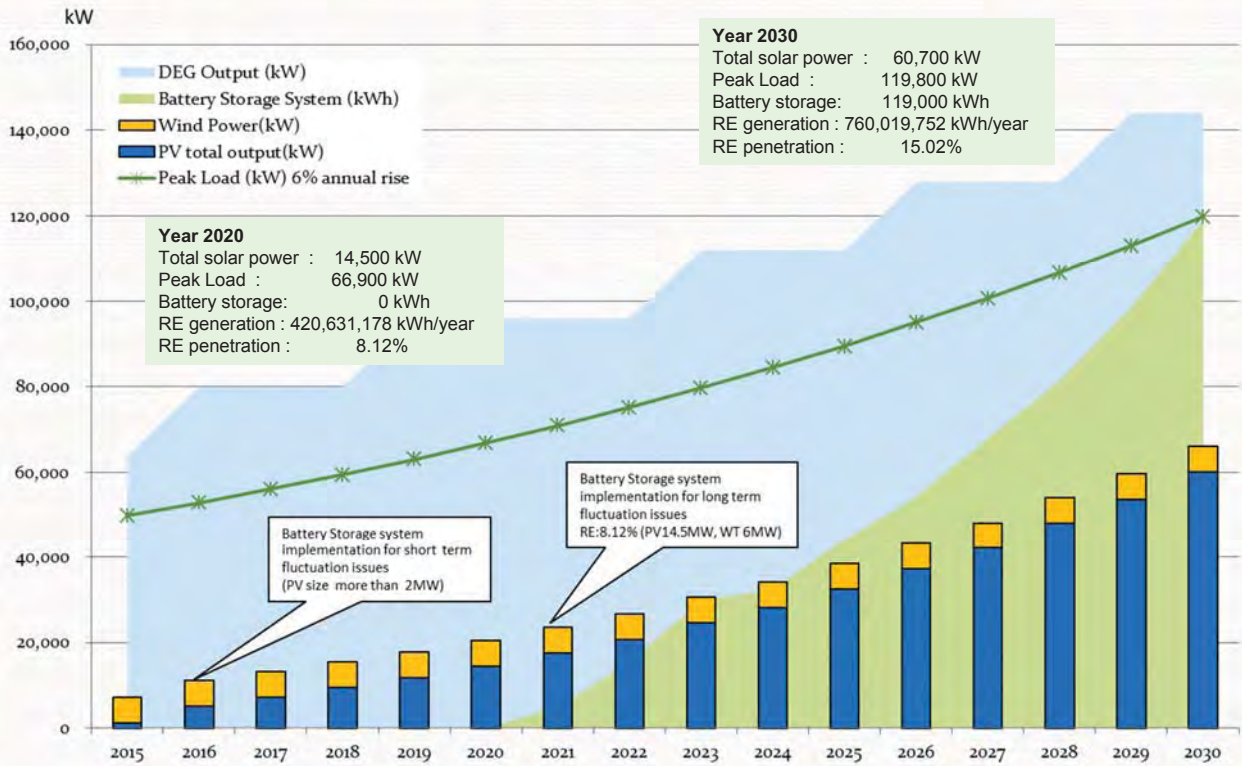
Power system stabilization study and implementation (EMS, smart inverters, use of network available load, etc)

EDC operation with periodical measurement on fuel consumption rate (L/kWh) to update the EDC tables

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## 4. Master Plan for RE implementation in Seychelles Mahe Is. (peak load 6% annual rise)



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## 4. Master Plan for RE implementation in Seychelles Mahe Is. ( 6% peak load year increment)

