

# Disaster Risk Management of Energy Infrastructures, a Need for Energy Security

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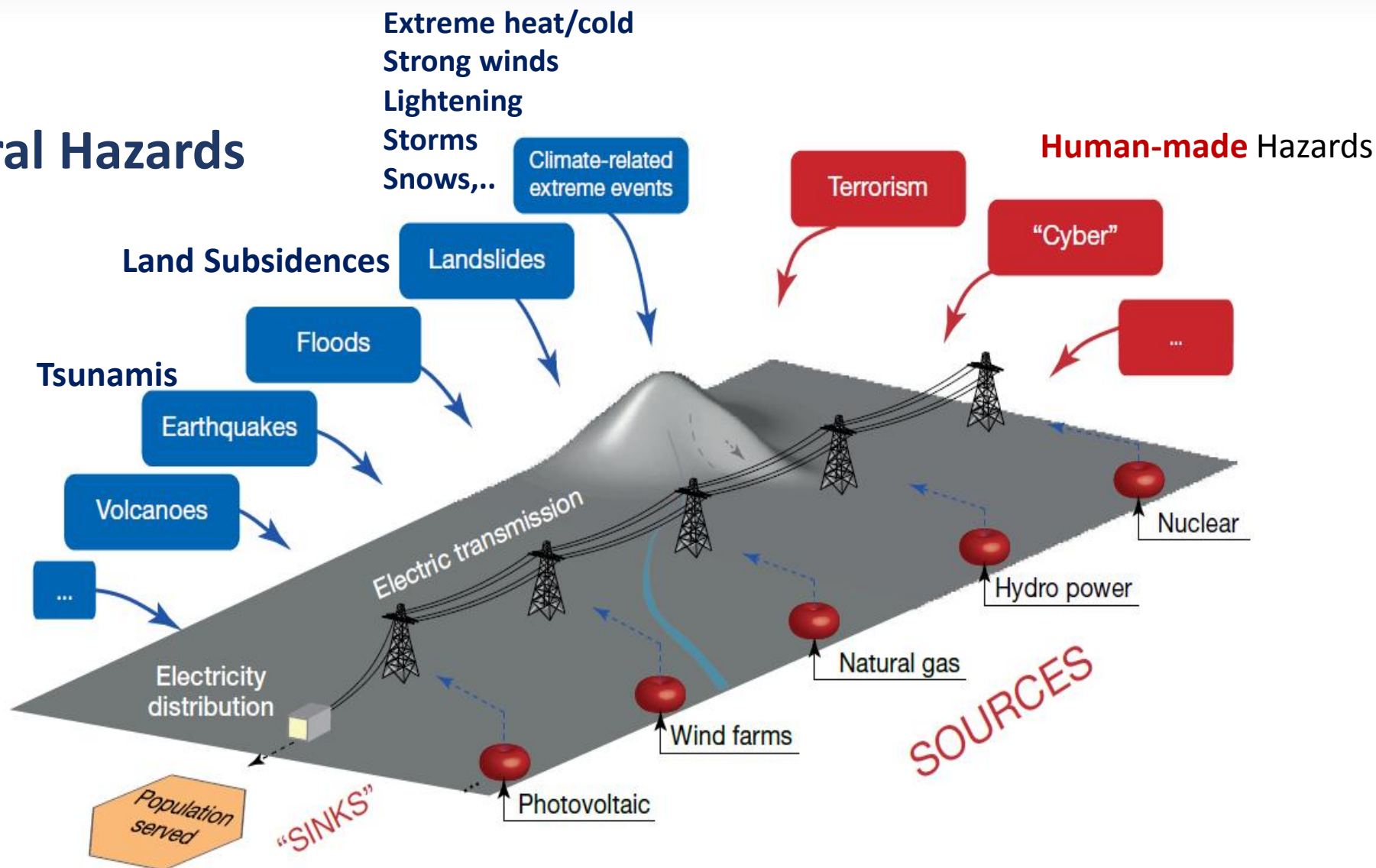
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# Challenges in Energy Infrastructures Safety

- ✓ High exposures of hazard, vulnerability and risk in existing energy infrastructure/system (Grids, Power plants, Substations, Pipelines, ..);
- ✓ Stress on energy infrastructures are critical in most of the developing cities;
- ✓ With a redundancy of know-how (science, technology, standards, guidelines, etc.), strategies, policies, and resources, one would expect that energy of infrastructure would be at low risk, with acceptable of resiliency to disasters;
- ✓ Lack of systematic approach to DRR and resiliency (prevention, preparedness, response and recovery process and actions) in energy infrastructures system,
- ✓ Insufficient cooperation and integration of stakeholders and beneficiaries,
- ✓ Lack of integrated look at Nexus of Energy, Water, Climate, Food, etc.
- ✓ Presence of a gap between know-how, and policy and Implementation;

