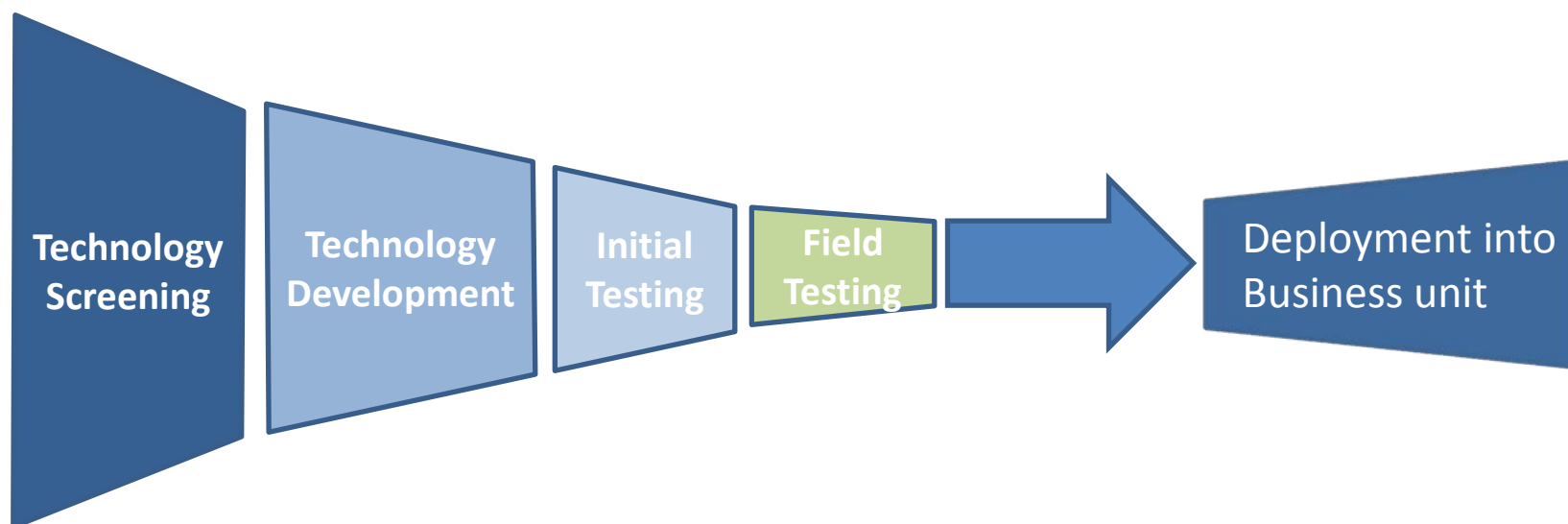




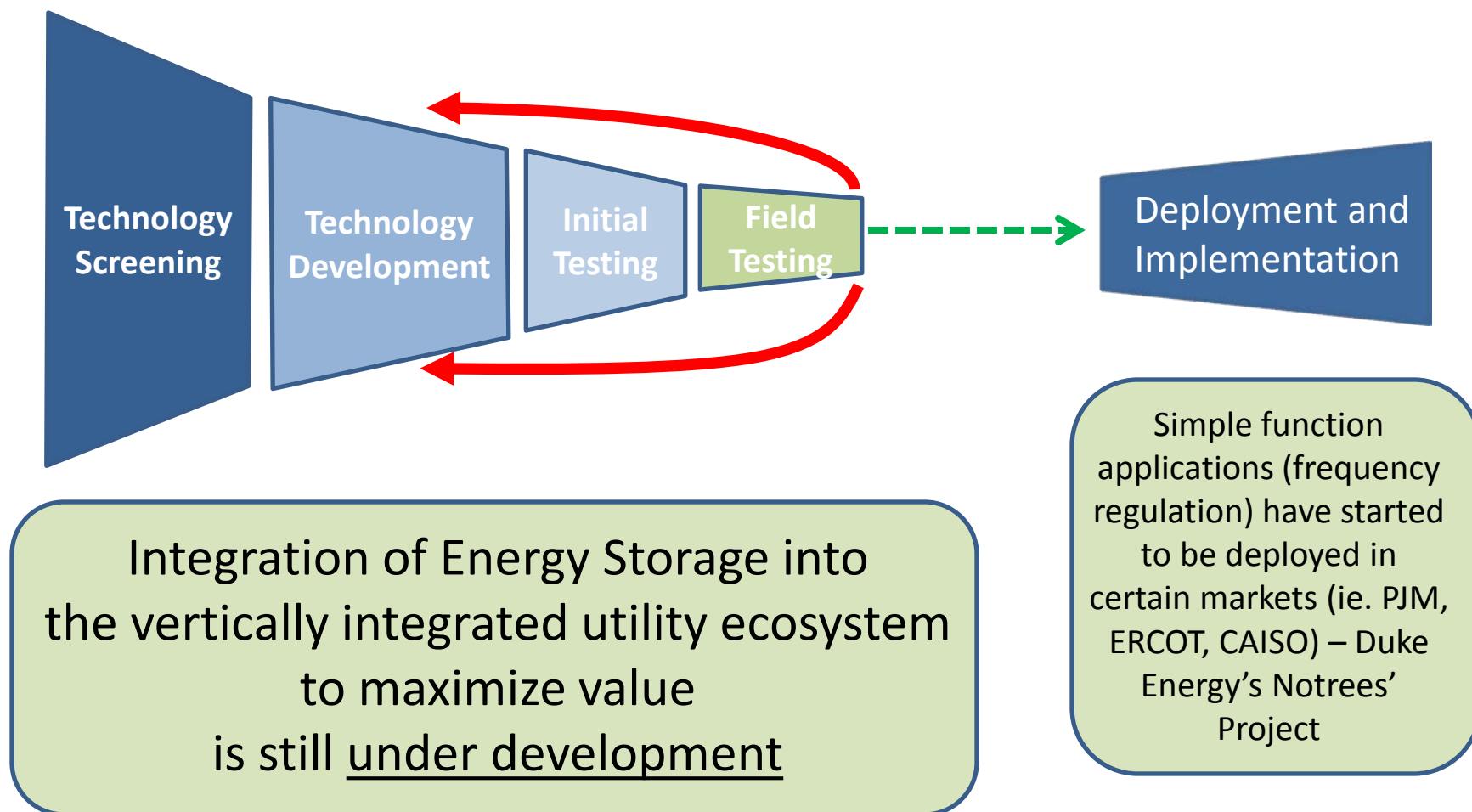
# Energy Storage at Duke Energy

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# ETO Technology Screening Funnel



# Energy Storage Current State





## Energy Storage Benefits

Generation	T & D	End User
Frequency Regulation Renewable Smoothing Energy Shifting Spinning and Non-spinning Reserves Limit Peaker Plant Builds	Defer System Upgrades Improve Reliability Renewable Smoothing Improve Power Quality (Volt / VAR management)	Provide Back Up Power Utilize lower retail rates

*Through pilots we understand...*

