# Optimal Power Flow for Enhanced TTC with Optimal Number of SVC by using Improved Hybrid TSSA

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#### ABSTRACT

In this paper, the hybrid tabu search and simulated annealing (TSSA) method are modified for improving. The main point of modification is to apply sine value into the value of the temperature of simulated annealing. This modification aims to reduce the disadvantage of the original hybrid TSSA. This disadvantage means the value of each parameter is only increased to the maximum value of the temperature of simulated annealing. The optimal number of flexible alternating current transmission system (FACTS) controller determining method is used to determine optimal number of FACTS. SVC is used as FACTS controller in this paper. The split search space method is integrated to manage search space of static var compensator (SVC) operating point. The allocations of SVCs are used to enhance total transfer capability (TTC). Test results on the IEEE 118bus system and the practical Electricity Generating Authority of Thailand (EGAT) 58-bus system show that the proposed improved hybrid TSSA with optimal number determining method of SVC give higher TTC and less number of SVC than test results from evolutionary programming (EP) and original hybrid TSSA.

**Keywords**: Optimal Power Flow, Optimization, Tabu Search, Simulated annealing, SVC

#### 1. INTRODUCTION

Due to the demands of electrical power, electricity demand hits its highest point every year. The installation of the new power plant is the standard choice to response to this demand. However, the usage time of building a new power plant is long. The interested alternative is to improve the efficiency of the power system. The popular improvement is to enhance total transfer capability (TTC) by installing flexible alternating current transmission system (FACTS) controllers [1] or distributed generations (DG) [2] with the concept of optimal power flow (OPF). FACTS controllers look more flexible than DG according to their function. FACTS controllers can adjust their parameter settings. For example, the unified power flow controller (UPFC) can adjust voltage and angle. The thyristor-controlled series capacitor (TCSC) can adjust reactance. Thyristor-controlled phase shifter (TCPS) can adjust the angle. Static var compensator (SVC) can inject var into the power system [3].

The maximum benefits of installation of FACTS controllers are to install with optimal allocations. The allocations of FACTS controller mean suitable parameter settings, locations, type, and number [4].

There are many methods that are used to evaluate allocation of these FACTS controllers. The heuristics optimization techniques such as genetic algorithm (GA) [5], evolutionary algorithm (EA) [6], evolutionary programming (EP) [7], particle swarm optimization (PSO) [8], tabu search (TS) [9, 10], and simulated annealing (SA) [11] are used to solve complicated optimization problems [12, 13]. These methods perform their efficiency well. Moreover, the bio-inspiration methods such as grey wolf optimizer (GWO) [14], dragonfly optimizer (DGO) [15], bee algorithm (BA) are used, too [16].

However, these methods have their limitation. The chances to stick in the local area are the main limitation. Many researchers developed hybrid methods such as hybrid PSO [17], hybrid EA [18], and hybrid TSSA [19] to step over this limitation.

The contents of this paper are about the modification of the original hybrid TSSA. The aim of modification is to enhance the performance of the original hybrid TSSA. The main modification is to apply the sine value of sine function into the main equation of the original hybrid TSSA. The optimal number of FACTS controller determining method is integrated. The SVC static model is defined to use in this paper. The objective function of this paper is to enhance TTC from the base case. The goal of this enhancement is to maximize TTC without violences. The IEEE 118-bus system bus and Electricity Generating Authority of Thailand (EGAT) 58-bus system are used as test systems. Test results are compared with test results from EP and original hybrid TSSA.

#### 2. PROBLEM FORMULATION

Power transfer capability is defined as TTC value [20-23]. The TTC means the overall power which is transferred from generators to load buses in power

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systems. The real and reactive power is transferred between source buses to sink buses. The constraints such as generation limit, voltage limits, line flow limits, and FACTS controllers operating limits are used. SVC is used as FACT controller in this paper. In addition, SVC is represented by the static model [24].

