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# **Chance-Constrained Generalized Energy Storage Operations under Decision-Dependent Uncertainty**

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**Conclusion and Current Work** 

# 1. Background and Motivation

 Climate Change → Carbon Neutrality Policies → Vigorously Development of Renewables → Increased Uncertainty → Increased Flexibility Requirements



● Ensure Power Balance → Four Basic Flexibility Requirements → Declined Flexibility from Generation → Unlock flexibility from Energy Storage and Demand Response



# 1. Background and Motivation

● Extensive Types of Energy Storage and Demand Response Resources → Large Power and Energy Ranges→ Limitations in Reliability and Economy



- Flywheel → UPS (Expensive)
  - Battery → Short-Term Dispatch (Security, Extreme Climate Conditions)
- Pumped-StorageHydro → Long-Term Dispatch (Resource-Dependent, Expensive)
- CAES/Hydrogen → Low-efficiency, Expensive
- Virtual Energy Storage(VES) → Cheap (Unreliable)
- Q: Generate Reliable Flexibility from Heterogeneous Resources?
   Q: Guarantee both Reliability and Economy with Less ES and More VES?
- Generalized Energy Storage (GES): physical energy storage + virtual energy storage





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**Conclusion and Current Work** 

• Non-Intrusively Extract/Disaggregate GES from Load (Behind-the-Meter) and Evaluate the Operational Flexibility of GES Resources—Flexibility Learning

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#### Propose a Unified GES Model with Various Decision-Independent Uncertainties (DIUs) and Decision-Dependent Uncertainties (DDUs)—Flexibility Modeling

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## ✓ Behavior Analysis + Load Disaggregation + Parameter identification

#### • Thermostatically Controlled Load (TCL)



Input: Ambient Temperature

#### ✓ Behavior Analysis + Load Disaggregation + Parameter identification

#### Non-Intrusive + Unsupervised Learning

**Step1 Data Acquisition Smart meter data, temperature data** 

Step2 Data Cleaning Missing readings, without TCL

#### Step3 Load Level Clustering (Kmeans++ DTW)

Identification of different consumption levels: weekday load without or with fewer ACLs, weekday load with ACLs, weekend load without or with fewer ACLs, and weekend load with ACLs

#### **Step4 Correlation Analysis (Temperature) Remove the ACLs segments in the quasi-baseload**

#### Step5 **Distribution Test** Distribution of baseload with seasonal variations



## ✓ Behavior Analysis + Load Disaggregation + Parameter identification

## ETP Model + Simulation + Recursively Estimation

Step1 Segment Decomposition on-off segment static-dynamic segment

$$|P_t| \leq \delta$$
  $dPT_t = \frac{d}{dt} (\frac{P_t}{T_{out,t}}) \leq \sigma$ 

**Step2 Static Parameter Estimation constrained regression** 

$$\begin{bmatrix} k, \boldsymbol{b} \end{bmatrix} = \arg\min_{k, b_t} \sum_{t \in \boldsymbol{\Omega}_{\text{on-static}}} (P_t - kT_{\text{out}, t} - b_t)^2$$
  
s.t.  $K_{\min} \leq k \leq K_{\max}$   
 $T_{\text{set,min}} \leq -b_t / k \leq T_{\text{set,max}}, \quad t \in \boldsymbol{\Omega}_{\text{on-static}}$   
 $k=1 / \eta_{\text{eq}} R_{\text{eq}} \qquad -\boldsymbol{b} / k = \boldsymbol{T}_{\text{set}} = \{T_{\text{set}, t}\}$ 

#### Step3 Dynamic Parameter Estimation Simulation+PSO Recursively

$$\frac{C_{eq}}{\eta_{eq}} = \frac{t_3 - t_2}{\eta_{eq} R_{eq} \ln[(P_2 - P_4) / (P_3 - P_4)]}$$

$$(\frac{C_{eq}}{\eta_{eq}})_{\max} = (\frac{\sum_{i} C_i}{\eta_{eq}})_{\max} = (\frac{\sum_{i} c \rho h_i S_i}{\eta_{eq}})_{\max} = c_{air} \rho_{air} P_{max} \frac{h}{Q}$$











#### ✓ Operational Flexibility—State-Dependent

**Multiple Factors:** ambient temperature, setpoint temperature, equivalent thermal parameter, comfort

**Multiple Uncertainties:** seasonal variation, temperature correlation, social behavior







### **Individual Flexibility**



### ✓ Practical Flexibility= min (Physical Flexibility, Economic Flexibility)

Economic Flexibility: price elasticity model

$$DP_{t}^{1} = \frac{\varphi E_{t} P_{_{total,t}}^{*}}{\rho_{t}^{*}} (\rho_{t} - \rho_{t}^{*} + \eta \lambda_{t}) + \sum_{\substack{j=1\\j\neq t}} \frac{\varphi E_{t,j} P_{_{total,t}}^{*}}{\rho_{j}^{*}} (\rho_{j} - \rho_{j}^{*} + \eta \lambda_{j})$$