# System Model for Energy Disaster Resilience

## Natural Hazards



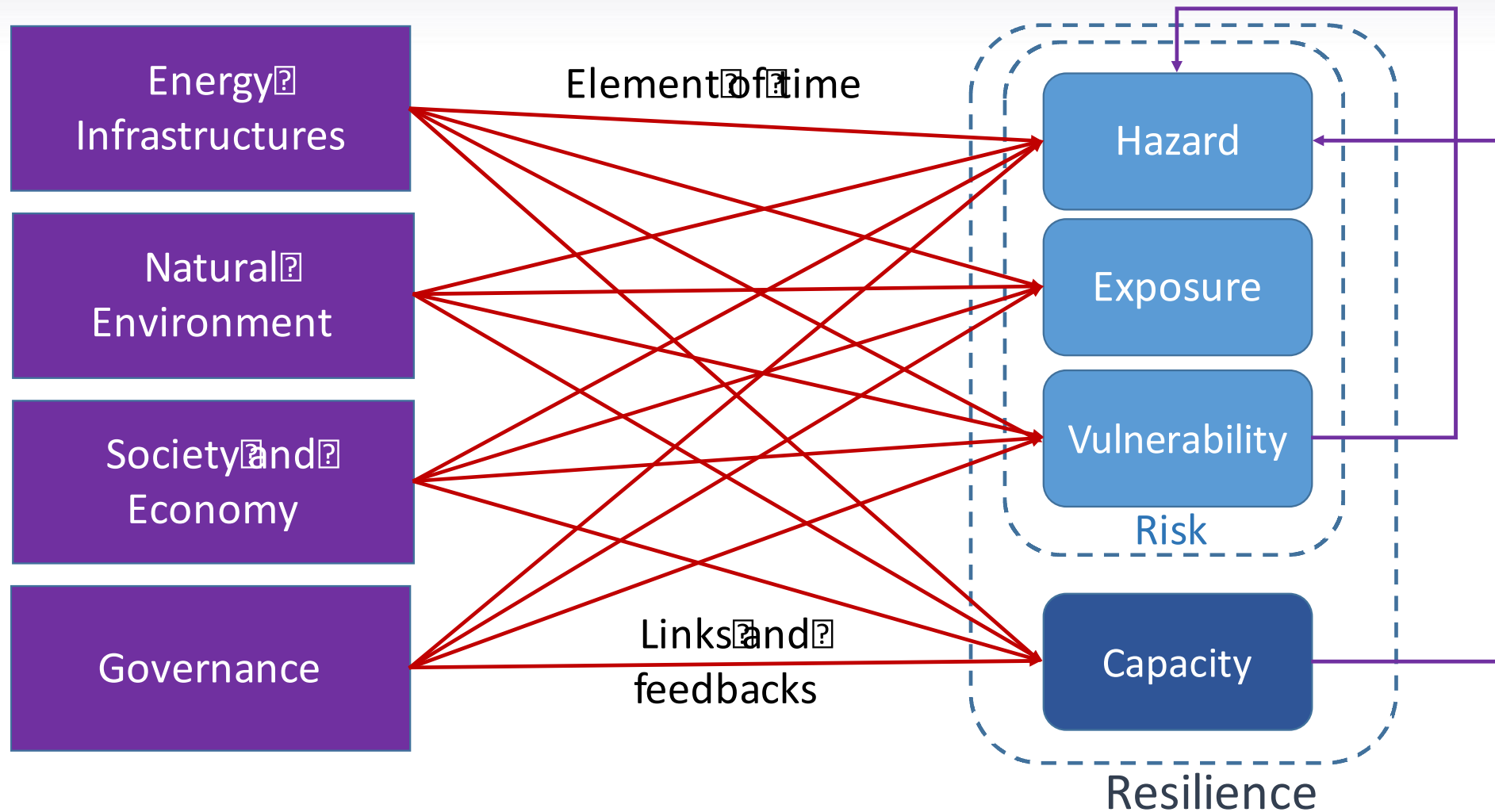


# Vulnerability of Energy Grid to Earthquake



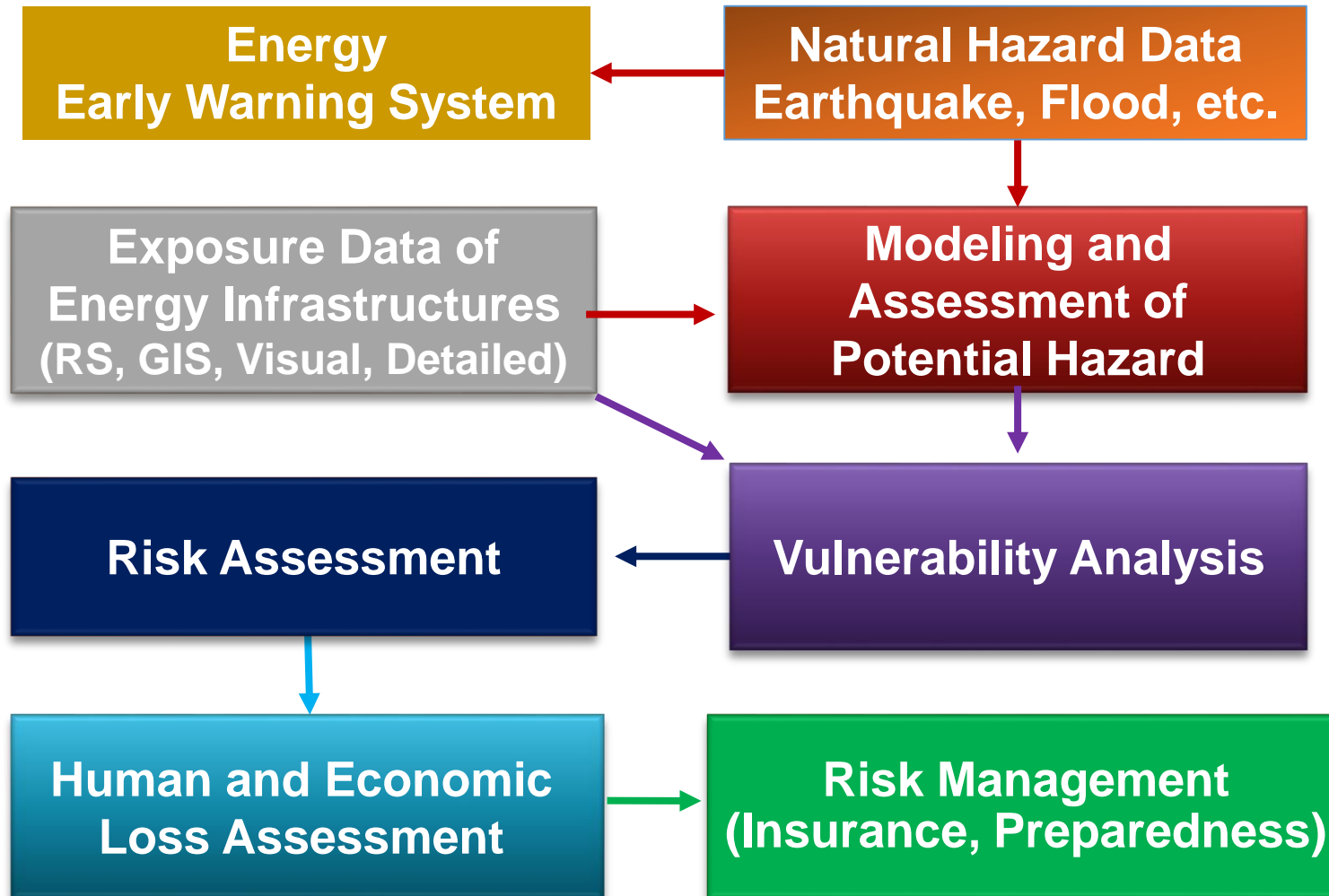


# System Model for Energy Disaster Resilience



- Interconnectedness and dynamism (cities are extremely complex systems!)
- Modelling suggestion: each urban sub-system resilience could be defined by a bundle of **Risk (Hazard, Exposure, and Vulnerability) + Capacity**