To determine the maximum TTC, with the optimal number and allocation of SVC, the objective function is formulated in (1).

$$\max F = \sum_{i=1}^{ND,BUS} P_{Di} - \sum_{i=1}^{NL} P_{Li}$$
(1)

Subject to

$$P_{Gi} - P_{Di} - \sum_{j=1}^{N} V_i V_j Y_{ij} \cos(\theta_{ij} - \delta_i + \delta_j) = 0 \quad (2)$$

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$$Q_{Gi} - Q_{Di} + Q_{vi} + \sum_{j=1}^{N} V_i V_j Y_{ij} \cos(\theta_{ij} - \delta_i + \delta_j) = 0 \quad (3)$$

$$P_{Gi}^{\min} \le P_{Gi} \le P_{Gi}^{\max}, i = 1, 2, 3, \dots, \text{NG}$$
 (4)

$$Q_{Gi}^{\min} \le Q_{Gi} \le Q_{Gi}^{\max}, i = 1, 2, 3, \dots, \text{NG}$$
 (5)

$$V_i^{\min} \le V_i \le V_i^{\max}, i = 1, 2, 3, \dots, N$$
 (6)

$$|S_{Li}| \le S_{Li}^{\max}, i = 1, 2, 3, \dots, \text{NL}$$
 (7)

$$0 \le Q_{Vi} \le Q_{Vi}^{\max}, i = 1, 2, 3, \dots, n$$
 (8)

Where

$P_{Di}$	real power loads in the $i$ th bus,
$P_{Li}$	losses in line flow at the $i$ th line,
$ND\_BUS$	number of load buses,
NL	number of lines,
$P_{Gi}$	real power generation at the $i$ th
	bus,
N	total number of buses,
$V_i$	voltage magnitude at the $i$ th bus,
$V_i$	voltage magnitude at the $j$ th bus,
$\delta_i$	voltage angles of the $i$ th bus,
$\delta_i$	voltage angles of the $j$ th bus,
$\dot{Q}_{Gi}$	reactive power generation at the
-	<i>i</i> th bus,
$Q_{Di}$	reactive power load at the $i$ th bus,
$\theta_{ij}$	the angle of the element in the
0	ijth bus admittance matrix,
$Q_{vi}$	fixed injected reactive power of
	SVC at the $i$ th bus,
$ S_{Li} $	the $i$ th line or transformer loading,
NG	number of generators,
$P_{Gi}^{\min}, P_{Gi}^{\max}$	the lower and upper limit of real
	power generation at the $i$ th bus,
$Q_{Gi}^{\min}, Q_{Gi}^{\max}$	the lower and upper limit of reac-
	tive power generation at the $i$ th bus
$V_i^{\min}, V_i^{\max}$	the lower and upper limit of vol-
	tage magnitude at the $i$ th bus,
$S_{Li}^{\max}$	the $i$ th line or transformer loading
	limit,
$Q_{Vi}^{\max}$	the upper limit of injected reactive
	power of SVC at the $i$ th bus

## 3. PROPOSED METHOD

# 3.1 Original hybrid TSSA

The original hybrid TSSA is proposed in [25]. This method has merged the approach of TS and SA. The main algorithm is based on TS [26]. Each individual of SA is presented for generating new individual for TS for the next iteration. In addition, the probabilistic acceptance criterion of SA is used [27]. The flowchart of the the original hybrid TSSA is as fig 1.



Fig.1: Flow chart of the original hybrid TSSA.

Each parameter of the individual is initialized randomly by using (9).

$$x_i = x_i^{\min} + u(x_i^{\max} - x_i^{\min}) \tag{9}$$

Where

$$\begin{array}{ll} x_i & \text{value of the } i\text{th element,} \\ x_i^{\min}, x_i^{\max} & \text{lower and upper limits of the } i\text{th} \\ \text{element,} \end{array}$$

and

u uniform random in the interval [0,1].