Physical Flexibility: data-driven model

$$DP_t^2 = f(T_{out,t}, t_{duration}, T_{in,t}, \Delta T, \theta_{eq})$$







## ✓ Case Study (Ground-Truth Data)

#### **Austin Mueller Project**

Smart Meter Data Downtown Austin residential customer, whole-house, sub-meter August 2015 to July 2016, 1min Weather Data Mueller weather station August 2015 to July 2016, 1h



#### **Smart Home Project**

Smart Meter Data Smart Home , Mississippi state whole-house, sub-meter 2016.01~2016.12, 15min/30min/1h Weather Data 2016.01~2016.12, 1h



## ✓ Case Study (Ground-Truth Data)

#### **Nanjing Project**

Low-Voltage Distribution Substation Data Aggregated customers garment factory, hotel, hospital 2017.01~ 2018.12, 15min

Weather Data 2017.01~ 2018.12, 1h



#### Hangzhou Project

Low-Voltage Distribution Substation Data Aggregated customers Office building, rural area, hotel 2020.01~ 2021.12, 15min

Weather Data 2020.01~ 2021.12, 1h



## ✓ Case Study (Ground-Truth Data)

#### High Accuracy, High Robustness Highly-Transferable



Fig Comparison of the ground truth and estimated data of customer #77

# Table Comparison of the average performanceevaluation index

Index	Hybrid Method	Linear Regression [18]	HMM [13]
F1 Score	0.77	0.67	0.71
MAE (kW)	0.26	0.34	0.28
RMSE (kW)	0.48	0.51	0.42
MAPE (%)	29.09	50.06	31.29
NRMSE (%)	21.36	23.91	19.73



Fig Histogram of the important evaluation index across the 119 customers



## ✓ Case Study (Ground-Truth Data)





#### Fig setpoint temperature estimation



Fig thermal capacity estimation

## ✓ Case Study (Ground-Truth Data)

#### Usage Pattern



**On-state** 

#### Distribution of Flexibility



#### DR Customer Targeting



#### ✓ Flexibility from EV—More Complex and Stochastic than TCL



Plug-in time

**Plug-out times** 

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### ✓ Unified Modeling of GES Resources



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Modeling of Flexible Load

#### ✓ Unified Modeling of GES Resources—DIUs and DDUs

- GES model involves: Battery, TCL and EV
- Q: What's the difference between GES model and battery model?

### **GES Model** $0 \le P_{c,i,t}^{GES} \leqq \overline{P}_{c,i,t}^{GES}$ $0 \le P_{d,i,t}^{GES} \gneqq \overline{P}_{d,i,t}^{GES}$ Time-varying $\underline{SoC}_{i,t}^{GES} \leq \underline{SoC}_{i,t}^{GES} \leq \overline{SoC}_{i,t}^{GES}$ Baseline Consumption $SoC_{i,t+1}^{\text{GES}} = (1 - \varepsilon_i^{\text{GES}})SoC_{i,t}^{\text{GES}} + \frac{\eta_{c,i}^{\text{GES}}P_{c,i,t}^{\text{GES}}\Delta t}{S_i^{\text{GES}}} - \frac{P_{d,i,t}^{\text{GES}}\Delta t}{S_i^{\text{GES}}\eta_{d,i}^{\text{GES}}} + \alpha_{i,t}^{\text{GES}}$ $SoC_{i,T}^{GES} = SoC_{i,0}^{GES}$ SoC Ramping $-RD_i^{\text{GES}}\Delta t \le SoC_{i,t+1}^{\text{GES}} - SoC_{i,t}^{\text{GES}} \le RU_i^{\text{GES}}\Delta t$ $\underline{SoC}_{i,t}^{\text{DDU}} = h(g(\underline{SoC}_{i,t}^{\text{DIU}}, c_{\mathbf{d},i,t}^{\mathbf{S}}), RD_{i,t})$ $RD_{i,t} = \lambda \sum_{\tau=1}^{t} P_{\mathbf{d},i,\tau} / (\overline{P}_{\mathbf{d},i}T) + (1-\lambda) |SoC_{i,t} - SoC_{i,t}^{\mathbf{B}}|$ **|** Decisiondependent $g = (\underline{SoC}_{i,t} - \underline{SoC}_{i,t}^{\text{DIU}})\mathcal{N}(\mu_g, \sigma_g) + \underline{SoC}_{i,t}^{\text{DIU}}$ uncertainty $h = (\underline{SoC}_{i,t}^{\mathbf{B}} - Q_g) \mathcal{LN}(\mu_h, \sigma_h) + Q_g$ (DDU) $\mu_q = c_{\mathrm{d}\,i\,t}^{\mathrm{S}} / \overline{c}^{\mathrm{S}} , \mu_h = \beta_i R D_{i,t} ,$

