MINIMIZATION OF ENERGY LOSSES IN MID-DELTA ZONE

تقليل مفاقيد الطاقة في منطقة ومنط الدنتا

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الخلاصة:

يتناول هذا البحث تقليل مفاقيد الطاقة في منطقة وسط المنتا وترجع أهمية هذا البحث إلى أنه بستبط طريقه رياضيه عمليه تساعد متخذى القرار على تحديد نظم التشغيل المشى للإستفاده القصوى من المهمات الكبريائيه القائمه نقيجة التقليل المفاقيد لتوفير الإستثمارات اللازمه لمولجهة الطلب المستمر على الطاقه، كما أنه يتناول أمواع مفاقيد الطاقه الشخلفة والتوصيات اللازمه لتقليل كل منها.

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ABSTRACT:

This paper aims at minimizing energy losses in the Mid-Delta zone using load flow methods. The mathematical model is applied to the Mid-Delta zone. The 220 kV network is modeled in the load flow program for each season of the year while the losses in the high voltage substations, medium voltage network and inedium voltage substations are calculated using a heuristic approach.

This paper presents a practical approach that would asist, the decision making process in an electric utility to optimize the operation procedures to save investements required to install new equipment to meet the growth on electric demand if the losses are minimized.

1. INTRODUCTION:

Power system losses in the transmission network are experienced in the components of such network, e.g. high voltage transmission lines, high voltage substations, medium voltage transmission lines, and medium voltage substations.

When generating costs are relatively low, network losses are not considered significant. However, the increasing cost of fuel makes electrical utilities weight these losses more heavily and study ways of reducing them[1-2].

Load flow studies are used to minimize network losses [3]. This is accomplished by running an extensive set of load flows during normal and emergency conditions for different load scenarios. Shuut losses, transformer's no load losses and corona losses are not included in load flow studies.

Electric utilities pay great attention to reduce transmission losses to save some of the investments paid in expanding both the generation facilities and electrical network to account for load growth and network losses [4-6].

Losses can be classified into built-in, technical, and commercial losses. The reduction of the built-in losses is the responsibility of the design team while the reduction of the technical and commercial losses is the responsibility of the operation personel.

The paper aims at minimizing energy losses in the Mid-Delta zone using load flow methods.

2. POWER SYSTEM LOSSES:

The losses in an electrical network are defined as the difference between the energy input corresponding to local production and imports and the output, which is the local consumption and export.

When generating costs are relatively low, network losses are not considered significant. However, the increasing cost of fuel makes electrical utilities weigh these losses more heavily and study ways of reducing them. To reduce losses, we must first define the sources of losses[7] which can be classified into the following:

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(i) Built-in Losses:

Losses inherent in the system stemming from the technical aspects of transmission and distribution.

(ii) Technical Losses:

Deviations from optimal conditions.

(iii) Commercial Losses:

There are a consequence of errors induced by the quality of metering devices, management of accounts, the consumption ratio of some equipment, and power theft.

2.1 Losses:

Power system losses are experienced mainly in the transmission system (and its associated transformers). In transmission, the determination of losses is subject to relatively large errors because often the losses in a line is considerably less than the precision tolerance of the meters used. A common method to minimize power system losses is by means of load flow studies which calculate the losses during system load levels that simulate the actual loading during the daily load cycle. When performing such simulations, it is very important to take into account two categories of "shunt" losses:

- i) the transformer's no-load losses (which usually account for a significant proportion of the total losses), and
- ii) corona losses, especially in the very high voltage lines

Traditionally "shunt" losses are not included in load flow studies.

The Load Flow simulation [8-10] is only as good as the assumptions of he variations of each individual load in the various seenarios that are synthesized. Whereas it is recognized that the typical loadings that are selected should be representative, there will be times when these assumptions are not correct. However, the ensuing discrepancies should be very minor because each of these loads is only a small part of the total.