Each individual is generated by randomness. The initial individual bases on the uniform probability distribution function. In addition, the constraints are



Fig.2: Curve of sample SA temperature value.

used to limit the ranges of randomness. An individual is randomly generated by (10).

$$S^{(k,m)}_{T} = S^{(k,0)}_{T} + (T_{k} * [U]^{*} F_{U})$$
(10)

$$T_k = r^{(k-1)} * T_1 \tag{11}$$

Where

 $T_1$  initial temperature equals to 0.2,

- $S_T^{(k,0)}$  the initial individual at iteration kth, [U] a diagonal matrix of uniform randomly generated a number between 0 and 1, and
- $T_k$  the temperature at iteration kth,
- k iteration counter,
- r reducing rate equals to 0.9,
- $S_T^{(k,m)}$  trial *m* neighborhood individual at iteration *k*th,
- $F_U$  the upper limit of the SVC parameter.

The sample of the curve of SA value is shown in fig 2.

The probabilistic acceptance criterion of SA is used instead of the aspiration level (AL) of TS. The acceptance criterion is designed for the decision movement of the current neighborhood solution, which is in the tabu list (TL). The probabilistic acceptance criterion is given as follows [28].

$$p^k = \frac{1}{1 + \exp(\Delta/T_k)} \tag{12}$$

Where	
$p^k$	probabilistic acceptance criteria of
	current neighborhood individual at
	iteration $k$ th,
$\Delta$	difference between the objective
	function of the current neighborhood
	individual in the second set $\{SS_T^{(k,m)}\}$
	and the best individual reached or
	$(F(S_C^k) - F_B),$
$(F(S_C^k))$	the objective function of individual $S_C^k$ ,
$S_C^k$	current neighborhood individual
, in the second s	at iteration $k$ , and
$F_B$	best objective function.

### 3.2 Improved hybrid TSSA

According to the chances of sticking in the local search space areas which is described in section 1: introduction, the performance improvement of the original hybrid TSSA is created.

Due to the value of sine function which upon with the changing of the sine curve, the changing direction of each variable can be smoothly increased or decreased. This means, there is more chances to step over from local search space than one direction changing or non-direction changing. The sine curve is shown in fig 3.

The characteristics of this sine curve are 8000 samples per second and 60Hz. These characteristics can be used to evaluate the best solutions in this paper. In addition, these characteristics have been evaluated from trials and errors by experimental.

The sine function is applied by multiple value of sine function into the value of SA temperature. This application is expressed in (13). The changing direction of each variable can be increased or decreased.



Fig.3: Curve of sample sine function value.



Fig.4: Curve of sample applied SA with the sine function value.

$$S_T^{(k,m)} = S_T^{(k,0)} * (SV_k * T_k * [U] * F_U)$$
(13)

Where

 $SV_k$  sine value at iteration k

The curve of applied SA with the sine function value is shown in fig 4.

This improving SA value by using sine function value is expected to step over the search space local area.

### 3.3 Optimal number of FACTS controller determining method

The algorithm of optimal number of FACTS controller determining method is proposed by Chansareewittaya and Jirapong in [7, 27, 28]. This algorithm is used to evaluating the optimal number of SVC by calculating from objective function value.

The following index is calculating using the optimal value of the objective function by using (14) and (15).

$$INC_i = \frac{\Delta Z_i}{\Delta Z_{i-1}} \tag{14}$$

$$|\Delta \Delta Z_i| = |\Delta Z_i - \Delta Z_{i-1}| \tag{15}$$

Where

$$INC_i$$
 index to check out the  
increasing number of FACTS  
controller, subscript *i* denotes  
the number of FACTS contro-  
ller.