| Item / Year                         | 2015        | 2016        | 2017        | 2018        | 2019        | 2020        | 2021        | 2022        | 2023        | 2024        | 2025        | 2026        | 2027        | 2028        | 2029        | 2030        |
|-------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| Diesel Generators total Output(kWh) | 84,000      | 80,000      | 80,000      | 80,000      | 80,000      | 80,000      | 80,000      | 80,000      | 112,000     | 112,000     | 112,000     | 128,000     | 128,000     | 128,000     | 144,000     | 144,000     |
| Domestic PV                         | 1,200       | 1,200       | 1,200       | 1,200       | 1,200       | 1,200       | 1,200       | 1,200       | 1,200       | 1,200       | 1,200       | 1,200       | 1,200       | 1,200       | 1,200       | 1,200       |
| Lagoon PV                           |             | 4,000       | 4,000       | 4,000       | 4,000       | 4,000       | 4,000       | 4,000       | 4,000       | 4,000       | 4,000       | 4,000       | 4,000       | 4,000       | 4,000       | 4,000       |
| PLC / PV                            |             |             | 2,000       | 4,300       | 6,800       | 9,300       | 12,300      | 15,300      | 18,300      | 20,300      | 27,300      | 32,300      | 37,300      | 42,300      | 48,300      | 55,300      |
| Total Solar Power(kW)               | 1,200       | 6,200       | 7,200       | 9,300       | 11,800      | 14,200      | 17,200      | 20,700      | 24,200      | 29,200      | 32,200      | 37,200      | 42,200      | 48,200      | 53,200      | 60,700      |
| Wind Power(kW)                      | 6,000       | 6,000       | 6,000       | 6,000       | 6,000       | 6,000       | 6,000       | 6,000       | 6,000       | 6,000       | 6,000       | 6,000       | 6,000       | 6,000       | 6,000       | 6,000       |
| TOTAL RE (kW)                       | 7,200       | 11,200      | 13,200      | 15,300      | 17,800      | 20,200      | 23,200      | 26,700      | 30,200      | 34,200      | 38,200      | 43,200      | 48,200      | 54,200      | 59,200      | 66,700      |
| Battery Storage System (kWh)        | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0           | 5,100       | 15,300      | 28,220      | 32,200      | 44,200      | 54,400      | 66,000      | 81,800      | 96,800      | 118,000     |
| POSSHO                              | 0           | 0           | 2,000       | 4,300       | 6,800       | 9,300       | 17,400      | 30,800      | 46,220      | 55,200      | 71,500      | 86,400      | 105,000     | 124,400     | 147,300     | 174,500     |
| Peak Load (kW) 6% annual rise       | 60,000      | 63,000      | 66,200      | 69,500      | 73,100      | 76,900      | 81,000      | 85,300      | 89,700      | 94,300      | 99,100      | 104,100     | 109,300     | 114,700     | 120,300     | 126,100     |
| Power Generation (kWh/year)         | 318,103,821 | 331,889,098 | 352,102,331 | 373,846,080 | 396,442,229 | 420,831,178 | 446,288,032 | 473,481,238 | 502,262,887 | 532,861,138 | 565,457,268 | 599,816,211 | 636,448,257 | 675,889,889 | 716,380,844 | 760,019,752 |
| RE total power generation(kWh)      | 11,114,917  | 18,042,888  | 21,308,584  | 25,316,874  | 29,473,551  | 34,149,800  | 39,345,839  | 44,887,848  | 51,489,248  | 57,877,458  | 65,324,795  | 73,464,919  | 82,124,838  | 92,189,987  | 102,388,479 | 114,165,883 |
| Re penetration (%)                  | 3.5         | 5.44        | 6.11        | 6.76        | 7.43        | 8.12        | 8.82        | 9.46        | 10.24       | 10.88       | 11.65       | 12.25       | 12.80       | 13.85       | 14.29       | 15.02       |
| DOE (USD/kWh)                       | 0.2343      | 0.2325      | 0.2334      | 0.2344      | 0.2370      | 0.2383      | 0.2354      | 0.2326      | 0.2316      | 0.2332      | 0.2333      | 0.2342      | 0.2346      | 0.2338      | 0.2346      | 0.2344      |
| Excess Electricity (kWh/year)       | 2,40        | 2,10        | 4,40        | 4,20        | 4,30        | 4,30        | 0,00        | 0,00        | 0,00        | 0,00        | 0,00        | 0,00        | 0,10        | 0,30        | 0,70        | 0,80        |
| Capacity Shortage (kWh/year)        | 47,812,00   | 0,00        | 0,00        | 0,00        | 0,00        | 0,00        | 0,00        | 0,00        | 0,00        | 0,00        | 0,00        | 0,00        | 0,00        | 0,00        | 0,00        | 0,00        |

### Year 2020

Total solar power : 14,500 kW  
 Peak Load : 66,900 kW  
 Battery storage: 0 kWh  
 RE generation : 420,631,178 kWh/year  
 RE penetration : 8.12%

