

# U.S. DOE-NERC Workshop on Fault-Induced Delayed Voltage Recovery (FIDVR) & Dynamic Load Modeling

## Overview

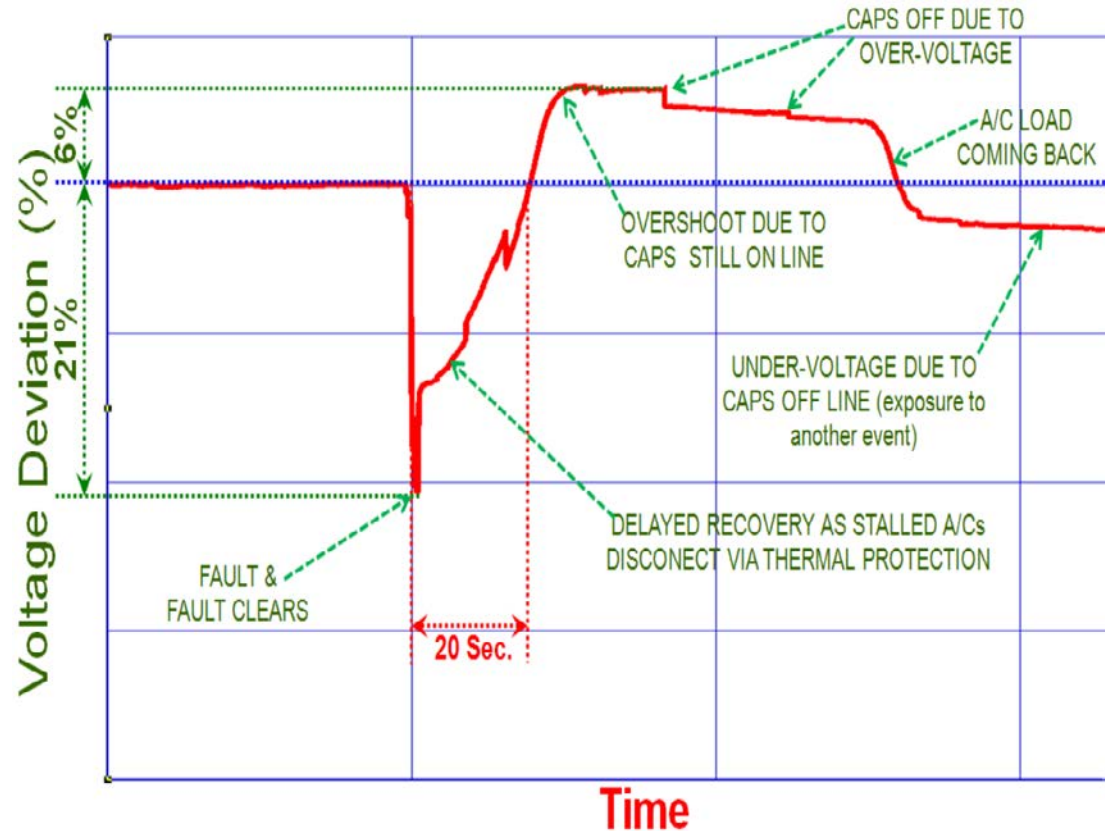
Joe Eto, Lawrence Berkeley National Lab  
September 30, 2015  
Alexandria, VA



# What is FIDVR ?

**Fault-Induced Delayed Voltage Recovery** — a voltage condition initiated by a fault and characterized by:

- 1) Stalling of induction motors;
- 2) Initial voltage recovery after the clearing of a fault to less than 90 percent of pre-contingency voltage; and
- 3) Slow voltage recovery of more than two seconds to expected post-contingency steady-state voltage levels



Source: A Technical Reference Paper: Fault-Induced Delayed Voltage Recovery. Version 1.2. Prepared by: NERC Transmission Issues Subcommittee and System Protection and Control Subcommittee. June 2009



# Agenda

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## Wednesday, September 30, 2015

**8:30-9:00 Welcome & Opening Remarks**

David Meyer, *U.S. Department of Energy, Office of Electricity Delivery and Energy Reliability*

David Till, *North American Electric Reliability Corporation*

**9:00-9:15 Workshop Overview & Objectives**

Joe Eto, *Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory*

**9:15-9:45 Current State of Load Modeling**

*A landscape overview of dynamic load modeling and FIDVR – where we are today, how we got here, and where we're going.*

Dmitry Kosterev, *Bonneville Power Administration*

**9:45-10:00 Break**

**10:00-12:00 Fundamentals, Testing & Modelings of Air-Conditioners**

*A deep dive into the fundamentals of motors, laboratory testing of end-use loads, and modeling efforts. Development of single-phase and equivalent models using field testing and detailed modeling.*

John Undrill, *Independent Consultant*

Dmitry Kosterev, *Bonneville Power Administration*

Steven Robles, *Southern California Edison*

Bernie Leseiutre, *University of Wisconsin*

**12:00-1:00 Lunch – provided**



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## Wednesday, September 30, 2015 (continued)

**1:00-2:30 Manufacturing Perspective, Future Trends & Technologies (Panel Session)**

*Perspectives from the manufacturing community focusing on current and future trends in control design and engineering, end-use requirements, and future technologies.*

John Halliwell, *Electric Power Research Institute*

John Berdner, *Enphase Energy*

Tim Hawkins, *Rheem*

Hung Pham, *Emerson Climate Technologies*

**2:30-2:45 Break**

**2:45 – 4:30 Load Model Data**

*The composite load model for transmission planning studies – development, parameter selection, model structure, and data management.*

Ryan Quint, *North American Electric Reliability Corporation*

John Kueck, *Independent Consultant*

Donald Davies, *Western Electricity Coordinating Council*

Dmitry Kosterev, *Bonneville Power Administration*

**4:30-5:30 Field Measurements**

*Gathering data at the distribution level to better understand the phenomena of FIDVR and load dynamics.*

Kyle Thomas, *Dominion Virginia Power*

Richard Bravo, *Southern California Edison*

John Undrill, *Independent Consultant*

**5:30 Adjourn**



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**Thursday, October 1, 2015**

**8:30-10:00 Composite Load Modeling & System Studies (Panel Session)**

*Experience using the composite load model for bulk transmission planning studies – lessons learned, technical challenges, identified problems, and solutions. A focus on the development of the model, utilization of the model, and planning around a more detailed load model.*

Noah Badayos, *Southern California Edison*

Dmitry Kosterev, *Bonneville Power Administration*

Rob O’Keefe, *American Electric Power*

Dean LaTulipe, *National Grid*

Scott Ghiocel, *Mitsubishi Electric Power Products, Inc.*

**10:00-  
10:15** Break

**10:15-  
10:15**

**10:15-  
11:30** Reliability Focus (Panel Session)

*A broad look at reliability aspects related to load modeling and FIDVR, including regulations and policies, system level impacts, history in planning around load-related issues, and fundamental drivers behind reliability of end-use technology changes.*

Bob Cummings, *North American Reliability Corporation* Dmitry Kosterev, *Bonneville Power Administration*

John Undrill, *Independent Consultant*

David Till, *North American Electric Reliability Corporation*

**11:30-  
12:30** Roundtable Discussion, Summary & Next Steps

Joe Eto, *Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory* – Moderator

**12:30** Adjourn



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# **Composite Load Model Development and Implementation**

2015 NERC-DOE FIDVR Conference

Presented by  
Dmitry Kosterev, BPA

# History Of Load Modeling

1980's – Constant current real, constant impedance reactive models connected to a transmission bus

Reflected the limitation of computing technologies of that time

1990's – EPRI Loadsyn effort

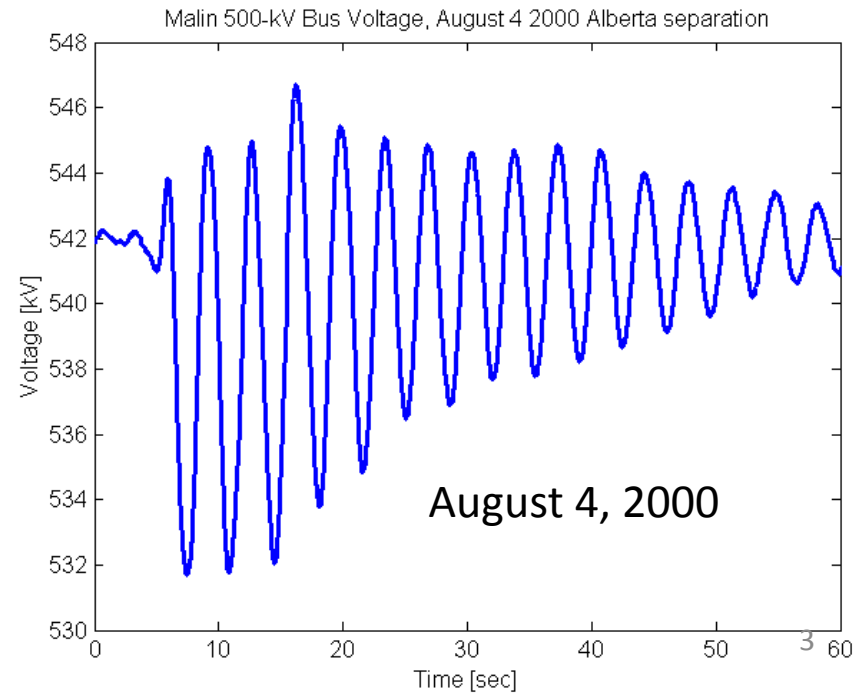
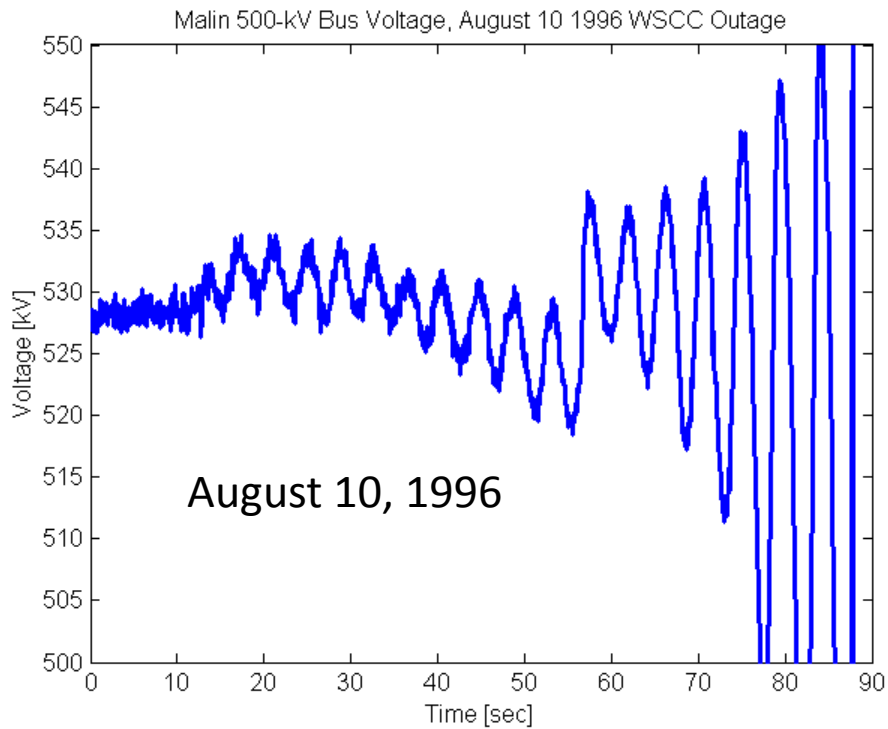
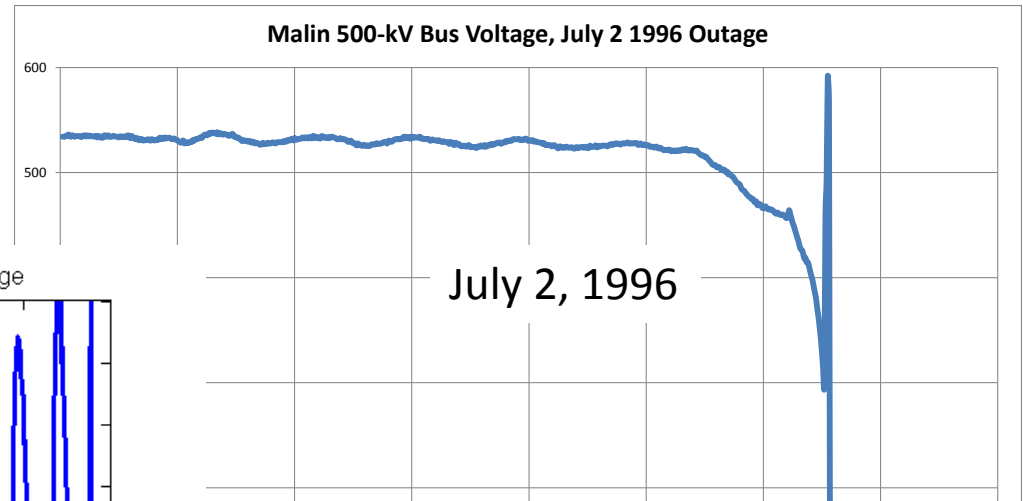
Several utilities use static polynomial characteristics for load representation