- $\Delta Z_i, \Delta Z_{i-1}$  the optimal value of the objective function when applying *i*th and *i* 1th FACTS controller,

The numbers of SVC will be increased by using (14) and (15) until the stopping criteria is reached. Moreover, the split search space method is used to manage the search space of the SVC operating point. The search space of the operating point of SVC is split into n search spaces depended on the number of SVC. If the number of FACTS controller equals one, minimum and maximum values of operating points are used by the initial value. If the number of FACTS controllers is greater than one, the search space will be split. The flowchart of the optimal number of FACTS controllers is shown in fig 5.



**Fig.5:** The flowchart of the optimal number of FACTS controller method.

## 4. CASE STUDY AND EXPERIMENTAL RESULTS

The IEEE 118-bus system and EGAT 58-bus systems are used to demonstrate the placement of SVC with the optimal number by using search space managing methods. Base case TTC is calculated by using the full Newton-Raphson method with OPF. The reactive power injection limit of SVC  $0 \leq Q_{vi} \leq 10$  is Mvar.

The compared methods are EP and original hybrid TSSA. EP is a well-known modern heuristics method. There are many optimization problems that are optimized by using EP [29, 30]. The advantages of EP are the ability to self-adapt the search for optimum solutions [31]. Moreover, the flexibility of evolutionary algorithms to address general optimization problems using virtually any reasonable representation and performance index, with variation operators that can be tailored for the problem at hand, and selection mechanisms tuned for the appropriate level of stringency [32]. Moreover, EP is simple and easy to implement. Another compared method is the original hybrid TSSA [33] which is the based method for the proposed method. In addition, both the compared method is used in [33].

The population size of EP, original hybrid TSSA, and improved hybrid TSSA are 30. The maximum iteration number is set to 200.

#### 4.1 IEEE 118-bus system

The IEEE 118-bus system consisting of 54 generating plants, 64 load buses, and 186 lines is shown in fig 6. Bus 69 is set as a swing bus. Base case TTC of the IEEE 118-bus system equals 1433.00 MW. The system data can be found in [34].



Fig.6: Diagram of the IEEE 118-bus system.

The best and average values of TTC from improved hybrid TSSA are better than those from EP and original hybrid TSSA. The average TTC from improved hybrid TSSA is better than the original hybrid TSSA equals 6.05%. Especially, the best TTC is better than the original hybrid TSSA equals 19.87%. The the standard deviation TTC from improved hybrid TSSA is 152.78% higher than standard deviation TTC of original hybrid TSSA. This means, the proposed method evaluates new values of parameters that have chances to step over the local area. These chances can evaluate the answer which is the global

answer. Moreover, the usage time of improved hybrid TSSA is slightly higher than the original hybrid TSSA.

The best, average, worst TTC, and usage time from EP, original hybrid TSSA, and improved hybrid TSSA are shown in table 1.

**Table 1:** Best, average, worst TTC and usage time from EP, original hybrid TSSA, and improved hybrid TSSA.

TTC (MW)	EP	Original	Improved
		hybrid	hybrid
		TSSA	TSSA
Best	2965.43	2996.34	3591.99
Average	2637.92	2815.47	2985.95
Worst	2432.38	2589.63	1433.00
Standard	144.04	152.78	393.93
deviation			
Usage time	40.65	30.11	30.12
(minutes)			

The number and allocation of FACTS controller from EP, original hybrid TSSA, and improved hybrid TSSA are shown in table 2.

**Table 2:** Number and allocation of FACTS controller from EP, original hybrid TSSA, and improved hybrid TSSA.

Method	EP	Original	Improved
		hybrid	hybrid
		TSSA	TSSA
Number of	2	2	2
FACTS			
Controllers			
	Bus2	Bus 21	Bus 38
Location	/2.197	/7.005	/0.921
/Parameter of	(Mvar)	(Mvar)	(Mvar)
FACTS	Bus 27	Bus 113	Bus 2
Controller	/6.903	/4.019	/9.467
	(Mvar)	(Mvar)	(Mvar)

#### 4.2 Thailand 58-bus system

In this case study, a reduced practical test system from EGAT 230 kV and 500 kV network is used as another test system. The EGAT 58-bus system consisting of 17 generating plants, 41 load buses, and 77 lines as shown in fig 7 is used [28]. Bus 1 is set as a swing bus which. Base case TTC of the system equals 10261.50 MW. The system data can be found in an appendix.

