

# Exact Mixed-Integer Programming Approach for Chance-Constrained Multi-Area Reserve Sizing

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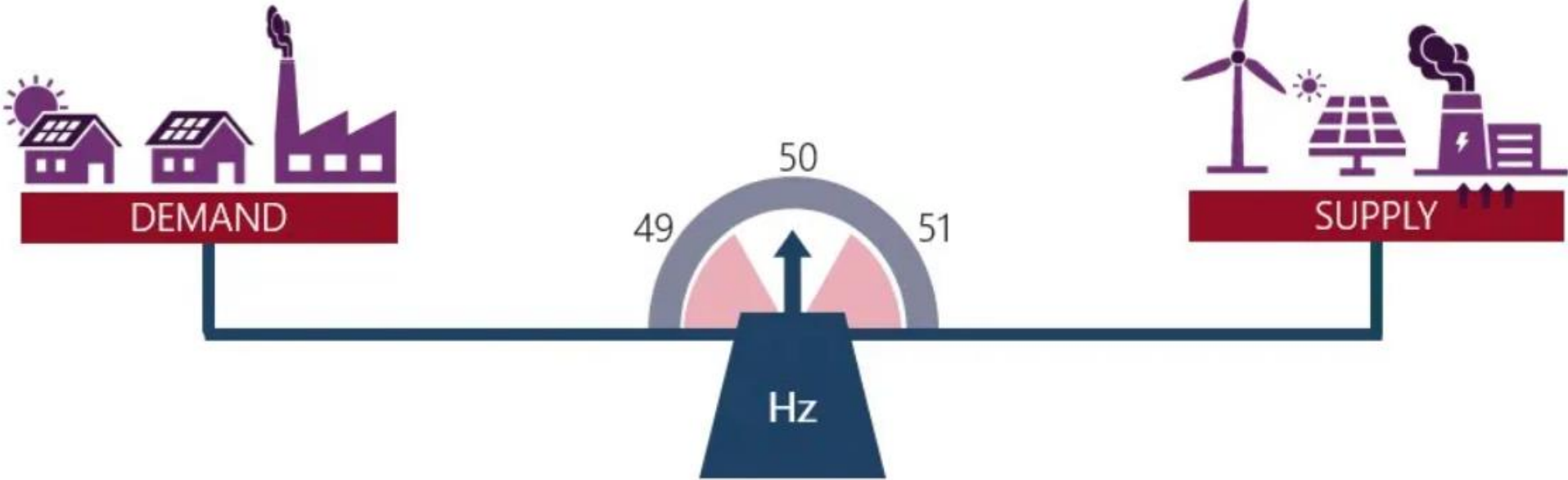
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# Motivation

## Balancing



Continuous maintenance of system frequency by balancing supply and demand

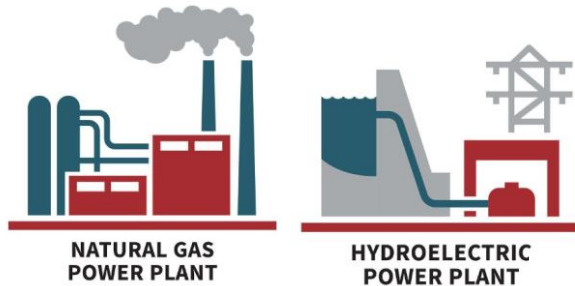


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## Power Generation

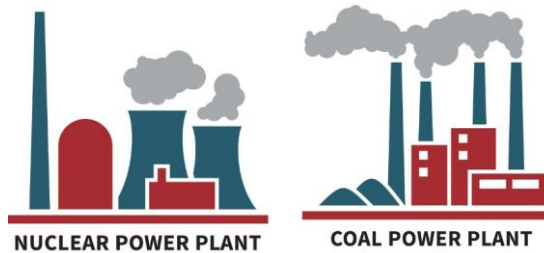
### Flexible Generators

Examples: Gas turbines, Hydroelectric Power Plants



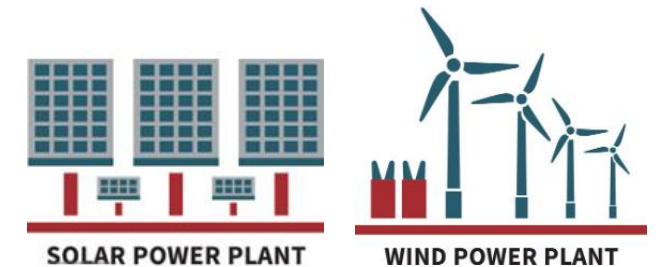
### Inflexible Generators

Examples: Coal-Fired Power Plants, Nuclear Power Plants



### Uncontrollable Generators

Examples: Solar Panels, Wind Turbines



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## Imbalances

### Before Real-Time

Generators are scheduled in advance according to forecasted power: supply (solar and wind energy production) and demand.

### Real-Time Operations

Flexibility providers (flexible generator, battery storage system, demand response) adjust the mismatch between supply and demand in real-time.

“**Imbalances**” refer to the discrepancy between electricity supply and demand at any given moment, caused by forecasting errors or unpredicted system disturbances.



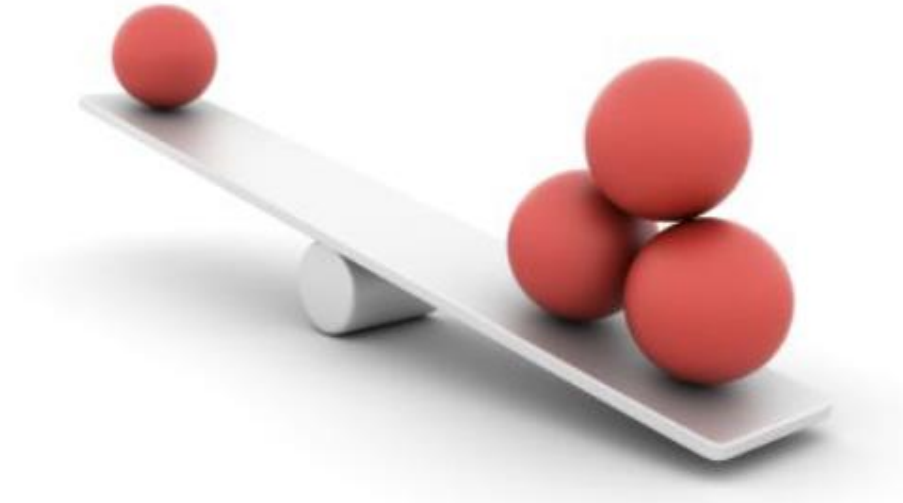
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## Reserves

“**Reserves**” refer to the capacity set aside by the system operator for covering imbalances.