# Integrated Disaster Risk Information System For Energy Infrastructure Risk Assessment





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# Electric Power Grid Structure



System



Subsystems



Components

Generation, Transmission, Distribution

Power Grid

- Nodal (Power plants, Substations)
- Linear (transmission and sub-transmission circuits)

Macro-elements

- Powered Parts
- Indirect Outage Parts
- Direct Outage Parts



400 kV transmission lines



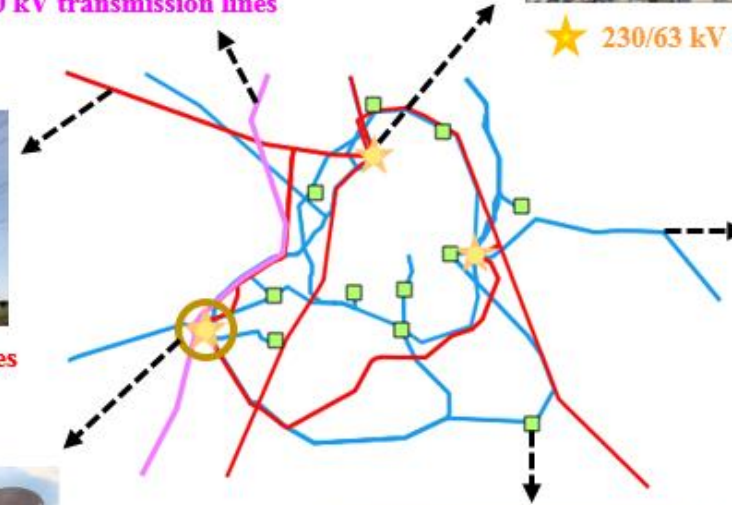
230/63 kV substations



230 kV transmission lines



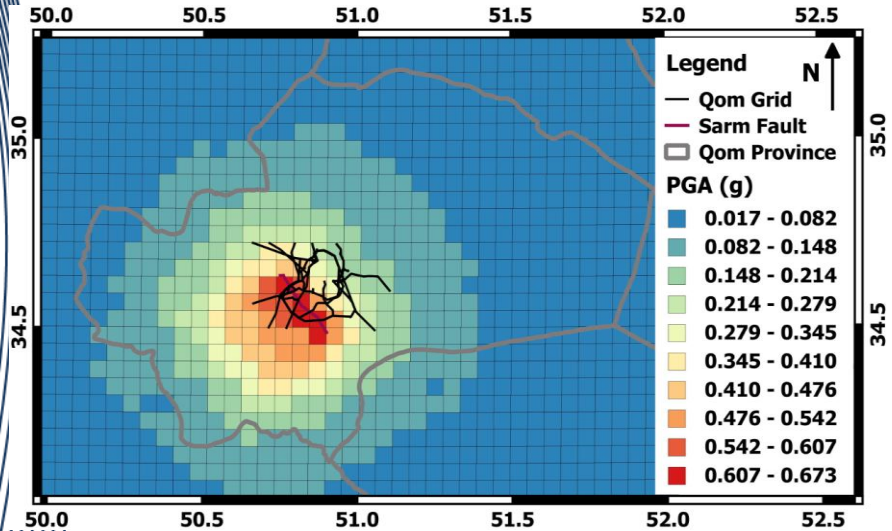
63 kV types of sub-transmission lines



Combined cycle power plant



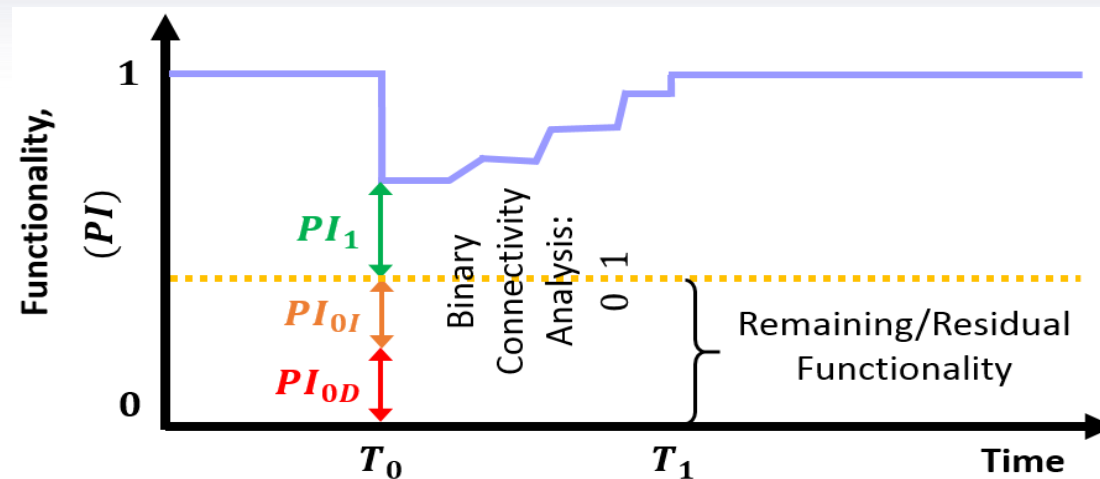
63/20 kV substations



# Electric Power Grid Seismic Resilience

## Resilience

- Performance
- Recovery time



$$PI = PI_1 + PI_0; \quad PI_0 = PI_{0I} + PI_{0D};$$

$$PI = PI_1 + PI_{0I} + PI_{0D}$$

### No physical interruption

All parts of the network are under power service

$$PI = PI_1$$

$$PI_0 = 0$$

### Physical outage

Some parts of the network are suffering power failures, while other parts are under power service