The best and average values of TTC from the proposed method are better than test results from EP and original hybrid TSSA. The best and average TTC from improved hybrid TSSA are better than the original hybrid TSSA equals 1.38% and 1.37%, respectively. The standard deviation TTC value is bigger



Fig.7: Diagram of the EGAT 58-bus system.

than 100% difference due to the best and worst TTC value. There is some sub-evaluating which gives the worst TTC value lower than compared methods. The usage time of improved hybrid TSSA of this test system is still slightly higher than the original hybrid TSSA. The best, average, worst TTC, and usage time from EP, original hybrid TSSA, and improved hybrid TSSA are shown in table 3.

**Table 3:** Best, average, worst TTC and usage time from EP, original hybrid TSSA, and improved hybrid TSSA

TSSA.			
TTC (MW)	EP	Original	Improved
		hybrid	hybrid
		TSSA	TSSA
Best	15380.40	16521.14	16748.97
Average	14674.74	15559.92	15774.23
Worst	14701.50	15402.91	12836.26
Standard	317.11	322.81	835.00
deviation			
Usage time	33.28	19.37	19.38
(minutes)			

The number and allocation of FACTS controller from EP, original hybrid TSSA, and improved hybrid TSSA are shown in table 4. The number of SVC which is determined by the proposed method is less than the number of SVC from EP. Moreover, the total Mvar of SVCs from the proposed method is less than Mvar of SVCs from hybrid TSSA. The total Mvar can use to estimate the installation cost of SVC. This means the proposed method can the determine installation of SVCs with the lowest investment cost by comparing with EP and original hybrid TSSA.

**Table 4:** Number and allocation of FACTS controller from EP, original hybrid TSSA, and improved hybrid TSSA.

Method	EP	Original	Improved
		hybrid	hybrid
		TSSA	TSSA
Number of	3	2	2
FACTS			
Controllers			
	Bus 8	Bus 3	Bus 48
Location	/1.545	/2.815	/0.197
/Parameter of	(Mvar)	(Mvar)	(Mvar)
FACTS	Bus 12	Bus 46	Bus 13
Controller	/5.203	/5.504	/0.034
	(Mvar)	(Mvar)	(Mvar)
	Bus 18	-	-
	/6.931		
	(Mvar)		

### 5. CONCLUSION

In this paper, the proposed improved hybrid TSSA with the optimal number of FACTS controller determining method is used to evaluate TTC. The sine wave is applied to the hybrid TSSA. This application creates various parameter changing. The value of each parameter can be increased or decreased. This is the difference from the original hybrid TSSA which the value of each parameter is only increased. This difference enhances chances to step over from the local search space. Moreover, the optimal number of FACTS controller determining method and search space managing methods are integrated. The results indicate that improved hybrid TTC and additional technique can enhance TTC from the base case in both test system, especially in practical Thailand system. Moreover, the optimal number of FACTS controller determining method can reduce time by comparing to the increasing number of FACTS controller manually for looking for the optimal number of FACTS controller. Therefore, the installation SVC with a suitable number and optimal allocation are beneficial for the further expansion plans.