**Capital Costs  
O & M Costs  
Installation Hurdles  
Operational Issues  
Value Streams**



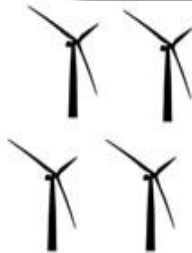
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**Business models  
Regulatory models  
Understand benefits**



# How did Duke Energy get here?

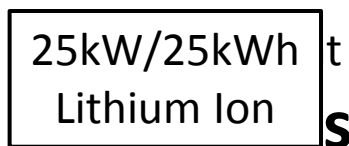
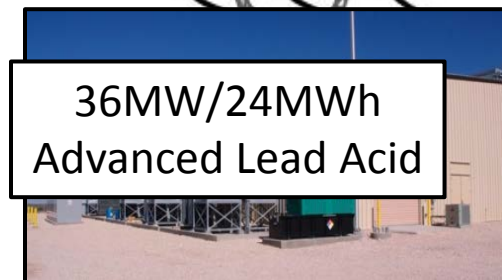




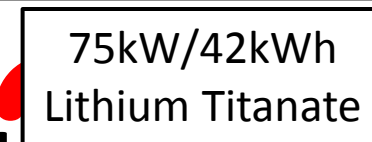
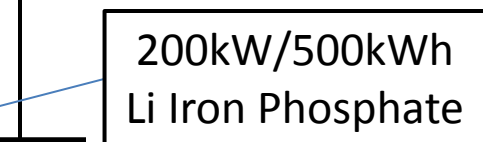
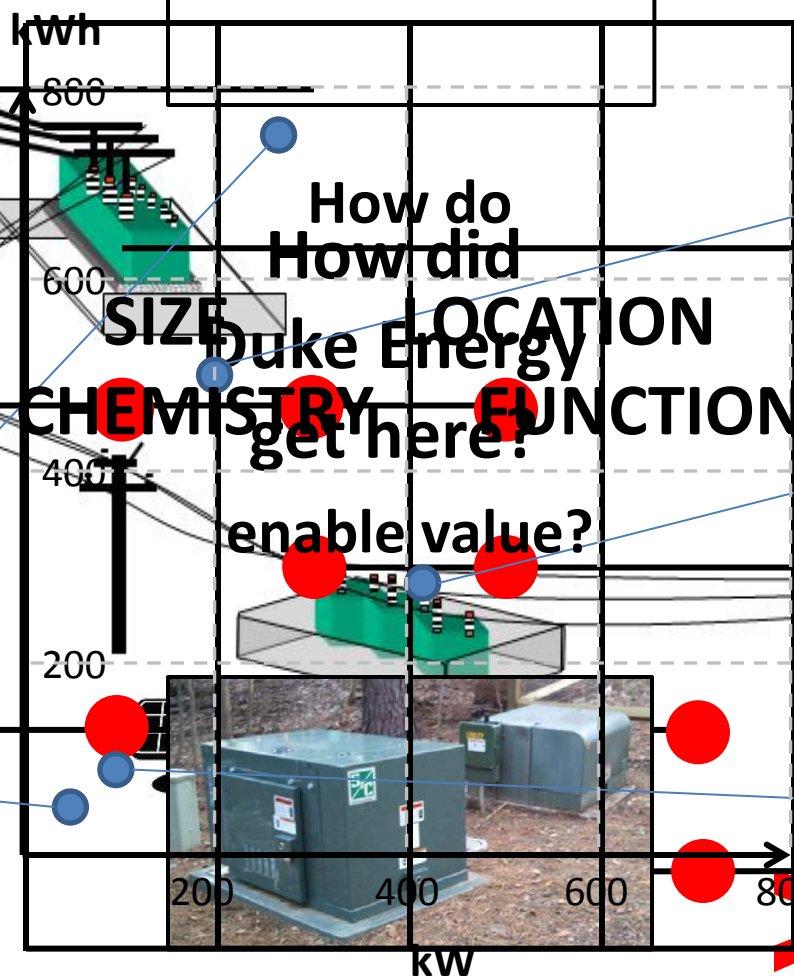
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- Transmission
- Distribution
- Customer
- With renewables