1990's – IEEE Task Force recommends dynamic load modeling

The recommendation does not get much traction in the industry



# 1996 Large-Scale Outages in the West



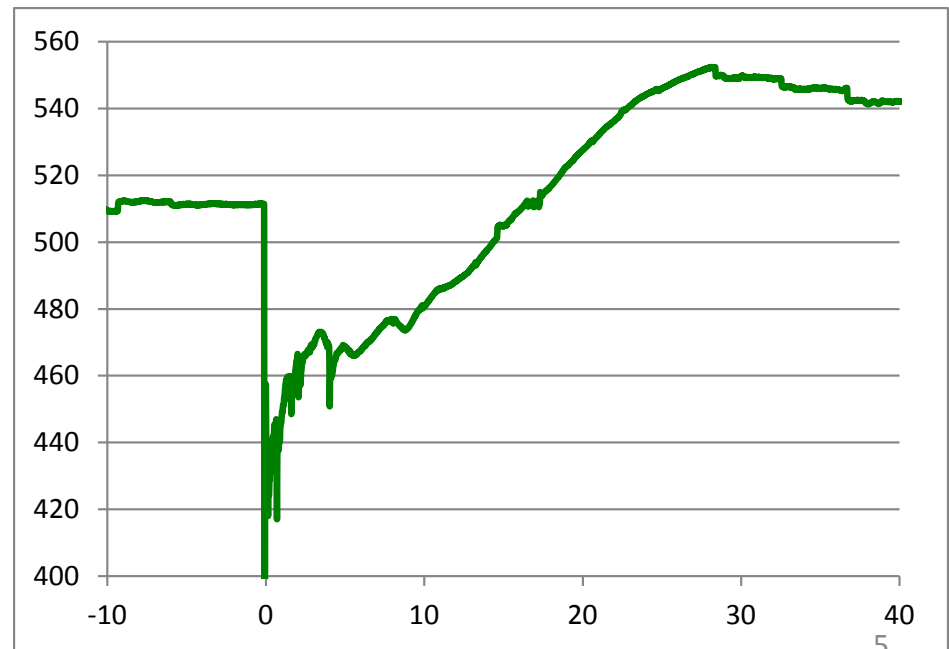
# 2001 “Interim” Load Model

## 2001 – WECC “Interim” Load Model:

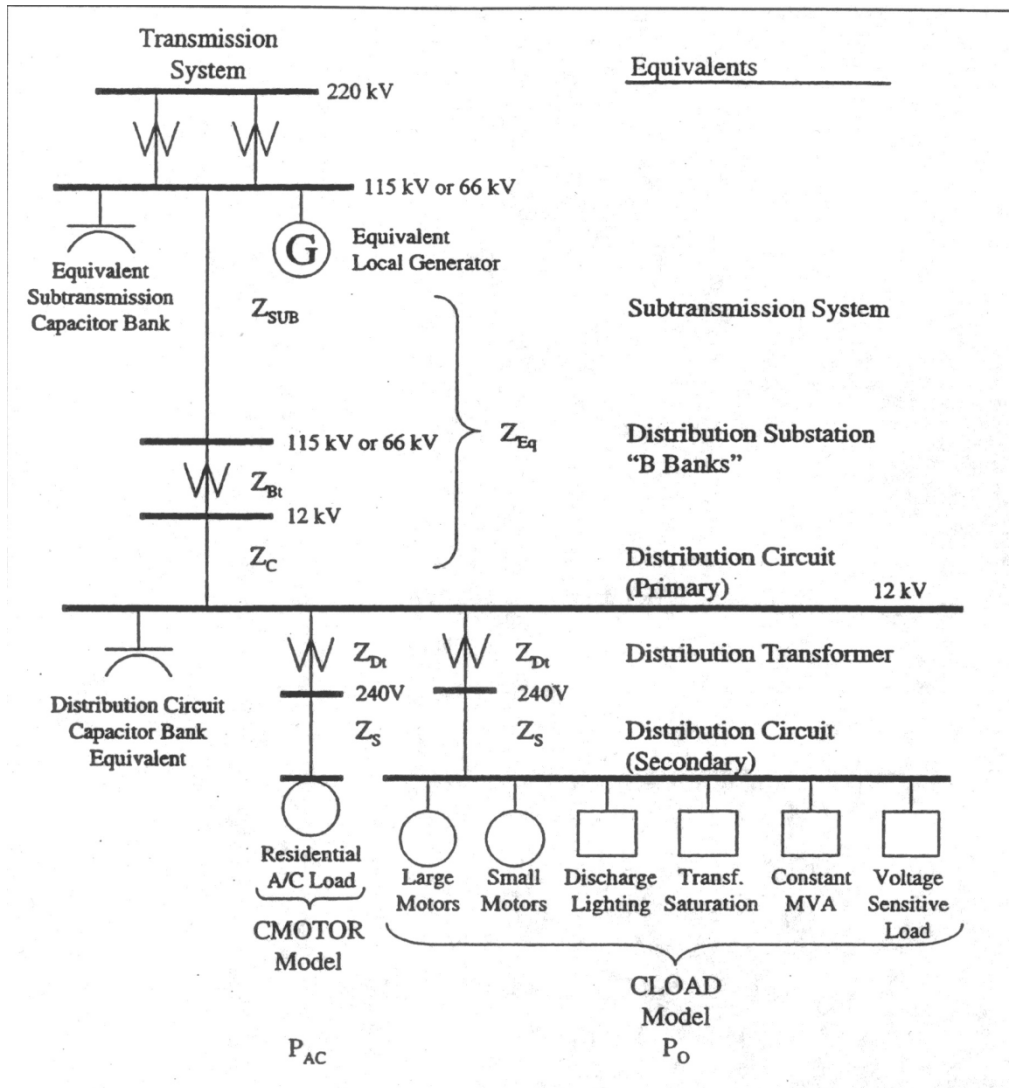
- 20% of load is represented with induction motors, the remaining load is static, mainly constant current active, constant impedance reactive components
- Motors were connected at high voltage bus, data representative of large fan motors (source John Undrill)
- Same percentage was applied to all areas in WECC
- Was the only practical option available in 2001
- “Interim” load model was intended as a temporary solution to address oscillation issues observed at California – Oregon Intertie
- Was in use until 2014 when superseded with composite load model

# Events of Delayed Voltage Recovery in Southern California

- 1980's – Southern California Edison observed events of delayed voltage recovery attributed to stalling of residential air-conditioners
  - Tested residential air-conditioners, developed empirical AC models
- 1997 – SCE model validation study of Lugo event.
- 2004-06 FIDVR events in Valley area



# Southern California Edison



Need to represent a distribution equivalent

Need to capture diversity of end-uses

Need to have special models for air-conditioning load

# Early Load Modeling Efforts in the East

1994 – Florida Power published an IEEE paper, used a similar load model

1998 – Events of delayed voltage recovery were observed in Atlanta area by Southern Company, the events are analyzed and modeled

Southern Company and Florida Power used approaches similar to SCE's.

The approach was later adopted by WECC in the development of the composite load model...

# WECC Load Modeling Task Force

2005 – WECC developed “explicit” load model:

- Adding distribution equivalent to powerflow case WECC-wide

- Modeling load with induction motors and static loads

- Numerically stable in WECC-wide studies !

2007 – PSLF has the first version of the composite load model (three-phase motor models only)

2006-2009 – SCE-BPA-EPRI testing residential air-conditioners and developing models

2009 – residential air-conditioner model is added to the composite load model

# Implementation Plan for Composite Load Model

## **A. Model Structure**

Model structure must be implemented in production programs, validated and must be robust and numerically stable in large scale simulations

## **B. Data**

Tools for data management are available

Processes for providing data are established

Default data sets are available

## **C. Studies**

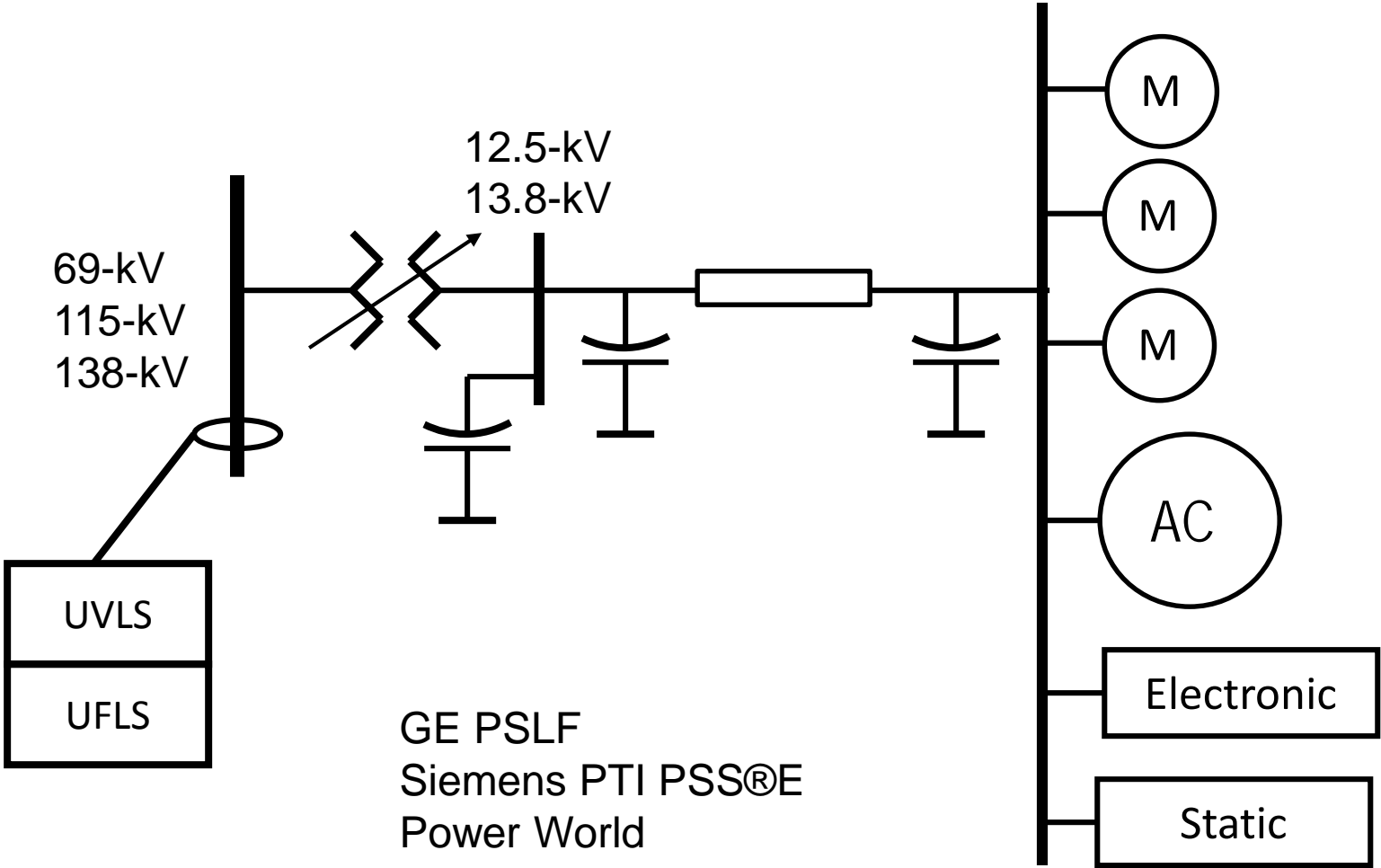
Model validation studies

System impact and sensitivity studies

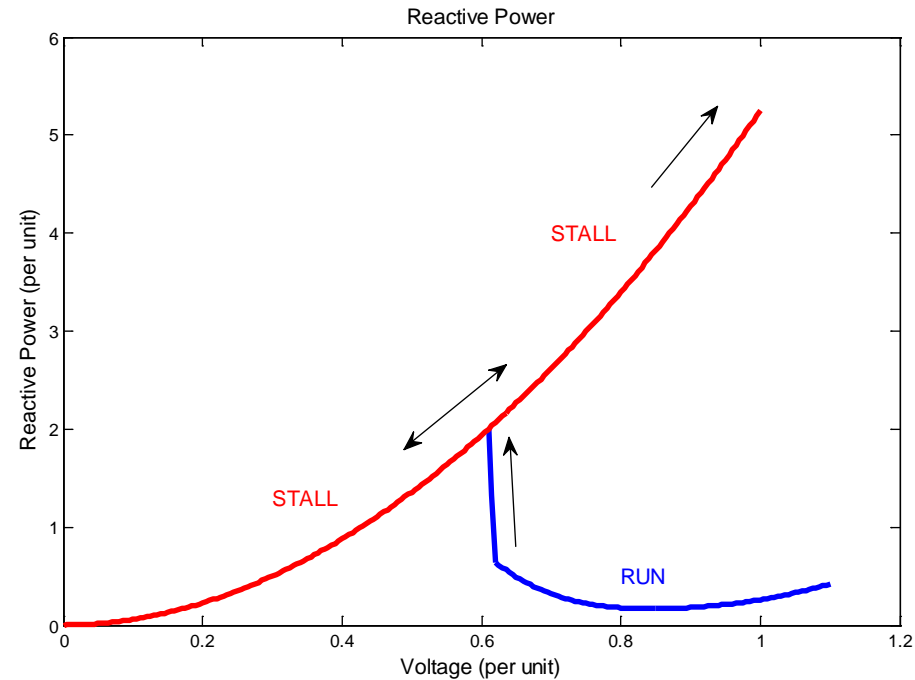
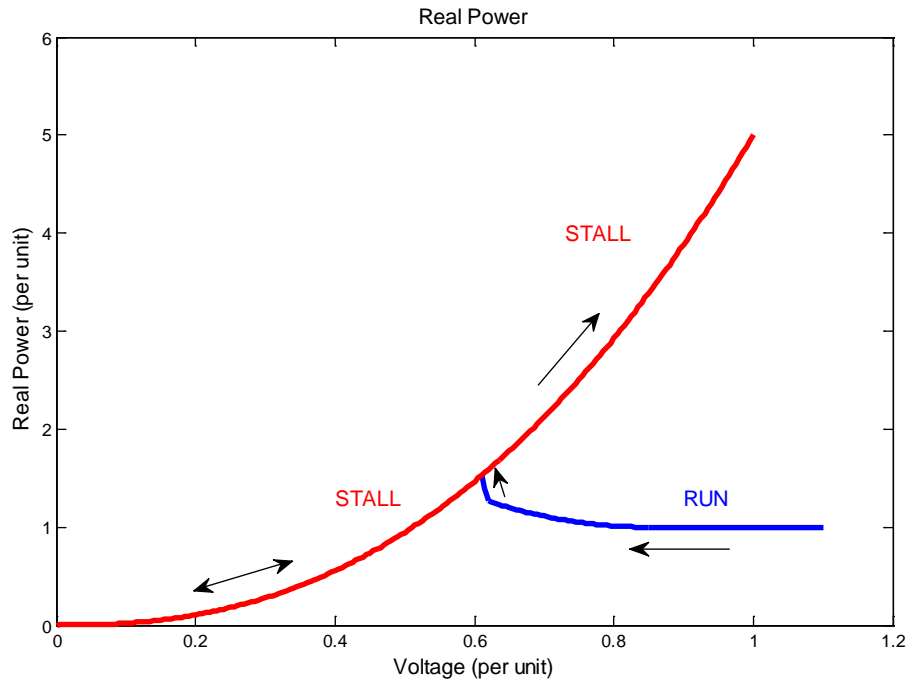
# Composite Load Model Structure