**Costs for Reserve Capacity**

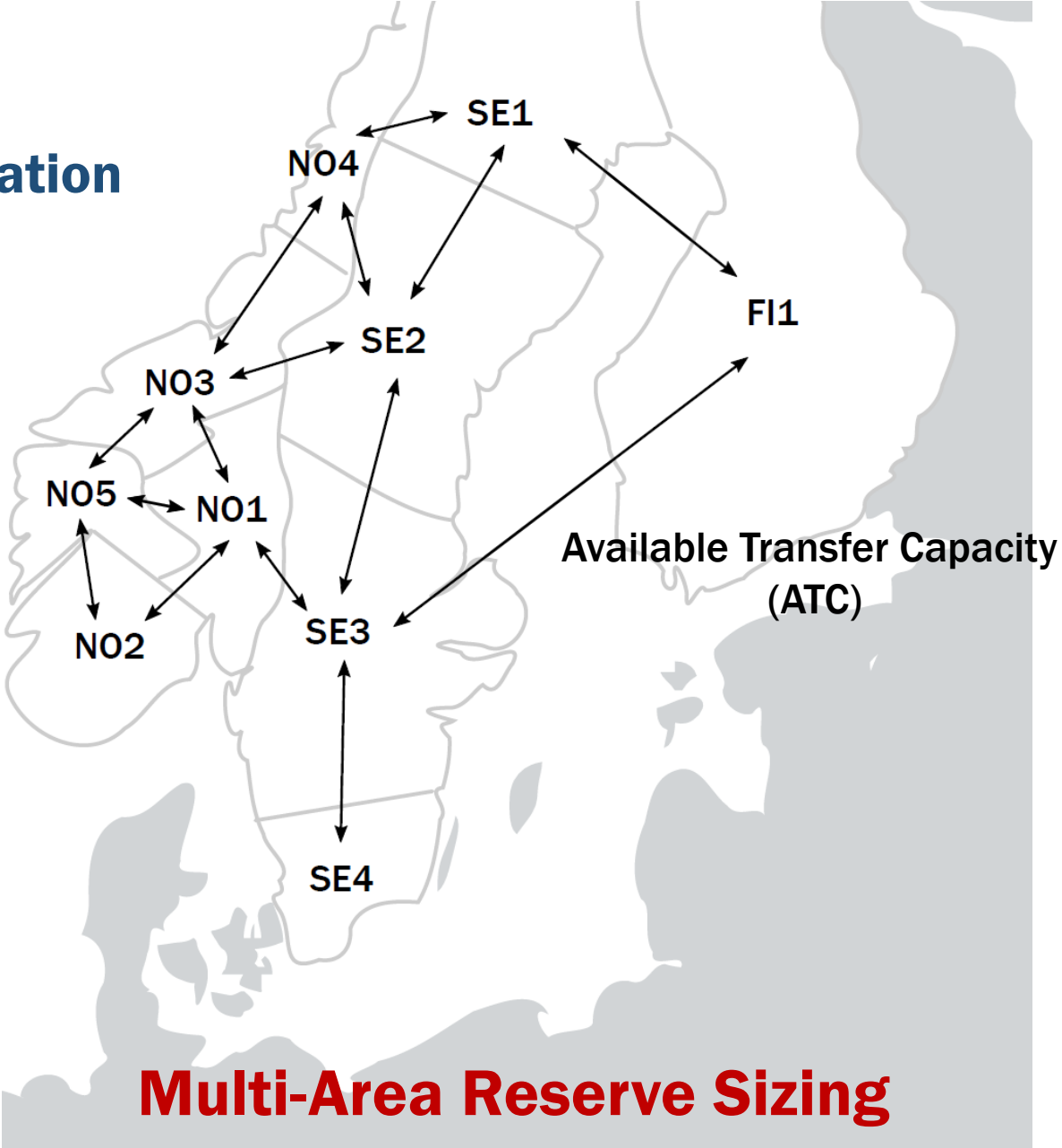
**System Reliability**



Trade off between costs for reserves and system reliability

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## Cross-Zonal Coordination

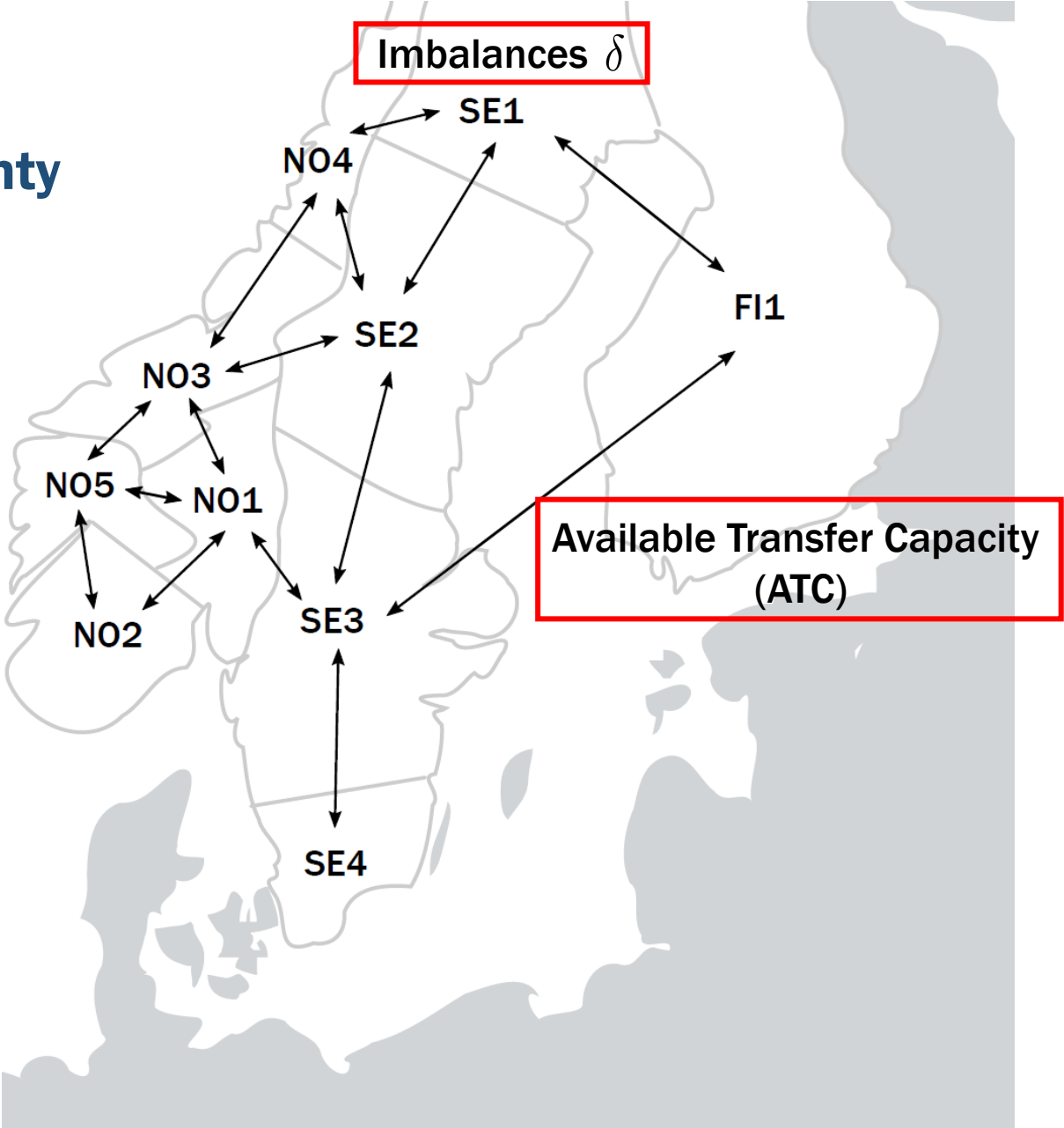


## Multi-Area Reserve Sizing



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## Sources of Uncertainty



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## Probabilistic Requirements

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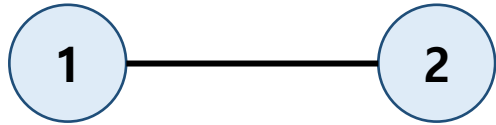
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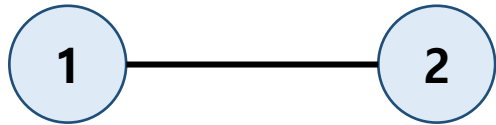
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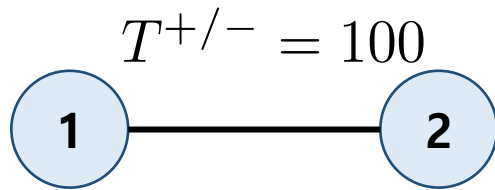
$$\Pr[-(\delta_1 + \delta_2) \leq r_1^+ + r_2^+] \geq 0.99$$

$$r_1^+ + r_2^+ = 2\mu + z_{0.01} \cdot \sqrt{2}\sigma \approx 329.5$$

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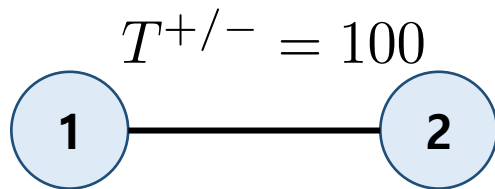
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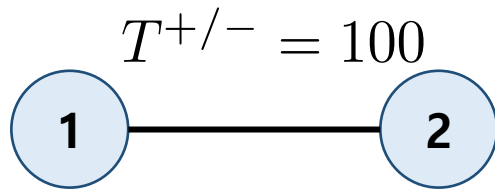
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## Chance-Constrained Optimization Problem



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### Sample Approximation

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$$\sum_{i \in N} u_i^{+/-} \leq \lceil \epsilon^{+/-} N \rceil$$

$$r^{+/-} \geq 0, l^{+/-} \geq 0, u^{+/-} \in \{0, 1\}^N$$

$u_i^{+/-}$  : binary variables representing  
 $u_i^{+/-} = 0 \implies r^{+/-} \in F_i^{+/-}$

$l_{zi}^{+/-}$  : slack variables that are non-zero  
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## Big-M Style Reformulation – Heuristic Method

### LP relaxation

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### Heuristic Method

**Step 1 : Solve the LP relaxation problem (left)**

**Step 2 : Pick  $\lfloor \epsilon^{+/-} N \rfloor$  largest values from  $\{u_i^{*+/-}, i \in [N]\}$**

**Step 3 : Fix them as 1 and the rest as 0**

**Step 4 : Solve the optimization problem with fixed  $u_i^{+/-}$**



# Exact Mixed-Integer Programming Approach

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**Integer Programming Techniques**