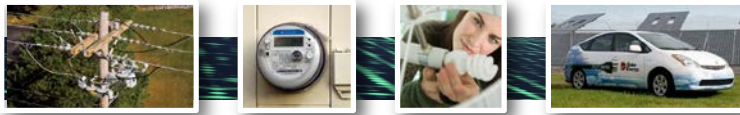


on the grid



functions demonstrated





# Notrees Wind Farm Project

Notrees, TX

## Major system components:

- 36 MW / 24 MWh
- Xtreme Power Advanced Lead Acid Technology
- Co-located at site of 156 MW Wind Farm in Notrees, Texas
- Began commercial operation in December 2012
- 50:50 Cost share with DOE



## Applications being tested

**1 – Ancillary Services:** participating in a series of ERCOT (Texas ISO) market tests to learn how to structure an efficient market that enables energy storage to provide ancillary services to the grid.

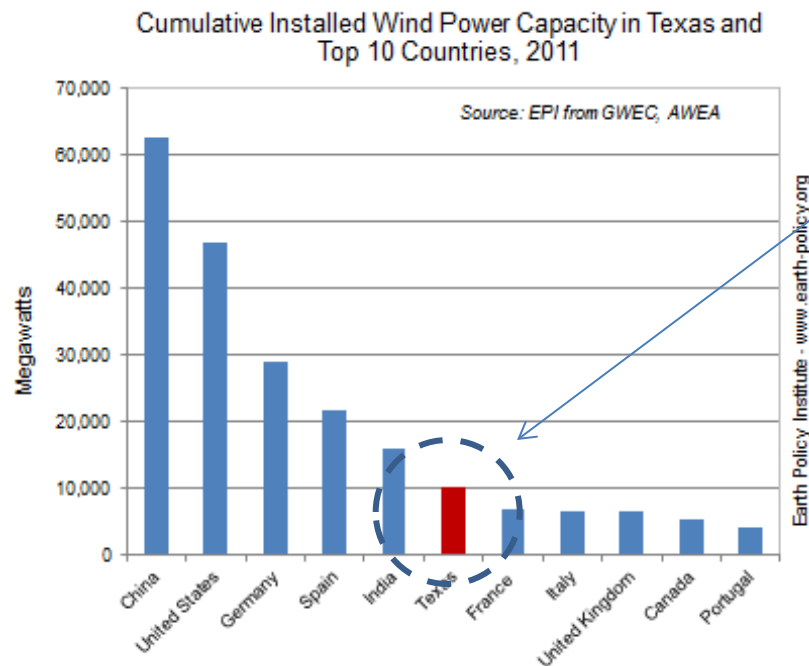
**2 – Energy Shifting:** Charging and discharging to maximize the value of energy delivered to the grid based on timing.

**3-Avoiding Wind Curtailment :** Using storage to store wind energy in order to avoid orders to cease providing power to the grid.



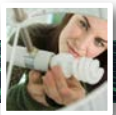
## Example: Texas and ERCOT (Electric Reliability Council of Texas)

- Texas has seen a large amount of wind growth over the past 10 years.
- This has created the need for fast responding resources such as energy storage to help stabilize the grid



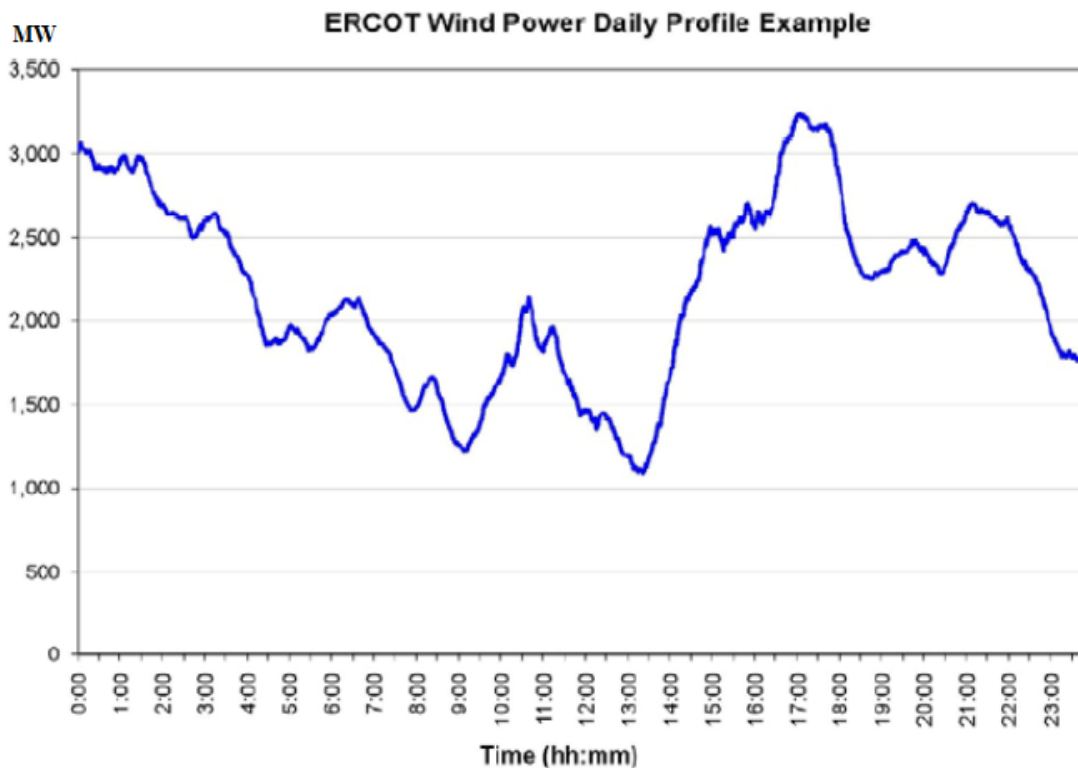
Texas alone has more wind than France.



