

Operation of an Hub Energy System With Regard To Response Load

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Abstract: This paper The power industry worldwide has undergone many changes and different countries with different motives into And. Pulse laid privatization of renewal of restructuring the electricity market formation, program management consumption by power companies came into force. So in such circumstances the authorities responsible for the market is that it created such incentives in consumers into demand response programs that would encourage power consumption as a subset of the known consumption.

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1. Introduction

THE increasing utilization of gas-fired and other distributed generation (co- and trigeneration) is expected to have significant influence on both the technical and economical operation of power delivery systems. The conversions between the different energy carriers establish a coupling of the corresponding power flows, which result also in economic interactions. For example, a micro turbine can be used to produce both electricity and heat from natural gas, and such a device will then affect natural gas and electricity power flows as well as the heat supply of the load. With different energy carriers available and the possibility of demand-side conversion between them, the customer gets flexible in supply. An electric load for instance can be supplied directly from the electric grid but also from a device that converts natural gas into electricity [1]. This flexibility raises new questions concerning optimal system operation. It illustrates the situation for a customer connected to a number of power delivery networks via a so-called energy hub, which represents an interface between networks and loads. A similar concept focusing

on somewhat different aspects was developed by EPRI. The different energy carriers provided at the input of the energy hub can be consumed directly from the network or indirectly by converting the power into other forms. It is up to the customer to decide a) how much of which energy

carriers to consume from the networks and b) how to convert the input powers in order to meet the load demand. The related optimization problem is well-known Economic Dispatch (ED) problem. The energy carriers offered at the input can be seen as generators with different cost structures [1]. However, there are some significant differences which have to be considered in the formulation of this problem:

2. Systems applications hub energy:

A concept hub energy systems with smart grid Microgrid and can also be used in the modeling and optimization of energy through the use of microgrid several hub energy systems linked. Used in the modeling and the design Simulation and simultaneous use of electricity and gas network using the hub energy system

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2.1. Model of operation of the elements the hub energy system:

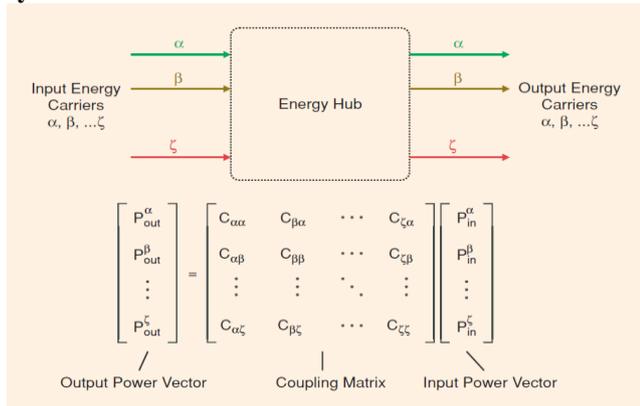


Figure 1: Modeling the transformation of power through an energy hub.

Reliability and availability of energy supply is an important design criterion; therefore, models have also been developed for this kind of investigation. Failure and repair rates can be defined for all components in the system. Considering an energy hub, failure and repair rates of the coupling elements can be stated in matrices similar to the conversion matrix. The influence of the energy hub, i.e., an increase or decrease of availability between input and output of the hub, can be analyzed with this approach. Furthermore, the model can be used in the optimization process. Various optimization problems can be identified when considering integrated multicarrier systems. The basic question of combined optimal power flows is how much of which energy carriers the hubs should consume and how they should be converted in order to meet the loads at their outputs [2]. This is an operational problem. In the planning phase, the optimal structure of the hub may be of interest, which can be found by determining the optimal coupling matrix that describes the conversions within the hub. Converters can then be selected to establish this optimal coupling, and missing technologies can be identified. These and other optimization problems have been formulated and analyzed using various criteria such as energy costs, system emissions, and transmission security measures. Multiobjective optimization can be performed by combining different criteria in composite objective functions [2].