Mixing Inequalities

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## Step 2 : Strengthened Minimal Projection Formulation



$$\begin{aligned} \min \sum_{z \in Z} (r_z^+ + r_z^-) \\ \text{s.t. } \sum_{z \in S} r_z^{+/-} + \sum_{i=1}^{q^{+/-}} (h_{S,i}^{+/-} - h_{S,i+1}^{+/-}) w_{S,i}^{+/-} \geq h_{S,1}^{+/-}, S \in \mathcal{W}(\mathcal{G}) \\ w_{S,i}^{+/-} - w_{S,i+1}^{+/-} \geq 0, \quad \forall i \in [q^{+/-} - 1], S \in \mathcal{W}(\mathcal{G}) \\ u_{\sigma_{S,i}^{+/-}}^{+/-} - w_{S,i}^{+/-} \geq 0, \quad \forall i \in [q^{+/-}], S \in \mathcal{W}(\mathcal{G}) \\ \sum_{i=1}^N u_i^{+/-} \leq q^{+/-} \\ r^{+/-} \geq 0, u^{+/-} \in \{0, 1\}^N, w^{+/-} \in \{0, 1\}^{q^{+/-} \cdot |\mathcal{W}(\mathcal{G})|} \end{aligned}$$



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*Theorem 2.1* :  $Proj_{(r^+, r^-)}(F) = F_r$

*Theorem 2.3* :  $F_r$  is a minimal representation on the space of  $(r^+, r^-)$

$$F = \{(r^+, r^-, p, f) \in \mathbb{R}_+^{|Z|} \times \mathbb{R}_+^{|Z|} \times \mathbb{R}^{|Z|} \times \mathbb{R}^{|E|} : \left. \begin{aligned} p_z + \delta_z &= \sum_{e=(z, \cdot) \in E} f_e - \sum_{e=(\cdot, z) \in E} f_e, \quad z \in Z \\ -r_z^- &\leq p_z \leq r_z^+, \quad z \in Z \\ -T_e^- &\leq f_e \leq T_e^+, \quad e \in E \end{aligned} \right\}$$

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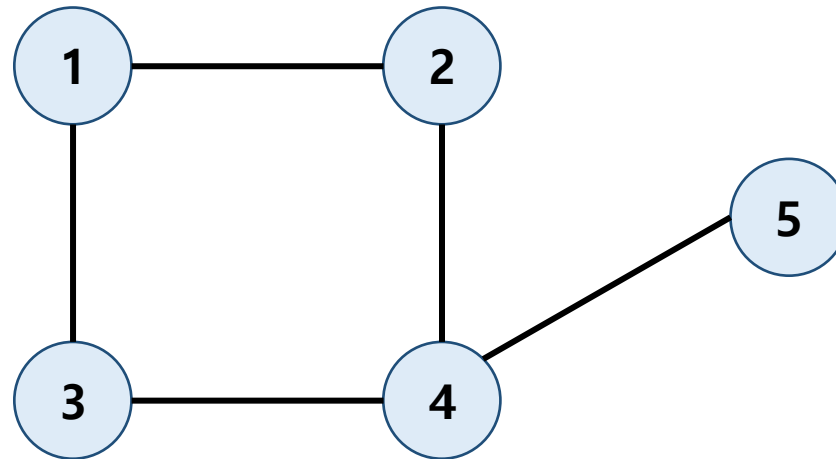
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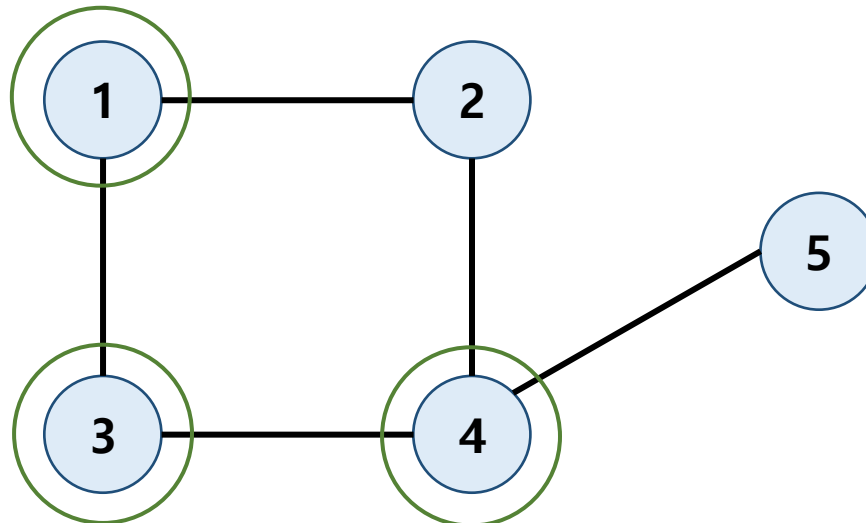
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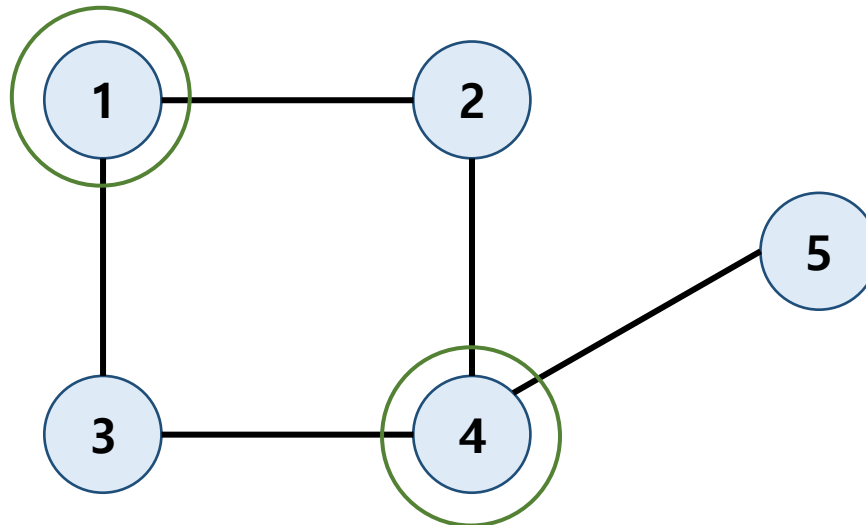
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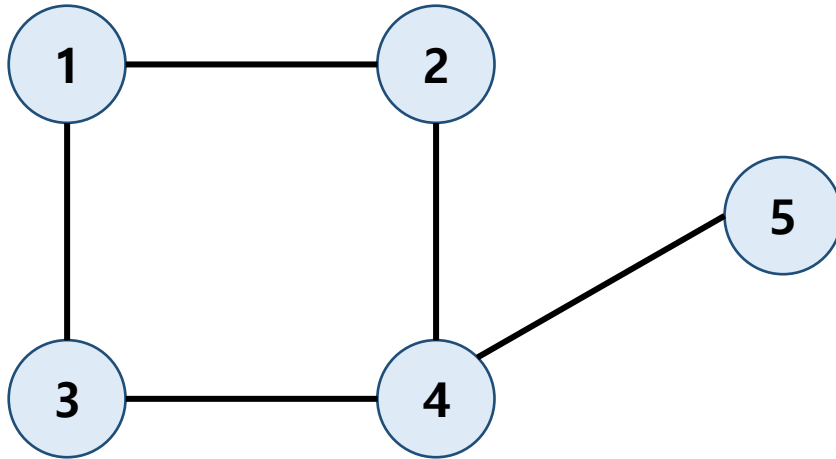
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**Total : 21**

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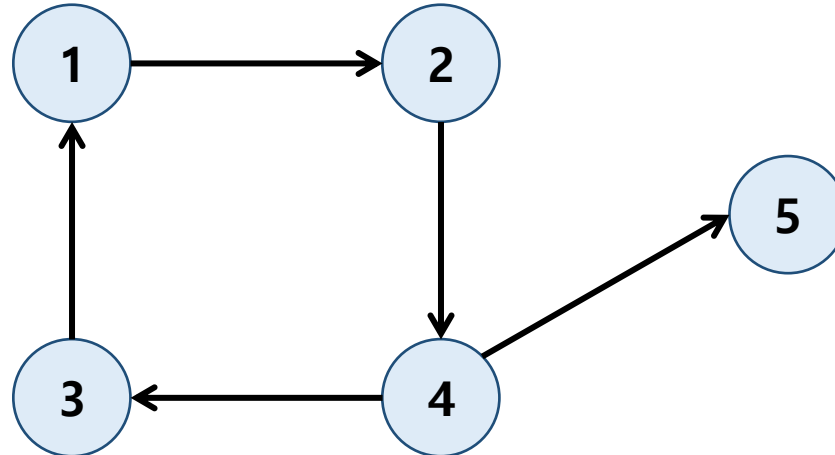
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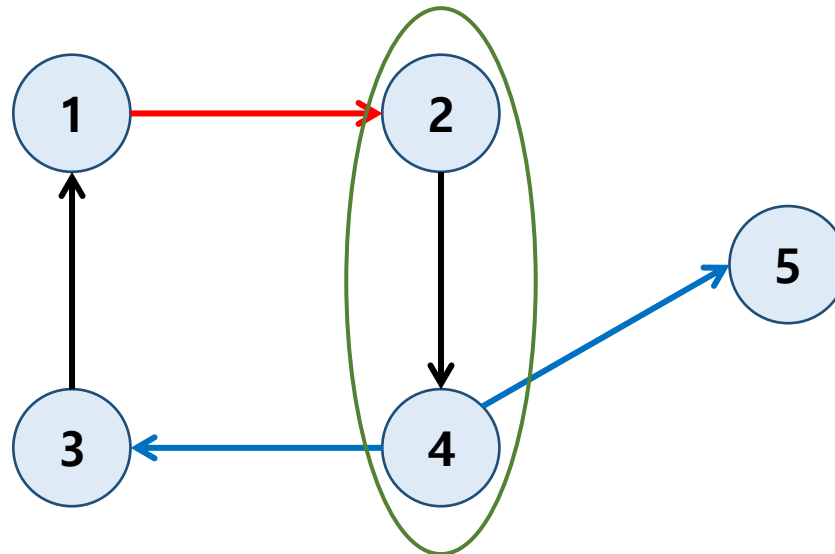
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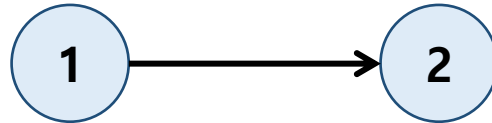
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### Two Zones Example