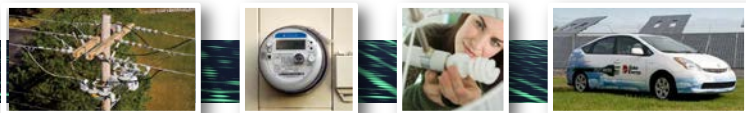


## Example of Daily Wind Output in ERCOT

Wind is highly variable (the graph to the right shows a daily wind profile in Texas) which makes balancing supply and demand very difficult. Fast responding resources such as battery energy storage can help solve this problem.

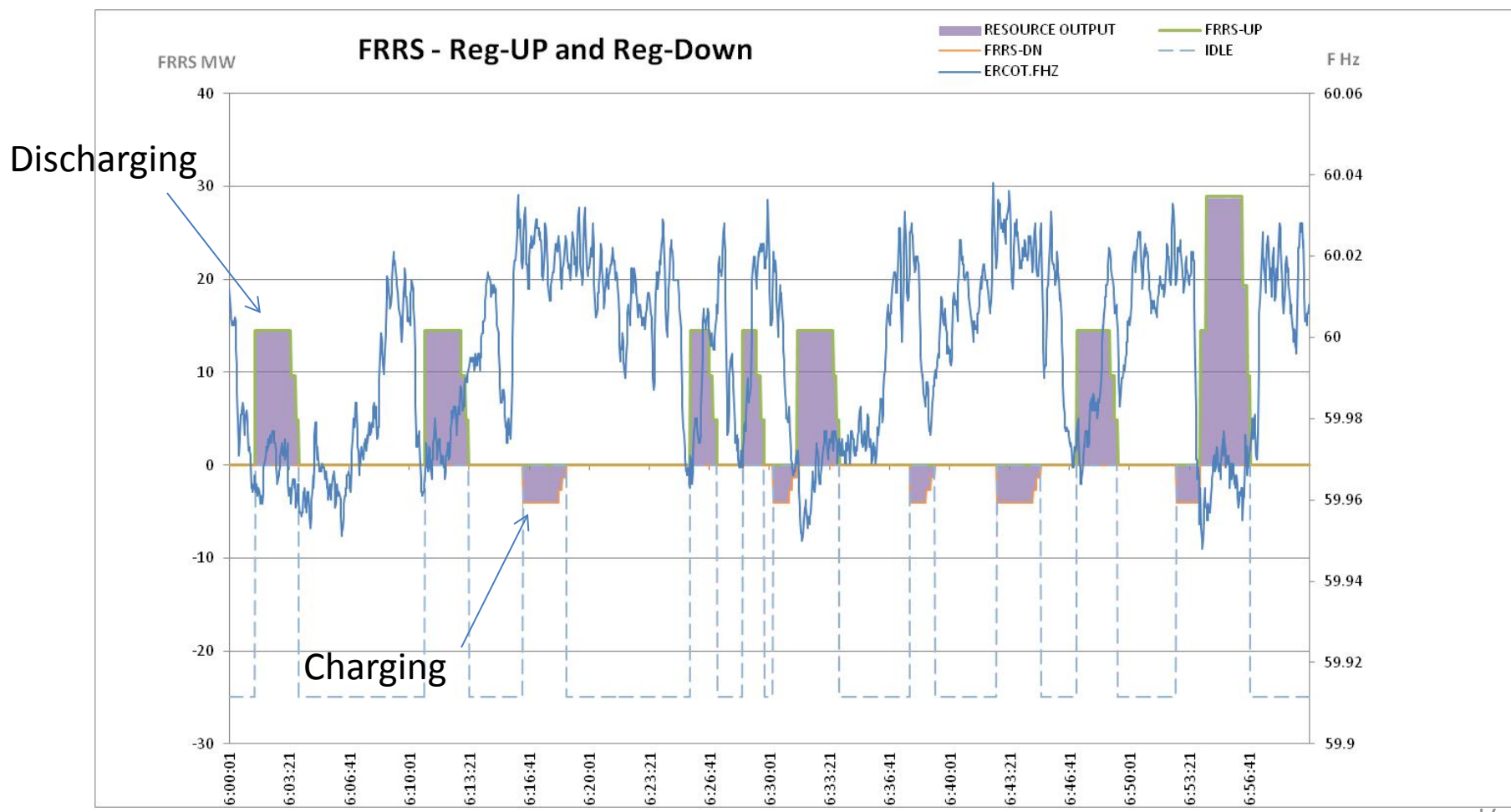


(from NREL's *Analysis of Wind Power Ramping Behavior...*)



# Example of Battery's Output and Response Time

Duke Energy's 36 MW / 24 MWh battery charging and discharging based off market signals to help with grid stability





# McAlpine Energy Storage System

McAlpine Creek Retail Substation, Charlotte, NC

## Major system components:

- 200 kW / 500 kWh system capacity
- BYD battery and inverter system
  - All components integrated within one container
- Lithium-iron-phosphate battery (BYD)

## Interconnection:

- Located on a 24 kV distribution circuit
- Interconnected immediately outside of the substation
- Adjacent to 50 kW solar facility on McAlpine test circuit