## **1. Mapping GES Model to Physical Resources**

GES model parameters	Physical BES	Physical TCL (IVA/FFA)	Physical EV
$SoC_t$	$SoC_t$	$\frac{\overline{T}^{\mathrm{in}}\!-\!T_t^{\mathrm{in}}}{\overline{T}^{\mathrm{in}}\!-\!\underline{T}^{\mathrm{in}}}$	$SoC_t$
$\overline{P}_{\mathrm{c},t}$	$\overline{P}_{c}$	$\overline{P} - P_t^{B}$	$\overline{P}_{\mathrm{c}} - P_{\mathrm{c},t}^{\mathrm{B}}$
$\overline{P}_{\mathrm{d},t}$	$\overline{P}_{d}$	$P_t^{\mathbf{B}} - \underline{P}$	$\overline{P}_{\mathrm{d}} - P^{\mathrm{B}}_{\mathrm{d},t}$
$\underline{SoC}_t$	$\underline{SoC}$	$\frac{\overline{T}^{\mathrm{in}} - \overline{T}^{\mathrm{in}}_t}{\overline{T}^{\mathrm{in}} - \underline{T}^{\mathrm{in}}}$	$\underline{SoC}_t$
$\overline{SoC}_t$	$\overline{SoC}$	$\frac{\overline{T}^{\mathrm{in}} - \underline{T}^{\mathrm{in}}_t}{\overline{T}^{\mathrm{in}} - \underline{T}^{\mathrm{in}}}$	$\overline{SoC}_t$
ε	ε	$1\!-\!e^{-\Delta t/RC}$	ε
S	S	$\frac{\Delta t(\overline{T}^{\rm in}\!-\!\underline{T}^{\rm in})}{KR(1\!-\!e^{-\Delta t/RC})}$	S
$\eta_{ m c/d}$	$\eta_{ m c/d}$	1	$\eta_{ m c/d}$
$\alpha_t$	0	$(1\!-\!e^{-\Delta t/RC})SoC_t^{\rm B}$	$\Delta SoC_t^{\rm B}$

### 2. Decision-independent Uncertainty→Data



#### ✓ Unified Modeling of GES Resources—DIUs and DDUs

• DDU: Coupling Relationship Between Decisions & Uncertainty



**Capacity Degradation** 



### Occupant Discomfort

#### **Manual Overrides**

Fig. 9: Degree of discomfort vs Time to discomfort; during occupied periods (Single-occupant households; 30 min. filter)



Fig. 10: Effect occupancy filter on the relationship between degree of discomfort and time to discomfort

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### ✓ Learning DDU Remains a Challenging Issue!

#### 1. Price/Incentive-Synthetic Data

$$\begin{bmatrix} \Delta Q_1/Q_1 \\ \Delta Q_2/Q_2 \\ \vdots \\ \Delta Q_{24}/Q_{24} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \varepsilon_{1,1} & \varepsilon_{1,2} & \cdots & \varepsilon_{1,24} \\ \varepsilon_{2,1} & \varepsilon_{2,2} & \cdots & \varepsilon_{2,24} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ \varepsilon_{24,1} & \varepsilon_{24,2} & \cdots & \varepsilon_{24,24} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \Delta P_1/P_1 \\ \Delta P_2/P_2 \\ \vdots \\ \Delta P_{24}/P_{24} \end{bmatrix}$$
(1)

Ruan J, Liang G, Zhao J, et al. Graph Deep Learning-based Retail Dynamic Pricing for Demand Response[J]. IEEE Transactions on Smart Grid, 2023.

#### 2. Discomfort-Utility data



Kane M B, Sharma K. Data-driven identification of occupant thermostatbehavior dynamics[J]. arXiv preprint arXiv:1912.06705, 2019.

#### 3. Distribution

#### Versatile Mixture Distribution

PDF: 
$$f(x \mid \alpha, \beta, \gamma) = \frac{\alpha \beta e^{-\alpha(x-\gamma)}}{\left(1 + e^{-\alpha(x-\gamma)}\right)^{\beta+1}}$$
.  
CDF:  $F(x \mid \alpha, \beta, \gamma) = \left(1 + e^{-\alpha(x-\gamma)}\right)^{-\beta}$ .

CDF<sup>-1</sup>: 
$$F^{-1}(\varepsilon \mid \alpha, \beta, \gamma) = \gamma - \frac{1}{\alpha} \ln \left( \varepsilon^{-1/\beta} - 1 \right)$$



#### Differentiable, integrable, and convex

Zhang Z S, Sun Y Z, Gao D W, et al. A versatile probability distribution model for wind power forecast errors and its application in economic dispatch[J]. IEEE transactions on power systems, 2013, 28(3): 3114-3125.