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# “Performance Model” for Air-Conditioners



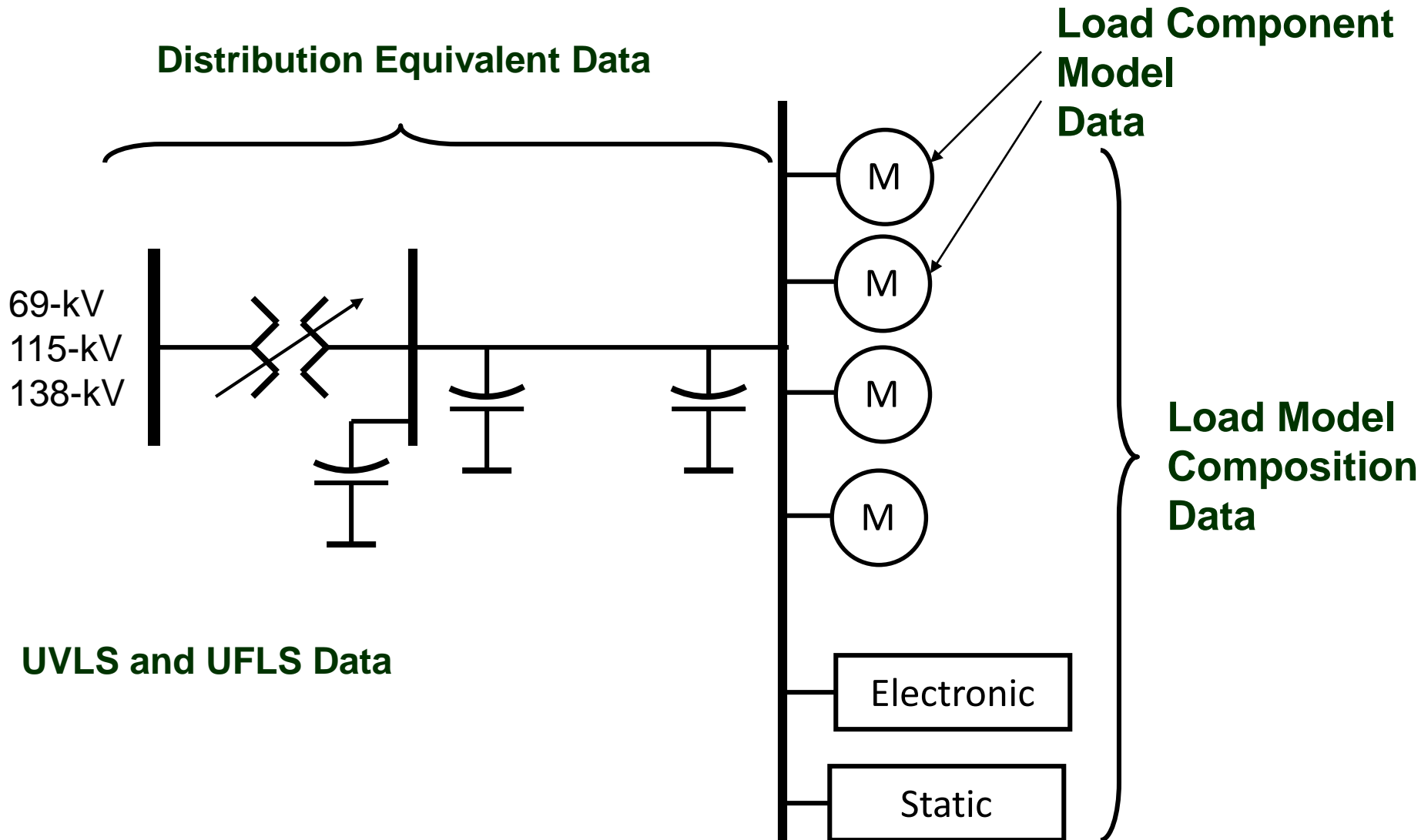
Motors stall when voltage drops below  $V_{stall}$  for duration  $T_{stall}$

A fraction  $F_{rst}$  of the aggregated motor can restart when the voltage exceeds  $V_{rst}$  for duration  $T_{rst}$

Motor thermal protection is modeled

# Data

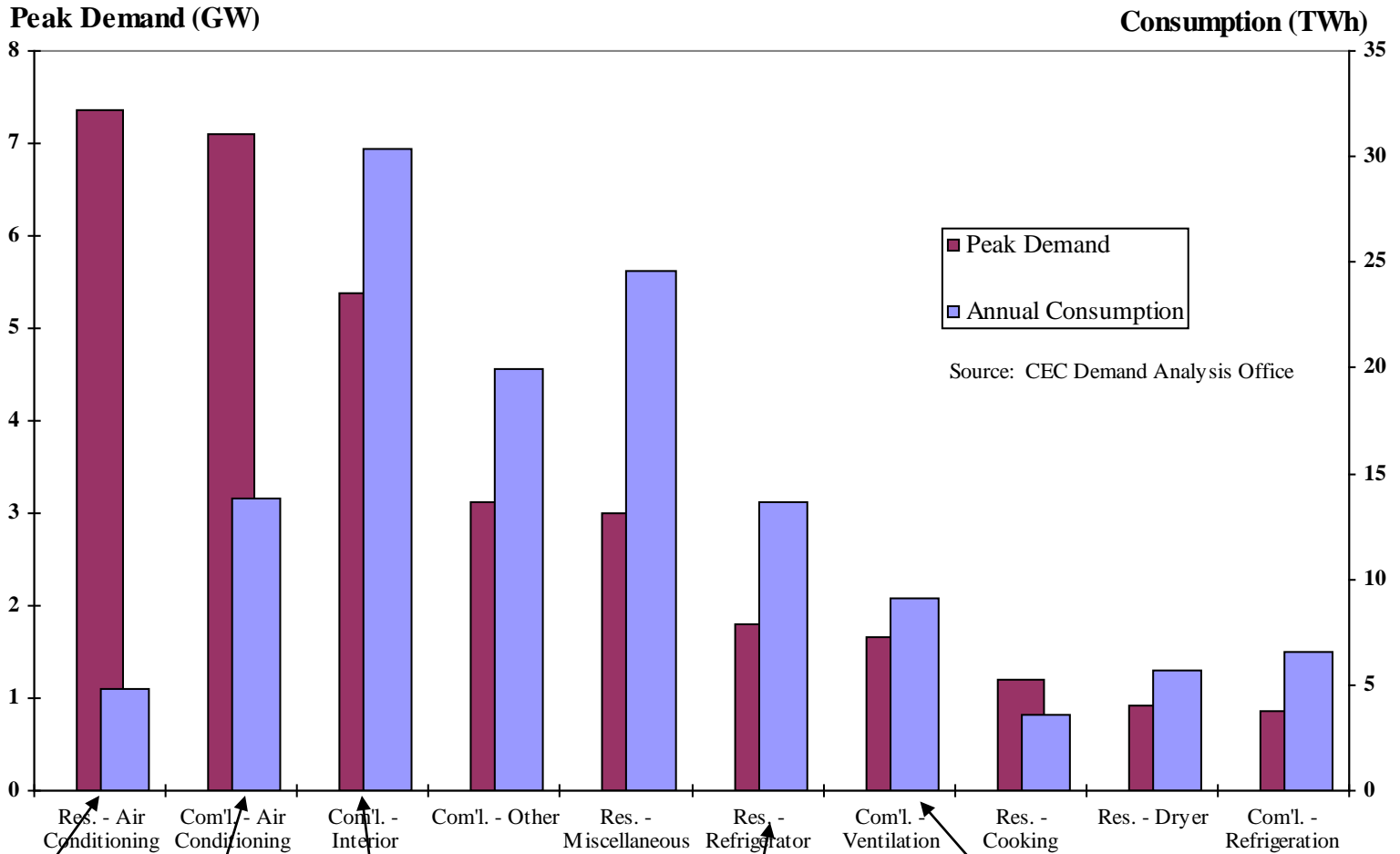
# Load Model Data



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- Develop understanding of electrical end uses in various buildings, do not rely solely on consultants with elaborate building models
  - Building models can help develop understanding, but should not be used as the primary source
- When you walk in Whole Foods on hot summer day, do you know how much load is refrigeration / AC / lighting / fans / cooking? Do you know expected size and type of compressor motors? Do you know what building EMS system will possibly do during a fault?
- We need to develop this expertise