**BYD battery**  
200 kW/500 kWh LiFePO<sub>4</sub>

**Inverter/Controls**  
Integrated within one container

## System attributes

- In service 4Q 2012

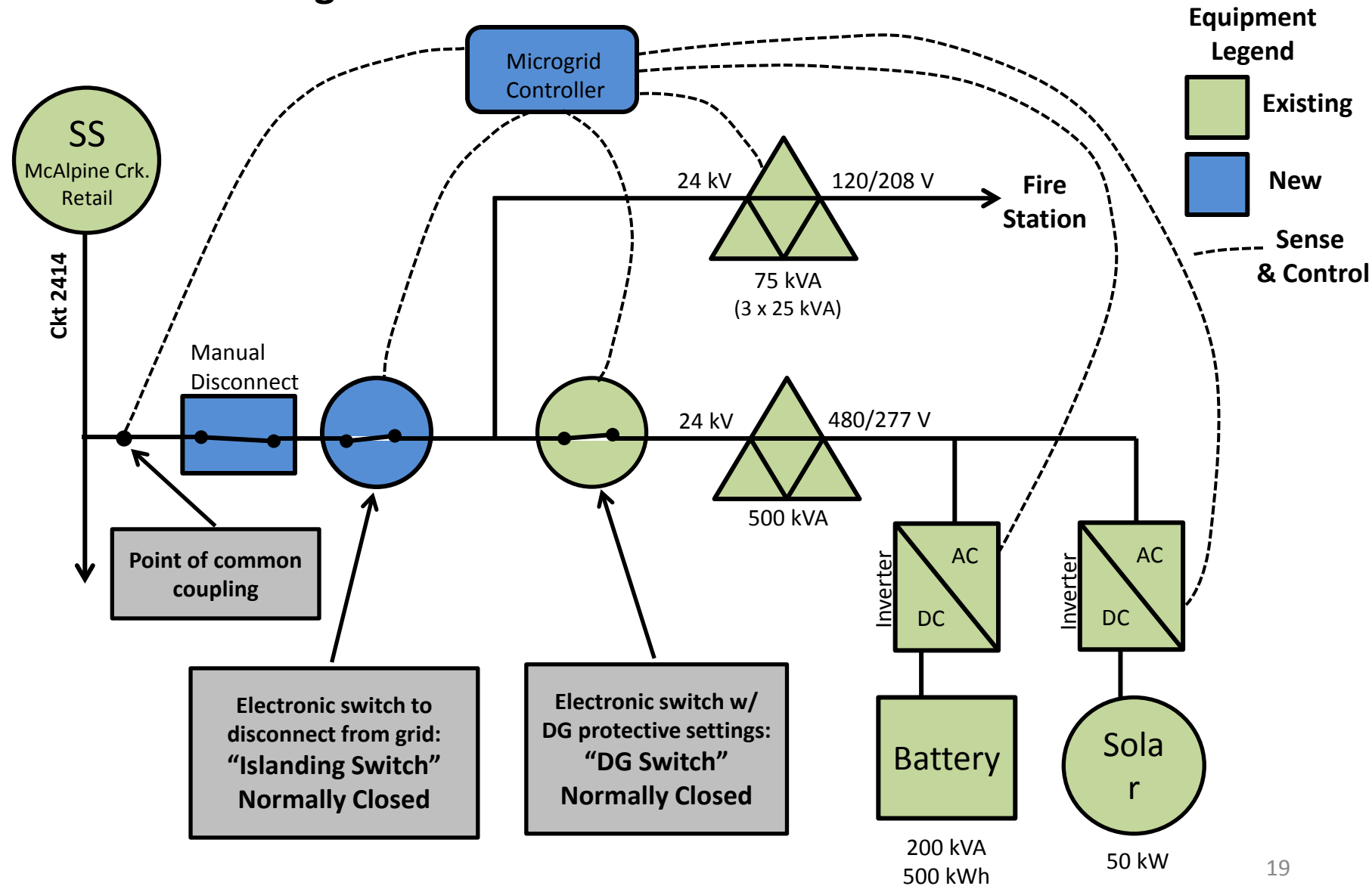


- Interconnected next to a 50 kW solar facility in a planned islandable micro-grid scheme that will use the battery for grid frequency/voltage regulation.