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## • DR Performance of CAISO- 1/3 of DR is unavailable especially during peaks



# What causes the <mark>DR unavailability</mark> during load Peak?

- Modeling Error (Detailed Occupant Behavior)
- Uncertainty Consideration (Overlook DDU)
- Incentive Mechanism (Fairness)

## Solutions?

✓ DDU Risk Hedging (Chance-Constrained)

 Propose Three General Solution Methodologies for Chance-Constrained Optimization (CCO) under DDU (Ambiguous Information & Complete Distribution & Online Data)

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Variants and Applications

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• Microgrid, Virtual Power Plant, Reserve and Adequacy Provision Portfolio Optimization, Unit & Reliability Commitment, Capacity Credit Evaluation

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#### ✓ Chance-Constrained Optimization under DDU

#### • Joint Funding (UNSFC) on DDU—RO/DRO/SO/MARO

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### • Chance-Constrained Optimization (CCO)

Challenge: Coupling Relationship between Decisions and Parameters (non-convex)

**Reformulation under DIU** 

$$egin{aligned} &\mathbb{P}ig(a_i(oldsymbol{x})^{ ext{T}}oldsymbol{\xi} \leq b_i(oldsymbol{x})ig) \geq 1-\epsilon \ &a_i(oldsymbol{x})^{ ext{T}}oldsymbol{\mu}+b_i(oldsymbol{x})+F^{-1}(1-\epsilon)\sqrt{a_i(oldsymbol{x})^{ ext{T}}oldsymbol{\Sigma}a_i(oldsymbol{x})} \leq 0 \end{aligned}$$

# ξ Stochastic Parametersx Decisions

**Reformulation under DDU** 

$$egin{aligned} \mathbb{P}ig(a_i(oldsymbol{x})^{ ext{T}}oldsymbol{\xi}(oldsymbol{x}) &\leq b_i(oldsymbol{x})ig) \geq 1-\epsilon \ a_i(oldsymbol{x})^{ ext{T}}oldsymbol{\mu}(oldsymbol{x}) + b_i(oldsymbol{x}) + F_{oldsymbol{x}}^{-1}(1-\epsilon)\sqrt{a_i(oldsymbol{x})^{ ext{T}}oldsymbol{\Sigma}(oldsymbol{x})a_i(oldsymbol{x})} &\leq 0 \end{aligned}$$

 $F_{\boldsymbol{x}}^{-1}(1-\epsilon)$  Unknown

#### Solution Methodology (I-Distributionally Robust Approximation)

- **Obtain Robust Value of inversed CDF from generations of Cantelli's inequality**
- 1. Without Distribution Assumption (NA) 2. Symmetric Distribution (S)

$$egin{aligned} F(k) &= 1 - \sup_{P \in NA} \mathbb{P}[\xi \geq k] = k^2/1 + k^2 \ F^{-1}(1-\gamma) &= \sqrt{(1-\gamma)/\gamma} \end{aligned}$$

**3. Unimodal Distribution (U)** 

$$egin{aligned} F(k) &= 1 - \sup_{P \in U} \mathbb{P}[\xi \geq k] \ &= egin{cases} 1 - 4/(9k^2 + 9) & k \geq \sqrt{5/3} \ 1 - (3 - k^2)/(3 + 3k^2) & 0 \leq k \leq \sqrt{5/3} \ F^{-1}(1 - \gamma) &= egin{cases} \sqrt{2/9\gamma} & 0 < \gamma \leq 1/6 \ \sqrt{3}(1 - 2\gamma) & 1/6 < \gamma \leq 1/2 \end{aligned}$$

5. Student's t (ST) & Normal Distribution (N)

 $egin{aligned} t_{
u,\sigma}^{-1}(1-\gamma) \ \Phi^{-1}(1-\gamma) \end{aligned}$ 

$$egin{aligned} F(k) &= 1 - \sup_{P \in S} \mathbb{P}[\xi \geq k] = 1 - rac{1}{2} \sup_{P \in S} \mathbb{P}[|\xi| \geq k] = 1 - rac{1}{2k^2} \ F^{-1}(1-\gamma) &= \sqrt{1/2\gamma} \end{aligned}$$

4. Symmetric & Unimodal Distribution (SU)

$$egin{aligned} F(k) &= 1 - \sup_{P \in SU} \mathbb{P}[\xi \geq k] = 1 - rac{1}{2} \sup_{P \in U} \mathbb{P}[|\xi| \geq k] \ &= egin{cases} 1 - 2/9k^2 & k \geq 2/\sqrt{3} \ 1/2 + k/2\sqrt{3} & 0 \leq k \leq 2/\sqrt{3} \ F^{-1}(1-\gamma) &= egin{cases} \sqrt{2/9\gamma} & 0 < \gamma \leq 1/6 \ \sqrt{3}(1-2\gamma) & 1/6 < \gamma \leq 1/2 \end{aligned}$$



#### ✓ Solution Methodology (II-Data-Driven Online Optimization)

• Observe the DDU and Update DDU in Real-Time Operation

r(x) is the radius of DDU, y is the auxiliary decision matrix. p, K should guarantee:  $p \ge 2$ , K >  $(2+\sqrt{2ln}(4/\epsilon))^p$ 

## ✓ Solution Methodology (III-Iterative Approach)

#### • Iteratively Update DDU and Solutions

Algorithm 1 Iterative algorithm for CCO-DDUs

**Input:** Probability level  $\gamma$ , convergence criterion  $\delta$ , deterministic and reformulated random parameters under DIUs. **Output:** Decision variables y and cost function F(y, z). **Step1:** Initialization

Set k=1, and  $F^{-1}(1 - \gamma, y_0)$  with robust reformulation value referred to Table II. Compute CCO-DDUs with  $F^{-1}(1 - \gamma, y_0)$  to obtain initial value of  $y_0$ . Use  $y_0$  to update  $F^{-1}(1 - \gamma, y_1)$  via MCS. Calculate eps  $= |F^{-1}(1 - \gamma, y_1) - F^{-1}(1 - \gamma, y_0)|$ .