# Summer peak demand in California



Source: CEC Demand Analysis Office

Residential AC

Commercial AC

Lighting

Refrigeration

Ventilation

**LBNL**

Heat Exchanger Fans

Hotel in Salt Lake City  
125 rooms



Compressor

**2 Compressor Motors:**

A: 3-ph, 460 V, 139 RLA, ~94kW / 70 hp

B: 3-ph, 460 V, 118 RLA, ~80kW / 60 hp

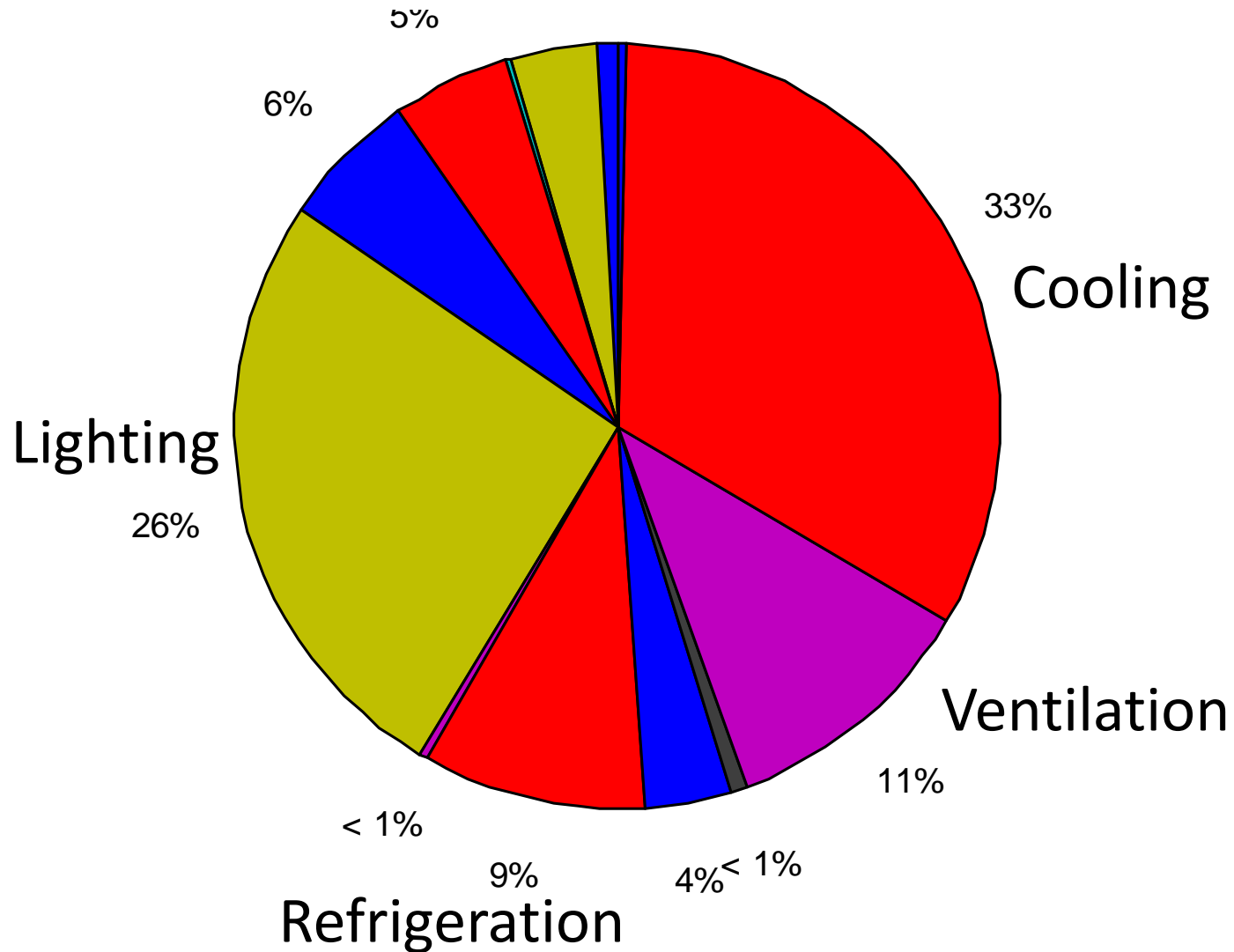
**9 Fan Motors:**

3-ph, 460V, 1.25 hp each



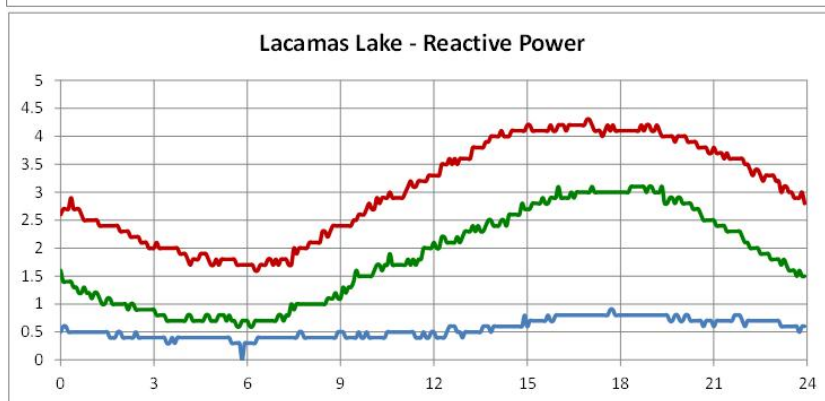
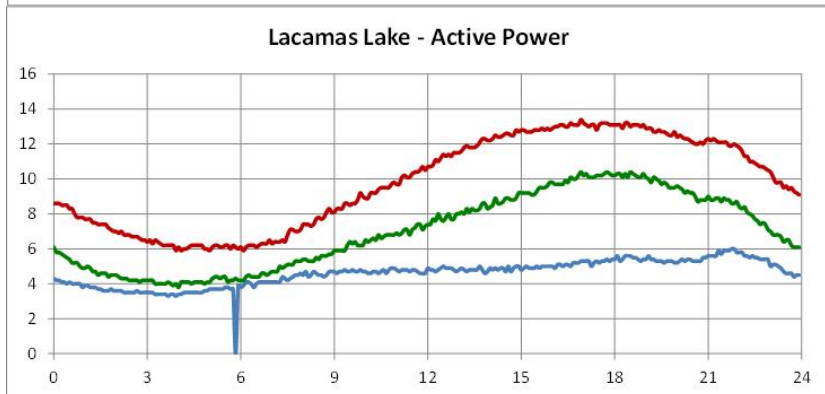
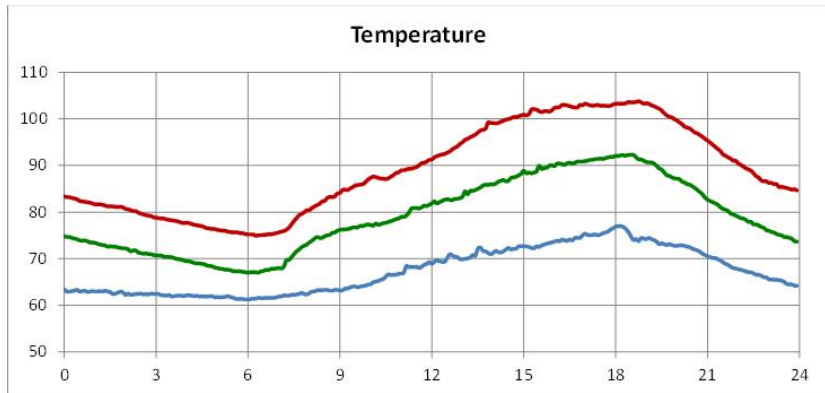
Compressor

# CEC California Commercial End-Use Survey Summer Peak Load

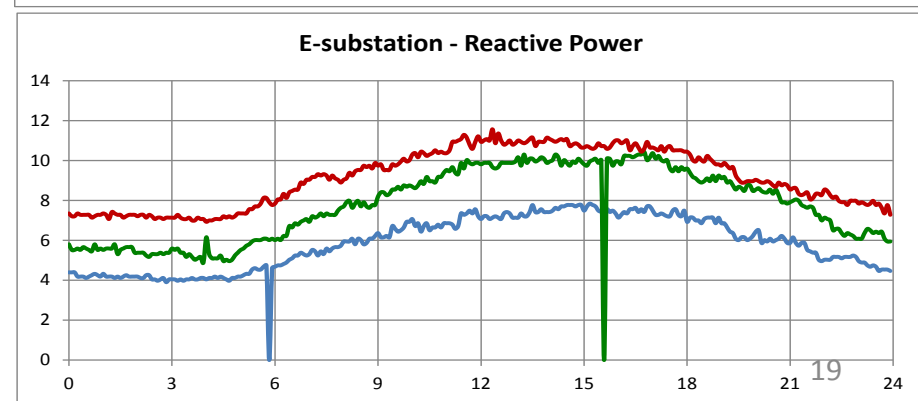
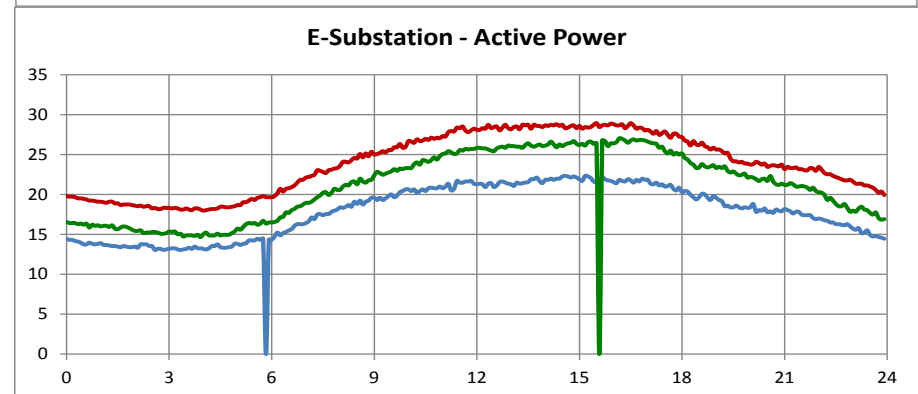
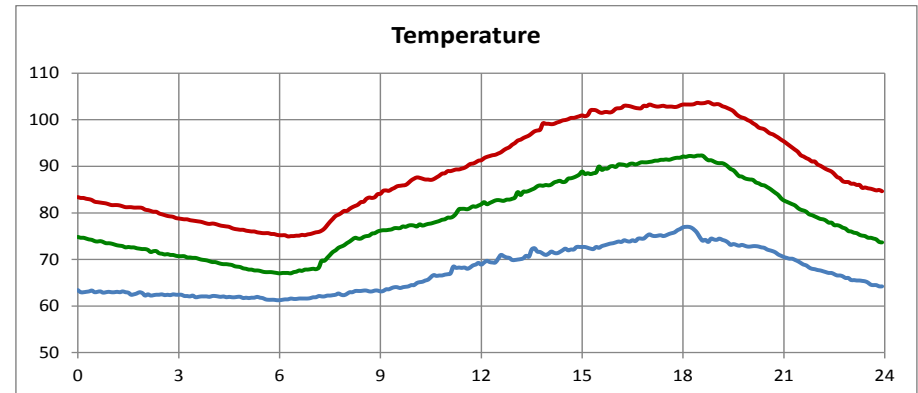




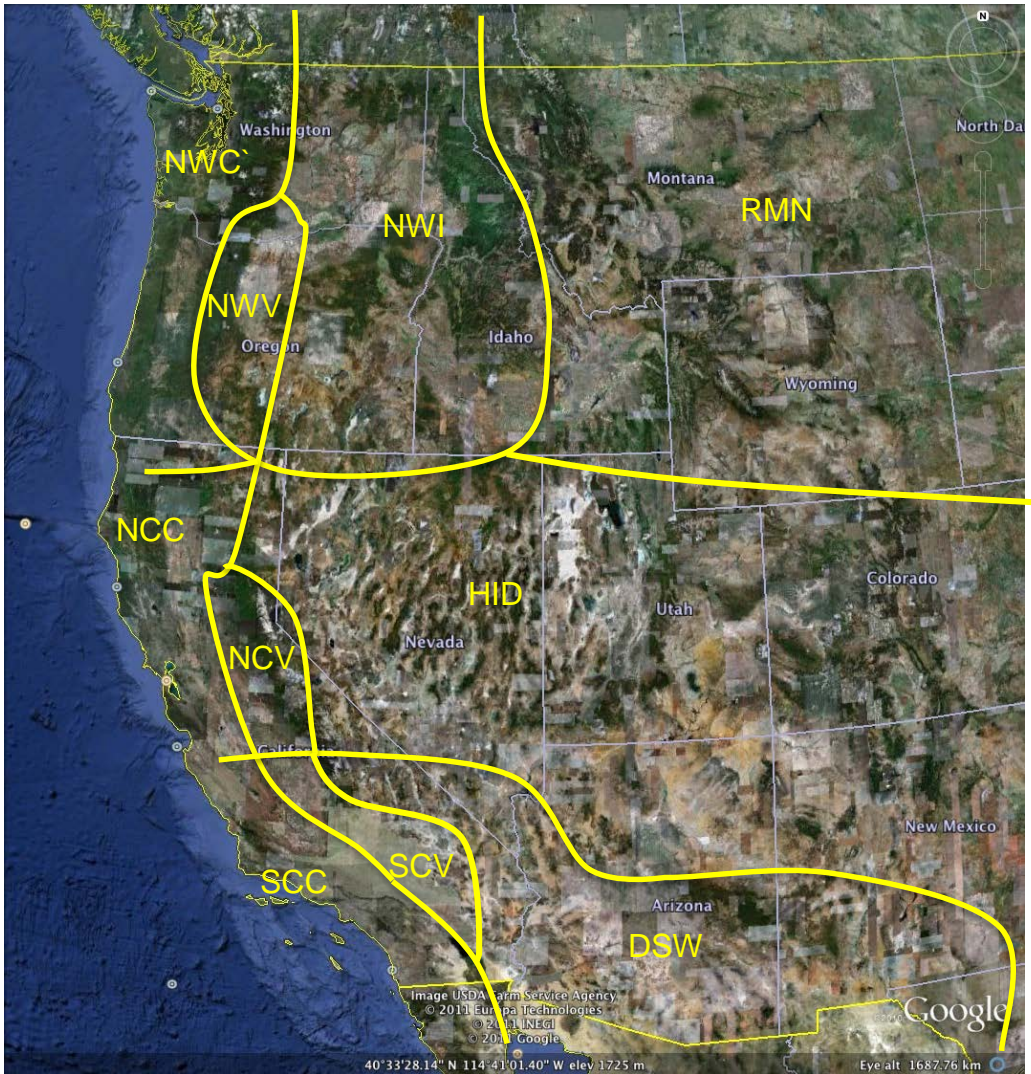
# Residential



# Commercial



# Climate Zones



NWC – Northwest coast

NWV – Northwest valley

NWI – Northwest inland

RMN – Rocky mountain

NCC – N. Calif. coast

NCV – N. Calif. Valley

NCI – N. Calif. Inland

HID – High desert

SCC – S. Calif. coast

SCV – S. Calif. Valley

SCI – S. Calif. Inland

DSW – Desert southwest

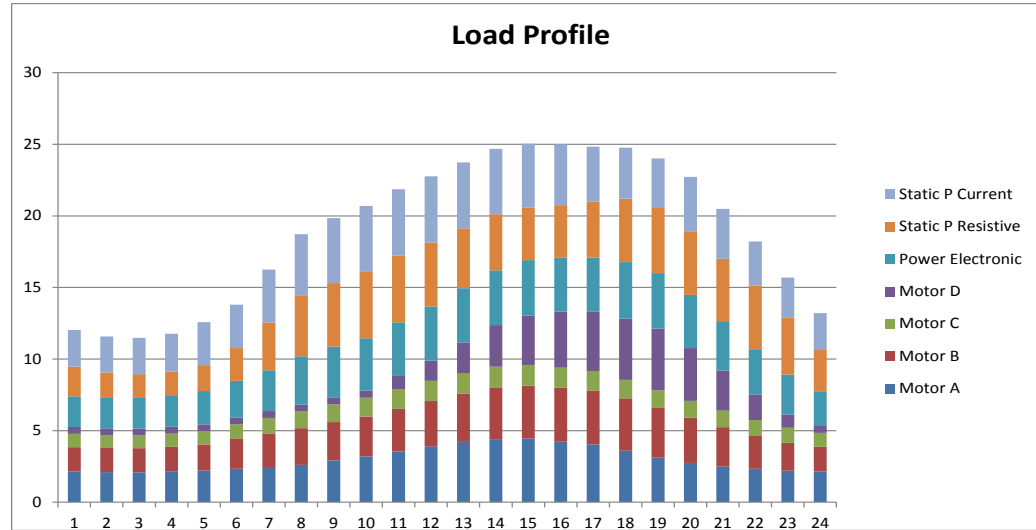
# Substation / Feeder Types

- Residential: typical of your suburban neighborhood
- Commercial: typical of downtown load
- Mixed (default): mix of residential and commercial
- Rural / agricultural
- Several types of industrial loads (petro-chemical, paper mill, steel mill, semiconductor, etc)

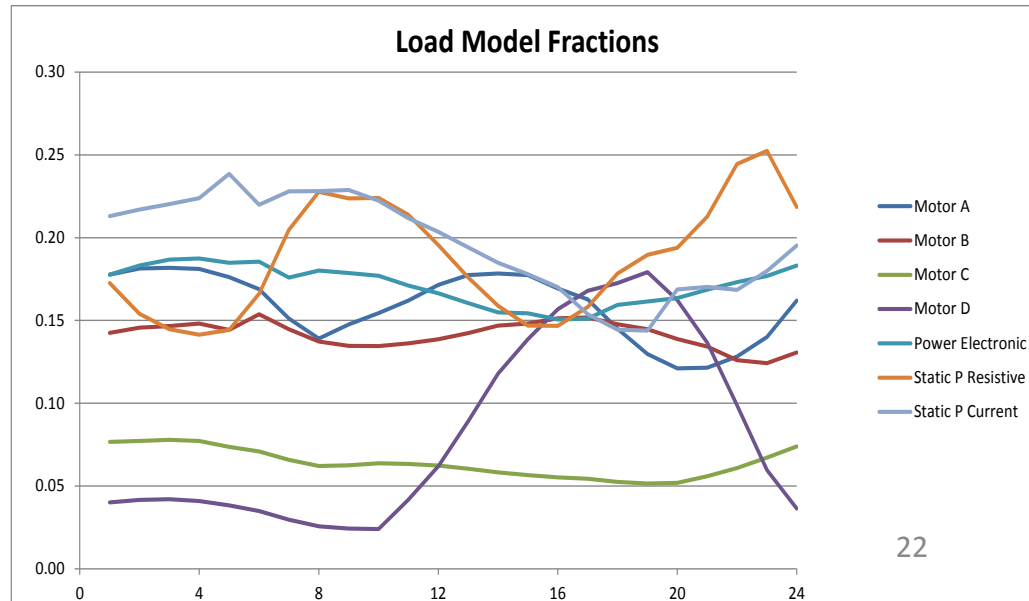
Utilities populate base cases with load identifier  
(3 characters climate zone)\_(3 character type)

# Load Composition Model

BPA and WECC  
developed Load  
Composition Model:  
12 climate zones X  
4 feeder types +  
10 industrial load types



5 seasons  
24 hours



# Load Model Data Tool

Load Model Data Tool

Open Load Composition Data... Open Motor Data... Open Powerflow Bus Data...