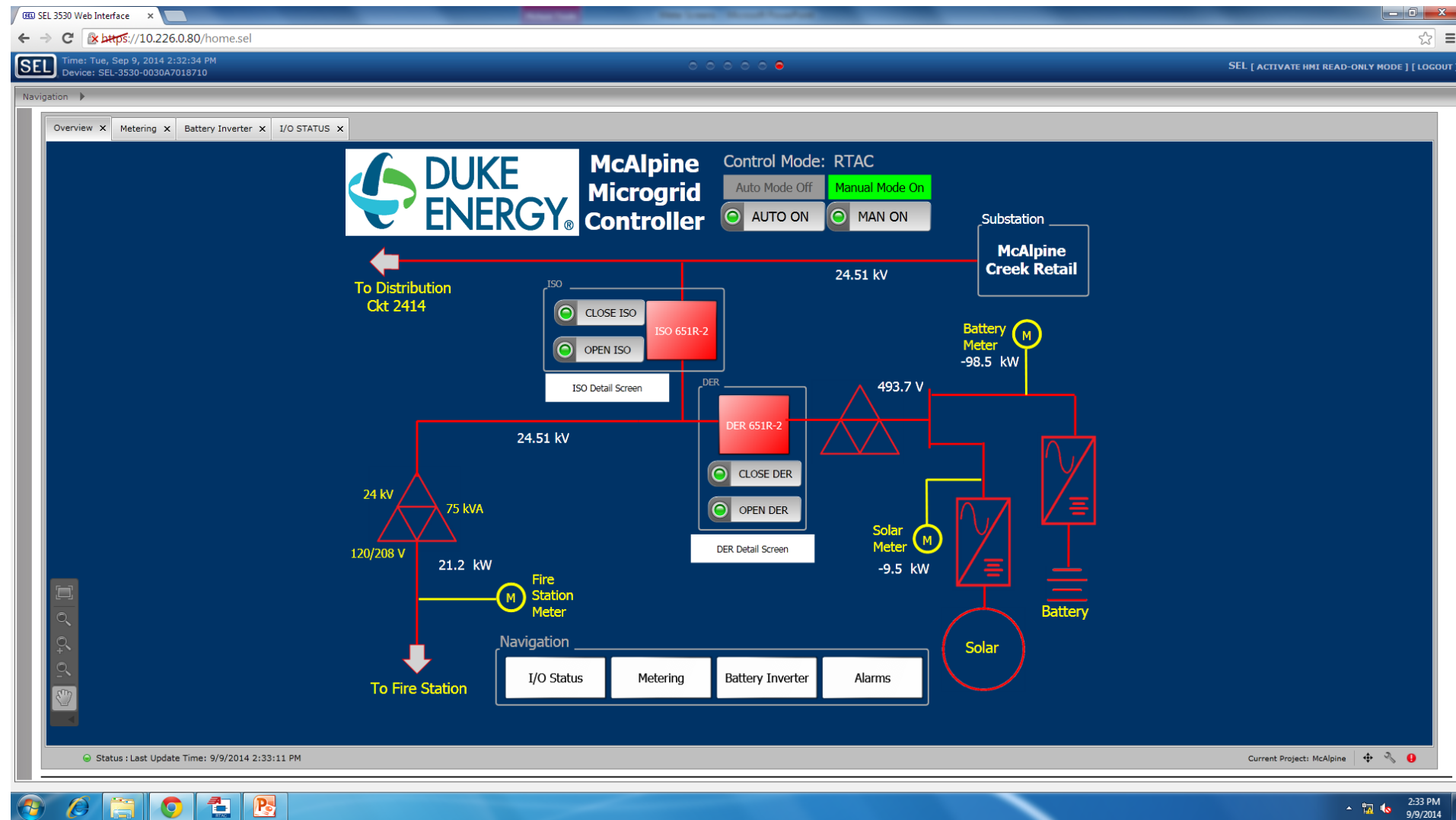
## Applications being tested

- 1 – consolidated inverter/battery construction at a low price
- 2 – energy shifting applications
  - a) dispatched based on schedule, local load peaks, etc
- 3 – integration with solar in a microgrid
  - a) will be configured with switches, solar, and load to create an autonomous microgrid that disconnects from the circuit
- 4 – solar output smoothing/firming

# Islandable Microgrid Schematic



# Microgrid Controller HMI







# Rankin Energy Storage System

Rankin Ave. Retail Substation, Mount Holly, NC

## Major system components:

- 402 kW / 282 kWh system capacity
- FIAMM sodium nickel chloride battery
  - 12 Zebra bus batteries connected in parallel
- 1.25 MVA S&C Electric Company Inverter (SMS)

## Interconnection:

- Located on a 12.47 kV distribution circuit
- Interconnected immediately outside of the substation
- Circuit contains a 1.2 MW solar facility ~3 miles away

## System attributes

- Installed Dec 2011, in service Mar 2012

- Remotely operable
- ZEBRA bus batteries by FIAMM for stationary application development
- Contains fiber connection to substation relaying; no connection to the solar facility on the circuit