#### **Step2: Iteration**

While  $eps > \delta$  do

Compute CCO-DDUs with  $F^{-1}(1-\gamma, y_k)$  to obtain  $y_k$ . Use  $y_k$  to update  $F^{-1}(1-\gamma, y_{k+1})$  via MCS. C alculate eps =  $|F^{-1}(1-\gamma, y_{k+1}) - F^{-1}(1-\gamma, y_k)|$ .  $k \leftarrow k+1$ 

#### end

Step3: Return  $y = y_k$ ,  $G(y, z) = G(y_k, z)$ 

#### **Starting Point of Robust Approximation**



#### Convexity and Convergence Conditions 1) RD function; 2) g/h distribution



## ✓ Economic Dispatch in Microgrid with GES (Case 1)

#### **Objective function**

$$\min_{\mathbf{y}} G(\mathbf{y}, \mathbf{z}) = \sum_{t \in \Omega_T} (C_t^{\mathbf{S}} + C_t^{\mathbf{G}})$$
$$C_t^{\mathbf{S}} = \sum_{i \in \Omega_S} (c_{\mathsf{d}, i, t}^{\mathbf{S}} P_{\mathsf{d}, i, t} + c_{\mathsf{c}, i, t}^{\mathbf{S}} P_{\mathsf{c}, i, t}) \Delta t$$
$$C_t^{\mathbf{G}} = c_t^{\mathbf{G}} P_t^{\mathbf{G}} \Delta t$$

a) GES chance constraints:

$$\begin{split} & \mathbb{P}(P_{\mathrm{c},i,t} \leq \overline{P}_{\mathrm{c},i,t}) \geq 1 - \gamma \\ & \mathbb{P}(P_{\mathrm{d},i,t} \leq \overline{P}_{\mathrm{d},i,t}) \geq 1 - \gamma \\ & \mathbb{P}(\underline{SoC}_{i,t} \leq SoC_{i,t}) \geq 1 - \gamma \\ & \mathbb{P}(SoC_{i,t} \leq \overline{SoC}_{i,t}) \geq 1 - \gamma, \end{split}$$

b) Power balance chance constraints:

$$\mathbb{P}\left(\sum_{i\in\Omega_R} P_{i,t}^{\mathsf{R}} + \sum_{i\in\Omega_S} (P_{\mathsf{d},i,t} - P_{\mathsf{c},i,t}) + P_t^{\mathsf{G}} \ge P_t^{\mathsf{L}}\right) \ge 1 - \gamma_{\mathsf{f}}$$

#### c) GES other constraints:

$$\begin{split} SoC_{i,t+1} \!=\! (1\!-\!\varepsilon_i) SoC_{i,t} \!+\! \eta_{\text{c},i} P_{\text{c},i,t} \Delta t/S_i \\ -P_{\text{d},i,t} \Delta t/(\eta_{\text{d},i} S_i) \!+\! \alpha_{i,t} \\ -SoC_{i,\text{RD}} \!\leq\! SoC_{i,t+1} \!-\! SoC_{i,t} \!\leq\! SoC_{i,\text{RU}} \\ \underline{SoC}_{i,t} \!\leq\! SoC_{i,t} \!\leq\! \overline{SoC}_{i,t} \\ SoC_{i,T} \!=\! SoC_{i,0} \\ 0 \!\leq\! P_{\text{c},i,t} \!\leq\! \overline{P}_{\text{c},i,t} \\ 0 \!\leq\! P_{\text{d},i,t} \!\leq\! \overline{P}_{\text{d},i,t} \end{split}$$

#### d) DDU constraints:

$$\begin{split} \overline{SoC}_{i,t}^{\text{DDU}} &= h(g(\overline{SoC}_{i,t}^{\text{DIU}}, c_{\text{c},i,t}^{\text{S}}), \beta_{i}^{\text{U}}RD_{i,t}) \\ \underline{SoC}_{i,t}^{\text{DDU}} &= h(g(\underline{SoC}_{i,t}^{\text{DIU}}, c_{\text{d},i,t}^{\text{S}}), \beta_{i}^{\text{L}}RD_{i,t}) \\ RD_{i,t} &= \lambda \sum_{\tau=1}^{t} \left( P_{\text{c},i,\tau} / \overline{P}_{\text{c},i} + P_{\text{d},i,\tau} / \overline{P}_{\text{d},i} \right) / T \\ &+ (1 - \lambda) \max\{ |SoC_{i,t} - SoC_{i,t}^{\text{B,av}}| - SoC_{i,t}^{\text{DB}} / 2, 0 \} \end{split}$$

e) other constraints:

 $0 \leq P_t^{\rm G} \leq \overline{P}^{\rm G}$ 



✓ Economic Dispatch in Microgrid with GES (Case 1)

M1: Deterministic(Blue), M2: DIU(Green), M3:DDU(Red) TABLE III

OPTIMIZATION RESULTS WITH DIFFERENT MODELS AND UNCERTAINTIES



✓ Economic Dispatch in Microgrid with GES (Case 1)

• M1 : Deterministic(Blue), M2: DIU(Green), M3:DDU(Red)



**Best Performance in Real-time Availability** 

Fig. 6. Reliability performance comparison with respect to (a) practical and theoretical SoC bounds (95%) and (b) ERNS.

RELIABILITY AND ECONOMIC PERFORMANCE OF DIFFERENT MODELS AND

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$\gamma$	Indices	M1	M2	M3
0.05	LORP / ERNS		0.3 / 12.0	0.0/0.0
0.05	Cost <sup>RT</sup> / Cost <sup>TC</sup>	LORP 0.6	365.6/3039.1	0.0/2799.7
0.25	LORP / ERNS	ERNS 30.8	0.4/14.0	0.1/3.0
0.25	Cost <sup>RT</sup> / Cost <sup>TC</sup>	Cost <sup>RT</sup> 1057.9	440.0/2909.0	0.0/2799.7
0.45	LORP / ERNS	Cost <sup>TC</sup> 3088.3	0.4/15.2	0.2/3.6
0.45	Cost <sup>RT</sup> / Cost <sup>TC</sup>		487.4 / 2810.4	0.0/2407.7

#### **DDU Impact on GES Types and DR Duration**

TABLE V					
OPERATIONS WI	TH DISPATCH	MODES AND	DDUS STR	UCTURE	

DDUs Structure	Dispatch Mode	Cost <sup>TC</sup> (CNY)	$\begin{array}{c} \sum P_{\mathrm{d},i,t} \Delta t \\ \mathrm{(kWh)} \end{array}$	$\begin{array}{c} \sum P_{\mathrm{c},i,t} \Delta t \\ \mathrm{(kWh)} \end{array}$	<u>ЕР</u> (%)	<u>EP</u> (%)	CT (%)	CT (%)
F1	D1	2772.4	187.8	31.7	9.4	37.9	-4.2	-26.7
	D2	2749.2	174.3	0.8	0.0	7.5	-0.4	-0.7
F2	D1	2799.7	164.9	40.3	8.6	37.0	-5.9	-42.0
	D2	2766.5	152.7	0.9	2.6	28.8	-3.1	-13.3
F3	D1	2785.4	171.2	32.1	9.4	39.8	-4.8	-31.2
	D2	2755.8	167.1	1.4	0.2	13.2	-1.8	-5.4

#### **Impact Less for Battery and Short-Duration**

## ✓ Economic Dispatch in Microgrid with GES (Case 1)

#### • Convergence and Scalability Performance



Fig. 8. Convergence performance under Beta and Lognormal distribution (95%)



Fig. 7. Sensitivity of gap with probability level and standard deviations

TABLE VI OPERATIONS COMPARED WITH DIFFERENT REFORMULATION METHODS

		R	1	R2	
DDUs Structure	Distribution Type	Cost <sup>TC</sup> (CNY)	Time (s)	Cost <sup>TC</sup> (CNY)	Time (s)
F1 F2 F3	Beta Distribution	2772.4 2799.7 2785.4	24.6 211.3 28.0	2750.0 2779.1 2764.3	2751.0 6406.7 3032.2
F1 F2 F3	Lognormal Distribution	2772.4 2799.7 2785.4	24.6 211.3 28.0	2752.3 2781.9 2766.6	132.1 1039.9 103.9

#### **Aggregator or Robust approximation or Stop Indices**

TABLE VII OPERATIONS COMPARED WITH DIFFERENT ACCELERATION METHODS

		100 G	ES units	1000 GES units	
Acceleration	Distribution	Gap	Time	Gap	Time
Method	Type	(%)	(s)	(%)	(s)
A1 A2 A3	Beta Distribution	-0.90 0.04 0.74	27.0 2113.6 211.3	-1.24 0.04 0.81	28.1 128802.7 5792.6
A1	Lognormal Distribution	-0.92	3.8	-1.08	4.0
A2		0.01	471.9	0.02	8845.3
A3		0.64	211.3	0.76	5792.6

#### ✓ Portfolio Optimization(Profit VS Risk) in VPP(Case 2)

• SO(DIU)+CCO(DDU)+CVaR(worst-case)+IPH(decomposition)