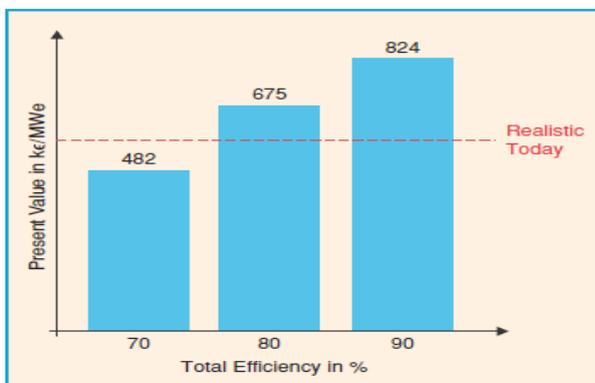


Figure 2: Result of investment analysis

The present value of the device (per MW electrical output) increases with its total efficiency, since more energy cost are saved in each period if the efficiency is higher. Today's

investment cost for CHP units of comparable size are in the range of €500,000 per MW electrical output (rated). The conclusion that can be drawn from this plot is that an investment is reasonable if a total efficiency of more than 75% can be achieved.

3. Evaluation of Investment

When talking about completely new systems on the greenfield, the question of cost plays one of the most important roles. Energy prices and savings in energy cost can be estimated, although assumptions are often critical. The evaluation of investment costs is more difficult. How much will new technologies such as fuel cells cost in 30–50 years?

To avoid speculations based on doubtful assumptions, the question is put differently [3]. The justifiable investment costs are determined by comparing the performances of the conventional and the proposed/assumed system. For example, energy cost and CO₂ taxes can be compared for a conventional system and an optimized greenfield structure. From the annual savings due to higher energy efficiency and less emissions of new technologies, a present value can be determined that represents the break-even investment cost of the new technology. With this method, results still depend on critical assumptions as inflation, compounding, and risk. However, using this tool for sensitivity analysis yields deeper insight into economics; it enables identification of the significant parameters. Shows an example where the sensitivity between total energy efficiency of a cogeneration-equipped energy hub and its justifiable investment cost was determined. In this particular case, results show that even state-of-the-art technology could keep up with the requirements, i.e., installing such cogeneration devices would be reasonable from an economic point of view (under certain assumptions).

4. A First Application

The energy hub idea was picked up by a municipal utility in Switzerland, the Regionalwerke AG Baden, which plans to build an energy hub containing wood chip gasification and methanation and a cogeneration plant. The idea is to generate synthetic natural gas (SNG) and heat from wood chips, a resource which is available in the company's supply region. The produced SNG can then either be directly injected in the utility's natural gas system, or converted into electricity via a cogeneration unit and fed into the electric distribution network. Waste heat, which accrues in both cases, can be absorbed by the local district heating network. The whole system can be seen as an energy hub processing different energy carriers—wood chips, electricity, heat, and SNG [3]. In addition to these energy carriers, the gasification process requires nitrogen and steam, which have to be provided at the hub input. Gives an overview of the hub layout. The new thing here is not the technology used (converters), but the integrated planning and operation, which is believed to enable better overall system performance. The developed multicarrier analysis tools can be applied to this energy hub to answer some fundamental questions.

1. How should the converters be rated, i.e., how much electricity, SNG, and heat should the hub be able to produce?
2. How should the energy hub be operated, how much electricity/SNG/heat should be generated depending on the actual load situation?
3. Which and how much of which energy carrier should the energy hub be able to store—wood chips, SNG, heat, electricity?

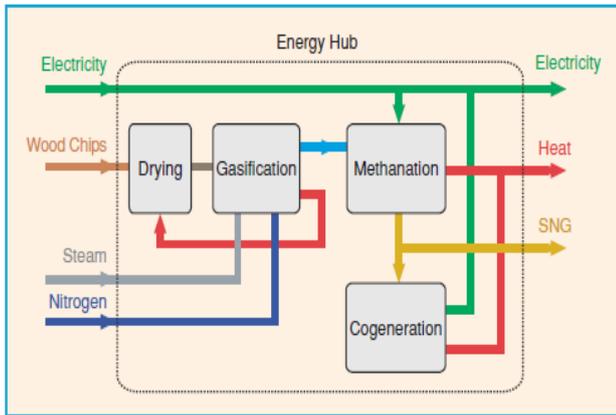


Figure 3: Sketch of the energy hub to be realized by Regionalwerke AG Baden, Switzerland.