**Auxiliary power load center**  
120V/240V service

**1000 kVA transformer**  
Steps up 480 V inverter output to 12.47 kV



**Battery container**  
402 kW/282 kWh NaNiCl batteries (12 cells)

**Inverter/Controls**  
Storage Management System (SMS)  
1.25 MVA capacity/1.0 MVAR capacity

## Applications being tested

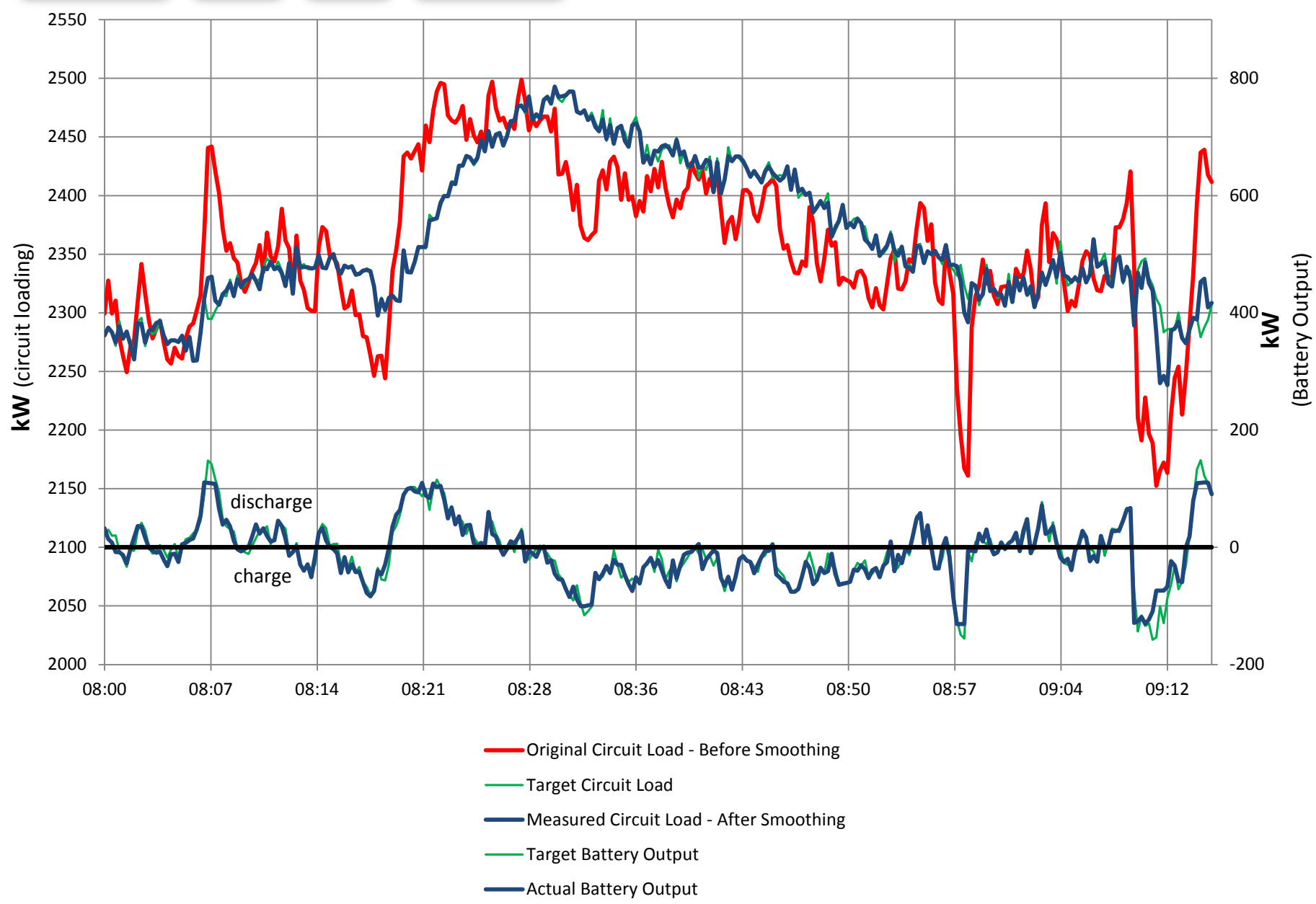
### 1 – centralized solar-induced power swing mitigation

- a) senses substation real power loading and uses battery to “smooth” rapid ramp rates caused by cloud-induced solar intermittency
- b) no direct connection to the solar – designed to smooth power swings from multiple dispersed solar sites on a circuit

### 2 – active VAR/power factor management

### 3 – combined watt/VAR voltage control

- a) compensation for rapid solar-induced voltage changes





# Marshall Energy Storage System

Marshall Steam Station, Sherrills Ford, NC

## Major system components:

- 750 kWh / 250 kW system capacity
- Kokam Superior Lithium Polymer Batteries
- 1.25 MVA S&C Electric Company Inverter (SMS)

## Interconnection:

- Located on a 12.47 kV distribution circuit
- Separate but adjacent medium-voltage interconnection from 1.0 MW solar facility
- Located at the end of a distribution feeder

**1000 kVA transformer**  
Steps up 480 V inverter output to 12.47 kV

**Inverter/Controls**  
Storage Management System (SMS)  
1.25 MVA capacity/1.0 MVAR capacity



**Battery container**  
750 kWh/250 kW Lithium Polymer  
Includes Batt. Mgt. System

**1.2 MW solar facility**

## System attributes

- Installed May 2012, in service July 2012
- Remotely operable
- Battery and inverter independently sourced (both vendors to Duke)
- Located at the Marshall solar test site where multiple solar technologies are being field tested on a sealed coal-ash landfill

## Applications being tested

### 1 – energy shifting

- a) for system-level arbitrage
- b) for local operational constraint management
- c) based on forward-looking economic algorithm

### 2 – solar output smoothing and firming

- a) for local feeder voltage management
- b) solar-induced power swing mitigation

### 3 – active VAR/power factor management

### 4 – combined algorithms / optimization

- a) combined energy shifting and smoothing algorithm
- b) use of distributed logic with economic, substation, and local input parameters





# Clay Terrace Energy Storage System

Clay Terrace Mall, IN

## Major system components:

- 75 kW / 42 kWh system capacity
- Toshiba lithium titanate battery
- 10 kW roof-mounted solar
- Eaton 50 kW, Siemens 3.3 kW PEV charging stations

## Interconnection:

- Behind a commercial meter (customer sited)
- Interconnected at 480V, 3-phase transformer
- Located in the parking lot of a shopping mall

### Battery

75 kW / 42 kWh Toshiba Li-Titanate

### 10 kW solar roof-top



### Level 2 PEV charging station

J1772 up to 3.3 kW charging

### PEV DC Fast charging station

50 kW Eaton unit

## System attributes

- Installed 3Q 2012, in service 4Q 2012



- Designed to manage and optimize the combined energy profile of solar, PEV charging, and storage.