$$PI = PI_1 + PI_0$$

$$PI_1 \neq 0 \quad PI_0 \neq 0$$

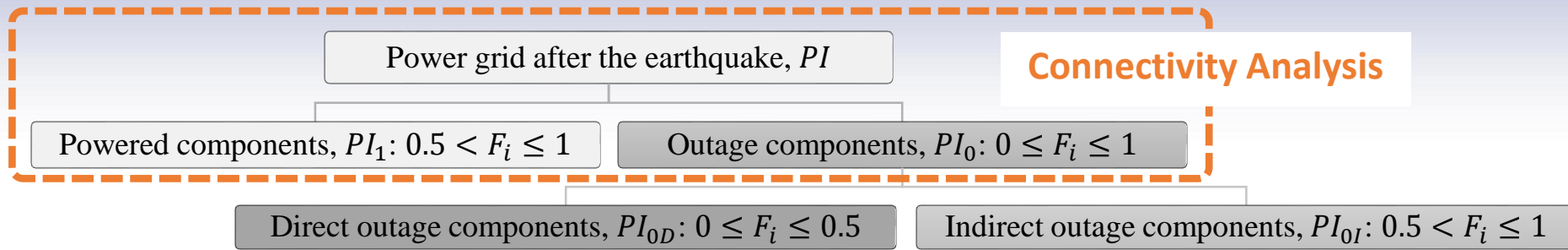
### Physical blackout

All parts of the network are out of power service

$$PI = PI_0$$

$$PI_1 = 0$$

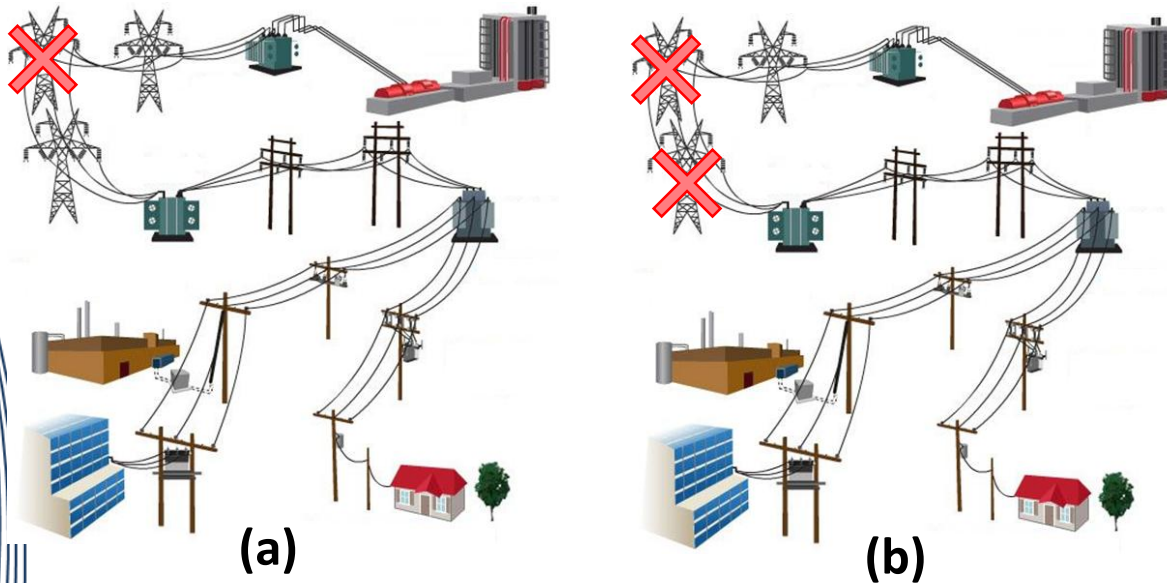




$F_i$ : Component functionality;

$PI$ : System/Subsystem performance indicator;

Separating out-of-service elements from each other by assigning different functionality values,  $0 \leq F \leq 0.5$



Distinguishing under-service elements from each other by assigning different performance values,  $0.5 < F \leq 1$