#### TABLE I DESCRIPTION AND REFORMULATION OF UNCERTAINTIES

-	Assets/ Resources	Probabilistic Parameters	Types of Uncertainty	Reformulation Method
-	Market price	$\lambda_{s,t}^{\mathrm{DA}},\lambda_{s,t}^{\mathrm{R}+},\lambda_{s,t}^{\mathrm{R}-}$	DIUs	Scenarios
Hybrid Uncertaint	<b>y</b> <sub>RES</sub>	$P_{s,i,t}^{\text{RES,AW}}$	DIUs	Scenarios
Reformulations	GES	$ \overline{P}_{c/d,i,t}^{GES}, \overline{SoC}_{i,t}^{GES,DIU}, $ $ \underline{SoC}_{i,t}^{GES,DIU}, \beta_{i,t}^{GES} $	DIUs	Explicit Quantiles
	GES	$\overline{SoC}_{i,t}^{\text{GES,DDU}},$ $\underline{SoC}_{i,t}^{\text{GES,DDU}}$	DDUs	Iterative Quantiles

#### ✓ Portfolio Optimization(Profit VS Risk) in VPP(Case 2)

• SO(DIU)+CCO(DDU)+CVaR(worst-case)+IPH(decomposition)



#### Asymmetric From Decomposition Method×

#### **Improved Progressive Hedging**

**External Loop: Decomposition and Coordination** Sep 1 Set k=0, compute all the subproblems (8),  $\omega_s^{(0)} = 0$ ,  $\rho_s^{(0)} = 0$ .  $k \leftarrow k+1$ **Sep 2** While  $eps1 > \delta_1$  do  $\overline{\mathbf{x}}_{s,1}^{(k-1)} = \sum_{i=1}^{k} \pi_s \mathbf{x}_{s,1}^{(k-1)}, \ \boldsymbol{\omega}_s^{(k)} = \boldsymbol{\omega}_s^{(k-1)} + r_1^{(k-1)} (\mathbf{x}_{s,1}^{(k-1)} - \overline{\mathbf{x}}_{s,1}^{(k-1)})$  $\overline{y}_{s,1}^{(k-1)} = \operatorname{VaR}(S_s^{\operatorname{net},(k-1)}), \ \rho_s^{(k)} = \rho_s^{(k-1)} + r_2^{(k-1)}(y_{s,1}^{(k-1)} - \overline{y}_{s,1}^{(k-1)})$ Add penalty to the objective function: max  $(1-\theta)S_s^{\text{net}} + \theta \text{CVaR} \omega_{s}^{(k)} \boldsymbol{x}_{s,1} - r_{1}^{(k-1)} \left\| \boldsymbol{x}_{s,1} - \overline{\boldsymbol{x}}_{s,1}^{(k-1)} \right\|^{2} - \rho_{s}^{(k)} \boldsymbol{y}_{s,1} - r_{2}^{(k-1)} \left\| \boldsymbol{y}_{s,1} - \overline{\boldsymbol{y}}_{s,1}^{(k-1)} \right\|^{2}$ Update  $\begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{x}_{s,1}^{(k)}, \mathbf{y}_{s,1}^{(k)} \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $eps1 = \left\| \mathbf{x}_{s,1}^{(k)} - \overline{\mathbf{x}}_{s,1}^{(k)} \right\|^2 + \left\| \mathbf{y}_{s,1}^{(k)} - \overline{\mathbf{y}}_{s,1}^{(k)} \right\|^2$ +1/ $r_1^{(k)2} \left\| \boldsymbol{\omega}_s^{(k)} - \overline{\boldsymbol{\omega}}_s^{(k)} \right\|^2$  +1/ $r_2^{(k)2} \left\| \boldsymbol{\rho}_s^{(k)} - \overline{\boldsymbol{\rho}}_s^{(k)} \right\|^2$  $k \leftarrow k+1$ End Sep 3 Return  $x_{s,1} = x_{s,1}^{(k)}$ ,  $y_{s,1} = y_{s,1}^{(k)}$ 

### ✓ Reliability-Aware Probabilistic Reserve Procurement(Case 3)

- Uncertainty Increased while Reserve Decreased→Probabilistic Reserve
- Reserve: Assume 100% Reliability or DIU while overlooks DDU→Availability Risk



Fig. 1. Illustration of probabilistic reserve model.

#### ✓ Reliability-Aware Probabilistic Reserve Procurement (Case 3)

**Two-stage Probabilistic Reserve Procurement under DDU** 



**DA-Joint Chance-Constrained** 



#### **RT-Reliability Commitment**

# Reformulation with Log

**Function** 

# Piecewise Linear

# 3、Capacity Credit Evaluation of GES under DDU

#### ✓ Capacity Credit Evaluation of GES (Case 4)

• Capacity Credit (CC) Evaluation: Provide a fair basis of comparison between resources and conventional generation in terms of their adequacy contribution



Dispatch Simulation of GES
 Adequacy-Oriented Optimization
 X Coordination between Short-Term
 Market and Long-Term Capacity
 Market Operation

