

# GRID MODERNIZATION INITIATIVE PEER REVIEW

# GMLC 1.3.01 – Southeast Regional Consortium

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# Southeast Regional Consortium High Level Summary



### Project Description

Create a consortium of utilities, universities, national laboratories, regulators, and industry in the southeast to address grid related technical challenges specific to this region.

### Value Proposition

- The southeast has unique challenges to reliable and resilient energy delivery
  - ✓ Highest frequency of hurricanes in the U.S.
  - ✓ Higher failure rates of coal plants
  - ✓ Growing solar generation
- ✓ Increased resiliency can save billions of dollars each year<sup>1</sup>

### Project Objectives

- Improve distribution system resiliency
- ✓ Increase DER concentration
- Foster dialogue between regional stakeholders
- Identify technical challenges in the SE
- Develop advanced sensing, communication, and controls to improve the visibility and recovery speed of the SE power grid
- Transition technology from national laboratories and universities to industry

[1] "Economic Benefits of Increasing Grid Resilience to Outages," Executive Office, August 2013.

# Southeast Regional Consortium Project Team



### **Project Participants and Roles**

- Savannah River National Laboratory
  - Lead for wireless sensor network development
- Oak Ridge National Laboratories
  - Lead for distributed control, TSN, and optical sensors
- University of North Carolina Charlotte /CAPER
  - Modeling and sensors
- Clemson University
  - Optimization of restoration plan
- Duke Power
  - Provide technical details of distribution feeders.
- Chattanooga, TN Electric Power Board (EPB)
  - Time sensitive network testing
- National Instruments
  - Distributed control hardware and software
- SmartSenseCom
  - Passive optical sensors

# PROJECT FUNDINGLaboratoryFY16 \$FY17\$FY18 \$SRNL\$200k\$300kORNL\$220k\$280k

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### **Project Overview**

- Develop tools for control, communication, and situational awareness to improve the resilience of the SE grid to low frequency high impact events like hurricanes.
  - Dual Channel Wireless Network
  - Restoration Optimization
  - App Based Distributed Controls (CSEISMIC)
  - Time Sensitive Networking (Deterministic Data)
  - Distribution Step Distance Protection using Optical Sensors
- Working with utilities and universities to develop and demonstrate these technologies.



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System Operations and Control





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### **SRNL Resiliency Project**

### **Project Description**

resiliency improve through То а satellite terrestrial and based communication system for sensors on the grid and develop a tool for utility companies to improve their response to high impact low frequency events such as hurricanes. The program will determine all damaged location, optimize the order in which needed to be restored, and optimize first responders scheduling.

### **Project Participants and Roles**

- Savannah River National Laboratory Lead for wireless sensor network development
- University of North Carolina at Charlotte Fault location through AMI and first responder scheduling
- Clemson University Optimization of fault restoration sequencing
- Duke Power Provide technical details of distribution feeders

### Expected Outcomes

- Single iteration program to determine first responders scheduling
- Demonstrate cyber-resilient dual mode  $\checkmark$ wireless control network
- Demo wireless and scheduling at UNC 5/11/2017 **Charlotte Campus**



### **SRNL Dual Wireless Network Demo**





### **SRNL Overview of Restoration Optimization**



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# App Based Energy Management

- Dispatch, Load Shedding
- Protection **Relay Coordination**
- Resiliency Seamless islanding and resynching
- *Communications* IEC 61850 (Substation Automation Systems)
- Inverter controls to support microgrids V/F, P/Q, Droop with multiple sources (PV/Energy storage)

# Southeast Regional Consortium Approach

### **CSEISMIC Distributed Control Platform**

Apply to a site-specific model (EPB Control Center microgrid.) FORECASTING Forecasting, Resource Optimization,



LOAD



DISTRIBUTED ENERGY RESPONSES

**CSEISMIC** 



IMIZATION

PRICATIONS

# Deploy TSN network on an existing fiberoptic network in Chattanooga, TN Test latency and data availability Test impact on existing SCADA traffic

# Time Sensitive Networking

- Microsecond Deterministic Data Transfer
- Low Latency / High Availability
  - Increases distributed control and sensing capabilities for the grid.
- Approach

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The TSN architecture will rely on multiple VCs/VLANs to differentiate the measurements/control traffic in consort with the TSN network manager.

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### System Operations and Control

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### **Step Distance Protection**

- Impedance based fault localization and protection
  - Currently used only in transmission systems
  - Allows bi-directional power flow
- Approach
  - Use high resolution isolated optical current and voltage sensors to test step distance protection for distribution
  - Develop and test hardware in the loop distribution step distance protection relays
  - Test using standard Doble test sets





OAK RIDGE

National Laborator



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SmartSenseCom

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# Southeast Regional Workshop March 22<sup>nd</sup>-23<sup>rd</sup>, 2017





- Held at the Zucker Family Graduate Education Center in North Charleston
- Organizations that attended:

DOE OE ISER, DOE SR, Duke Energy, Santee Cooper SCE&G, Southern Company, Electric Power Board EPRI, General Electric, Resilient Power Systems Clemson University, UNC Charlotte, NC State, ORNL SRNL, PNNL