Load Composition Data Motor Data Powerflow Bus Data

#AREA	Tx_Lf	Tx_X	Tx_HS	Tx_LS	TX_LTC	Tx_TapMax	Tx_TapMin	Tx_TapSt
NWC_RES	1	0.08	1	1	1	1.1	0.9	0.00625
NWC_COM	1	0.08	1	1	1	1.1	0.9	0.00625
NWC_MIX	1	0.08	1	1	1	1.1	0.9	0.00625

Settings

Minimum Load (MW)

Minimum Voltage to add transformer (kV)

Minimum Voltage (pu)

Minimum power factor

Output

PSLF

PSSE

Generate

Save Dynamic Model Data File...

Model Data Errors

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31551 'USRLOD' 1 'CMLDBLU1' 12 1 0 132 27 146 48
-1.1 0 0.04 0.04 0.75 0.08
1 1 0 0.9 1.1
0.00625 1.025 1.04 30 5
0 0 0.138 0.152 0.034
0.392 0.1 1 0.7 0.5
-0.998 2 0.573 1 0.427 0
2 -0.5 1 1.5 -1
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# Load Model Data Tool

Load Model Data Tool is used to create composite load model records in GE PSLF and PSS®E

## Inputs:

- File with load records, including their “load type identifier”
- Load composition data
- Motor and end-use model data

## Output:

- PSS®E DYR and PSLF DYD model data records

# Studies

# Model Acceptance and Validation Studies

Tens of thousands runs have been done with composite load model up to date

Validate model impact on power system performance:

- Large interconnection-wide disturbances
- Faults that include FIDVR

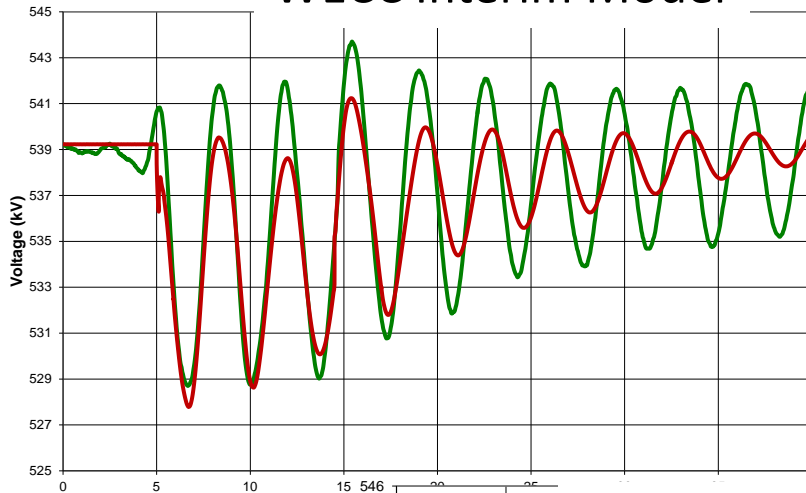
Challenges:

- Load composition varies daily and seasonally
- Lack of disturbance recordings, particularly FIDVR records outside Valley area in Southern California

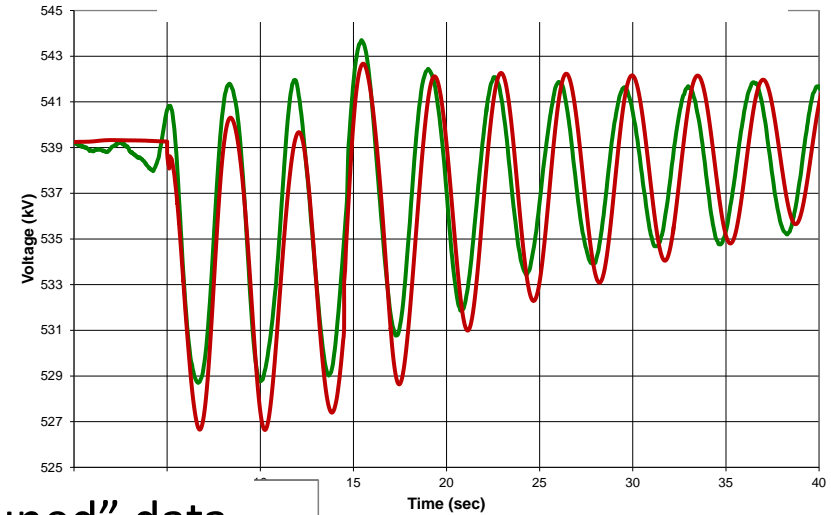


# August 4, 2000 Oscillation

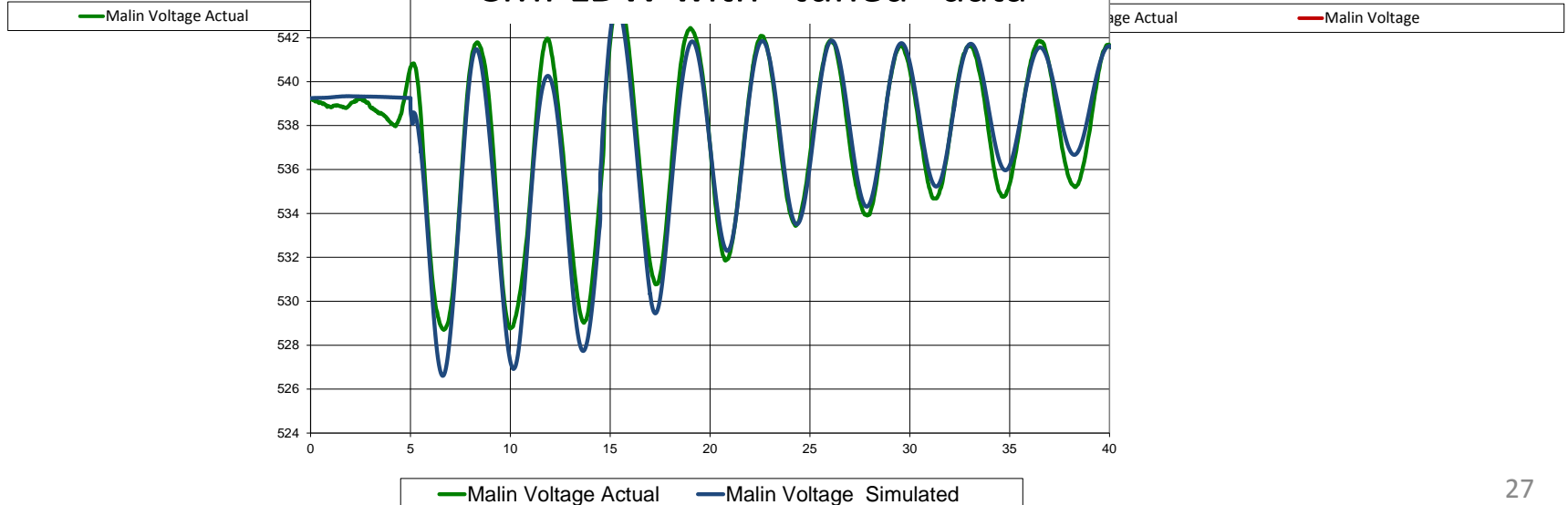
## WECC Interim Model



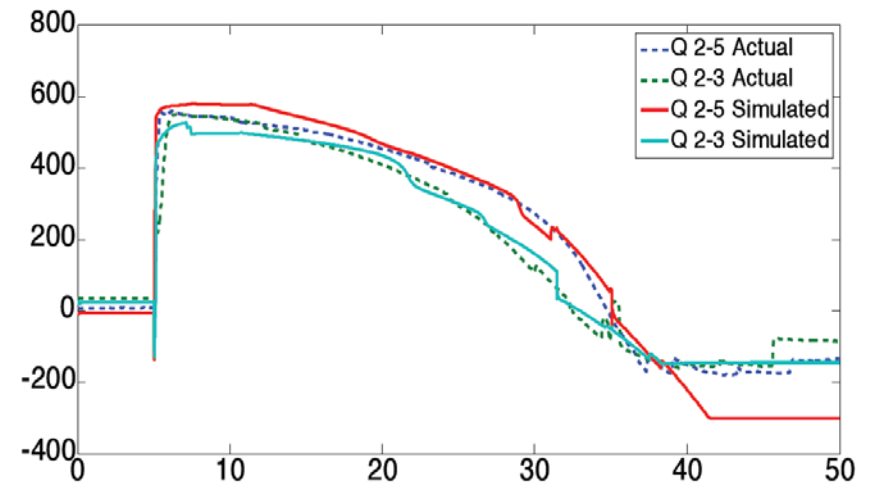
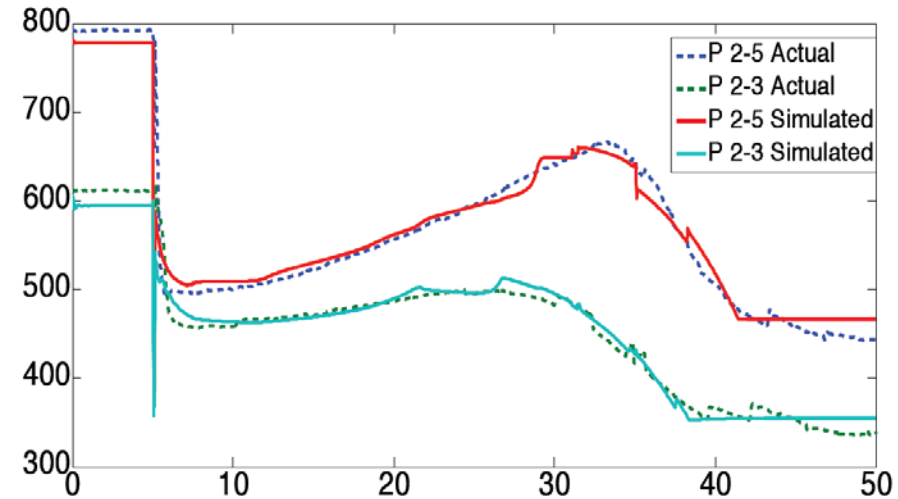
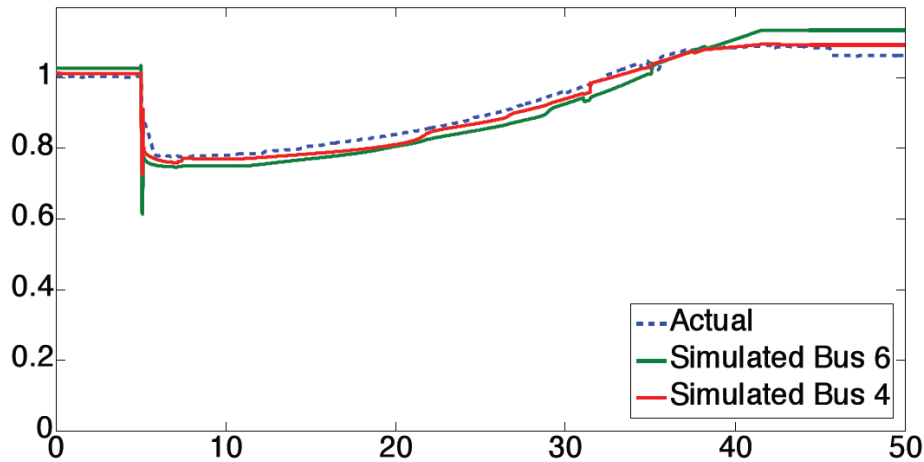
## CMPLDW with default data