How does the energy hub influence the overall system performance in terms of reliability/availability, energy efficiency, and power quality? The project is still in the planning phase. A first version of the hub, which only contains wood gasification and cogeneration units, should be realized by 2009. The full version, which then includes the methanation part thus enabling feed of SNG into the natural gas network should start running in 2011 [3].

5. Use load management:

consumption generally refers to programs whose impact on consumption patterns of customer electricity consumption. Bashd. of which are power companies to time power consumption, the field for the benefit of consumers and even provide their own.

5.1. load Response:

Response time is one of the new developments in the field of DSM, which means the participation of consumers in improve energy consumption patterns of. The overall objective of load response programs to achieve two important features are network reliability and reduce prices. According to the definition provided the DOE in February of 2006, demand response, change in electrical energy consumption by consumers of normal consumption patterns, in response to changes in electricity prices or in response to stimulus spending set to reduce power consumption (at hours when electricity prices above market or system reliability danger). The importance of load response today's anticipated load curves of the growing consumption of electrical energy that supply a lot of disposable investment needs. In these circumstances, could help to solve this dilemma. Barman meet the The importance of demand response, when it becomes clear that knowing the frequency Applied fiscal profits for consumers and even the network itself provides, inter alia, reducing the amount of blackouts, reduce production

costs smooth undercarriage load curve, helping to stabilize market prices and .

6. Modeling hub energy

The model and the objective functions and constraints brought about the need to solve equations hub energy system. we. In this chapter the results of the simulation and change initiatives are taken to optimize the energy system.

6.1. Implementation and simulation:

hub energy of a model system was investigated. This model taking into account the response time in the scenario without storage the elements investigated the optimization objective function, and the results are plotted graph. The model of each element of the hub energy system, several different types of efficiency considered using optimization software Gams elements, with the best efficiency and lowest cost to be placed in orbit [4]. In energy prices in the calculation and determination of the amount of gas and electricity is very effective input, the model in energy prices is evaluated according to the following diagram

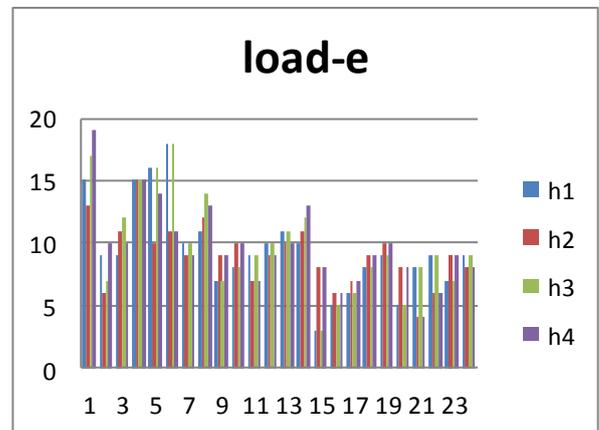


Figure 4: The demand for electricity and heat at different times of the day

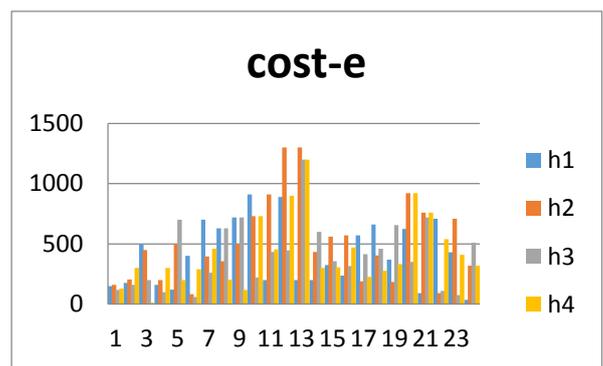


Figure 5: The cost of gas input to the hub system in the model

As specified in the chart above is due to the change in output load in the different hours of the day, with the rising cost of energy and use less instead of the alternative uses carrier. v electricity and gas as well as the input by the optimization software is calculated for the following graph [5].