- ORNL and SRNL had presentations and posters associated with Southeast Projects
- Focus of the Workshop was on Grid Resiliency and Restoration
- SCE&G and Santee Cooper gave presentations on the impact and recovery of Hurricane Matthew
- Several areas of future collaboration between SRNL, ORNL, universities, and the SE utilities were discussed



### Dual-Channel Terrestrial and Satellite Wireless

- Detect fault locations with
  Advanced Metering infrastructure
  - Using information coming from SRNL hardware and simulated outages

### **Time Sensitive Networking**

- Deployed TSN network on EPB fiberoptic network
- Tested performance with extended grid state IoT sensors
- Showed no impact on SCADA traffic



### **CSEISMIC App Based Distributed** Controls

Schedule first responders due to

fault location and priority

- Developed HIL simulation and testbed for EPB microgrid
- Integrated CSEISMIC with
  device controllers
- Demonstrated seamless islanding and re-synch

### **Optical Step Distance Protection for Distribution**

- Created a relay model for HIL testing
- Characterized sensor
  performance
- Integrated with Doble test sets for HIL testing



### **Southeast Regional Consortium** Key Project Milestones – Milestones dates need to be approved by DOE OE



Milestone (FY16-FY18)	Status	Due Date
Complete Design of Design of Wireless Sensor Network	Complete	9/30/2016
Hold Southeast Region Workshop	Complete	3/30/2017
Documentation of optimization for restoration of at least one distribution feeder	Complete	12/31/2016
Report detailing the development of the Geographic Information System with Duke Energy's Distribution Feeders	In Progress	5/31/2017
Complete Demonstration of Wireless Sensor Network at Duke Facility	In Progress	6/30/2017
Report detailing test results of time sensitive network hardware and protocols	Complete	3/30/2016
Document functional verification of CSEISMIC distributed controls	Complete	3/30/2016
Document design and testing of optical step-distance protection	Complete	3/30/2016
Finish integration of distributed controls on EPB site-specific infrastructure	Complete	12/31/2016



# Southeast Regional Consortium Next Steps and Future Plans



### **Time-Sensitive Networking**

- Use TSN for EPB SCADA traffic
- Use TSN for IoT substation sensor data
- Test distributed controls over TSN network

### **Distribution Step Distance Protection**

- Deploy optical sensors at EPB in parallel with existing relay CT's and VT's
- Compare speed and accuracy of step distance protection with existing relays
- Test fault localization accuracy using optical sensors
- Test optical sensors as phasor measurement units

### CSEISMIC

- Deploy CSEISMIC on the physical EPB microgrid
- Test forecasting, optimization, and islanding/re-synching

### Dual Channel Wireless/Restoration Optimization Algorithm Development

- SRNL, UNCC and Duke Energy will demonstrate the dual wireless sensor networks on various grid sensors at the UNCC Campus
- The Restoration Optimization Network will be demonstrated simulating power outages in the Southeast
- SRNL to compare performance of 24KV Smart Sense with ORNL low voltage sensor



# **Southeast Regional Consortium** Response to December 2016 Program Review



# **BACKUP SLIDES**





# Step-Distance Protection with Optical Sensors

- Developed a software relay model (physics and relay logic)
  - Can't interface with existing analog hardware relay inputs
- Create a hardware in the loop test setup
- Using Doble test sets to simulate distribution faults
- Incorporated with the ORNL software defined lowvoltage microgrid testbed





Doble Test Set



**SI-Grid HIL Testbed** 











### **CSEISMIC**

- Created a detailed model of the EPB Control Center, Flow Batteries, Solar Arrays, Inverters, Loads, and Busses
  - Power flow implemented in RTDS
  - Batteries, Solar, Inverters, Batteries, and Loads are implemented using FPGA's
- Deployed the app based CSEISMIC distributed controller on the microgrid
- Tested controller functions
  - Demonstrated seamless islanding and re-synching
  - Demonstrated online battery • management

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### **Time-Sensitive Networking**

- Deployed a TSN network between two substations and the control center using the Chattanooga, TN Electric Power Board SCADA fiberoptic network.
- Demonstrated no impact on existing SCADA network traffic
- Using TSN network for extended grid state monitoring and remote drone operations

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# Southeast Regional Consortium Project Integration and Collaboration

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Describe how this project relates to other GMLC projects both Foundational and Program-Specific (From Project Negotiation Document)

The Southeast Regional Consortium presented our work at a regional workshop organized by the consortium to a group of 16 regional stakeholder.

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This regional consortium is designed to facilitate the flow of information and technology between regional stakeholders to:

- ► Increase TRL levels of laboratory technologies from 3-4 to 5-6
- ► Transition laboratory technologies to industry for demonstration, testing, and validation
- Develop collaborative research project to address specific stakeholder needs.

The laboratory demonstrations under this project support the following MYPP goals

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# **Southeast Regional Consortium** Response to December 2016 Program Review

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Recommendation	Response
Reach out to other Category 1 Project to look for synergy	All Cat 1 PI were invited to the South East Workshop held in Charleston. Staff from PNNL, ORNL, and SRNL discuss areas of future collaboration

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# **Restoration Optimization**

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- Detect fault locations with Advanced Metering infrastructure
  - Using information coming from SRNL hardware and simulated outages
- Schedule first responders due to fault location and priority

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