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	3.777	10.269	5.682	10.613	5.252	-1.355	-8.666	-6.995	-3.814	-9.058	-10.538	-10.074	-7.468	-8.458	-9.948	-10.559	17.924	-5.263	5.550	3.175	1.317	9.686	12.297	21.354	30.194	23.335	9.296	3.818	13.094	-3.209	-7.791	-8.285	0.000	Degree	Angle	
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23.000	26.700	40.400	51.000	0.000	5.100	74.700	-0.415	0.000	23.200	-335.663	287.977	76.918	233.400	217.071	416.935	-18.556	341.800	5.400	2.200	-10.200	19.000	61.000	-60.000	31.800	-23.800	-4.600	8.800	-16.400	-10.000	-54.300	-355.359	233.554	0.000	Mvar	oad	
0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	1113.700	0.000	149.900	639.700	1639.542	1206.540	880.000	575.100	499.800	499.600	719.500	149.700	698.400	338.980	218.000	1969.900	1967.987	MW		
0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	-349.717	-6.061	5.780	51.091	478.680	137.742	49.188	315.945	-51.109	41.918	-18.446	7.881	53.949	283.201	339.592	1065.902	442.327	Mvar	Gene	
0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	-450.000	-50.000	-57.000	-107.000	-421.200	-446.400	-160.000	-200.000	-130.000	-104.000	-209.200	-74.000	-223.200	-120.000	-80.000	-546.000	-416.400	Qmin	rator	
0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	1000.000	300.000	114.000	194.000	870.000	540.000	240.000	400.000	166.400	216.800	271.500	141.000	270.000	300.000	400.000	1155.000	850.000	Qmax		
0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	-1.668	-0.695	-0.769	0.000	-1.540	-0.385	0.000	-0.769	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	Mvar	Inject	
0.900	0.900	0.900	0.900	0.900	0.900	0.900	0.900	0.900	0.900	0.900	0.900	0.900	0.900	0.900	0.900	0.900	0.900	0.900	0.900	0.900	0.900	0.900	0.900	0.900	0.900	0.900	0.900	0.900	0.900	0.900	0.900	0.900	0.900	p.u.	$V_{min}$	
1.100	1.100	1.100	1.100	1.100	1.100	1.100	1.100	1.100	1.100	1.100	1.100	1.100	1.100	1.100	1.100	1.100	1.100	1.100	1.100	1.100	1.100	1.100	1.100	1.100	1.100	1.100	1.100	1.100	1.100	1.100	1.100	1.100	1.100	p.u.	$V_{max}$	
0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	500.000	0.000	100.000	300.000	750.000	000.000	400.000	300.000	250.000	250.000	400.000	100.000	350.000	150.000	100.000	1000.000	1000.000	MM	$\mathrm{Pg_{min}}$	
0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	1500.000	0.000	200.000	1000.000	2000.000	1500.000	1500.000	1000.000	750.000	750.000	1000.000	200.000	1000.000	500.000	300.000	2500.000	2500.000	MM	$Pg_{max}$	
125.200	179.700	175.500	210.900	0.000	48.000	241.500	315.340	0.000	184.600	825.580	607.370	446.170	999.300	839.050	885.180	387.290	0.000	77.800	5.800	36.200	81.200	430.500	0.000	74.800	73.700	31.000	-45.400	142.200	184.800	174.600	56.600	1108.890	0.000	MW	$\mathrm{Pd}_{\min}$	
188.000	270.000	263.000	316.000	0.000	72.000	362.000	456.000	0.000	277.000	1195.000	879.000	646.000	1499.000	1214.000	1281.000	560.000	0.000	117.000	9.000	54.000	122.000	646.000	0.000	112.000	111.000	47.000	-68.000	213.000	277.000	262.000	82.000	1605.000	0.000	MW	$Pd_{max}$	