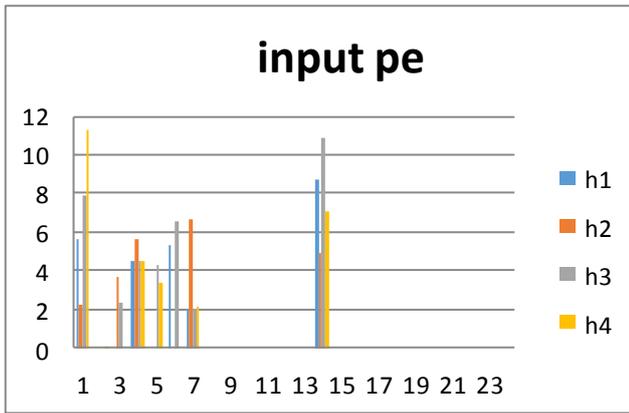


Figure 6: The amount of electrical energy input to the hub energy in the model

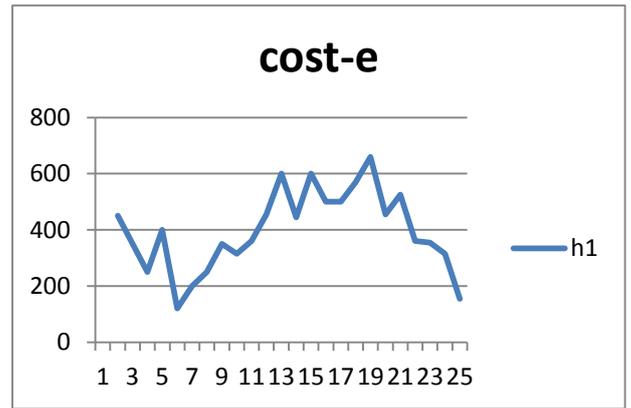


Figure 9: New cost power hub energy input to the system in the first scenario study

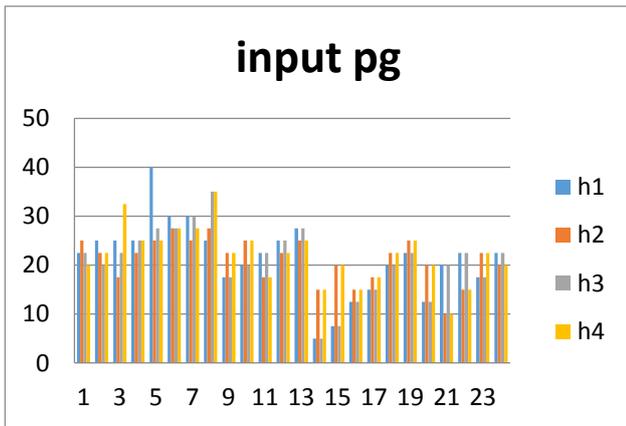


Figure 7: Gas energy input to the system in the modeling

6.2. The third model is the first scenario by considering $Me = .06$:

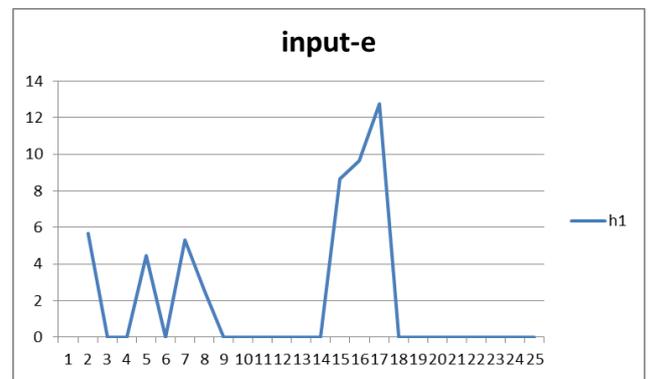


Figure 10: The amount of electrical energy input to the system in the first scenario study

Assuming constant demand response to changes in energy prices and taking into account sensitivity of times the price $Me = .02$ after sending data optimization software Gams the results of the simulation to determine the the cost of electrical energy input to the system integrated energy is as below[5].