## CMPLDW with "tuned" data



# Reproducing Delayed Voltage Recovery Events with Composite Load Model

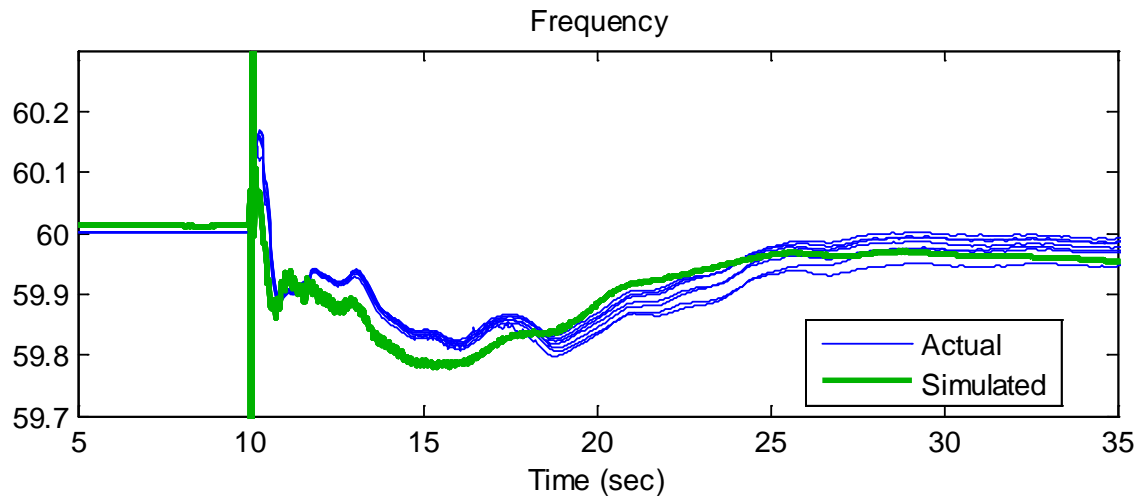
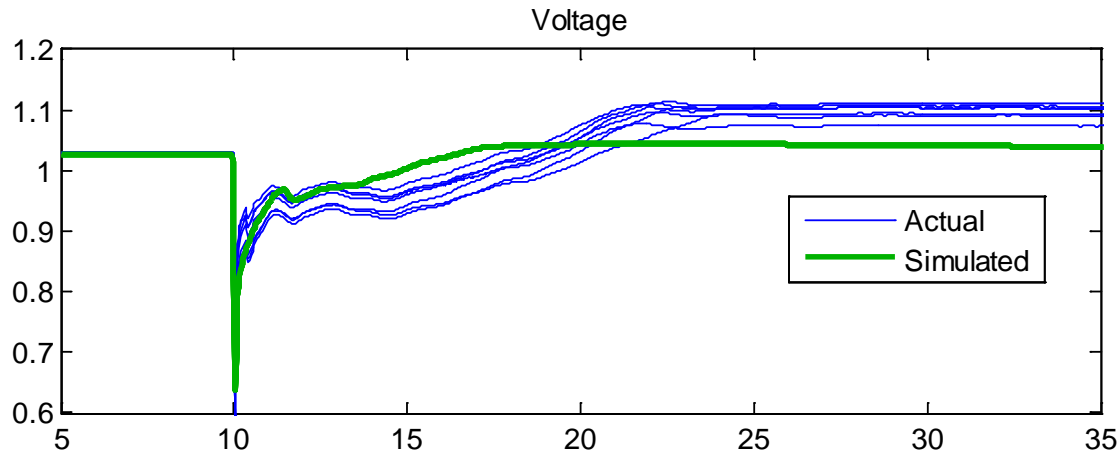


Simulations of delayed voltage recovery event due to air-conditioner stalling  
Models can be tuned to reproduce historic events reasonably well

Done by Alex Borden and Bernard Lesieutre at University of Wisconsin

# July 28, 2003

## Hassayampa Fault Sensitivities



# System Impact Studies

- We were able to tune the composite load model to reproduce historic system events
  - That said...
- Composite load model was more conservative in simulating the severity of FIDVR events than we expected
- Another concern is high sensitivity of results with respect to stall and motor protection assumptions
  - Therefore,
- **WECC adopted phased implementation of composite load model: Phase I – air-conditioner stalling feature is disabled**

# Implementation

# Phased Implementation in the West

2011 WECC approved phased implementation plan:

- Model indicated AC stalling much greater than what experienced in reality outside Valley area in Southern California
- Lack of validation outside Valley area
- WECC voltage dip criteria
- More gradual transition

## **Phase I – air-conditioner stalling feature is disabled**

WECC membership performed system impact studies

Model data revisions were implemented

WECC approved composite load model in 2013

Starting 2014, all WECC planning and seasonal operating cases include Phase I composite load model

# Lesson's Learned from Phase I Implementation

Phase I model impacted system performance:

- Damping of inter-area power oscillations
- Transient voltage dip

The impact is observable during large disturbances and close to the operating limit, the impact is less significant during small events

Several utilities voiced concerns about load tripping

# Where we are now ...

- Composite load model is implemented in GE PSLF and Siemens PTI PSS<sup>®</sup>E, similar models exist in Power World, Power Tech TSAT
- Tools are developed for load model data management
- “Default” data sets are prepared
- WECC is taking phased approach for approving the composite load model for TPL compliance studies
  - Phase 1: air-conditioner stalling is disabled by setting Tstall parameter to a large number
  - Phase 2: better understand the reliability implications of delayed voltage recovery due to air-conditioner stalling, develop appropriate reliability metrics



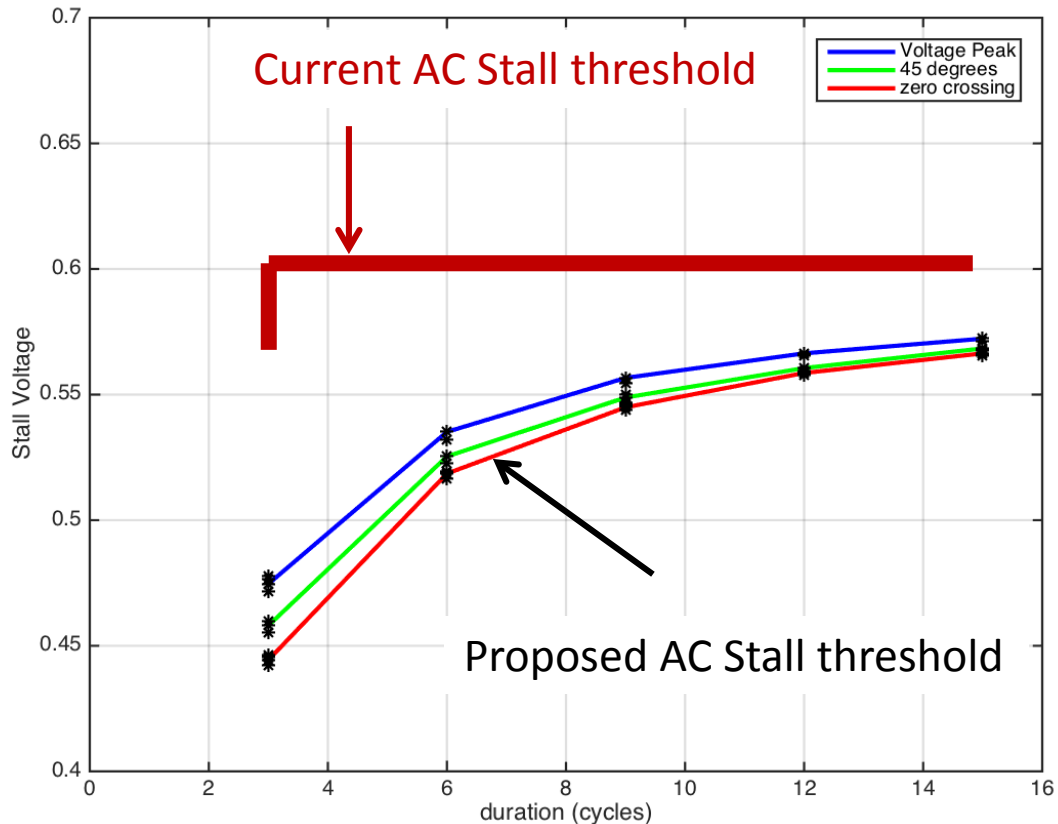
## ... Where we are now

- All planning and seasonal operational cases prepared by WECC now have composite load model
- Tens of thousands runs have been done with the composite load model up to date
- WECC studies help to improve model data sets

# Next Steps

# AC Model Revisions

New work by John Undrill, Bernie Lesieutre and BPA suggests that air-conditioners may not stall as easy as previously expected



# Planned Revisions to Model Structure

## **Flexible model structure**

Electrical end-use characteristics are changing rapidly, as more loads become electronically connected  
Modular structure (similarly to generating units)

## **Air-conditioner models**

Revise “performance” model to reflect recent test findings  
Add MOTORC dynamic model

## **Distributed generation**

## **Revision of motor protection**

From discrete to more granular

# Model Data

Composite load model is a very powerful.

Deepen our understanding of end-uses.

Building surveys

- Installed equipment
- Load shapes
- Protection and control

End-use monitoring

Load shape analysis

# Disturbance Monitoring

**We need more recording** of both FIDVR events as well as large faults not causing FIDVR

Synchronized recordings at transmission and distribution levels

System impact studies for Phase II and sensitivity studies with respect to model parameters

Continue after model improvements are completed

# Load Modeling – Setting Expectations

We can now achieve the great accuracy with generator models:

- We model physical equipment that is well defined and under our control

We will never be able to achieve a comparable level of accuracy with load models

- Yes, we can tune load models to accurately reproduce and explain past events

- But, Load models is only capable of predicting the future load response only in principle, and not in detail

**Thank You**



# End-Use Testing at BPA

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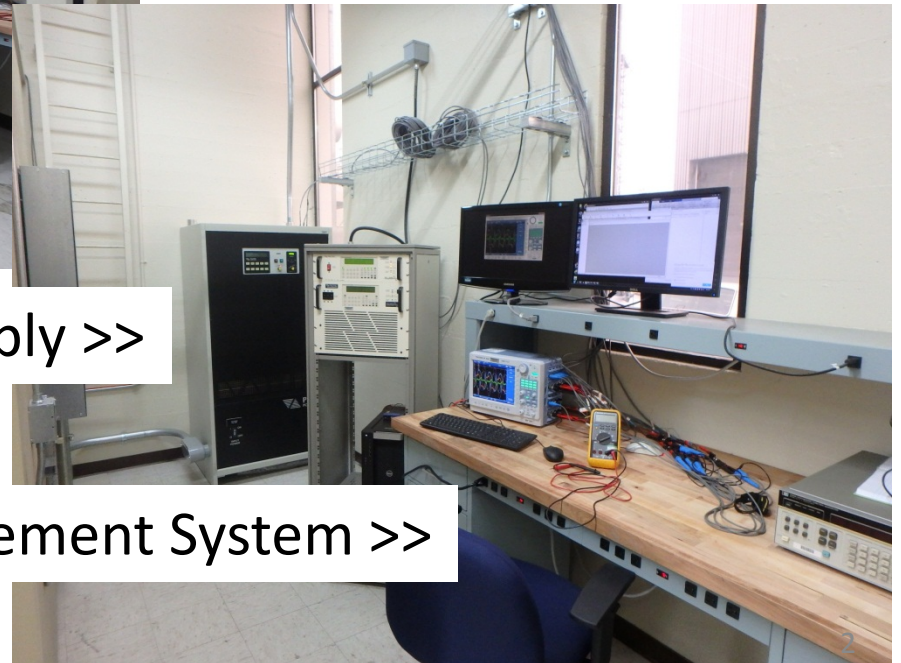
Dmitry Kosterev and Steve Yang, BPA

# BPA End-Use Testing Lab



<< Temperature controlled chamber

Controllable power supply >>



Measurement System >>

# Residential Air-Conditioner Tests

BPA, SCE and EPRI tested independently a number of single phase air-conditioners

Tests included voltage sags, ramps, oscillations, as well as frequency excursions



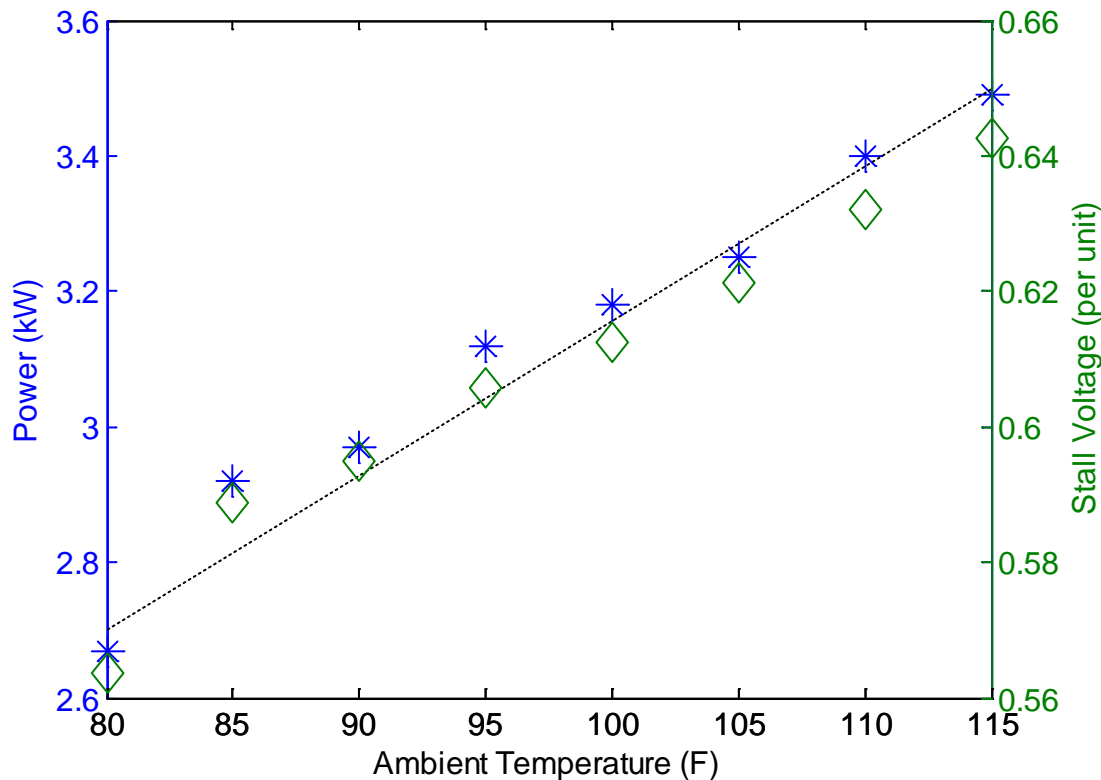
Learned in the first round:

- Residential air-conditioners stall for a sudden drop in voltage to 50%-60% of nominal in less than 3 electrical cycles
- Once stalled, residential air-conditioner remain stalled even when the voltage is recovered, until coolant pressure is equalized
- Thermal protection trips in 5 to 30 seconds

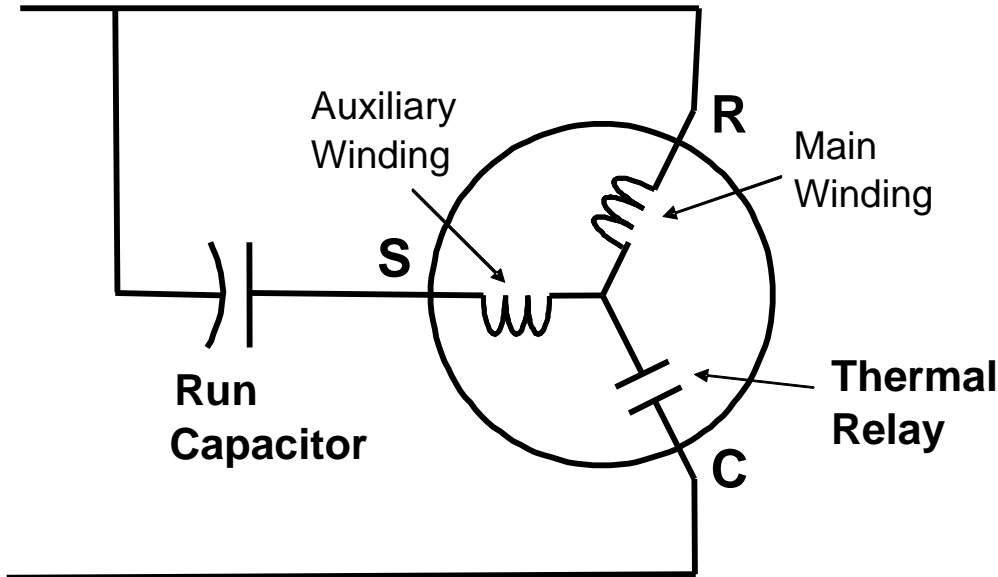
# Test Findings:

## Compressor Motor Steady-State Loading

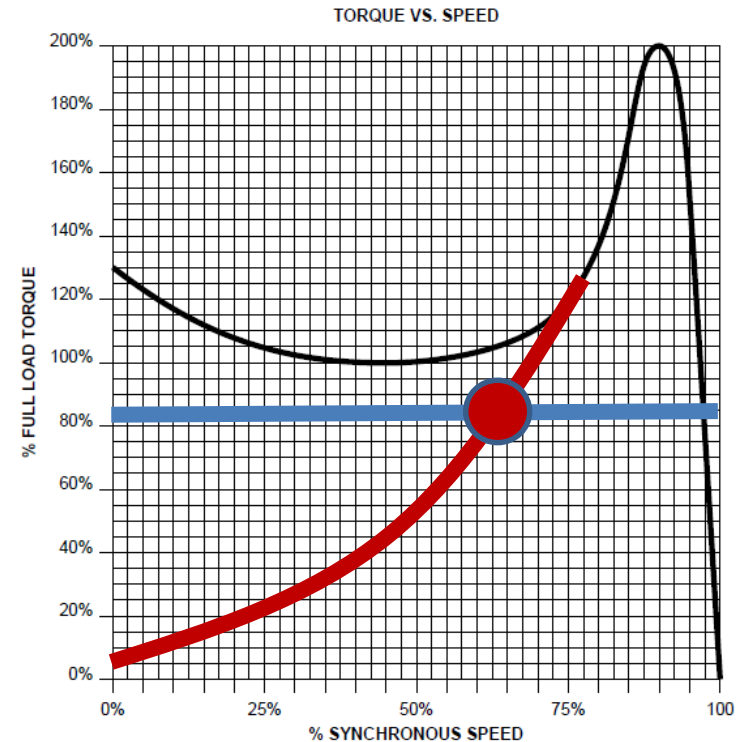
- Compressor loading and stall voltage depend on the ambient temperature
- Compressor motors have high power factor  $\sim 0.97$  when running



# (a) Torque-Speed Curves



1 phase supply, 2 winding,  
capacitor-run motor



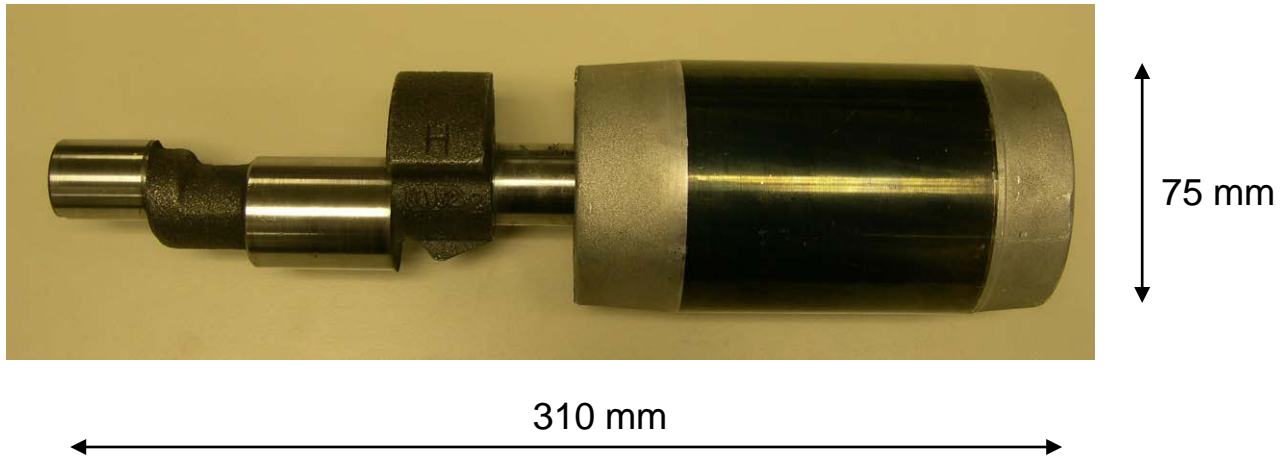
- Three phase motor elec. torque
- Single phase motor elec. torque
- Load torque

# (b) Compressor Motors Inertia is Very Low

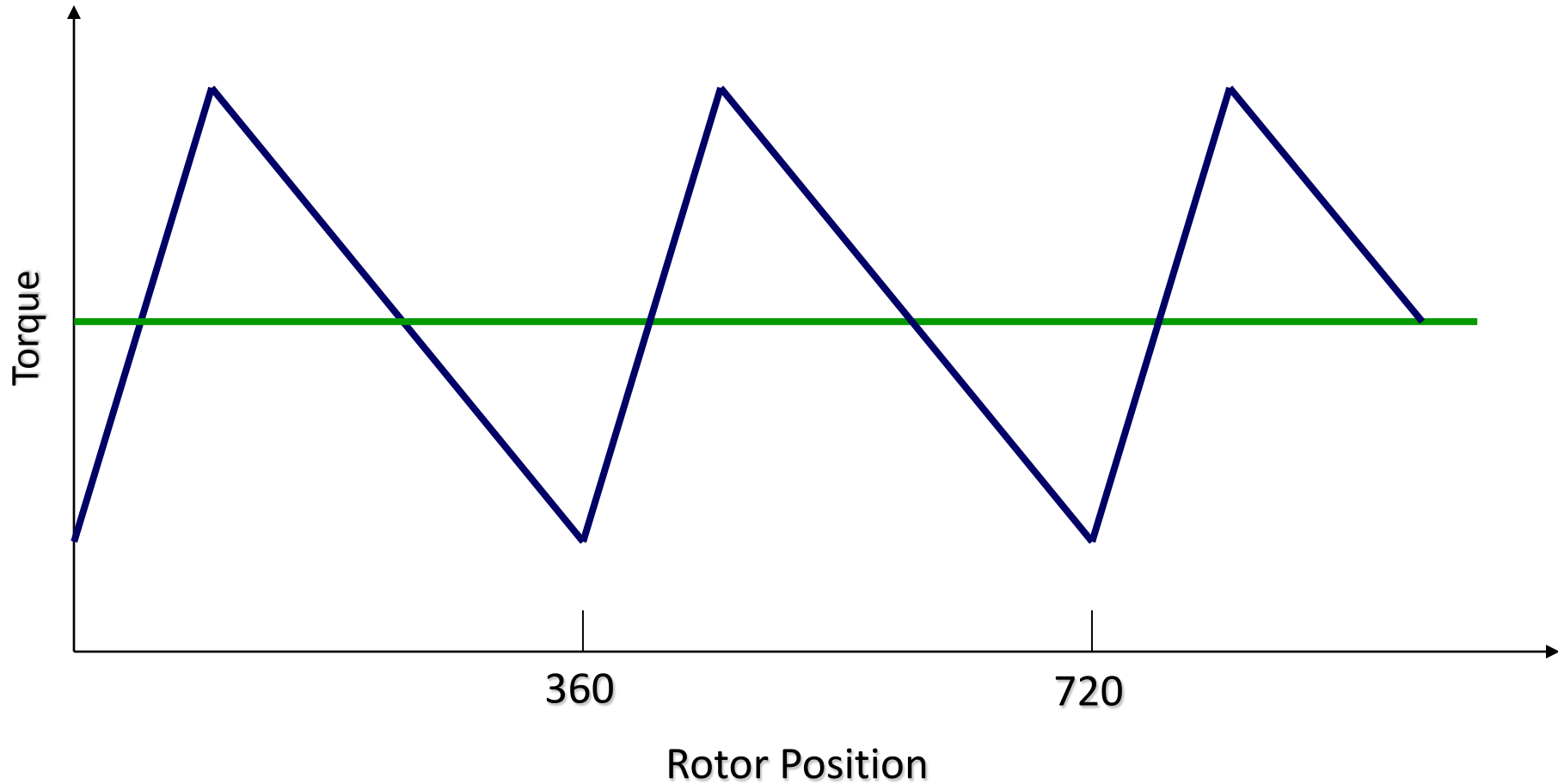
**$H = 0.03 - 0.05$  seconds**

E.g. 3.5-ton compressor motor:

Weight: 4.6 kg

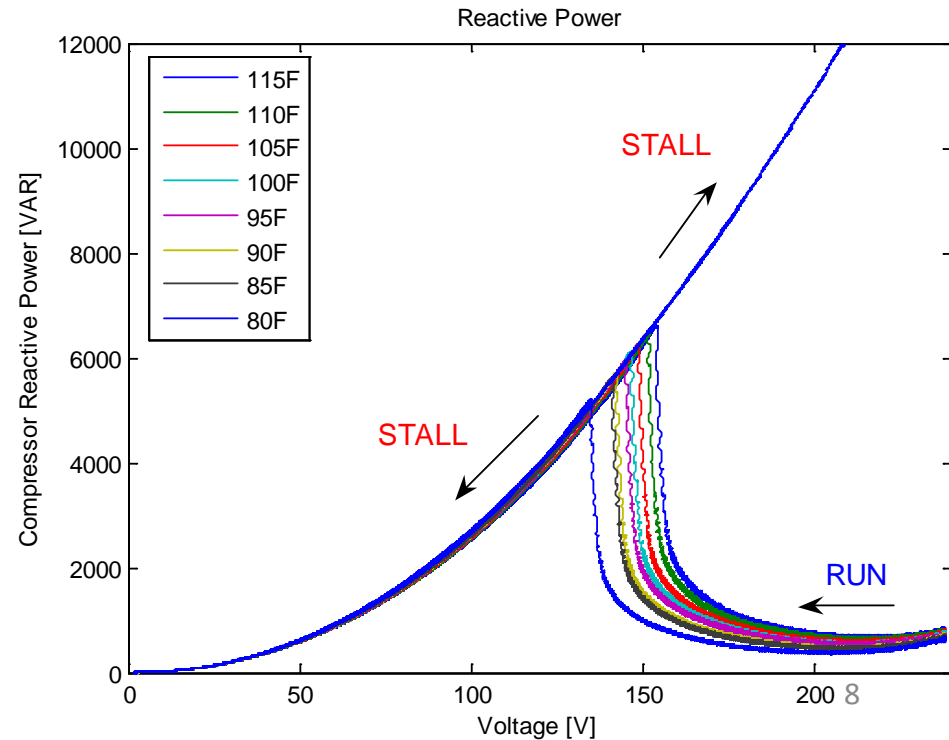
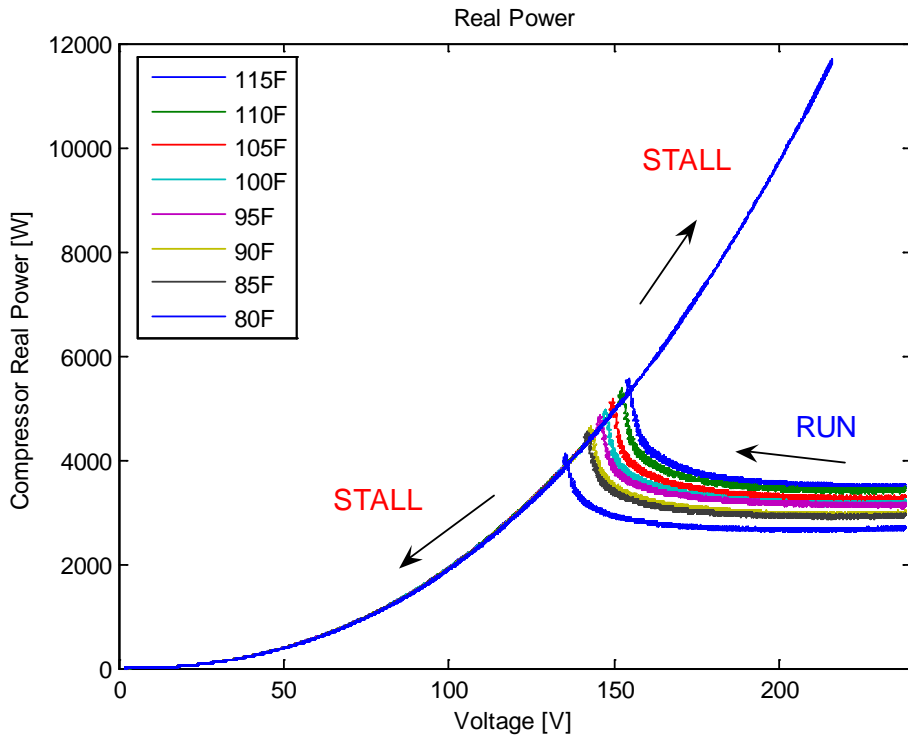