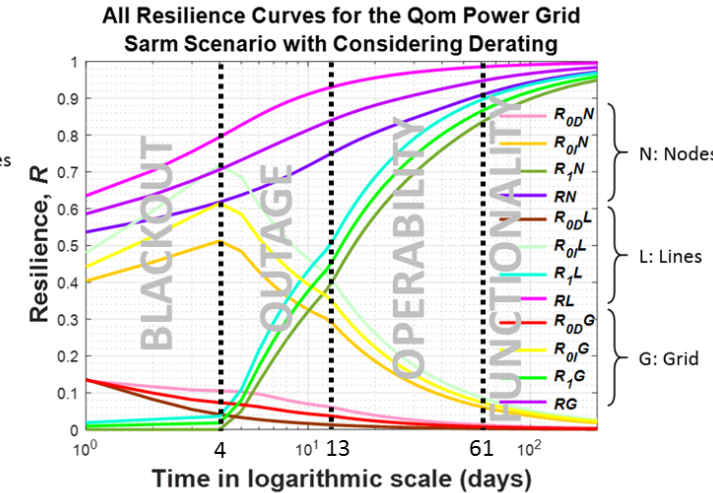
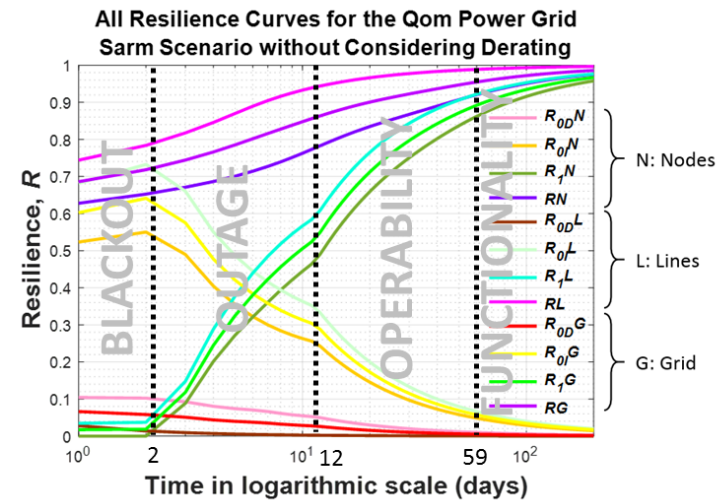
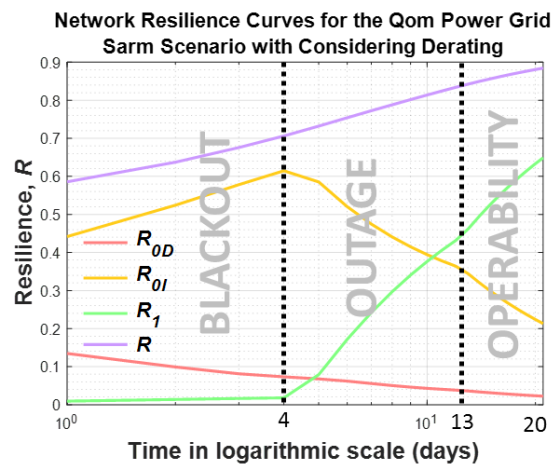
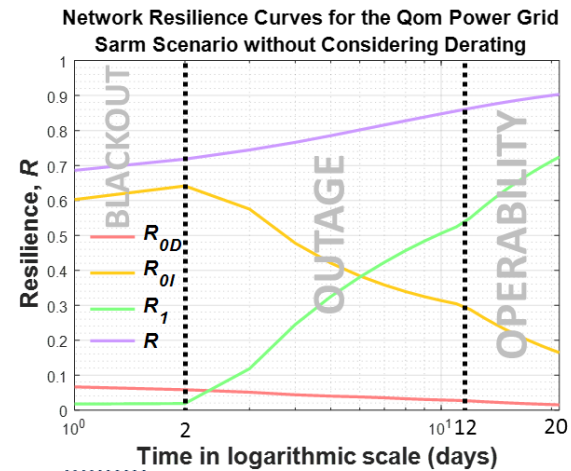
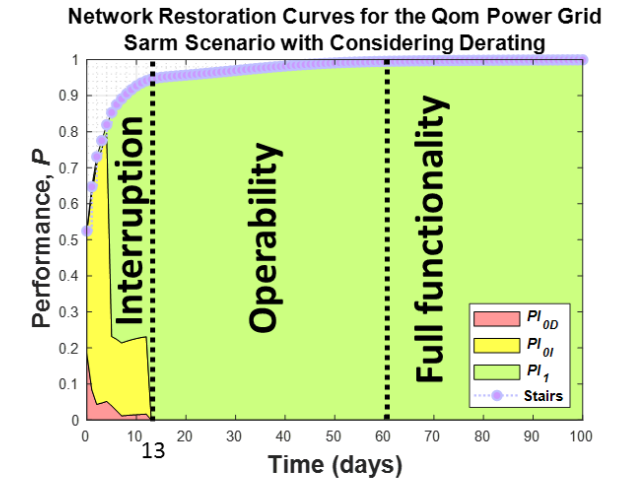
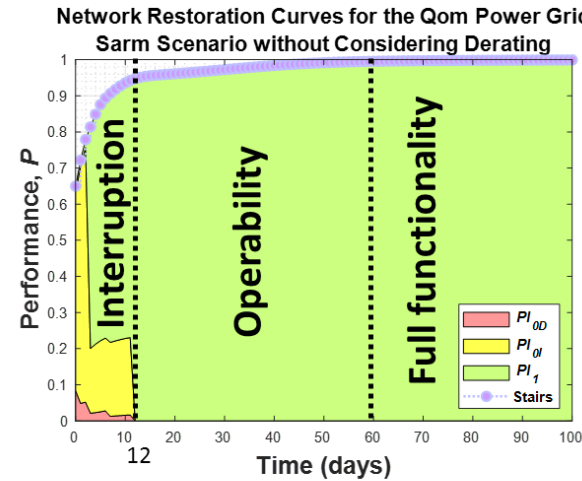
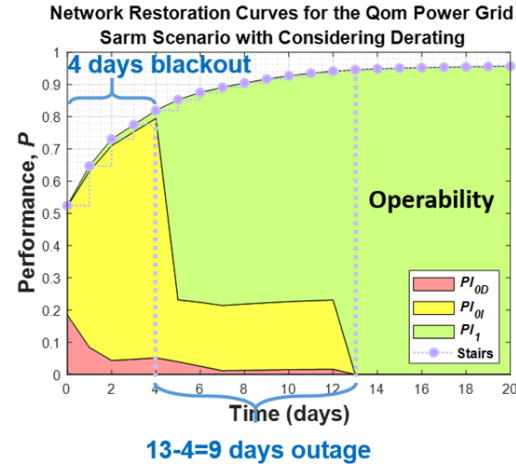
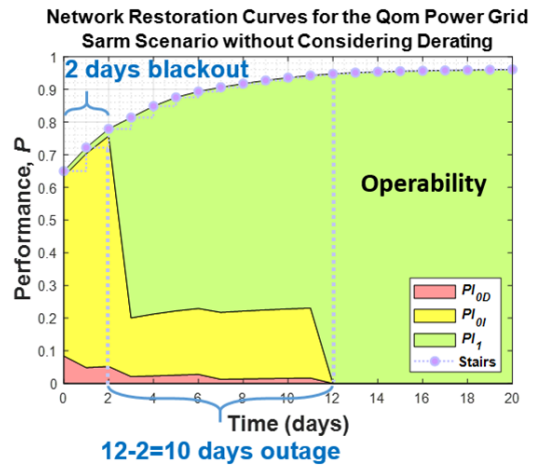
Leaning tower



