Transactive Energy

Senior Design Project

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Value Proposition

- Data analytics to increase efficiency in the distribution system
- Profitable electric power pricing for Avista and the homeowner(Prosumer)
- Possibility of semi-automated trading of power

Product Requirements

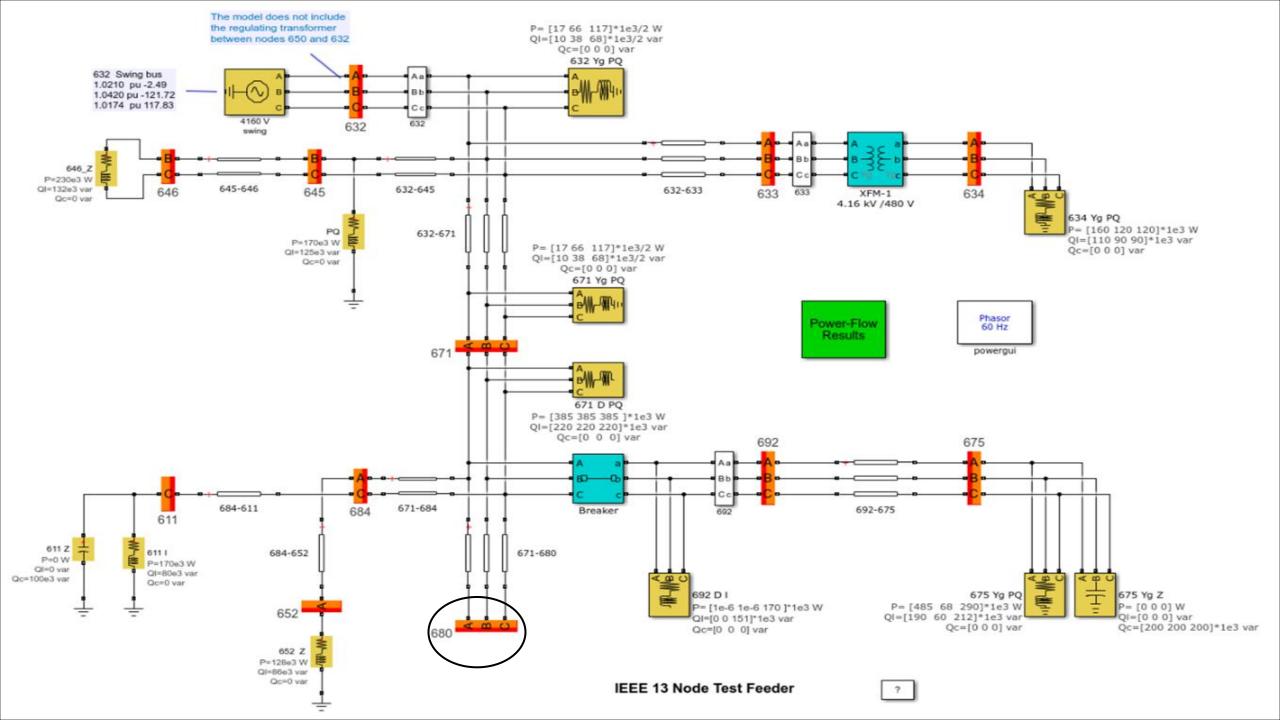
We are using OpenDSS to handle the modeling aspect of this project. The reason is, it's open source so we don't have to deal with licensing.

The OpenDss Model needs to be changed dynamically.

Since we are dealing with renewable energy, we will have to consider how to implement PV panels.

Progress

- Created a PV profile for a summer and winter day, week, and month.
- Implemented a 13-bus system in Simulink and OpenDss without PV for our base case



Future Plans

- 1. We will implement a PV panel at bus 680 and analyze the voltage and power at every bus
- 2. Create at least five different scenarios consisting of more PV's at different bus locations
 - Analyze how the voltage and power at the buses change
- 3. We will use Simulink and OpenDss to compare our results to test the accuracy of the programs

PV (Photovoltaic) Panels

- Generate power through solar radiation given off by the sun.
- Clean Energy.
- Homeowners can use them to generate their own power.
- Must be in sunlight in order to work.