## Applications being tested

### 1 – active management of combined solar, storage and PEV charging

- a) testing energy management system and sizing of a behind-the-meter system

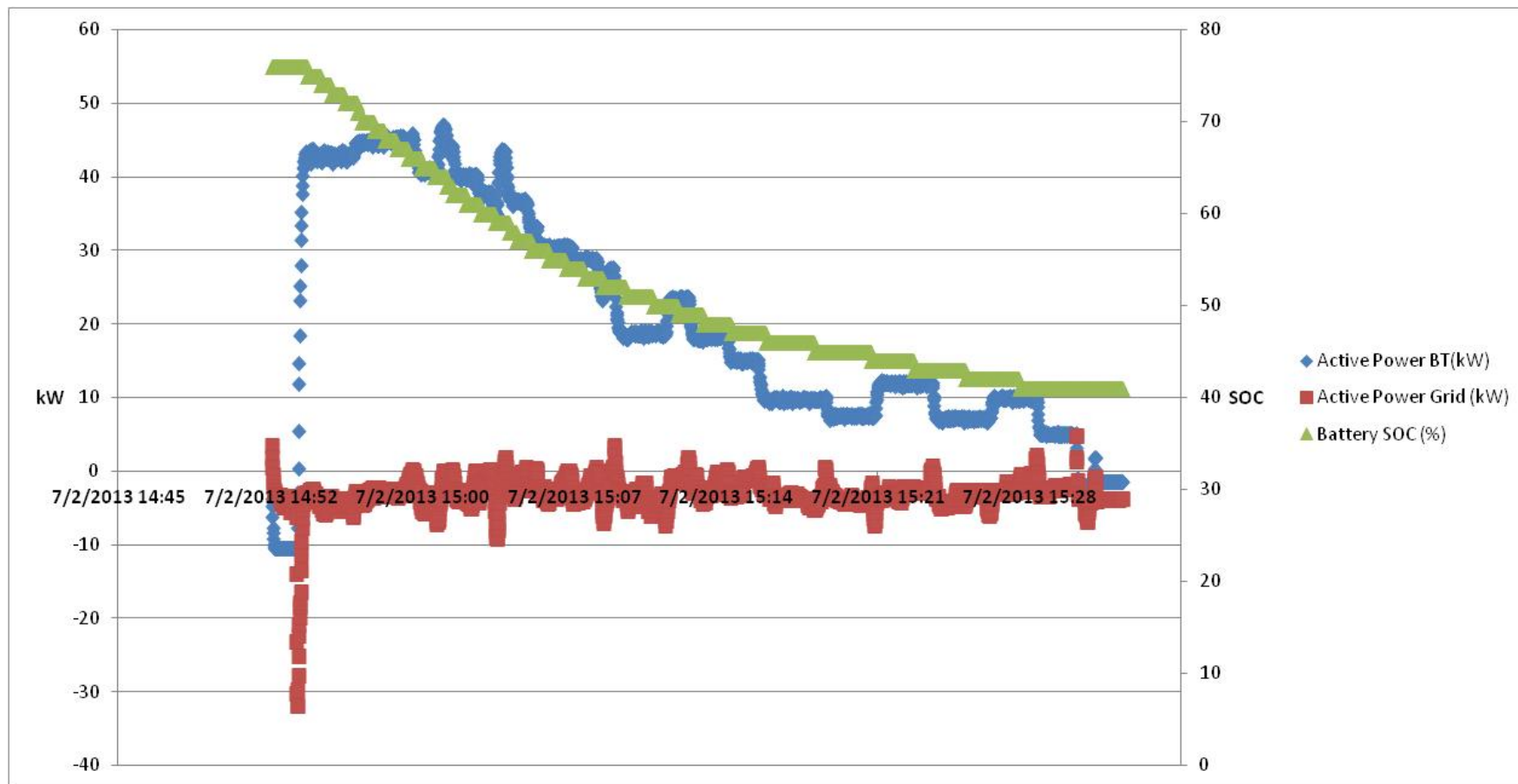
### 2 – energy shifting

### 3 – customer-sited installation aspects





## Battery Responding to DC Charge Event





# Community Energy Storage Systems

Two units installed

McAlpine 24 kV circuits, Charlotte, NC

## Major system components:

- 25 kVA inverter system – S&C Electric Company
- Kokam 25 kWh / 25 kW lithium ion battery
  - Battery located in underground vault

## Interconnection:

- Interconnected at 120V/240V split single phase
- Configured to serve up to five customers on 50 – 75 kVA padmount transformers
  - Initially connected to one customer each for testing

## System attributes

- Installation: unit 1 - Oct 2011; unit 2 - Dec 2011



- Remotely operable and monitored via DMS
- Demonstrating underground battery vault configuration

**Inverter/control unit**  
25 kVA connected at 120V/240V

**50 kVA secondary transformer**



**Battery vault**  
4-foot deep, open bottom

**Battery (underground in vault)**  
25 kW / 25 kWh Kokam Li-ion battery pack

## Applications being tested

### 1 – automatic voltage management

- a) automatically injects/consumes VARs to maintain voltage within a specified setpoint

### 2 – islanding/back-up power

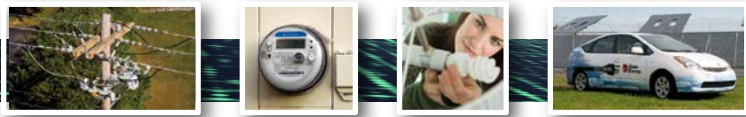
- a) automatic islanding during a grid outage

### 3 – distributed energy shifting

- a) various energy shifting applications using a network of distributed batteries

### 4 – control system for distributed storage

- a) using distributed communications network to monitor and dispatch the battery



# Need to Consider

- Physical vs. Virtual Energy Storage
- How will energy storage compete / work together with:
  - Smart Invertors
  - Demand Response
  - Devices which perform autonomous frequency regulation

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# Conclusions

- The electric grid is changing: Electric generation is becoming more “de-centralized” – moving closer to the end user
- Balancing supply and demand requires a highly interconnected ecosystem with constant communication between assets
- Understanding how energy storage can seamlessly be integrated in this ecosystem is still under development