$$\begin{array}{ll} r_1^+ + r_2^+ \geq -\delta_1 - \delta_2 & r_1^- + r_2^- \geq \delta_1 + \delta_2 \\ r_1^+ \geq -\delta_1 - T^- & r_1^- \geq \delta_1 - T^+ \\ r_2^+ \geq -\delta_2 - T^+ & r_2^- \geq \delta_2 - T^- \end{array}$$

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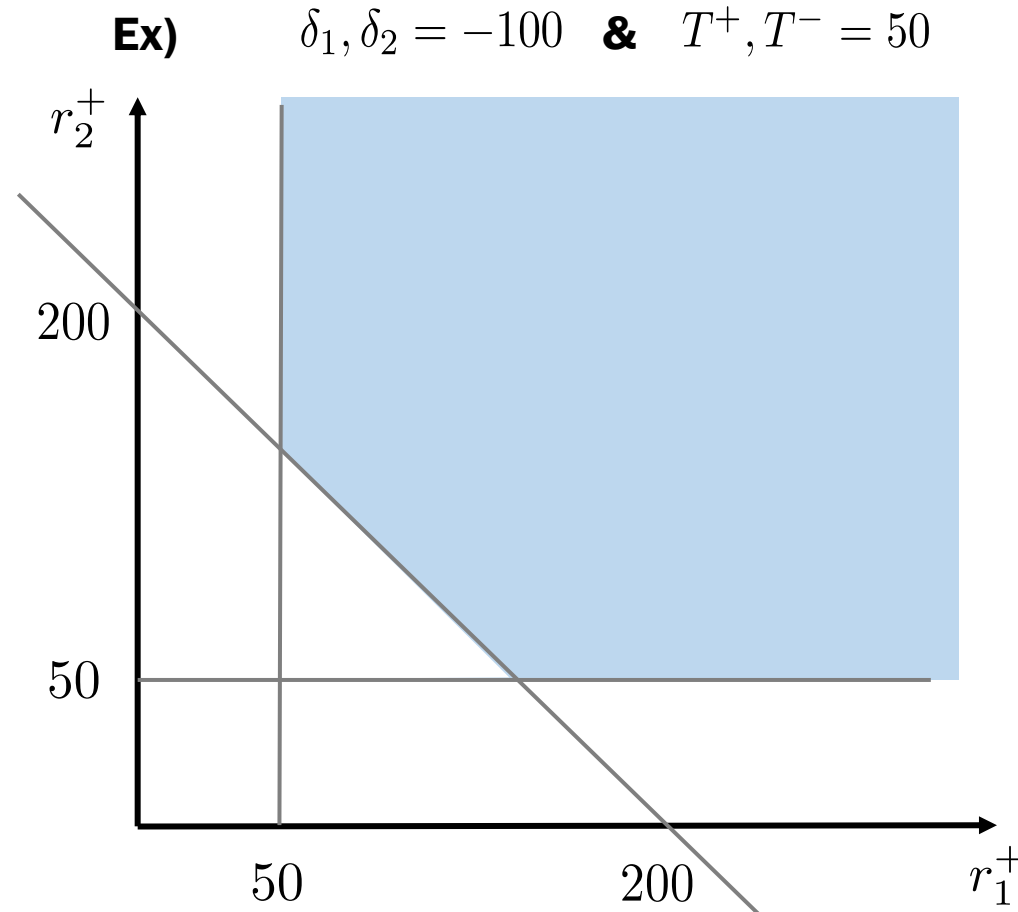
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### Two Zones Example (Positive Reserve)

$$r_1^+ + r_2^+ \geq -\delta_1 - \delta_2$$

$$r_1^+ \geq -\delta_1 - T^-$$

$$r_2^+ \geq -\delta_2 - T^+$$





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**Mixing Set**

Big-M  
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### Mixing Set with a Cardinality Constraint

$$G = \{(y, u) \in \mathbb{R}_+ \times \{0, 1\}^N : \sum_{i=1}^N u_i \leq q, y + h_i u_i \geq h_i, i \in [N]\}$$

$$q = \lfloor \epsilon N \rfloor$$

### Strengthened Mixing Inequalities

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**Facet defining inequalities**



# Exact Mixed-Integer Programming Approach

## Step 2 : Strengthened Minimal Projection Formulation

### Strong Extended Formulation

$$EG := \left\{ (y, u, w) \in \mathbb{R}_+ \times \{0, 1\}^{n+q} : \begin{aligned} \sum_{i=1}^N u_i &\leq q, \quad y + \sum_{i=1}^q (h_i - h_{i+1})w_i \geq h_1 \\ w_i - w_{i+1} &\geq 0, \quad \forall i \in [q-1] \\ u_i - w_i &\geq 0, \quad \forall i \in [q] \end{aligned} \right\}$$

*Theorem 6 from (Luedtke 2010):*  $\text{Proj}_{(y,u)}(EG) = G$ . Moreover, the projection of the linear relaxation of  $EG$  is the linear relaxation of  $G$  with all the strengthened mixing inequalities added.

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$\sigma_{S,i}^{+/-}$  are the permutations that rearrange the indices as

$$h_{S,1}^+ \geq h_{S,2}^+ \geq \dots \geq h_{S,N}^+$$

$$h_{S,1}^- \geq h_{S,2}^- \geq \dots \geq h_{S,N}^-$$

**Commercial Solvers**





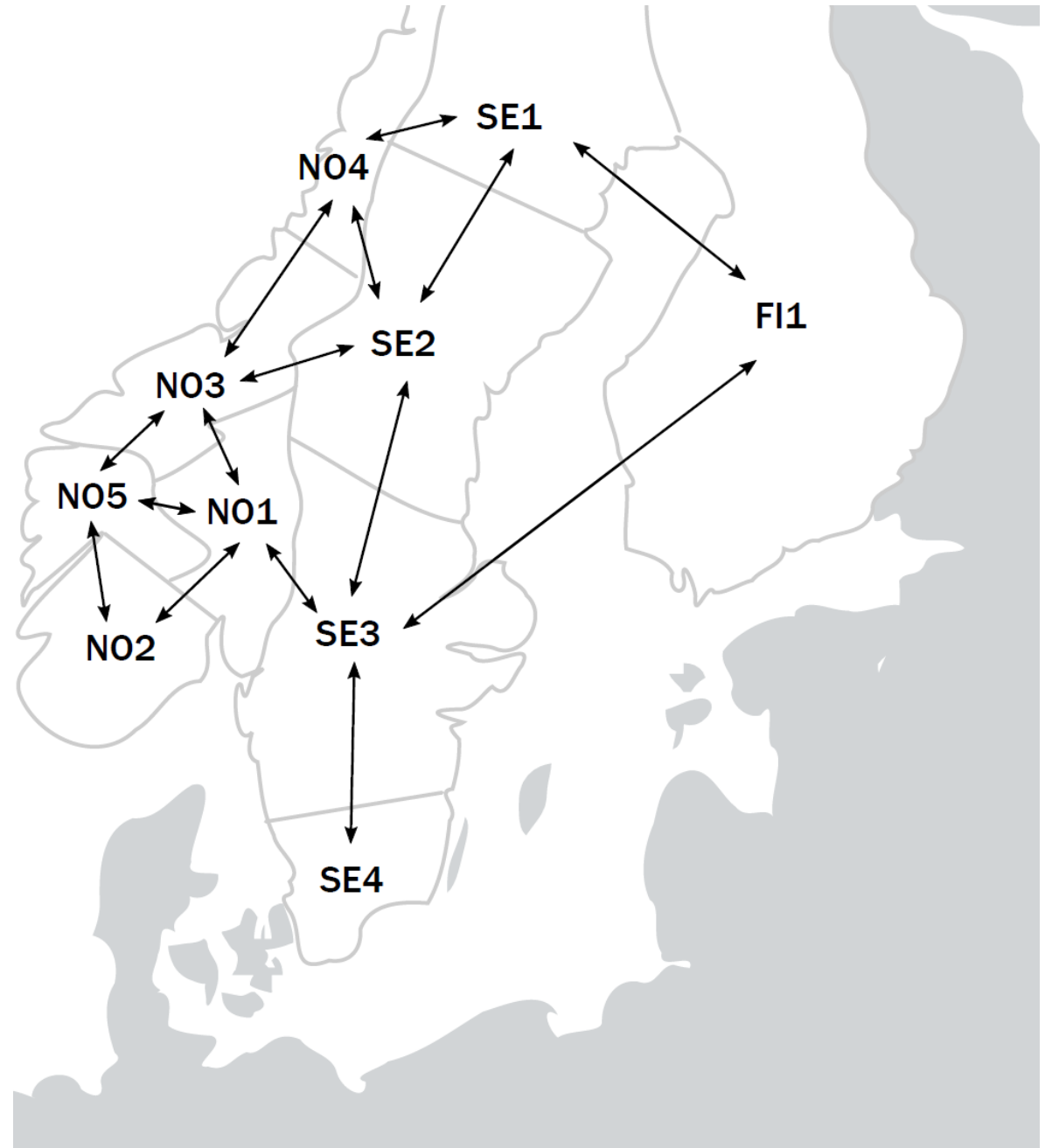
# Computational Results

## Nordic System Case Study

Reference data from (Boe 2017)