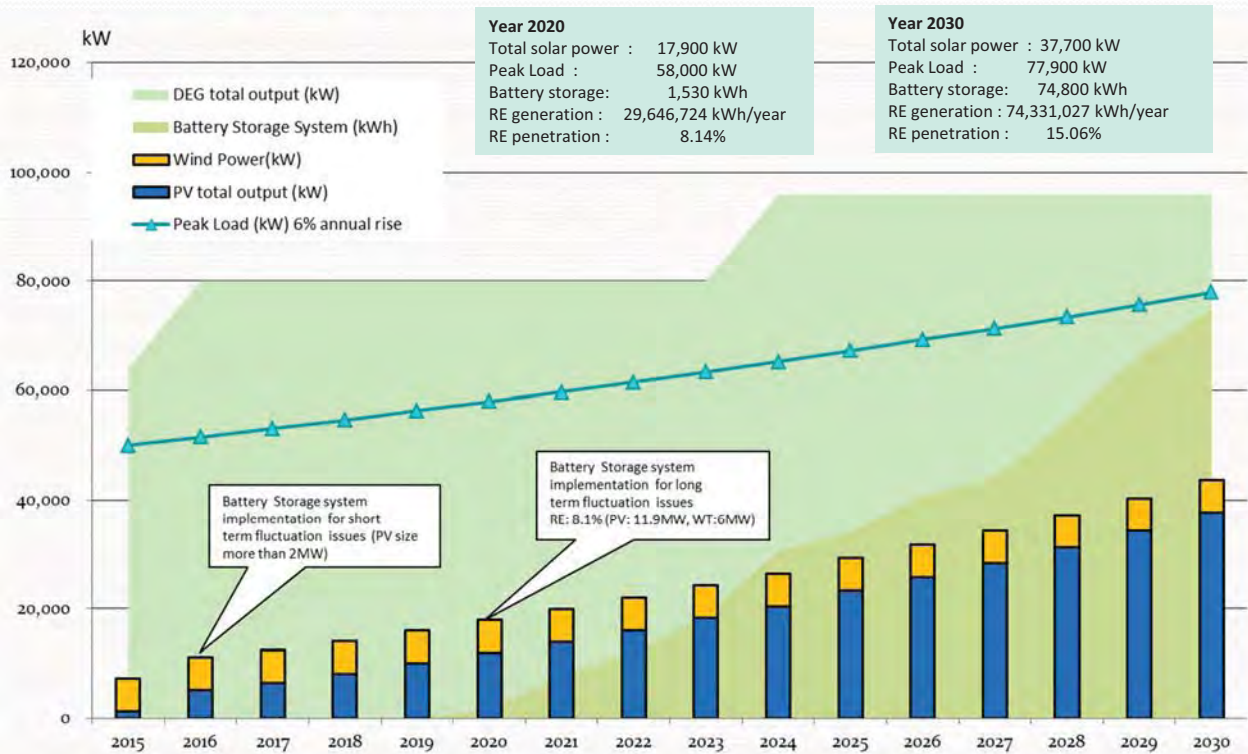
### Year 2030

Total solar power : 60,700 kW  
 Peak Load : 119,800 kW  
 Battery storage: 119,000 kWh  
 RE generation : 760,019,752 kWh/year  
 RE penetration : 15.02%