In the load flow simulation it is quite difficult to represent the conditions when some transmission lines may be out of service for relatively short periods of time (as it occurs when a transmission line is de-energized to clean its insulators), at which time the losses may be slightly larger than usual.

2.2 Demand Losses (Power Losses):

The demand losses are the summation of the square of the load current in each circuit element of the system, at the instant of the system maximum demand, multiplied by the resistance of the circuit element in which it is flowing:

i.e. Power Losses =
$$I^2R$$
 (2.1)

The effect of the demand losses in the increased loading in the system elements by an amount equal to the magnitude of losses. In other words, the effect of the demand losses is the requirement to increase the installed capacity, and hence the eapital investments in the distribution and transmission systems as well as in the generating station.

2.3 Energy Losses:

Energy losses correspond to the loss of energy production costs incurred in satisfying energy losses.

Since the consumer loads change from hour to hour then the demand losses also change from hour to hour, being maximum at the hour of maximum demand.

The energy losses is the time integration of the demand losses in successive time intervals.

The energy losses is calculated as:

Energy losses =
$$I^2R \times Loss Factor \times 8760$$
 (2.2)

2.4 Loss Factor:

A loss factor is introduced to calculate the energy losses if the demand losses at peak time is known. It is defined as the percentage of time required by the peak load to produce the same losses as produced by the actual loads over a specified time period. Loss factor may be calculated from the following relationship:

Loss factor = Square of actual demands/square of peak demand over 100% of the time.

Loss factor % =
$$\frac{\sum_{j=1}^{n} (\text{Hourly Demand})^{2}}{n(\text{Peak Demand})^{2}} \times 100$$
 (2.3)

3 MATHEMATICAL MODEL:

3.1 Minimization of Yearly Loss Factor:

- i) Prepare a typical daily toad curve for a ch season for the year.
- ii) Calculate the loss factor for each season using the following equation.

Season loss Factor (
$$\lambda_s$$
) =
$$\frac{\sum_{i=1}^{24} P_i^2}{24 \times P_{mix}^2}$$
 (3.1)

Where:

= hourly load during the typical day for the season.

P_{max} = the max, load for the day.

= index for hour.

iii) Calculate yearly loss factor as a weighted average from the four season loss factors

Yearly Loss factor
$$(\lambda_y) = \frac{\sum\limits_{s=1}^{4} \lambda_s \times P_{max_s}}{\sum\limits_{s=1}^{4} P_{max_s}}$$
 (3.2)

where:

 λ_s = season loss factor.

P_{maxs} = max, load for the typical representing the season(s). = index for season.

3.2 Minimization of Demand Losses:

Demand losses are defined as the sum of the losses of individual components comprising the transmission system which are:

- High voltage transmission network. (i)
- (ii) High voltage substations.
- Medium voltage transmission network.
- Medium voitage substations.

Normally, extensive load flow studies are required to determine such losses both in the normal and emergency operating conditions. It is worthmentioning that corona losses are not modeled in load flow programs.

Due to the lack of information regarding the technical parameters including iron and copper losses of the individual (220/66/11) kV and (66/11) kV transformers and the details of (66 kV) transmission network, the following approach is followed to minimize the demand losses in the zone.

3.2.1 220 kV Network Lusses:

The 220 kV network and the generation facilities in the zone are modeled via an AC load flow program utilizing NEWTON-RAPHSON algorithm.

- i) Run load flow program for four cases, one for each season, during the max, load conditions.
- ii) Record the amount of power losses as derived from the output results of the power flow
- iii) Average the four loss values to obtain an ininimize for the yearly demand loss by the following equation:

$$P_{1} = \frac{\sum_{s=1}^{4} P_{s} \times P_{max_{s}}}{\sum_{s=1}^{4} P_{max_{s}}}$$
(3.3)

P₁ = the yearly power loss of the (220 kV) network.

P_s = season power loss of the (220 kV) network.