Imbalances data is Gaussian distributed with zero mean and standard deviation equal to the reference data

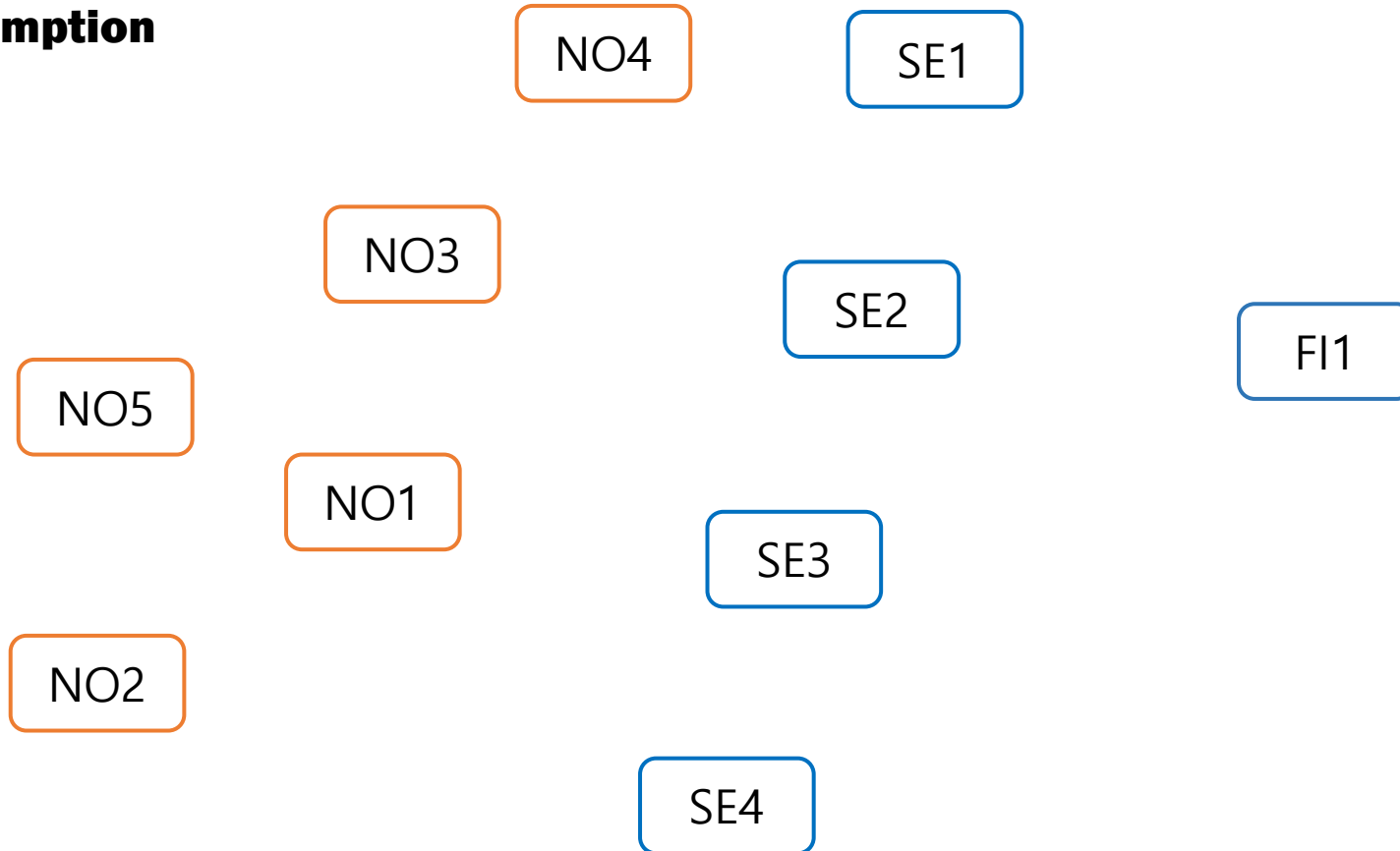
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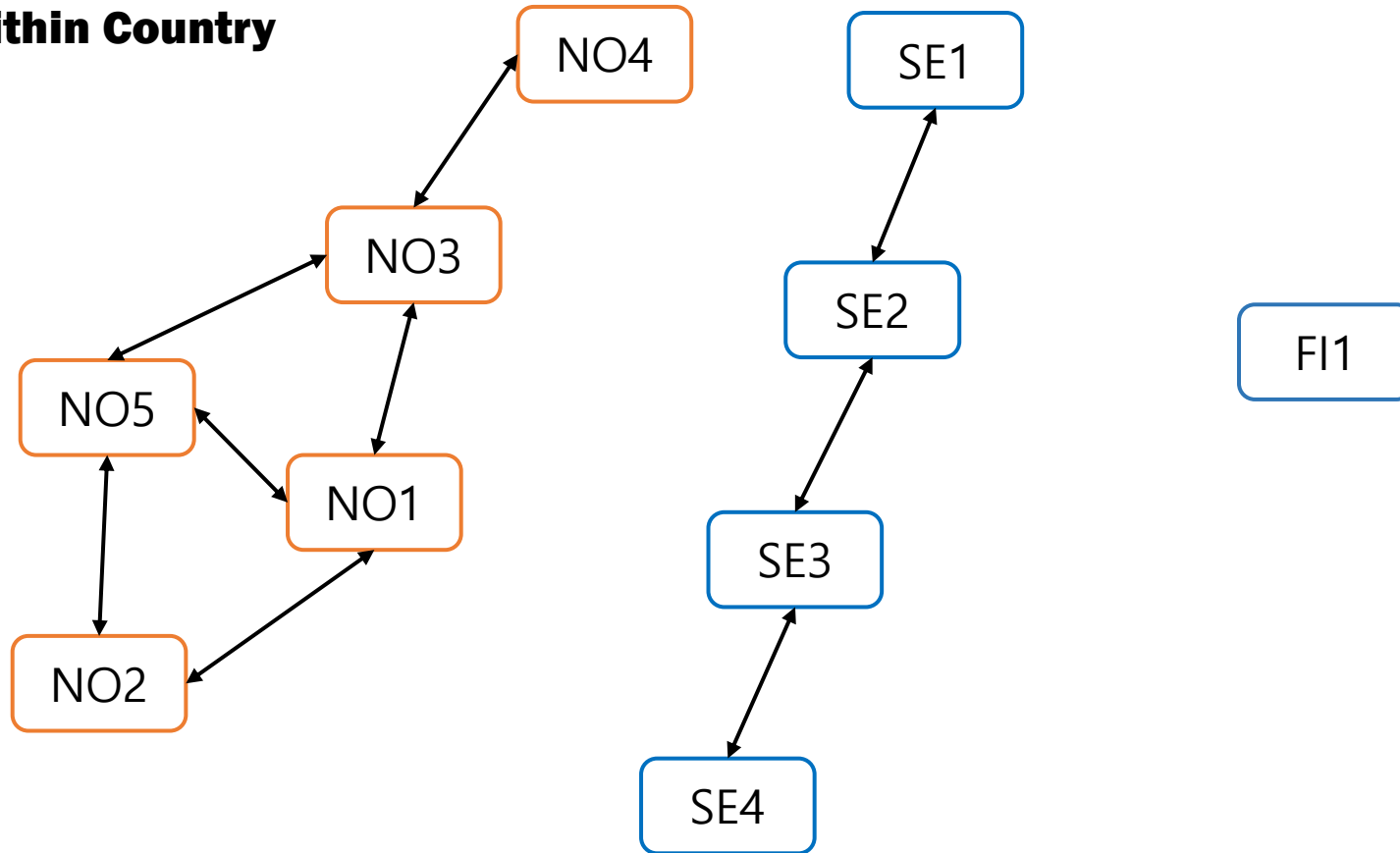
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