# Electric Power Grid Seismic Resilience Functions

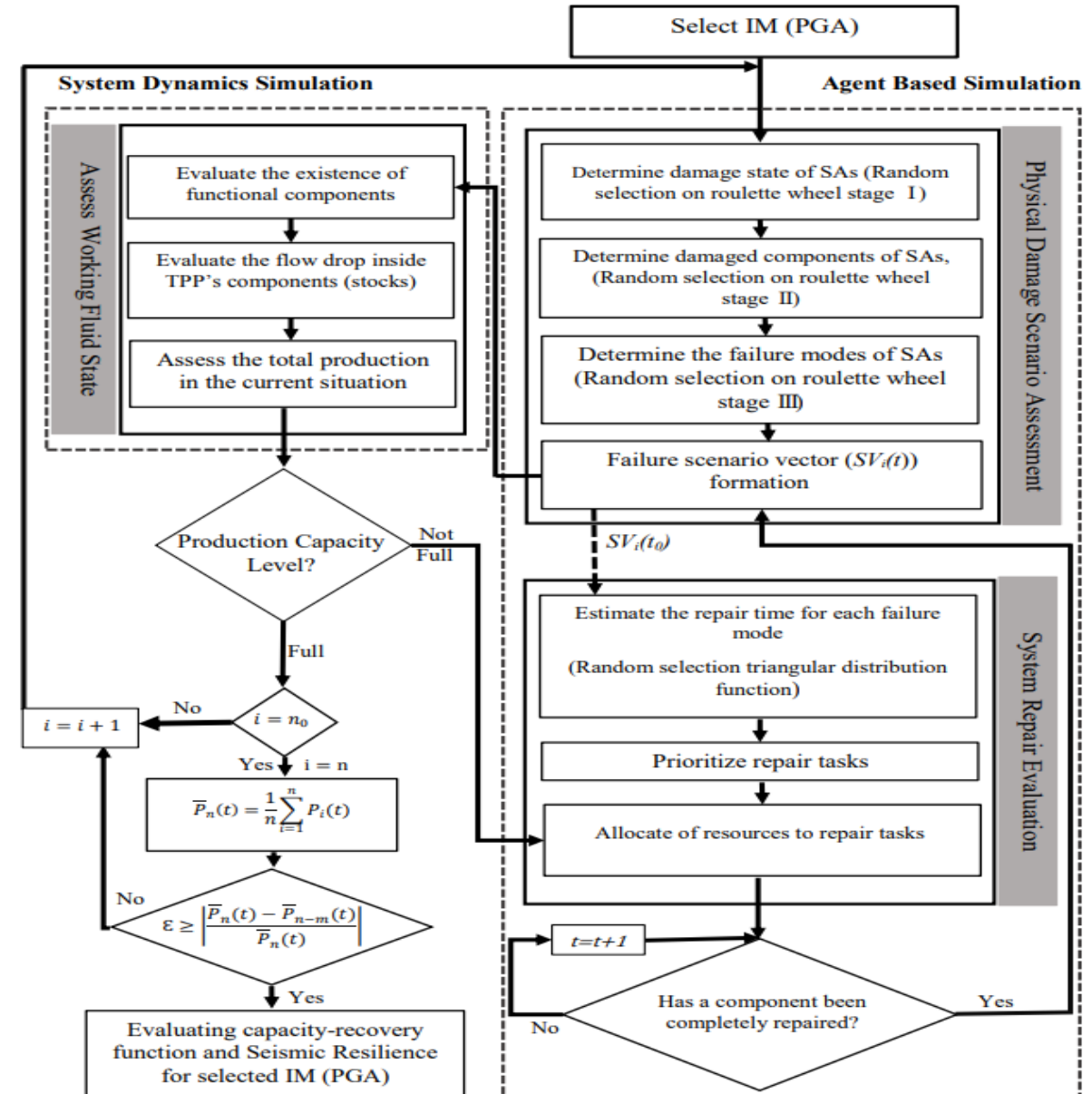
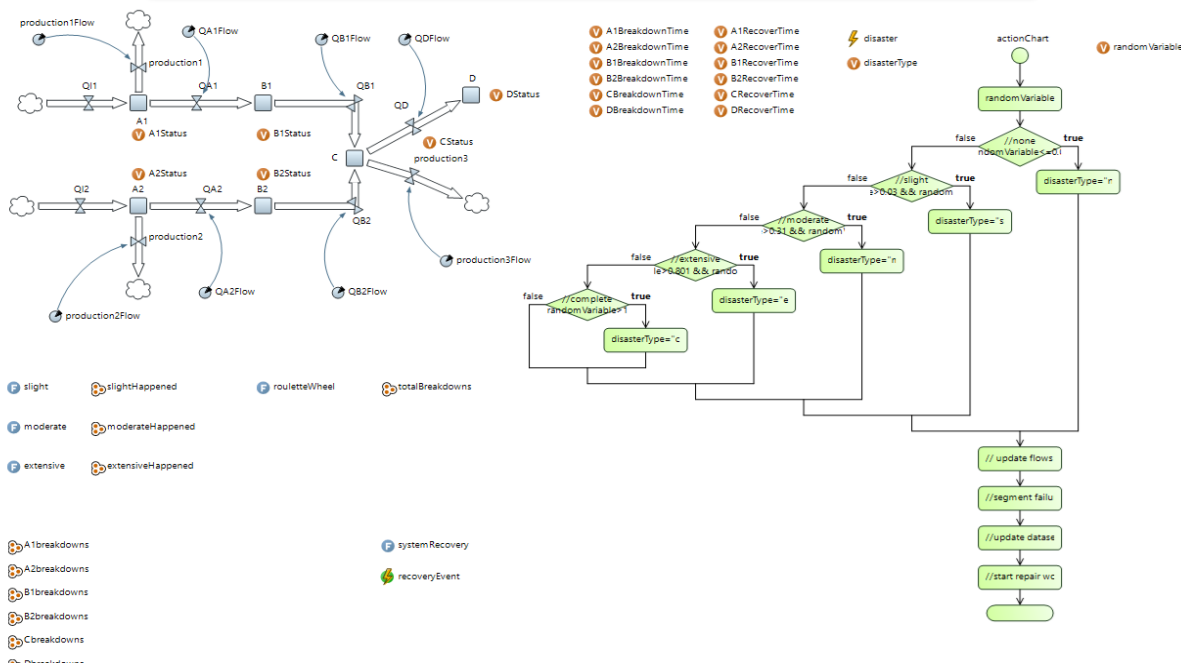
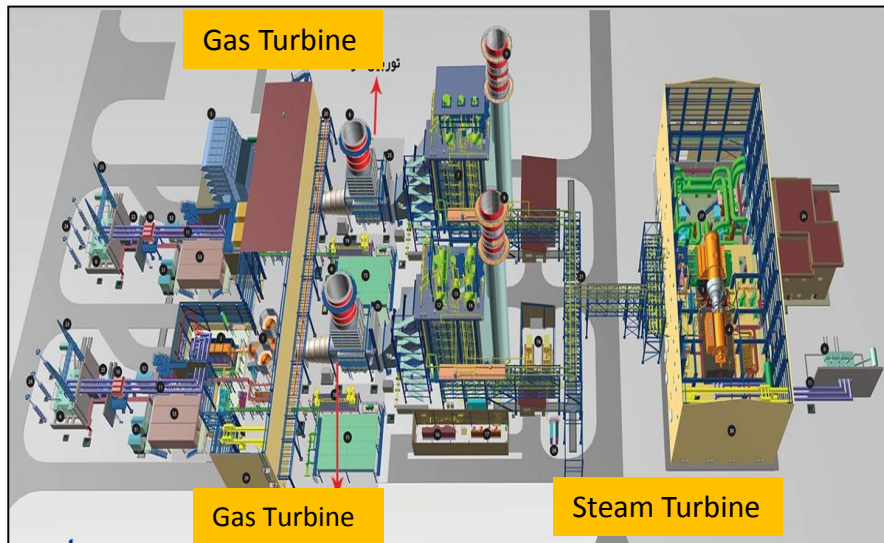
## Earthquake of Sarm fault scenario, 20 days