3.2.2 220/66/11 kV Substation Losses:

Generally, for any transformer, the power loss is determined from the following equation:

$$P_{L} = \left[\left(\frac{\text{Load (MVA)}}{\text{Full Load (MVA)}} \right)^{2} \times \text{Full Load Copper Loss} \right] \div \text{No Load Loss}$$
(3.4)

then the total demand losses in the (220/66/11) kV substations are calculated as:

$$P_2 = \sum_{i=1}^{n} P_L(i)$$
 (3.5)

where:

= demand loss for each transformer. $P_L(i)$

= Number of these transformers.

3.2.3 66kV Network Losses:

Since the 66kV network is not modeled in the load flow because of the lack of information about such network, an approximation is followed in this paper based on the figure published in the 1982 world bank study [11] In this study the demand losses were minimized to be (2-4%) of the peak load.

i) Calculated the season demand loss as:

$$P_s = 2\% P_{\text{max}_s} \tag{3.6}$$

ii) Average the four loss values to obtain an minimize for the yearly demand loss in the (66 kV) network by the following equation:

$$P_{3} = \frac{\sum_{s=1}^{4} P_{s} \times P_{max_{s}}}{\sum_{s=1}^{4} P_{max_{s}}}$$
(3.7)

where:

= the yearly power loss of the (66 kV) network. = the season power loss of the (66 kV) network.

3.2.4 66 kV Substation Losses:

Similar to 220/66/11 kV substation, the total demand losses in the 66/11kV substation is calculated as:

$$P_4 = \sum_{i=1}^4 P_L(i)$$
 (3.8)

where:

PL(i)= demand loss for each transformer from this type which can be calculated from equation (3.2).

The total demand losses for the zone is the sum of all the constituents starting from the 220 kV network up to the 66/11 kV substation.

$$P_{y} = P_{1} + P_{2} + P_{3} + P_{4} \tag{3.9}$$

the percentage demand losses is calculated by:

%Demand Losses =
$$\frac{\text{Total Demand Losses}}{\text{Peak Load}} \times 100$$
 (3.10)
= $\frac{P_y}{P_t} \times 100$

where

$$P_{k} = \text{Average of season inaximum loads} = \frac{\sum_{s=1}^{4} P_{\text{max}_{SL}}}{4}$$

$$P_{y} = \text{Total demand losses in the zone.}$$
(3.11)

3.3 Minimization of Energy Losses:

According to equation (2.2), The year y energy losses in the zone is given by:

$$E_y = P_y \times \lambda_y \times 8760$$
Energy Losses

$$= \frac{E_y}{E_x} \times 100$$
 (3.13)

4 APPLICATION ON MID-DELTA ZONE:

The mathematical model developed in section 3 is applied to the Mid-Delta zone. The 220 kV network is modeled in the load flow program for each season of the year while the high voltage substations, medium voltage network, and medium voltage substations are handled by the method detailed in the previous section.

4.1 Loss Calculations For The 220kV Network:

Typical daily load curves for the four seasons of the year are prepared to calculate the loss factor for each season and consequently the yearly loss factor. The detailed calculations for the summer season is given here as an example while for other seasons, the final results are given Fig. (4.1) shows the typical daily load curve for the summer season.

$$\lambda_{s} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{24} P_{i}^{2}}{24 \times P_{\text{max}}^{2}} = \frac{13464959}{24 \times (1107)^{2}} = 0.458$$

The solution of Load Flow program for the summer season is achieved in 4 iterations (see Appendix) and the single line diagram, Fig (4.2), illustrates the load flow results for this

From the above calculations, the loss factor and the active power loss for summer are 0.458, 8.822 MW respectively.