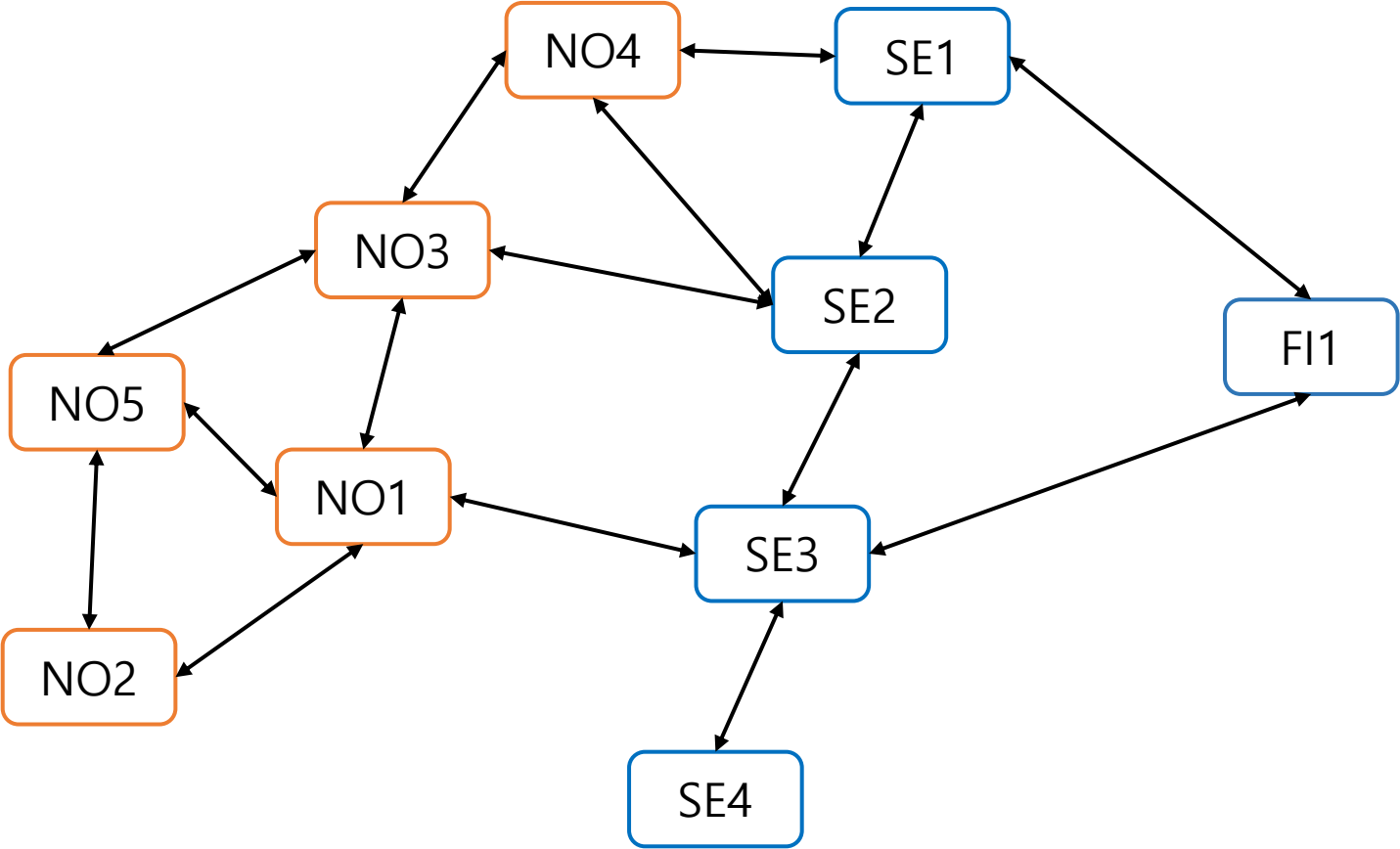
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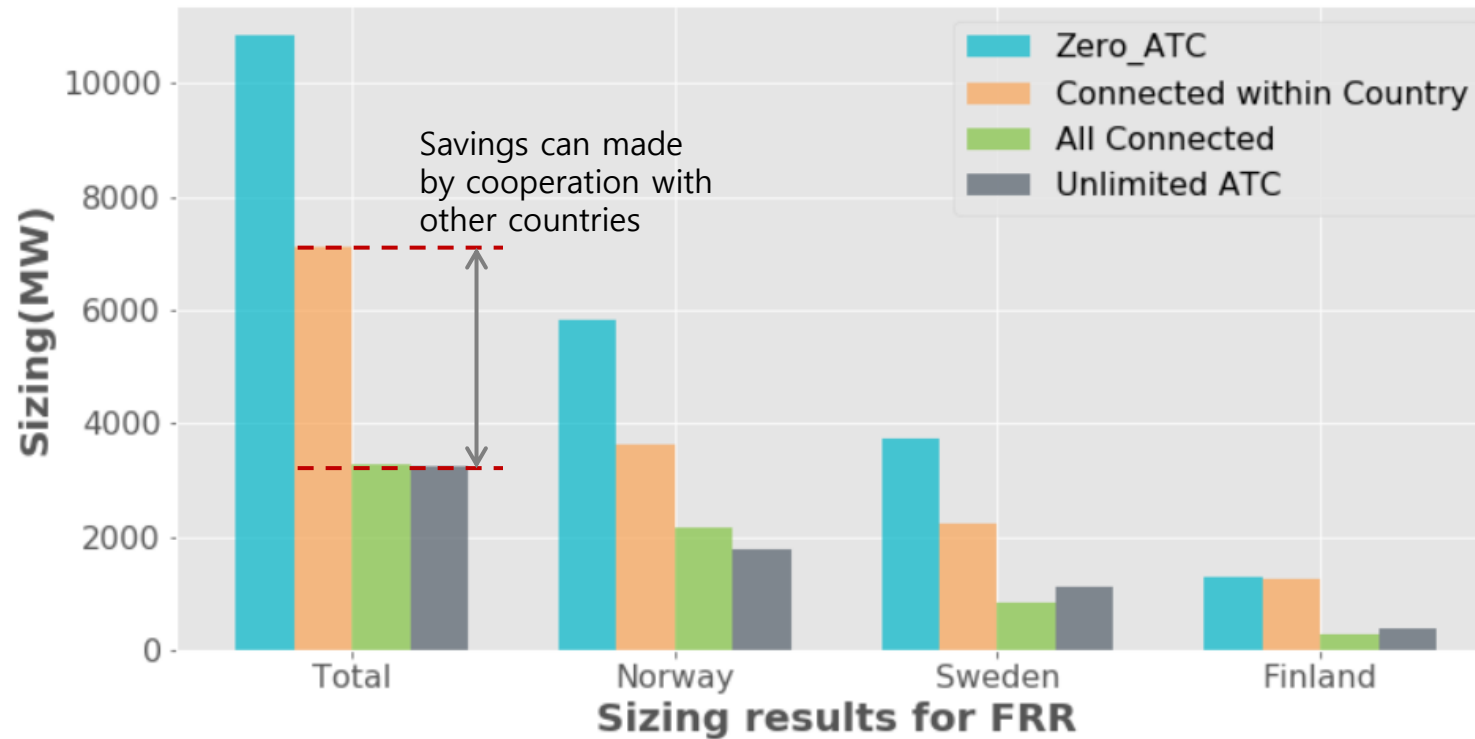
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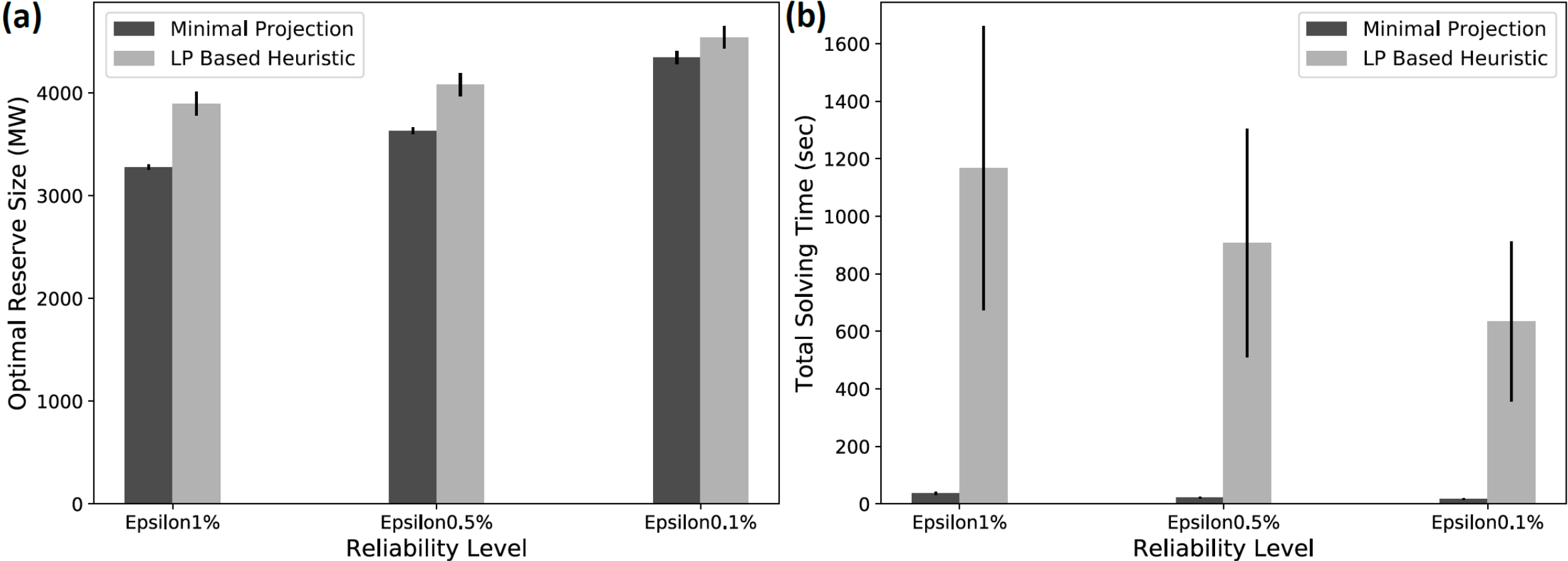
## Nordic System Case Study – Effect of Coordination