Appendix

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58	57	56	55	54	53	52	51	50	49	48	47	46	45	44	43	42	41	40	39	38	37	36	No	
2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	Area	Bus
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	Code	
0.961	1.027	1.045	1.020	1.017	1.031	1.012	1.015	1.011	066.0	0.953	0.986	0.941	0.972	0.986	1.059	1.031	1.034	1.015	1.003	1.030	1.035	0.992	Mag.	Volt
-11.716	-7.550	-6.199	-7.008	-5.214	0.257	-0.930	6.748	5.353	1.999	-1.287	9.277	-2.878	-1.299	6.482	18.660	15.877	19.888	7.791	10.061	19.451	9.474	-9.708	Degree	Angle
623.225	49.600	33.200	195.000	319.800	97.200	302.000	96.000	307.800	0.000	231.900	508.200	291.100	71.000	313.800	122.200	9.000	-34.100	78.800	87.300	36.500	0.000	228.900	MW	Ľ
424.606	30.300	5.400	6.800	122.100	-8.200	182.700	28.400	163.800	0.000	155.400	152.400	91.200	105.000	36.000	4.800	9.500	27.000	87.000	17.100	21.300	615.300	13.200	Mvar	oad
0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	MW	
0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	Mvar	Gen
0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	Qmin	erator
0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	Qmax	
0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	-1.537	1.333	0.000	-0.833	-1.563	-0.834	-0.833	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	Mvar	Inject
0.900	0.900	0.900	0.900	0.900	0.900	0.900	0.900	0.900	0.900	0.900	0.900	0.900	0.900	0.900	0.900	0.900	0.900	0.900	0.900	0.900	0.900	0.900	p.u.	$V_{min}$
1.100	1.100	1.100	1.100	1.100	1.100	1.100	1.100	1.100	1.100	1.100	1.100	1.100	1.100	1.100	1.100	1.100	1.100	1.100	1.100	1.100	1.100	1.100	p.u.	$V_{max}$
0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.00.0	0.000	0.000	MW	$Pg_{min}$
0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	MW	Pgmax
623.230	49.600	33.200	195.000	319.800	97.200	302.000	96.000	307.800	0.000	231.900	508.200	291.100	71.000	313.800	122.200	9.000	-34.100	78.800	87.300	36.500	0.000	228.900	MW	$Pd_{min}$
902.000	74.000	50.000	293.000	480.000	146.000	453.000	144.000	462.000	0.000	348.000	762.000	437.000	107.000	471.000	183.000	14.000	-51.000	118.000	131.000	55.000	0.000	343.000	MW	Pd <sub>max</sub>