## Earthquake of Sarm fault scenario, 100 days





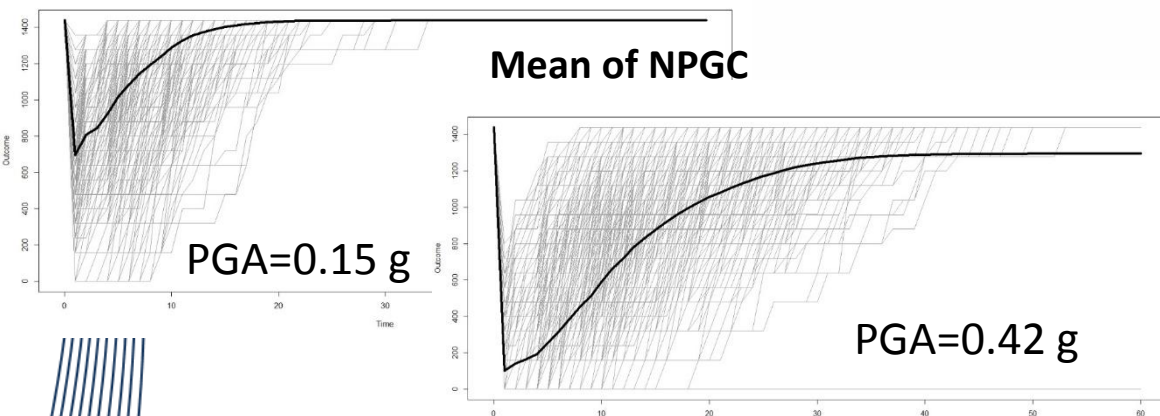
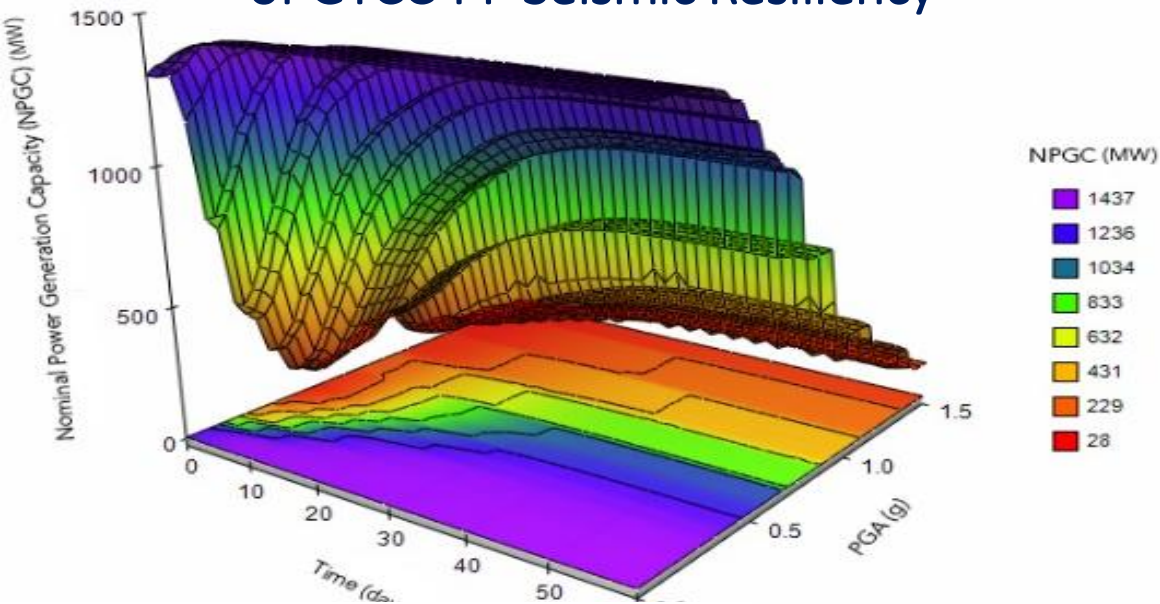
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# Toolbox for Gas-Combined-Cycle Power-plant Resilience

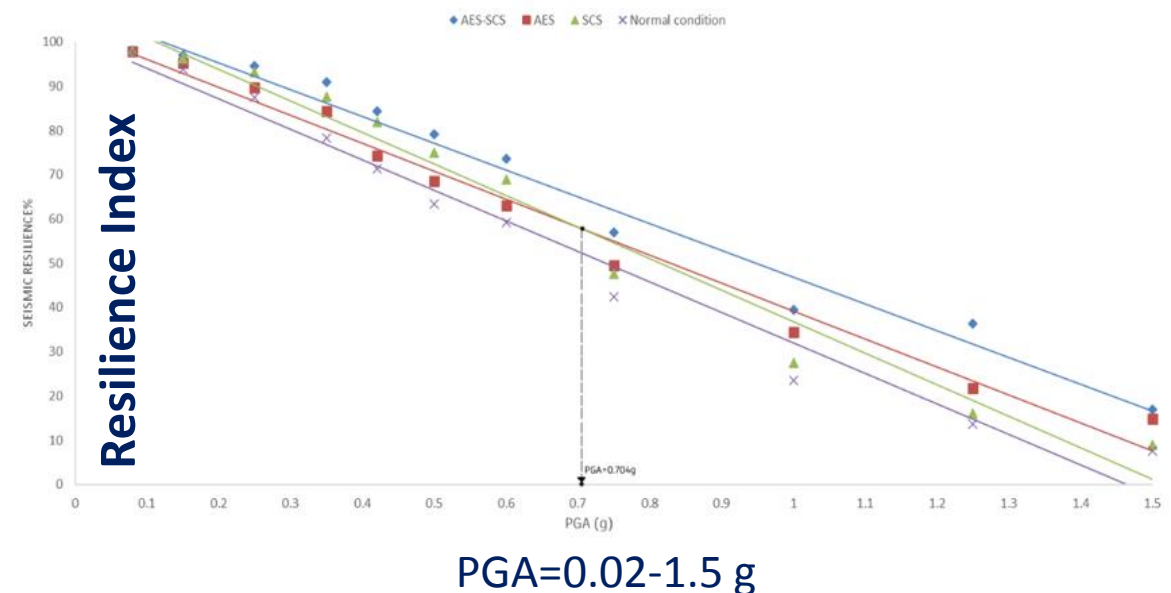
Multivariate non-linear regression model  
of GTCC-PP Seismic Resiliency