Simulation with 50,000 Samples



# Computational Results

## Nordic System Case Study – Result Comparison with the Heuristic Method



100 Times Simulation with 25,000 Samples

# Computational Results

## Nordic System Case Study – Result Comparison with the Heuristic Method

### Heuristic Method Formulation (LP relaxation)

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \min \sum_{z \in Z} (r_z^+ + r_z^-) \\
 \text{s.t. } & p_{zi} + l_{zi}^+ - l_{zi}^- + \delta_{zi} = \sum_{e=(z,\cdot) \in E} f_{ei} - \sum_{e=(\cdot,z) \in E} f_{ei}, \quad \forall z \in Z, i \in [N] \\
 & -r_z^- \leq p_{zi} \leq r_z^+, \quad \forall z \in Z, i \in [N] \\
 & l_{zi}^+ \leq \max\{0, -\delta_{zi}\} \cdot u_i^+, \quad \forall z \in Z, i \in [N] \\
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 & -T_{ei}^- \leq f_{ei} \leq T_{ei}^+, \quad \forall e \in E, i \in [N] \\
 & \sum_{i \in N} u_i^{+/-} \leq \lfloor \epsilon^{+/-} N \rfloor \\
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### Strengthened Minimal Projection Formulation

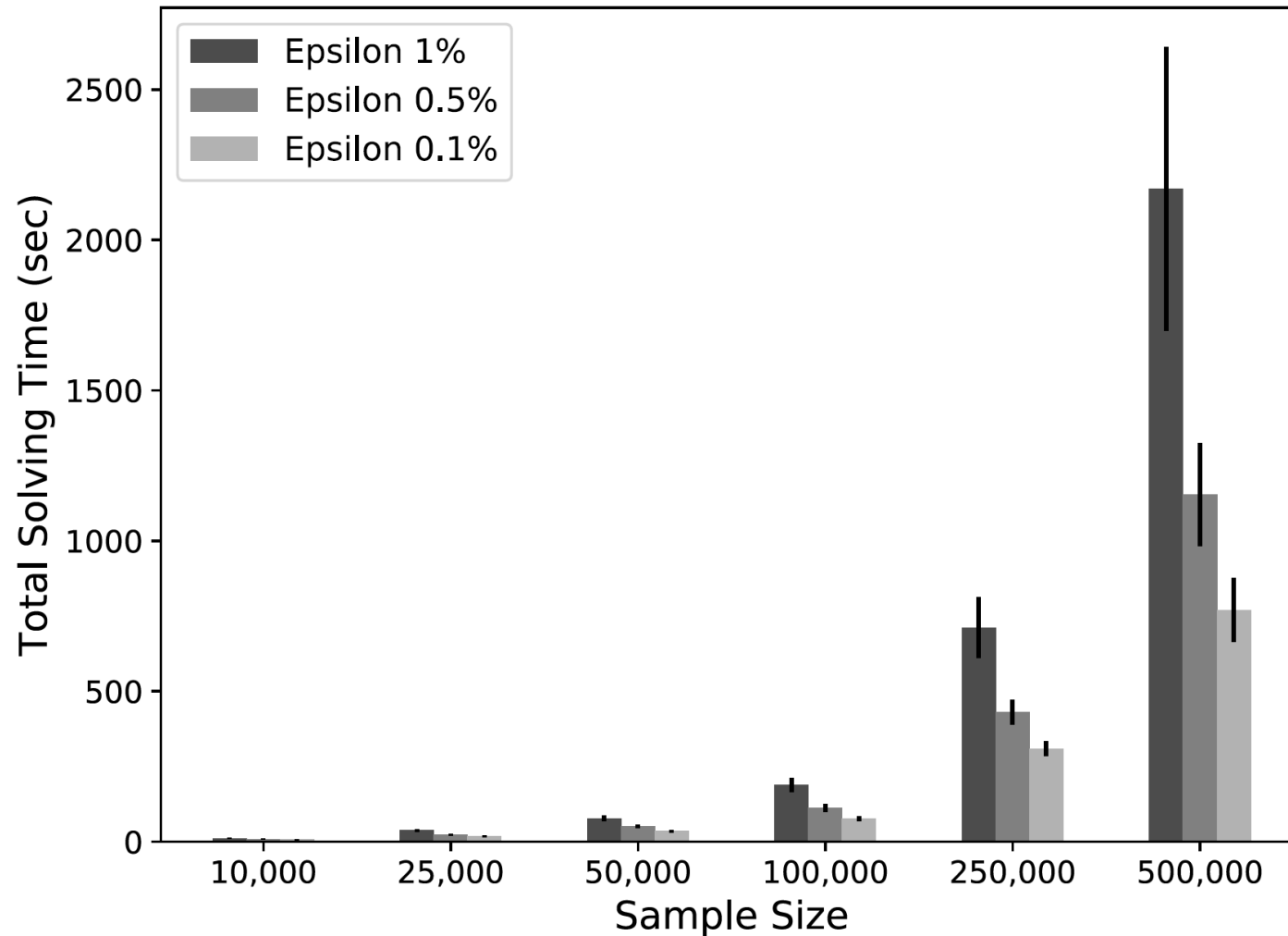
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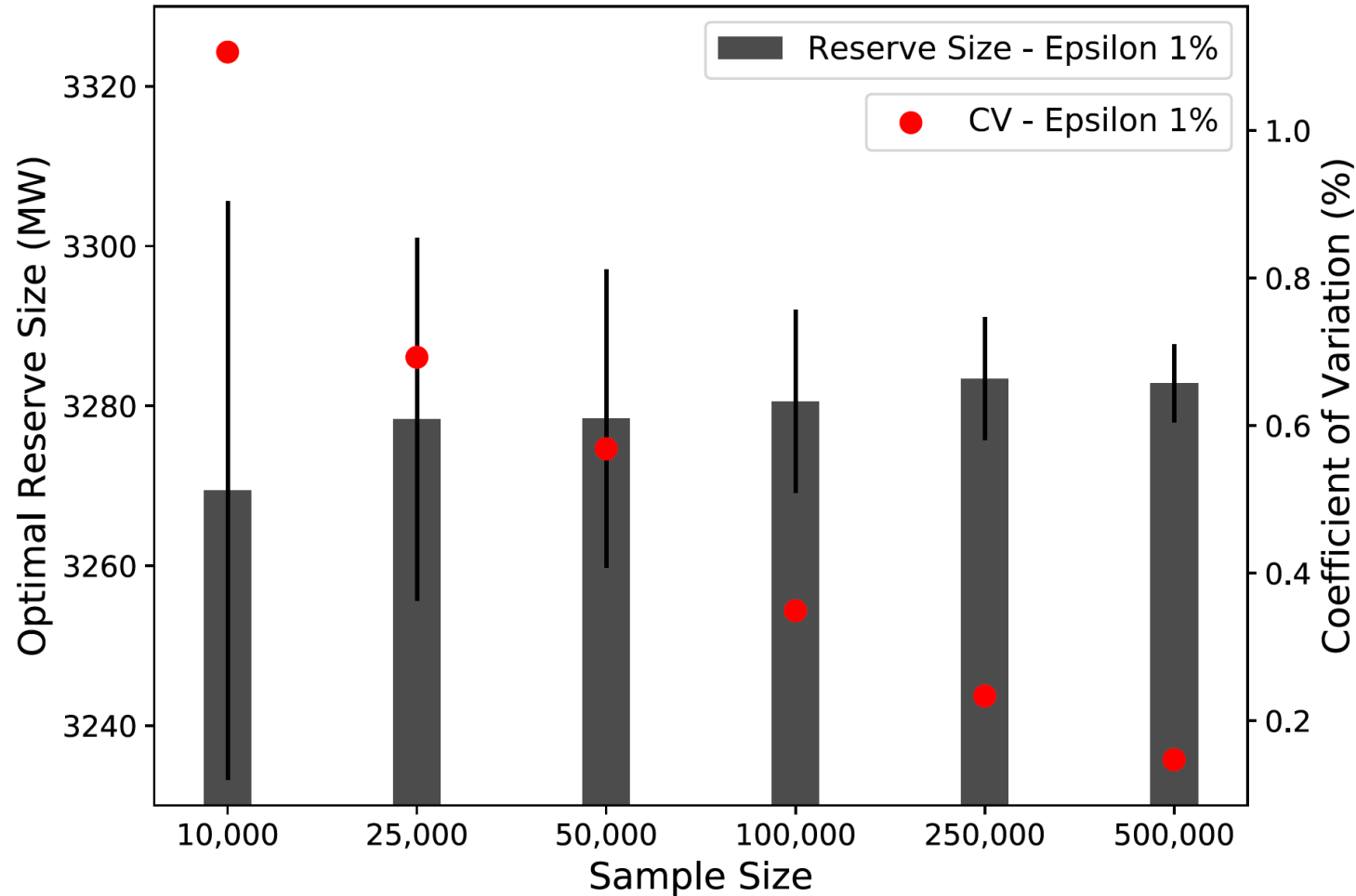
## Nordic System Case Study – Solving Time