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| Item / year                         | 2015        | 2016        | 2017        | 2018        | 2019        | 2020        | 2021        | 2022        | 2023        | 2024        | 2025        | 2026        | 2027        | 2028        | 2029        | 2030        |
|-------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| Diesel generators total output (kW) | 64,000      | 60,000      | 60,000      | 60,000      | 60,000      | 60,000      | 60,000      | 60,000      | 60,000      | 60,000      | 60,000      | 60,000      | 60,000      | 60,000      | 60,000      | 60,000      |
| Domestic PV                         | 1,200       | 1,200       | 1,200       | 1,200       | 1,200       | 1,200       | 1,200       | 1,200       | 1,200       | 1,200       | 1,200       | 1,200       | 1,200       | 1,200       | 1,200       | 1,200       |
| Lagoon PV                           | 0           | 4,000       | 4,000       | 4,000       | 4,000       | 4,000       | 4,000       | 4,000       | 4,000       | 4,000       | 4,000       | 4,000       | 4,000       | 4,000       | 4,000       | 4,000       |
| PUC PV                              | 0           | 0           | 1,300       | 2,800       | 4,800       | 6,700       | 8,700       | 10,800      | 13,200      | 15,300      | 17,900      | 20,500      | 23,300      | 26,100      | 29,000      | 32,500      |
| Total Solar Power(kW)               | 1,200       | 5,200       | 6,500       | 8,000       | 10,000      | 11,900      | 13,900      | 16,000      | 18,400      | 20,500      | 23,100      | 25,700      | 28,500      | 31,300      | 34,200      | 37,700      |
| Wind Power(kW)                      | 6,000       | 6,000       | 6,000       | 6,000       | 6,000       | 6,000       | 6,000       | 6,000       | 6,000       | 6,000       | 6,000       | 6,000       | 6,000       | 6,000       | 6,000       | 6,000       |
| TOTAL RE (kW)                       | 7,200       | 11,200      | 12,500      | 14,000      | 16,000      | 17,900      | 19,900      | 22,000      | 24,400      | 26,500      | 29,100      | 31,700      | 34,500      | 37,300      | 40,200      | 43,700      |
| Battery Storage System(kWh)         | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0           | 1,530       | 7,950       | 11,900      | 18,700      | 30,600      | 44,000      | 60,800      | 81,200      | 105,300     | 134,100     | 168,600     |
| PCS(kW)                             | 0           | 0           | 1,300       | 2,800       | 4,800       | 6,230       | 16,690      | 22,700      | 31,900      | 45,900      | 61,900      | 81,300      | 105,300     | 134,100     | 168,600     | 218,900     |
| Peak Load (kW) 6% annual rise       | 60,000      | 61,800      | 63,080      | 64,800      | 66,300      | 68,000      | 69,700      | 71,500      | 73,300      | 75,200      | 77,200      | 79,200      | 81,300      | 83,400      | 85,600      | 87,900      |
| Power Generation (kWh/year)         | 313,103,528 | 322,494,520 | 332,366,650 | 342,638,291 | 353,230,987 | 364,132,081 | 375,367,389 | 386,949,738 | 398,920,843 | 411,178,794 | 423,680,284 | 436,495,722 | 450,457,911 | 464,344,306 | 478,046,563 | 493,474,007 |
| RE total power generation(kWh)      | 11,114,917  | 18,042,695  | 20,284,228  | 23,065,348  | 26,356,043  | 29,646,724  | 33,110,624  | 36,747,705  | 40,594,407  | 44,541,433  | 48,044,538  | 51,547,615  | 55,397,051  | 59,246,598  | 62,890,091  | 74,331,027  |
| RE penetration (%)                  | 3.55        | 5.59        | 6.11        | 6.73        | 7.46        | 8.14        | 8.82        | 9.50        | 10.25       | 10.83       | 11.57       | 12.25       | 12.98       | 13.62       | 14.28       | 15.06       |
| COE (USD/kWh)                       | 0.2344      | 0.2327      | 0.2332      | 0.2338      | 0.2345      | 0.2350      | 0.2344      | 0.2343      | 0.2329      | 0.2328      | 0.2311      | 0.2319      | 0.2319      | 0.2337      | 0.2337      | 0.2329      |
| Excess Electricity (kWh/year)       | 2.4         | 2.1         | 4.3         | 4.10        | 4.2         | 0.00        | 0.00        | 0.00        | 0.00        | 0.00        | 0.00        | 0.00        | 0.1         | 0.1         | 0.2         | 0.40        |
| Capacity Shortage (kWh/year)        | 47,612.00   | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0.00        | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0.00        | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0.00        | 0.00        |

### Year 2020

Total solar power : 11,900 kW  
 Peak Load : 58,000 kW  
 Battery storage: 1,530 kWh  
 RE generation : 29,646,724 kWh/year  
 RE penetration : 8.14%