Seismic Resilience Curve of GTCC-PP

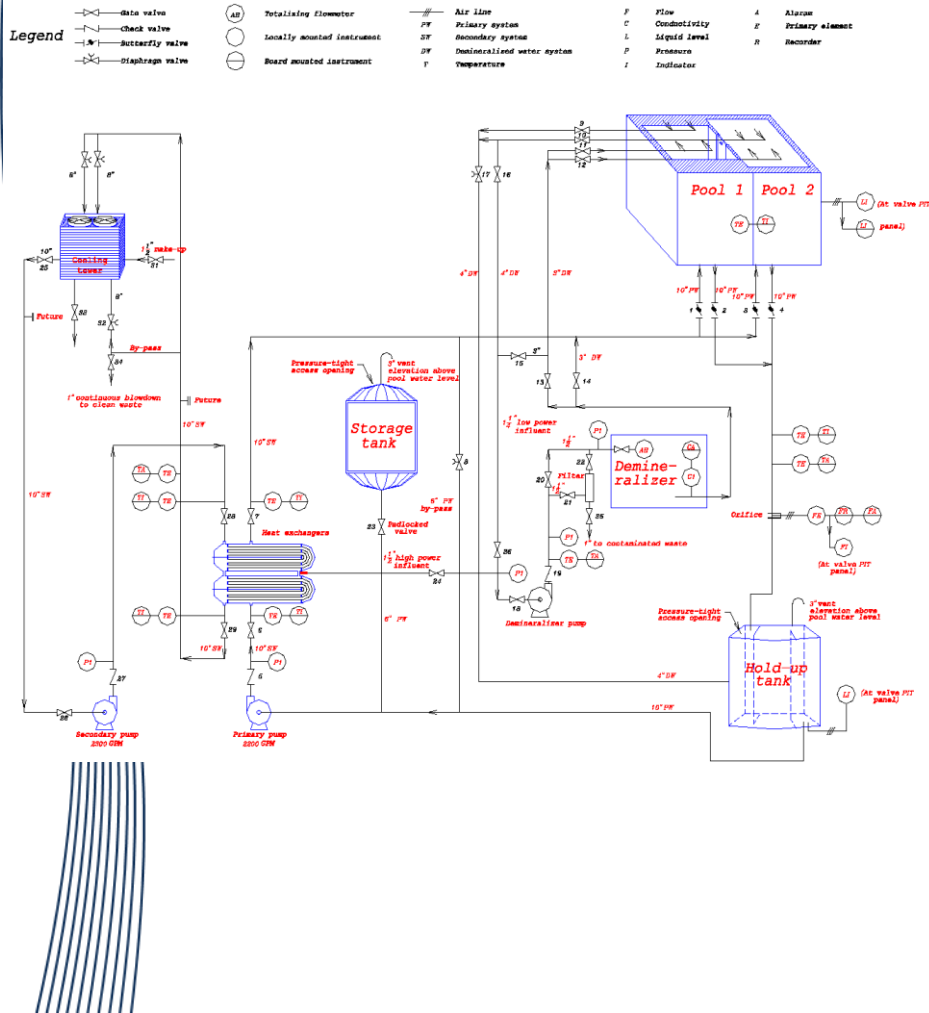
Seismic Resilience of GTCC-PP with various  
Resilience Enhancement Strategies:

- 1) Anchoring Equipment Strategy (AES)
- 2) Sufficient Crews Strategy (SCS)
- 3) Both strategies (AES-SCS)



# Multi-Hazard Probabilistic Safety Analysis of Power Plants

## Section of a Power Plants



### HAZARD ANALYSIS Module

#### STEP 1: EXTERNAL HAZARD ANALYSIS

Identification and analysis of all independent external hazards

Determination and analysis of secondary hazards

Hazard Curves

### QUALITATIVE RISK ANALYSIS Module

#### STEP 2: PROBABILISTIC SAFETY ANALYSIS(PSA) FOR INDEPENDENT HAZARDS

PSA for independent hazards

Event and fault trees for independent hazards

#### STEP 3: PSA FOR DEPENDENT HAZARDS

Extending event trees of independent hazards for dependent hazards

Extended event trees and fault trees

### QUANTITATIVE RISK ANALYSIS Module

#### STEP 4: PSA QUANTIFICATION

Quantification of all fault and event trees for all hazards

Annual frequency of consequences in the facility

Uncertainty analysis

Probability density function of consequences

Importance analysis

Systems, structures and components importance list

The figure is divided into four main sections:

- Top Left: Probabilistic Seismic Hazard Curve**
  - Y-axis: Annual Probability of Exceedance (log scale, 1.E-07 to 1.E+00)
  - X-axis: PGA (g) (log scale, 0.1 to 1.0)
  - Curve: A solid red line showing a decreasing trend.
- Bottom Left: Probabilistic Flood Hazard Curve**
  - Y-axis: Annual Probability of Exceedance (log scale, 1.E-07 to 1.E+00)
  - X-axis: Water Depth(m) (log scale, 1 to 10)
  - Curves: Three lines representing different confidence levels: Median (solid line), 16% (dashed line), and 84% (dotted line).
- Center: Flowchart of Risk Assessment**
  - The top path starts with '#1 (O.K.)' and leads to a 'FLOOD' box, which then branches into '#1EQ--#1T', '#1EQ--#2T', and '#1EQ--#3T'.
  - The middle path starts with '#2 (Cons. 1)', '#3 (Cons. 2)', and '#4 (Cons. 3)', each leading to a 'FLOOD' box, which then branches into '#2EQ--#2T', '#3EQ--#3T', and '#4EQ--#4T'.
  - The bottom path starts with '#5 (Cons. 4)', '#6 (Cons. 5)', and '#7 (Cons. 6)', each leading to a 'FLOOD' box, which then branches into '#5EQ--#5T', '#6EQ--#6T', and '#7EQ--#7T'.
  - A final path starts with '#8 (Cons. 7)' leading to a 'FLOOD' box, which then branches into '#8EQ--#29T', '#8EQ--#30T', '#8EQ--#31T', and '#8EQ--#32T'.
- Right: Earthquake-Tsunami Risk Curves**
  - Y-axis: Annual Probability of Exceedance (log scale, 1.E-07 to 1.E+00)
  - X-axis: PGA(g) (log scale, 0.1 to 1.0)
  - Curves: Two lines representing different confidence levels: Mainshock (blue line with circles) and Aftershock (orange line with diamonds).



## Concluding Remarks:

- ✓ Past disasters have shown that Energy Infrastructures are at high risk which has been endangered energy security, and economic development considering its cascading impacts.
- ✓ To secure energy security, requires an integrated approach to energy infrastructure risk management.
- ✓ Systematic approach is required for DRR (prevention, preparedness, response and recovery process and actions) in energy infrastructures to ensure Resilience Infrastructures.
- ✓ Advising IIASA System Analysis Program, and Cooperation-Transformative Governance group to develop Energy Infrastructure Resilience project



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