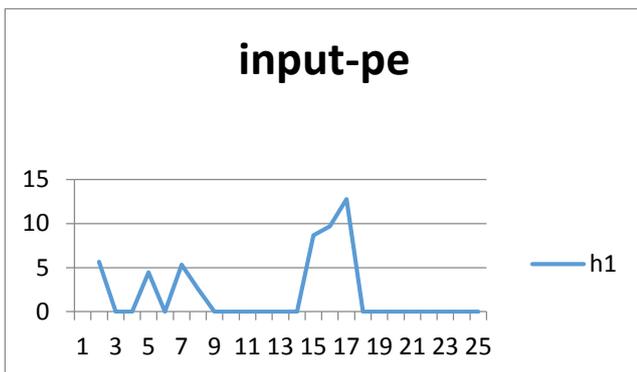


Figure 8: The amount of electrical energy input to hub system

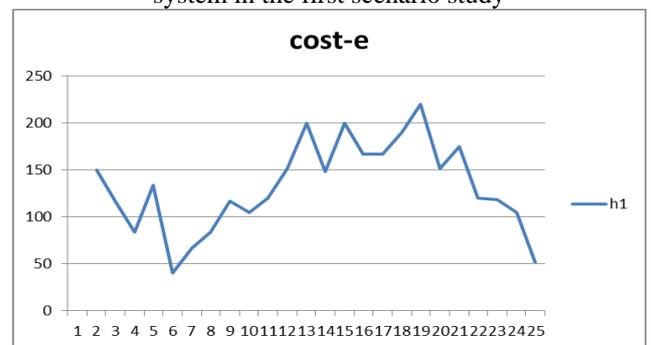


Figure 11: New cost power hub energy input to the system in the first scenario study

However, the study price charts in different hours of the day to the conclusion Provided that the the price increase in the output amount is reduced How to shift the burden to the sensitivity of the load (Me) at different times and in different types of cost are And the increase is part of the objective function.

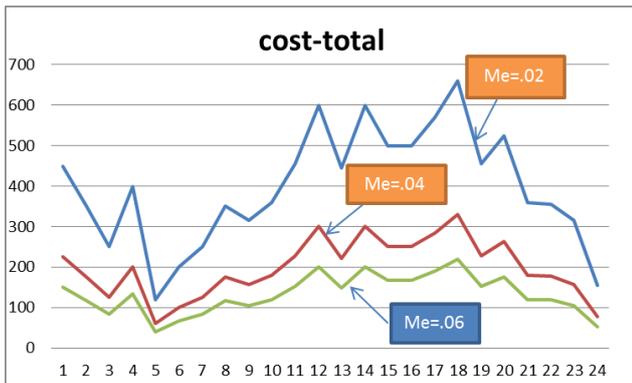


Figure 12: The cost of energy inputs due to the sensitivity of the integrated energy system in time to review the first scenario

6.3. Second scenario:

With the increase in the price of the energy system and taking into account the sensitivity of the load (.06 = Me) After sending data optimization software Gams results of the simulation to determine the amount of electrical energy input to the system integrated energy costs is as follows

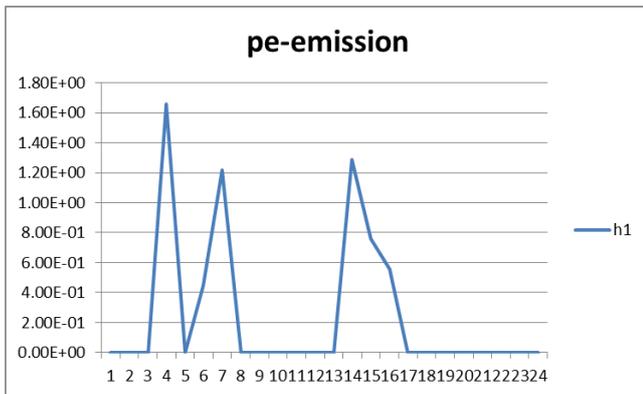


Figure 13: New cost power hub energy input to the system in the first scenario study