The same procedure is followed for the other seasons and the results are as follows:

For Autumn Season: Loss Factor = 0.415

Active Power Loss = 9.209 MW

For Winter Season:

Loss Factor = 0.483

Active Power Loss = 6.127 MW

For Spring Season:

Loss Factor = 0.403

Active Power Loss = 5.997 MW

Calculation of Yearly Loss Factor and Demand Loss:

Yearly Loss Factor
$$(\lambda_y)$$
 = $\frac{\sum_{s=1}^{4} \lambda_s \times P_{max_s}}{\sum_{s=1}^{4} P_{max_s}}$
= $\frac{0.402 \times 1150 + 0.415 \times 1156 + 0.458 \times 1107 + 0.483 \times 1201}{1150 + 1156 + 1107 + 1201}$

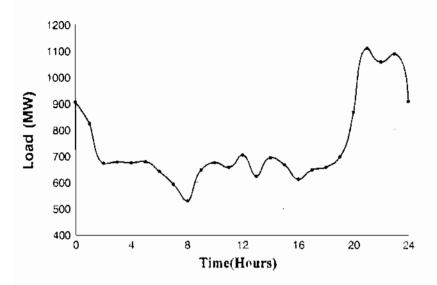


Fig. (4.1): Daily load curve for summer season

Using this curve, the following table is constructed to calculate the summer Loss Factor:

Hour	Load (P _i)	(Load) ⁴ (P _i) ⁴
0	906	820836
1	824	678976
2	1 673	452929
3	678	459684
4	! 675	455625
5	679	461041
6	641	410881
7	592	350464
3	529	279841
9	647	418609
10	675	455625
11	657	431649
12	704	495616
13	623	388129
]4	694	481636
15	667	444889
16	611	373321
17	647	418609
18	658	432964
19	697	485809
20	866	749956
2!	P _{max} = i 107	1225449
22	1055	1113025
23	1086	1179396
24	906	820836
	$\sum P_i = 17591$	$\sum P_1^2 = 13464959$

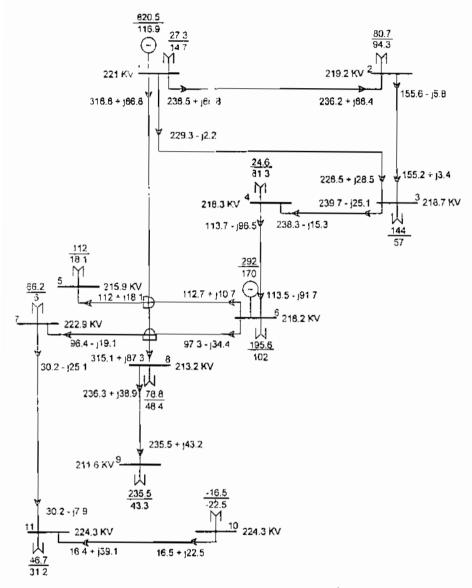


Fig. (4.2): Lond Flow Program Results

Yearly Demand Loss(P₁) =
$$\frac{\sum_{s=1}^{4} P_s \times P_{max_s}}{\sum_{s=1}^{4} P_{max_s}}$$
=
$$\frac{5.997 \times 1150 + 9.209 \times 1156 + 8.822 \times 1107 + 6.127 \times 1201}{1150 + 1156 + 1107 + 1201}$$
P₁= 7.513 (MW)

4.2 (220/66/11) kV Substation Losses:

Assume all these substation transformers are 125 MVA and 50% loaded.

Number of these transformers = 25.

Full load copper loss = 368 kW.

No load loss =82 kW.

According equations (3.4), (3.5).

 $P_{L} = 174.00 \text{ kW}$

$$P_2 = 4.35 \text{ MW}$$

4.3 (66 kV) network losses:

According to equation (3.6)

For WINTER season MW

For SPRING season

 $: P_S = 0.02 \times 1201 = 24.02$ $: P_S = 0.02 \times 1150 = 24 \text{ MW}$ $: P_S = 0.02 \times 1107 = 22.1$ $: P_S = 0.02 \times 1156 = 27.12$ MW For SUMMER season For AUTUMN season MW

According to equation (3.7).

$$P_3 = 23.089 \text{ MW}$$

4.4 (66/11) kV Substation Losses:

Transformer rating (MVA)	No. of Transformers	Copper Loss At Full Load (kW)	No Load Loss (kW)
25	18	136	22.5
20	63	115	19.5
16	9	97	17
12.5	39	82	15