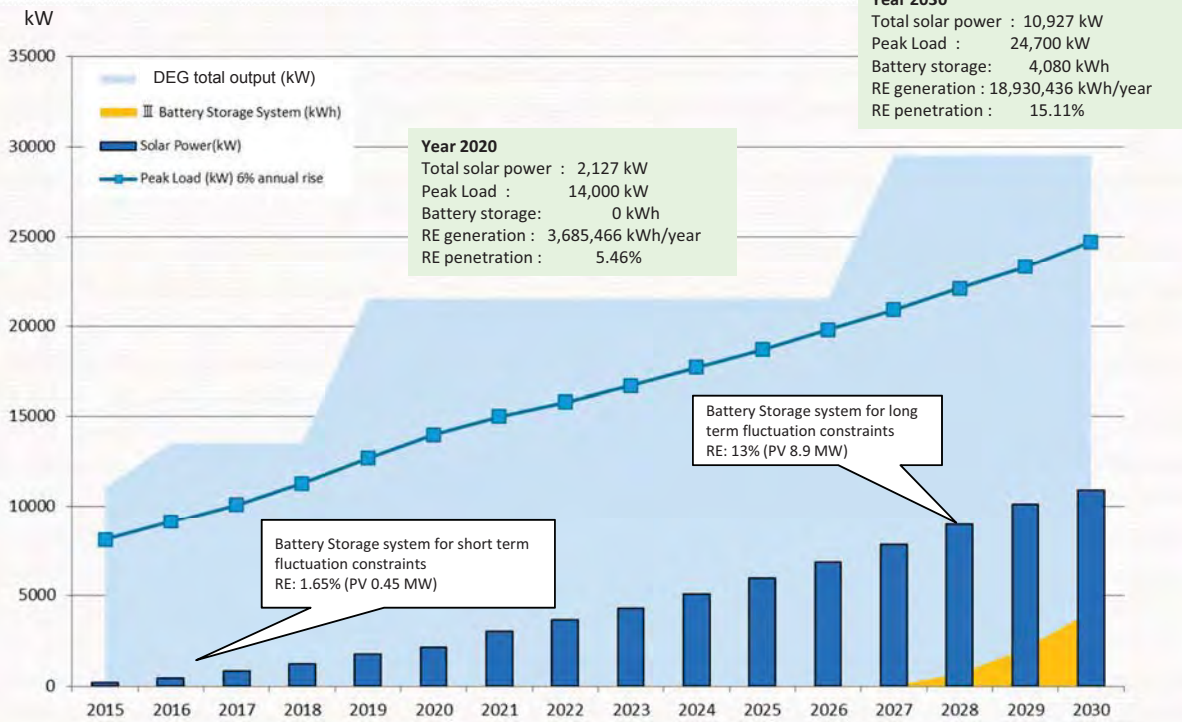
### Year 2030

Total solar power : 37,700 kW  
 Peak Load : 77,900 kW  
 Battery storage: 74,800 kWh  
 RE generation : 74,331,027 kWh/year  
 RE penetration : 15.06%

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|-------------------------------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| Diesel generators total output (kW) | 11,060     | 13,660     | 13,660     | 13,660     | 21,650     | 21,650     | 21,650     | 21,650     | 21,650     | 21,650     | 21,650     | 21,650      | 21,650      | 21,650      | 29,650      | 29,650      |
| Existing PV (kW)                    | 177        | 177        | 177        | 177        | 177        | 177        | 177        | 177        | 177        | 177        | 177        | 177         | 177         | 177         | 177         | 177         |
| PUC PV (kW)                         | 0          | 280        | 640        | 1,060      | 1,600      | 1,960      | 2,800      | 3,460      | 4,100      | 4,900      | 5,760      | 6,660       | 7,660       | 8,760       | 9,960       | 10,760      |
| Total Solar Power(kW)               | 177        | 457        | 817        | 1,227      | 1,777      | 2,127      | 2,977      | 3,627      | 4,277      | 5,077      | 5,927      | 6,827       | 7,827       | 8,927       | 10,127      | 10,927      |
| Battery Storage System(kWh)         | 0          | 0          | 0          | 0          | 0          | 0          | 0          | 0          | 0          | 0          | 0          | 0           | 0           | 880         | 2,040       | 4,080       |
| PCS(kW)                             | 0          | 457        | 640        | 1,050      | 1,600      | 1,950      | 2,800      | 3,450      | 4,100      | 4,900      | 5,750      | 6,650       | 7,650       | 8,430       | 11,980      | 14,830      |
| Peak Load (kW) 6% annual rise       | 8,100      | 9,100      | 10,100     | 11,300     | 12,700     | 14,000     | 15,000     | 16,000     | 17,000     | 17,700     | 18,700     | 19,600      | 20,600      | 22,100      | 23,300      | 24,700      |
| Power Generation (kWh/year)         | 42,872,548 | 48,001,823 | 53,746,282 | 60,175,498 | 67,380,418 | 67,441,038 | 79,806,100 | 84,429,391 | 89,309,297 | 94,484,998 | 99,954,478 | 105,736,388 | 111,856,178 | 118,333,823 | 125,181,685 | 125,320,125 |
| RE total power generation(kWh)      | 307,324    | 782,390    | 1,416,048  | 2,128,325  | 3,076,139  | 3,685,466  | 5,157,890  | 6,284,044  | 7,410,082  | 8,785,994  | 10,288,531 | 11,827,857  | 13,560,038  | 15,485,678  | 17,544,542  | 18,930,436  |
| RE penetration (%)                  | 0.72       | 1.65       | 2.63       | 3.53       | 4.57       | 5.46       | 6.48       | 7.44       | 8.30       | 9.31       | 10.27      | 11.19       | 12.12       | 13.07       | 14.02       | 15.11       |
| COE (USD/kWh)                       | 0.2841     | 0.2882     | 0.2863     | 0.2867     | 0.2733     | 0.2725     | 0.2708     | 0.2694     | 0.2683     | 0.2672     | 0.2661     | 0.2651      | 0.2647      | 0.2641      | 0.2632      | 0.2623      |
| Excess Electricity (kWh/year)       | 0.0        | 0.5        | 0.5        | 0.50       | 0.6        | 0.59       | 0.80       | 0.80       | 0.90       | 0.90       | 0.90       | 0.90        | 0.9         | 0.9         | 0.1         | 0.10        |
| Capacity Shortage (kWh/year)        | 0.00       | 0          | 0          | 0          | 0.00       | 0          | 0          | 0          | 0.00       | 0          | 0          | 0           | 0           | 0           | 0.00        | 0.00        |