2. Availability of GES
DIU & 100% Availability
X Decision-Dependent Response
Unavailability

# 3、Capacity Credit Evaluation of GES under DDU

✓ Capacity Credit Evaluation of GES (Case 4)

• Risk-Averse Coordinated Dispatch of GES (Market Simulation)

**(1)** Normal Status: Day-ahead Energy Arbitrage

$$\begin{split} \max \sum_{t} c_{t}^{\text{DA}} (P_{d,i,t}^{\text{DA}} - P_{c,i,t}^{\text{DA}}) \\ s.t. \quad SoC_{i,t+1}^{\text{DA}} = (1 - \varepsilon_{i}) SoC_{i,t}^{\text{DA}} + \frac{\eta_{c,i}\eta_{d,i}P_{c,i,t}^{\text{DA}} - P_{d,i,t}^{\text{DA}}}{\eta_{d,i}S_{i}} \Delta t \\ \frac{SoC_{i,t} \leq SoC_{i,t}^{\text{DA}} \leq \overline{SoC}_{i,t}}{SoC_{i,t}^{\text{DA}} = SoC_{i,0}^{\text{DA}}} \\ 0 \leq P_{c,i,t}^{\text{DA}} \leq \overline{P}_{c,i} \\ 0 \leq P_{d,i,t}^{\text{DA}} \leq \overline{P}_{d,i} \end{split}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \textbf{3} \text{ Recovery Status: Real-time} \\ \textbf{Capacity Recovery} \\ RC_{t} = \sum_{i} (P_{i,t}^{\text{CG/RG,AV}} - P_{i,t}^{\text{LD}}) \\ RC_{t} = \min\{\overline{P}_{c,i}, [SoC_{i,t}^{\text{DA}} - (1 - \varepsilon_{i})SoC_{i,t-1}^{\text{RT}}]S_{i}/(\eta_{c,i}\Delta t), \varphi_{i}RC_{t}\} \\ (6b) \end{split}$$

 $P_{\mathrm{d},i,t}^{\mathrm{RT}} = \min\{\overline{P}_{\mathrm{d},i}, [(1 - \varepsilon_i)SoC_{i,t-1}^{\mathrm{RT}} - SoC_{i,t}^{\mathrm{DA}}]S_i\eta_{\mathrm{d},i}/\Delta t\}$ (6c)

**(2)** Emergency Status: Real-time **Adequacy Support**  $\min \sum P_{i,t}^{\rm LC}$ s.t.  $P_{ij,t} = (\theta_{i,t} - \theta_{j,t})/X_{ij}$  $-\overline{P}_{ij} \leq P_{ij,t} \leq \overline{P}_{ij}$  $0\!\leq\!P_{i,t}^{\mathrm{CG}}\!\leq\!P_{i,t}^{\mathrm{CG,AV}}$  $(1 - r_i) P_{i,t}^{\text{RG,AV}} \le P_{i,t}^{\text{RG}} \le P_{i,t}^{\text{RG,AV}}$  $0\!\leq\!P_{i,t}^{\mathrm{LC}}\!\leq\!P_{i,t}^{\mathrm{LD}}$  $0 \leq P_{\mathrm{d},i,t}^{\mathrm{RT}} \leq \overline{P}_{\mathrm{d},i}$  $SoC_{i,t+1}^{RT} = (1 - \varepsilon_i) SoC_{i,t}^{RT} - P_{d,i,t}^{RT} \Delta t / \eta_{d,i} S_i$  **DDU**  $\mathbb{P}(\underline{SoC}_{i,t}^{\text{DDU}} \leq SoC_{i,t}^{\text{RT}}) \geq 1 - \gamma$  $P_{i,t}^{\mathrm{CG/RG}} + P_{i,t}^{\mathrm{LC}} + P_{\mathrm{d},i,t}^{\mathrm{RT}} = \sum P_{ij,t} + P_{i,t}^{\mathrm{LD}}$  $ij \in \Omega_1^i$ 





Physics-Informed Data-driven Modeling of GES ---how much reliable flexibility is available?



**Chance-Constrained GES Operations under DDU** ---how to better utilize this reliable flexibility?

**Conclusion and Current Work** 

# Conclusions

- GES Model: Better Capture the Stochasticity of Flexible Resources (DERs) by Physics-Informed Flexibility Learning and Incorporating Decision-Dependent Occupant Behavior
- Chance-Constrained Optimization under DDU: Tractable & Scalable Solutions to Hedging Risk from DDU, Improve the Availability and Performance of Coordinated GES Units, Enhanced Reliability and Economic Efficiency of the Power System.
- ✓ Industrial Applications: Learning DDU with Real-World Data?

## ✓ Problem-Driven Scenario Reduction—Stochastic Optimization

#### • Focus on the Implementation Performance & Representativeness of Scenarios

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# **Ongoing & Future Works**

#### ✓ Prediction-Free Coordinated Dispatch—Long-Duration Storage

#### • Long-Term SoC Tracking + Online Convex Optimization

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#### Chance-Constrained Storage Opportunity Pricing: Default Storage Bid

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