According to eq. (3.8).

$$P_4 = 5.8125 \text{ MW}$$

Calculation of percentage demand and energy losses:

$$P_y = P_1 + P_2 + P_3 + P_4 = 40.764733 \text{ MW}$$
(1) % Demand Losses = $\frac{P_y}{P_t} \times 100$

$$P_k = \frac{1201 + 1107 + 1150 \div 1156}{4} = 1153.5 \text{ MW}$$

:. Demand Losses =
$$\frac{40.764}{1153.5}$$
 = 3.528

(2) % Energy Losses

Yearly energy losses =
$$\lambda_v \times P_v \times 8760$$

= 407643 x 0.44 x 8760
= 157123.59 MWH

Calculation of Energy during the year.

Energy during WINTER season = 1755285MWH Energy during SPRING season = 1549972.5MWH **MWH** Energy during SUMMER season = 1596053.75= 1590122.5MWH Energy during AUTUMN season

The Total Energy During The Year = (Et) = 6791433.75 MWH

%Losses =
$$\frac{157123.59}{6491433.75} \times 100 = 2.42$$

5 CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS:

a) The results achieved reveals a concuracy of the mathematical model developed in this paper of compared to the figures and in 1982 world bank study [11-12]. The following table illustrates this conclusion.

Power System Component	% Demand Losses	% Energy Losses
220 kV network	0.6513	0.446
220/66/11 kV S/S	0.3770	0.258
66 kV network	2.0000	1.370
66/11 kV S/S	0.5000	0.346
%Total	Calculated = 3.528	2.42
Losses	Word bank study = 3.5	2.31

b) The actual figures of the percentage energy losses was reduced from 3.2% in 1995 to 2.9% in the first quarter of 1996 while the minimized value calculated in this paper amounts to 2.42% which allows for further reductions in the energy losses to improve the overall performance of the Mid-Delta zone.

To end this paper, it is recommended to apply the following procedures to reduce the losses.

I. Built-iu Losses:

This aspect is addressed by seeking to optimize the power system components and power delivery process during the design stage. Since the network already is in place, then the redesigns to center on network expansion and equipment replacement.

To reduce the built-in losses the following policies are recommended:

- (i) Locating new power sources close to consumers.
- (ii) Installing new 220/66/11 kV substations in areas of high consumption.
- (iii) Changing the conductor of old 220kV line sections to bundle conductors.
- (iv) Impolying new technologies for example, new materials for power transformers are an effective way of reducing consumption.
- (v) Installing capacitor banks to improve the voltage profile.

2. Technical Losses:

- Reducing technical losses can be accomplished primary by the optimal distribution of active and reactive facilities.
- Adequate sectionalizing of the 220kV and medium voltage networks is the most important target for reducing such losses.
- iii) During the reduced-load periods, some of the 220 kV lines can also be disconnected to reduce the Insses caused by corona effects.

3. Commercial Losses:

Can be reduced by:

- i) Using high class meters (error class 0.5 or less).
- ii) Periodic calibration of meters.
- Reviewing primary and secondary connections of meters.
- (v) Reviewing of reading constants.
- v) Fixing time and date of reading all meters.
- vi) Training the personal for accurate readings.
- vii) Munimizing thefts.

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7 APPENDIX:

Load Flow Input Data For SUMMER Season.

11,11,0,0,0,2,,01,10

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Bus Data:

'SLACK',221,1,0,0,0,27.3,14.7

'PQ',220,1.0,0,0,80.7,94.3

'PQ',220.1,0,0,0,144,57

PQ'.220.1.0.0.0,124.6,81.3

'PQ',220,1.0.0.0,112,18.1

'PV',217,1,0,292,0,195.6,102

0,170

'PQ',220,1,0.0,0,66.2,6

'PQ',220.1,0,0,0,78.8,48.4

'PQ',220.1,0,0.0.235.5,43.3

'PQ',220,1,0,0,0,-16.5,-22.5

'PQ',220.1,0.0,0,46.7,31.2

Branch Data:

1.2,0.0412,0.302,3.72,10.0,2,1000

1,3.0.0412.0.302,3.72,33.0,2,1000

1,8,0.0412,0.302,3.72,75.2,2,1000

2.3.0.0412,0.302,3.72,33.0,2,800

3,4,0.0412.0.302.3.72,56.8.2.800

4,6,0.0412.0.302,3.72.17.0,2.800

6,5,0,0825,0,918,2,72,60,0,2,1000

6.7.0 0825.0.918,2.72,95.0,2,1000

7,11,0,0412,0,302,3,72,47,0,2,600

8,9,0.0412.0.302,3.72,30.0,2.1200

10,11,0.0412,0.302,3.72,45.0,2,800

Load Flow Output Results For SUMMER Season. BUS DATA OF BASE CASE

ROZ D	ATA OF BA	SE CASE					
BUS	BUS	PG	QG	PL	QL	QMI	QMAX
МО	TYPE	(MW)	(MVAR)	(MW)	(MVAR)	(MVAR)	(MVAR)
J	SLACK	\$20.538	116.949	27.300	14.700		
2	PQ	.000	.000.	80.700	94 300		
3	РQ	.000	.000	144.000	57.000		
4	ΡQ	000	ዐበሶ	124.600	81.300		
5	PQ	()00	.000	112.000	18.100		
6	PV	292.Jr U	70.000	195 600	102.000	000	170.000
7	PQ	.000	000	66.200	6.000		
3	РQ	000	.000	78.800	48.400		
9	ľQ	900	.000	235.500	43.300		
10	PQ	.000	000	-16.500	-22.500		
11	PQ	000	.900	46 700	31.200		

RESULT FOR BASE CASE

! and	Flow	Resuits	Of Ne	twork	Rue
LUNIU	FUUN	IXCSUITS.	C/I NC	LWUIL	DR2

BUS	BUS	PΤ	QT	VMAG	VANG
NO	$TYP\Gamma$	(MW)	(MVAR)	(KV)	(DEG)
!	SLACK	793.238	102.2489	221 0000	.0000
2	PQ	-80.700	-94.3000	219.1831	3989
3	PQ	-144.000	-57.000 0	118.7280	-1.3250
i.	vQ	-124 600	-81.3000	218.2395	-3.8139
5	PQ	-112.000	418.1000	215.9577	-8.0088
б	PV	96.400	68.0000	216.1740	-4.2027
7	PQ.	-66 200	-6.0000	222.8662	-9.4276
3	5O	-78.800	-48.4000	213.2072	-4.1932
9	PQ	-235.500	-43.3000	211.6428	-5.5 17 3
10	PQ	16 500	22.5000	224.2657	-9.5975
П	PQ	-46.700	-31.2000	223.2609	-9.6 9 30

<u>POWER FLOW THROUGH LINES</u> SENDING, RECEIVING. FROM SENDING END. FROM RECEIVING END.

NODE	NODE	(MW)	(MVAR)	(M W)	(MVAR)
1	2	236.541	86.801	-236.271	-88.449
1	3	229.250	22.005	-228.507	-28.486
1	8	318.626	86.840	-315.085	-87.384
2	3	155.572	-5.848	-155.230	-3.412
3	4	239,740	-25.103	-238.328	15.274
4	6	113.732	-96.573	-113.573	91.693
6	5	112.685	10.751	-111.995	-18.100
6	7	97.277	-34.396	-96.44 I	19,129
7	11	30.244	-25.129	-30.221	7.899
3	9	236,285	38.984	-235.500	-43.299
10	11	16,500	22.501	-16.477	-39.09 9

TOTAL ACTIVE AND REACTIVE LOSSES IN THE NETWORK

ACTIVE POWER LOSS: 8.822 MW

Reactive Power Loss: -93.480 MVAR

Solution Of Load Flow Program Achieved In 4 Iteration