Line information of EGAT 58-bus

B	us	R	Х	1/2B	_	Rating
NL	NR	p.u.	p.u.	p.u.	а	MVA
1	52	0.0002	0.0021	0.0173	1.0000	972
2	22	0.0002	0.0027	0.0501	1.0000	1508
3	24	0.0012	0.0087	0.0393	1.0000	369
3	45	0.0035	0.0251	0.1129	1.0000	567
3	54	0.0026	0.0210	0.0791	1 0000	263
	52	0.0020	0.0210	0.0365	1.0000	205
4	12	0.0011	0.0113	0.0303	1.0000	499
4	10	0.0021	0.0222	0.0455	1.0000	422
7	33	0.0025	0.0214	0.0759	1.0000	50
(	34	0.0048	0.0383	0.1444	1.0000	509
8	38	0.0054	0.0438	0.0406	1.0000	208
8	39	0.0107	0.0833	0.3253	1.0000	357
9	41	0.0090	0.0454	0.1671	1.0000	512
10	43	0.0058	0.0424	0.1867	1.0000	152
12	51	0.0022	0.0159	0.0715	1.0000	392
14	15	0.0041	0.0325	0.1228	1.0000	175
17	10	0.0014	0.0208	0.0000	1.0520	502
18	19	0.0007	0.0050	0.0052	1.0000	253
18	23	0.0018	0.0146	0.0134	1.0000	25
18	24	0.0019	0.0140	0.0145	1.0000	280
10	20	0.0002	0.0027	0.0223	1 0000	1060
10	20	0.0002	0.0021	0.0220	1.0000	286
20	24	0.0017	0.0120	0.0102	1 0000	200
20	20	0.0001	0.0012	0.0369	1.0000	2423
20	21	0.0002	0.0011	0.0044	1.0000	300
21	2	0.0004	0.0041	0.0347	1.0000	422
21	26	0.0005	0.0041	0.0184	1.0000	238
21	1	0.0011	0.0116	0.0945	1.0000	1286
22	23	0.0001	0.0018	0.0149	1.0000	594
22	58	0.0009	0.0102	0.0215	1.0000	393
23	3	0.0018	0.0104	0.0470	1.0000	670
23	58	0.0005	0.0060	0.0127	1.0000	492
24	25	0.0019	0.0214	0.0397	1.0000	486
24	4	0.0019	0.0214	0.0397	1.0000	547
25	52	0.0017	0.0179	0.0365	1.0000	324
25	13	0.0021	0.0222	0.0453	1 0000	487
25	26	0.0021	0.0222	0.0400	1.0000	668
20	20	0.0000	0.0006	0.0106	1.0000	827
20	4	0.0009	0.0090	0.0190	1.0000	027
20	10	0.0024	0.0140	0.1212	1.0000	201
28	29	0.0052	0.0372	0.1073	1.0000	305
28	40	0.0059	0.0432	0.1892	1.0000	67
29	30	0.0049	0.0347	0.1557	1.0000	326
29	40	0.0079	0.0584	0.2629	1.0000	116
30	5	0.0008	0.0088	0.0738	1.0000	618
30	31	0.0057	0.0413	0.1820	1.0000	260
30	32	0.0005	0.0036	0.0158	1.0000	216
30	42	0.0087	0.0632	0.2797	1.0000	186
33	7	0.0038	0.0300	0.1132	1.0000	416
33	16	0.0140	0.1032	0.4603	1.0000	213
34	35	0.0044	0.0352	0.1325	1.0000	348
35	36	0.0044	0.0346	0.1303	1.0000	278
37	40	0.0004	0.0075	0.0000	0.9940	659
37	17	0.0004	0.0112	5 1761	1 0000	1803
27	40	0.0008	0.0114	9 1 2 10	1 0000	120/
31	49	0.0004	0.0114	2.1319	1.0000	1024
39	40	0.0024	0.0277	0.0718	1.0000	180
39	41	0.0107	0.0538	0.1982	1.0000	386
39	45	0.0049	0.0381	0.1503	1.0000	614
40	44	0.0072	0.0525	0.2354	1.0000	104
40	48	0.0032	0.0341	0.2784	1.0000	580
40	11	0.0041	0.0770	0.1956	1.0000	123
41	42	0.0060	0.0450	0.1841	1.0000	200
41	10	0.0079	0.0593	0.2428	1.0000	98
44	47	0.0024	0.0176	0.0788	1.0000	319
45	48	0.0025	0.0185	0.0829	1.0000	110
46	48	0.0015	0.0110	0.0494	1.0000	295
47	11	0.0006	0.0068	0.0556	1.0000	939
10	25	0.0014	0.0000	0.0000	1 0000	570
40	<u></u>	0.0014	0.0200	0.0000	1 0000	525
49	4	0.0014	0.0208	0.0000	1.0000	000

В	us	R	Х	1/2B		Rating
NL	NR	p.u.	p.u.	p.u.		MVA
50	12	0.0025	0.0184	0.0828	1.0000	487
50	51	0.0014	0.0103	0.0463	1.0000	271
50	13	0.0026	0.0192	0.0877	1.0000	416
53	13	0.0018	0.0197	0.1667	1.0000	117
54	55	0.0020	0.0163	0.0617	1.0000	240
54	14	0.0027	0.0213	0.3219	1.0000	881
55	56	0.0196	0.1545	0.1456	1.0000	39
55	57	0.0111	0.0883	0.0886	1.0000	24
56	16	0.0029	0.0216	0.0945	1.0000	105
57	56	0.0084	0.0689	0.0673	1.0000	59



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