### Year 2020

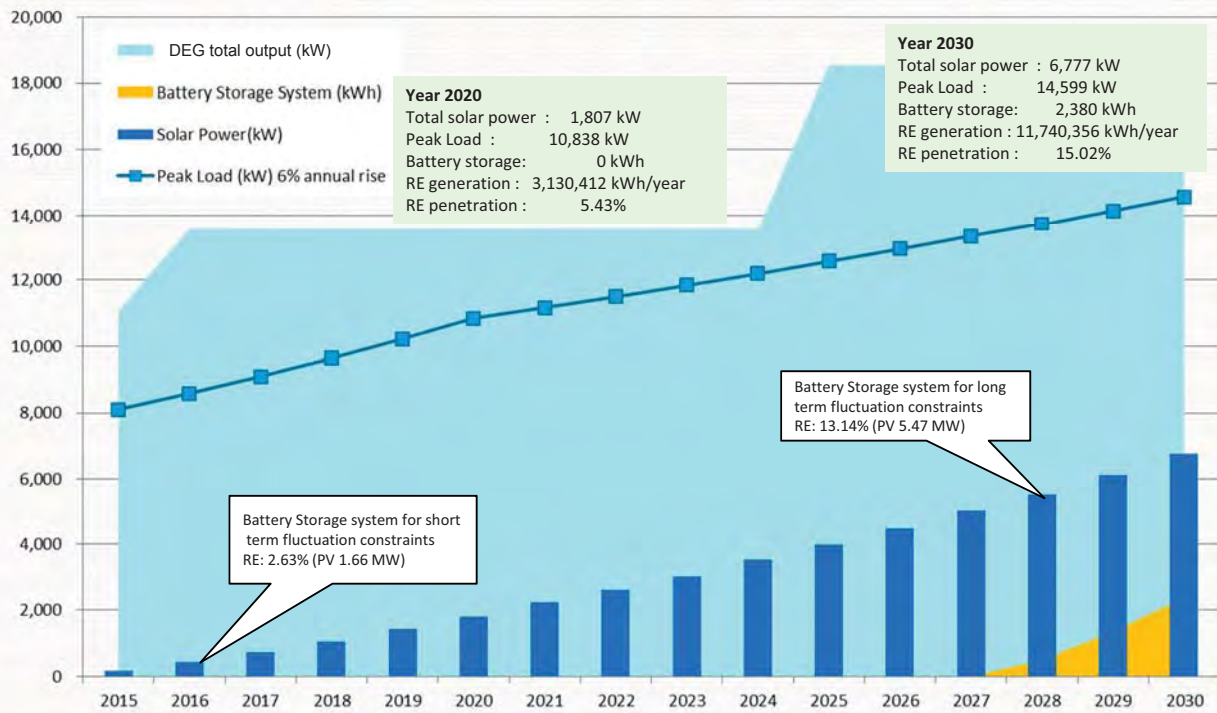
Total solar power : 2,127 kW  
Peak Load : 14,000 kW  
Battery storage: 0 kWh  
RE generation : 3,685,466 kWh/year  
RE penetration : 5.46%