# Computational Results

## Nordic System Case Study – Sensitivity Analysis



# Conclusion

## New Method for Chance-Constrained Multi-Area Reserve Sizing Problem

Minimal Projection Formulation

Strengthened Minimal Projection Formulation

## Practical Usage

Tractable for Realistic Scale of Instances

Easy Implementation

## Applicability

Transportation-Based Network



**Thank you**

# **Appendix**

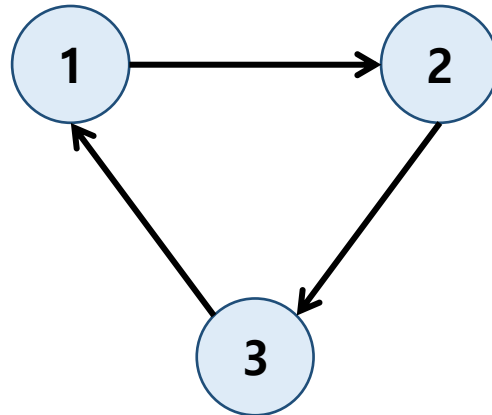
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### Three Zones Example

$$\begin{aligned} r_1^+ + r_2^+ + r_3^+ &\geq -\delta_1 - \delta_2 - \delta_3 \\ r_1^+ + r_2^+ &\geq -\delta_1 - \delta_2 - T_{(2,3)}^- - T_{(3,1)}^+ \\ r_2^+ + r_3^+ &\geq -\delta_2 - \delta_3 - T_{(1,2)}^+ - T_{(3,1)}^- \\ r_1^+ + r_3^+ &\geq -\delta_1 - \delta_3 - T_{(1,2)}^- - T_{(2,3)}^+ \\ r_1^+ &\geq -\delta_1 - T_{(1,2)}^- - T_{(3,1)}^+ \\ r_2^+ &\geq -\delta_2 - T_{(1,2)}^+ - T_{(2,3)}^- \\ r_3^+ &\geq -\delta_2 - T_{(2,3)}^+ - T_{(3,1)}^- \end{aligned}$$



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# Exact Mixed-Integer Programming Approach

## Step 2 : Strengthened Minimal Projection Formulation (Implementation)

### Connected Vertex Set Generation

Algorithm 1  $\mathcal{W}(\mathcal{G})$  Generation

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**Input:**  $\mathcal{G} = (V, E)$   
**Output:**  $\mathcal{W}$   
 Select a start node  $v_0 \in V$   
 Initialize  $\mathcal{W} = \{\{v_0\}\}, V_{sel} = \{v_0\}, E_{sel} = \emptyset$   
**while**  $E_{sel} \neq E$  **do**  
   Choose  $e = (v, w) \in E(V_{sel}) = \{e' \in E : \exists v' \in V_{sel} \text{ s.t. } e' = (v', \cdot) \text{ or } e' = (\cdot, v')\}$   
    $E_{sel} \leftarrow E_{sel} \cup \{e\}$   
   **if**  $v, w \in V_{sel}$  **then**  
      $\mathcal{W}^v \leftarrow \{S \in \mathcal{W} : v \in S\}$   
      $\mathcal{W}^w \leftarrow \{S \in \mathcal{W} : w \in S\}$   
     **for**  $S_1 \in \mathcal{W}^v, S_2 \in \mathcal{W}^w$  **do**  
        $\mathcal{W} \leftarrow \mathcal{W} \cup \{S_1 \cup S_2\}$   
     **end for**  
   **else**  
     (WLOG assume  $v \in V_{sel}$  and  $w \notin V_{sel}$ )  
      $\mathcal{W} \leftarrow \mathcal{W} \cup \{\{w\}\}$   
      $V_{sel} \leftarrow V_{sel} \cup \{w\}$   
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   **end if**  
**end while**

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**Worst Case Complexity**  $\mathcal{O}(|E| \cdot 2^{|V|})$

### Coefficient Generation

$$h_{S, \sigma_{S,i}^+}^+ = - \sum_{v \in S} \delta_{v,i} - I_i(S|E), \forall S \in \mathcal{W}(\mathcal{G})$$

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**Sorting**  $\sigma_{S,i}^{+/-} \forall S \in \mathcal{W}(\mathcal{G})$

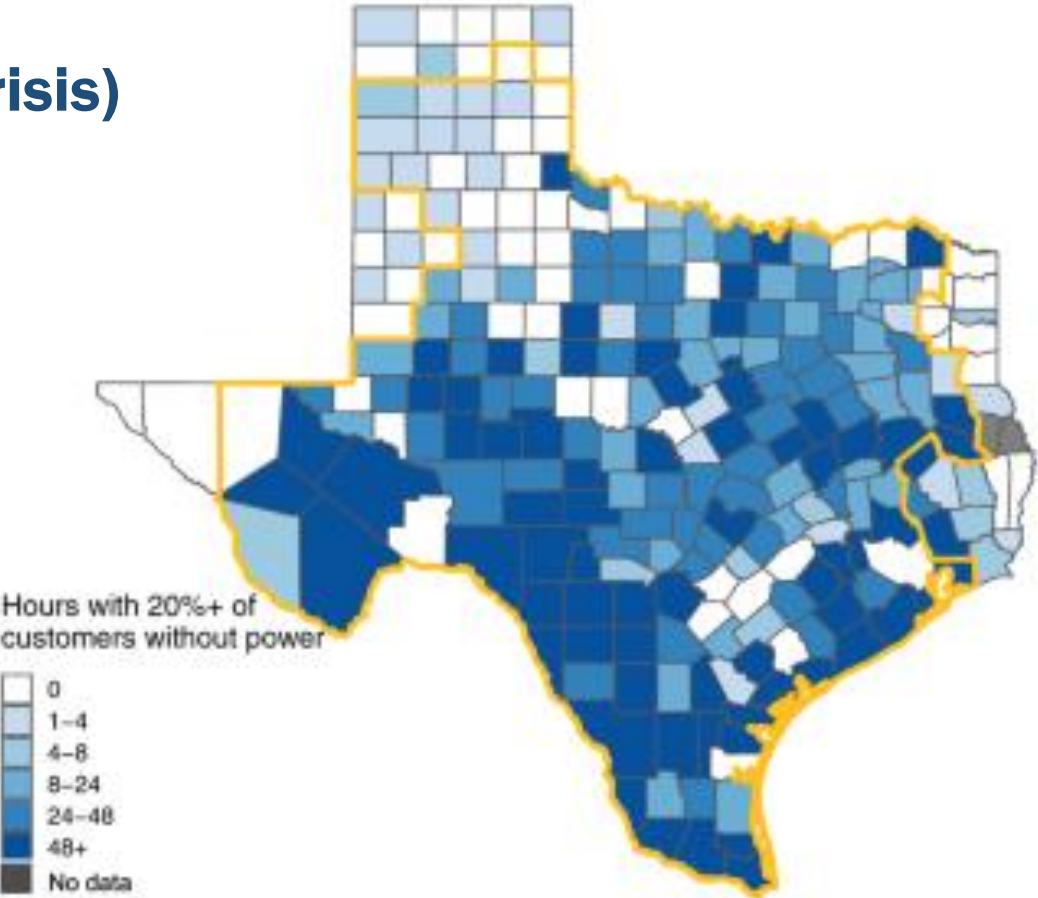
**Complexity**  $\mathcal{O}(N \log N \cdot |\mathcal{W}(\mathcal{G})|)$

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# Motivation

## System Failure (2021 Texas Power Crisis)



over 246 people were killed / over 200 billion US dollars of property damage