The amount of electrical energy input to the system in the Second scenario study

6.4. And also the inlet gas to the chart below:

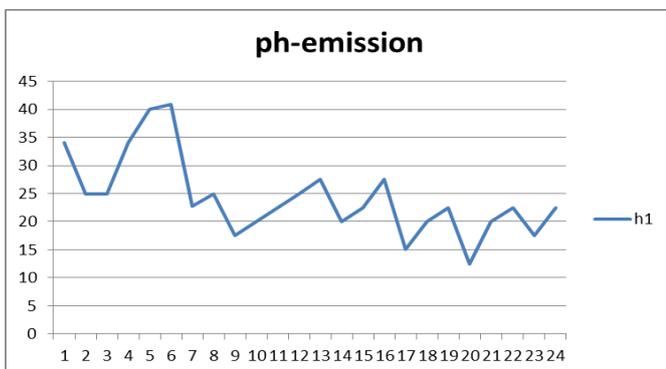


Figure 14: Gas energy input to the system in the Second scenario study

Now, check the amount of electricity and gas inlet with making sensitive time (Me = .06) and the electricity and gas air pollution, come to the following conclusions[5].

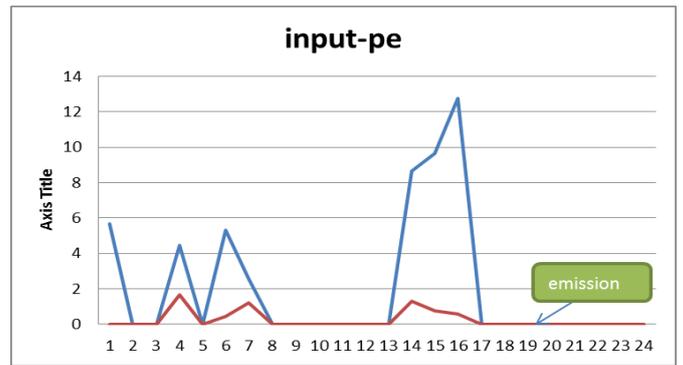


Figure 15: The amount of electrical energy input to the system in the Second scenario stud

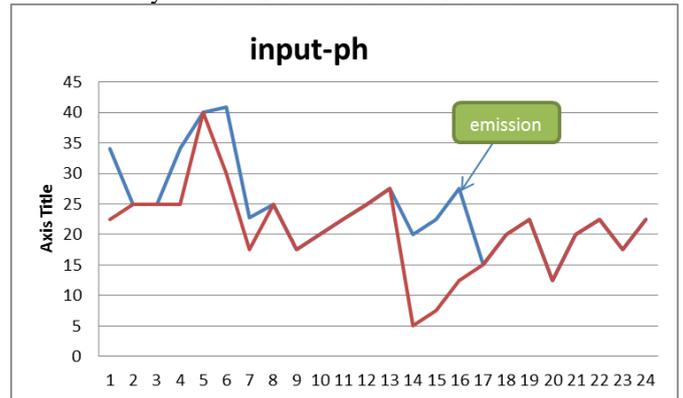


Figure 16: Gas energy input to the system in the Second scenario study

The amount of gas in the total energy input to the system in the Second scenario study Gas prices are calculated after the application is as follows The cost of gas energy inputs due to the sensitivity of the integrated energy system in time to Second scenario study

7. Conclusion

. The search for and apply innovations and changes in the model exists within hub energy system can be concluded that this model is that we can development a new model. In this model we can see that taking into account the electricity and heat, reduced costs the operation also discussed in context and according to the model a sensitivity analysis, responsive loads on the objective function, as well as the effects of pollution on the performance of the operation system have been taken.

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