### Year 2030

Total solar power : 10,927 kW  
Peak Load : 24,700 kW  
Battery storage: 4,080 kWh  
RE generation : 18,930,436 kWh/year  
RE penetration : 15.11%

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|-------------------------------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| Diesel generators total output (kW) | 11,000     | 13,500     | 13,500     | 13,500     | 13,500     | 13,500     | 13,500     | 13,500     | 13,500     | 13,500     | 21,500     | 21,500     | 21,500     | 21,500     | 21,500     | 21,500     |
| Existing PV (kW)                    | 177,000    | 177,000    | 177,000    | 177,000    | 177,000    | 177,000    | 177,000    | 177,000    | 177,000    | 177,000    | 177,000    | 177,000    | 177,000    | 177,000    | 177,000    | 177,000    |
| PUC PV                              | 0.00       | 280        | 550        | 870        | 1,250      | 1,830      | 2,050      | 2,450      | 2,850      | 3,350      | 3,800      | 4,300      | 4,820      | 5,300      | 5,850      | 6,800      |
| Total Solar Power (kW)              | 177        | 457        | 727        | 1,047      | 1,427      | 1,807      | 2,227      | 2,827      | 3,027      | 3,827      | 3,977      | 4,477      | 4,997      | 5,477      | 6,127      | 6,777      |
| Battery Storage System (kWh)        | 0          | 0          | 0          | 0          | 0          | 0          | 0          | 0          | 0          | 0          | 0          | 0          | 0          | 0          | 510        | 2,380      |
| PCS (kW)                            | 0          | 280        | 550        | 870        | 1,250      | 1,830      | 2,050      | 2,450      | 2,850      | 3,350      | 3,800      | 4,300      | 4,800      | 5,310      | 7,310      | 8,980      |
| Peak Load (kW) 3% annual rise       | 8,100      | 8,588      | 9,101      | 9,647      | 10,225     | 10,838     | 11,483     | 11,997     | 12,581     | 13,244     | 13,987     | 14,819     | 15,651     | 16,583     | 17,615     | 18,758     |
| Power Generation (kWh/year)         | 42,872,548 | 45,487,880 | 48,260,002 | 51,201,120 | 54,325,837 | 57,633,818 | 59,422,858 | 61,259,428 | 63,148,828 | 65,111,914 | 67,120,720 | 68,167,778 | 71,336,751 | 73,547,377 | 75,818,827 | 78,158,754 |
| RE total power generation (kWh)     | 308,632    | 757,000    | 1,258,441  | 1,813,806  | 2,472,111  | 3,190,412  | 3,888,011  | 4,560,997  | 5,243,927  | 6,110,123  | 6,888,867  | 7,785,867  | 8,868,728  | 9,961,498  | 10,814,324 | 11,740,356 |
| RE penetration (%)                  | 0.72       | 1.68       | 2.81       | 3.54       | 4.55       | 5.43       | 6.48       | 7.43       | 8.30       | 9.38       | 10.28      | 11.21      | 12.14      | 13.14      | 14.00      | 15.02      |
| COE (USD/kWh)                       | 0.2841     | 0.2858     | 0.2882     | 0.2854     | 0.2847     | 0.2840     | 0.2831     | 0.2823     | 0.2817     | 0.2820     | 0.2858     | 0.2850     | 0.2828     | 0.2828     | 0.2833     | 0.2838     |
| Excess Electricity (kWh/year)       | 0.00       | 0.00       | 0.00       | 0.00       | 0.00       | 0.00       | 0.00       | 0.00       | 0.00       | 0.00       | 0.00       | 0.00       | 0.00       | 0.00       | 0.00       | 0.00       |
| Capacity Shortage (kWh/year)        | 0.00       | 0.00       | 0.00       | 0.00       | 0.00       | 0.00       | 0.00       | 0.00       | 0.00       | 0.00       | 0.00       | 0.00       | 0.00       | 0.00       | 0.00       | 0.00       |

### Year 2020

Total solar power : 1,807 kW  
 Peak Load : 10,838 kW  
 Battery storage: 0 kWh  
 RE generation : 3,130,412 kWh/year  
 RE penetration : 5.43%

### Year 2030

Total solar power : 6,777 kW  
 Peak Load : 14,599 kW  
 Battery storage: 2,380 kWh  
 RE generation : 11,740,356 kWh/year  
 RE penetration : 15.02%

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Thank you for your attention.