# (c) Compressor Load Torque in very cyclical



It is very possible that the motor stalls at the next compression cycle<sup>7</sup>

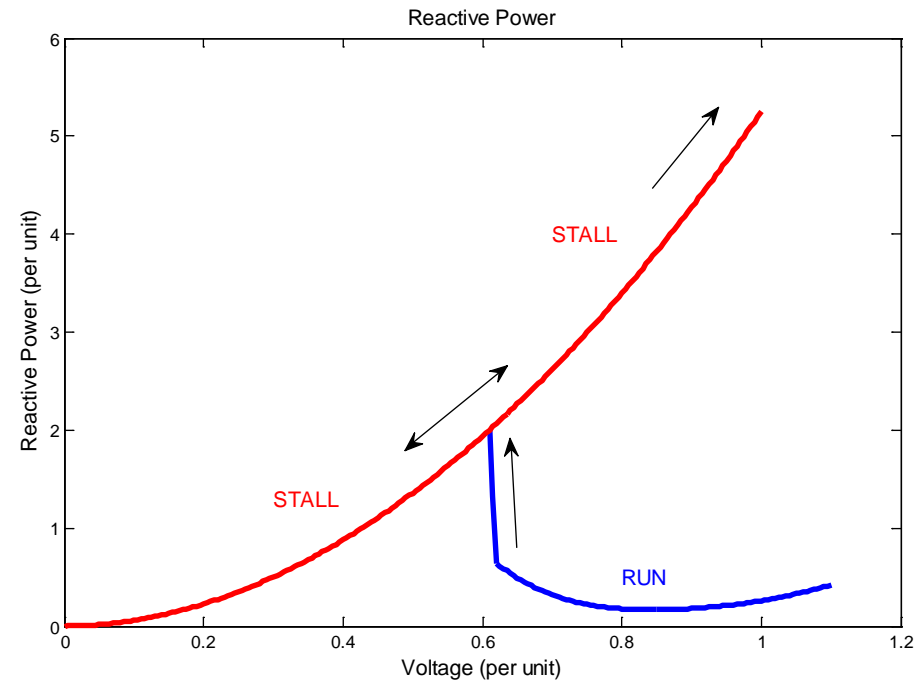
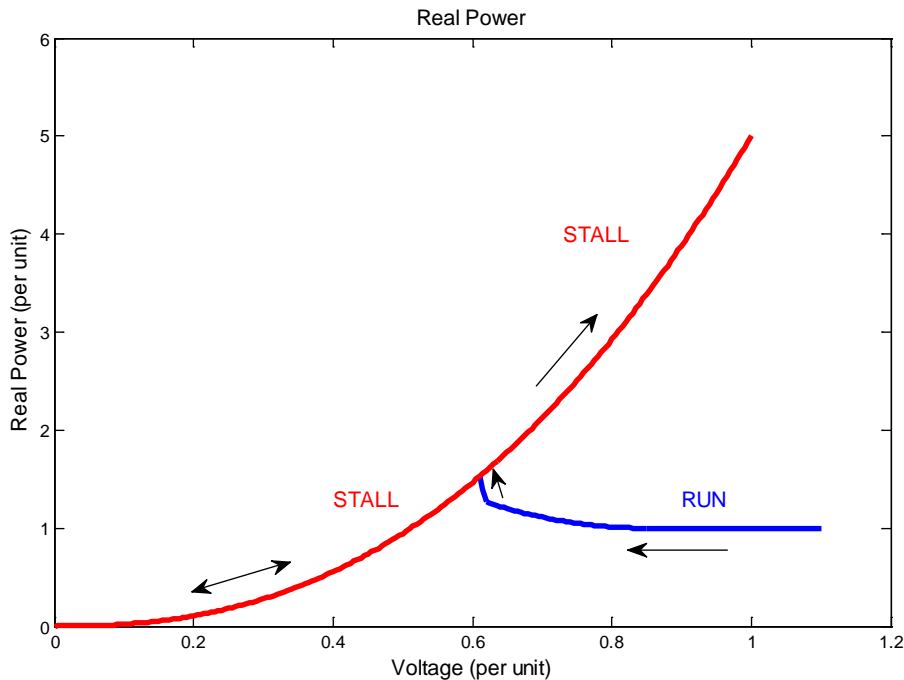
# Compressor Motor Tests – Power-Voltage Trajectories



\* note motor load and stall voltage increase with temperature



# “Performance” Model



Motors stall when voltage drops below  $V_{stall}$  for duration  $T_{stall}$

A fraction  $Frst$  of the aggregated motor can restart when the voltage exceeds  $V_{rst}$  for duration  $Trst$

# System Studies

Studies done with developed AC models were much more conservative compared to actual experience: the model indicated greater and wider FIDVR phenomenon compared to actual experiences

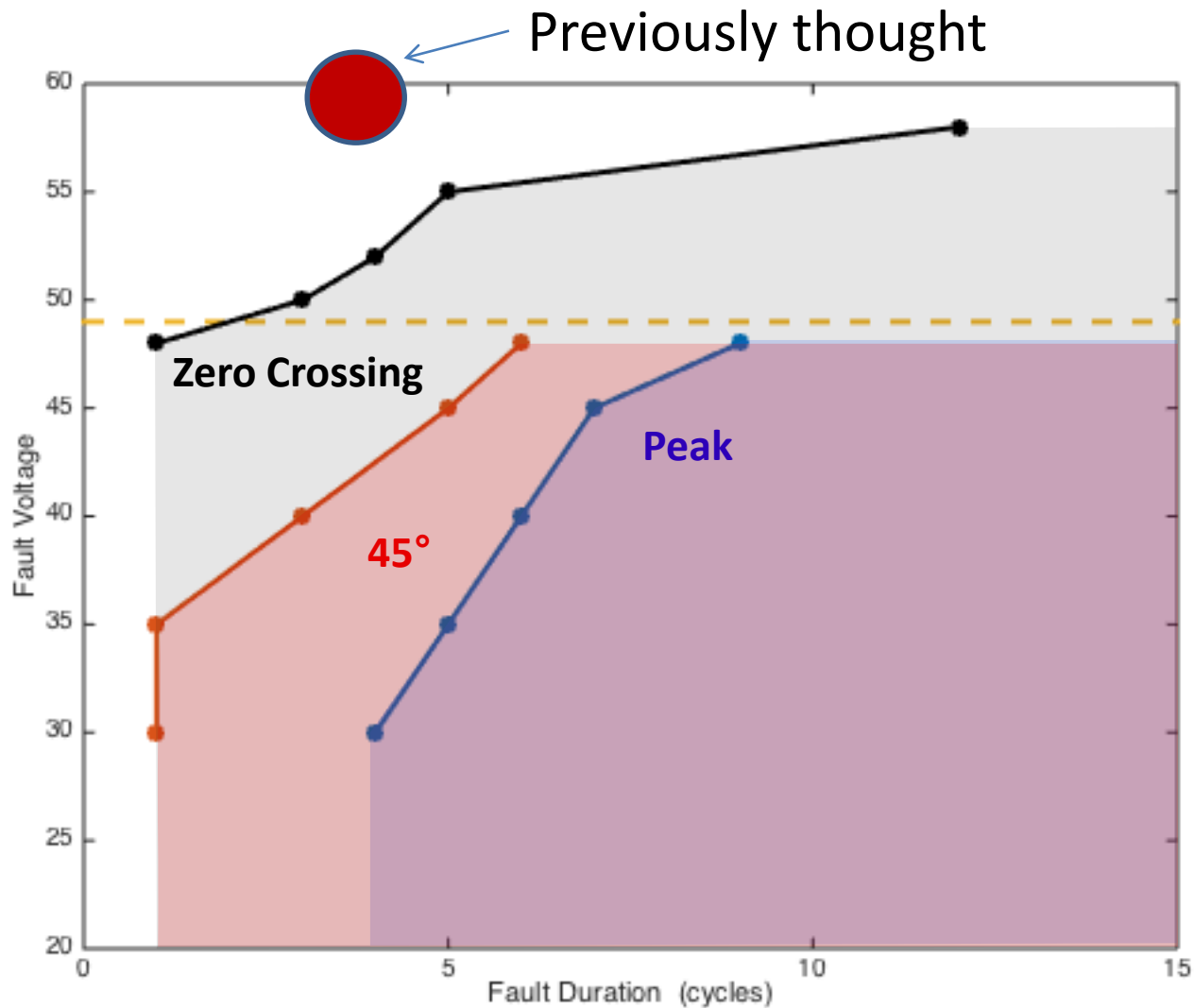
...Back to the drawing board...

# Testing and Modeling – Round 2

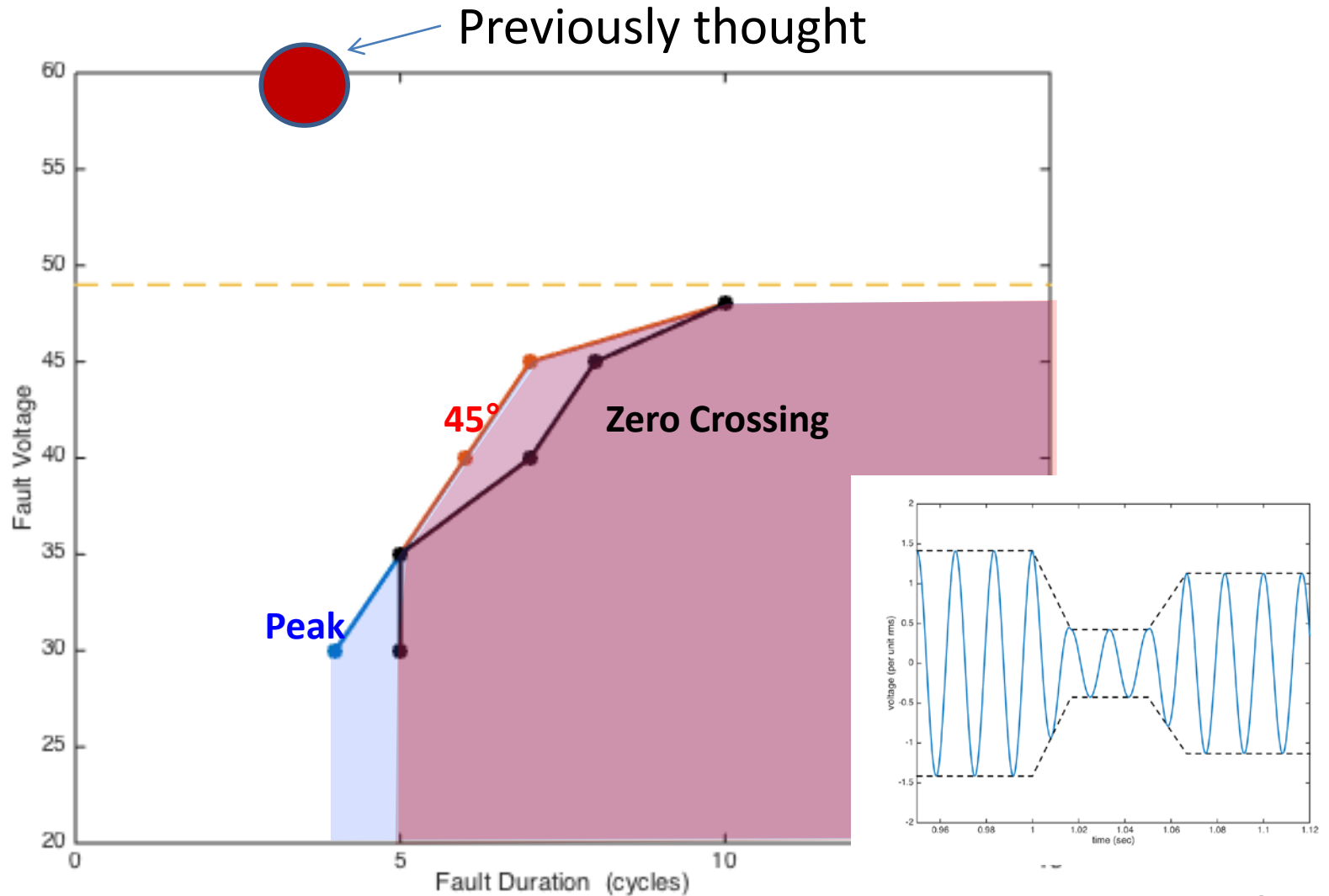
BPA, John Undrill and Bernie Lesieutre found a “common mode failure” mode in SCE-BPA-EPRI testing - **all voltage sags were sudden and applied at voltage waveform zero-crossing**

Additional testing done at BPA in collaboration with John Undrill and Bernie Lesieutre showed that **air conditioners tend to be less prone to stalling when the fault is applied at the waveform peak, or voltage is ramped down** instead of sudden steps down

# AC Stall, Instantaneous Voltage Dip

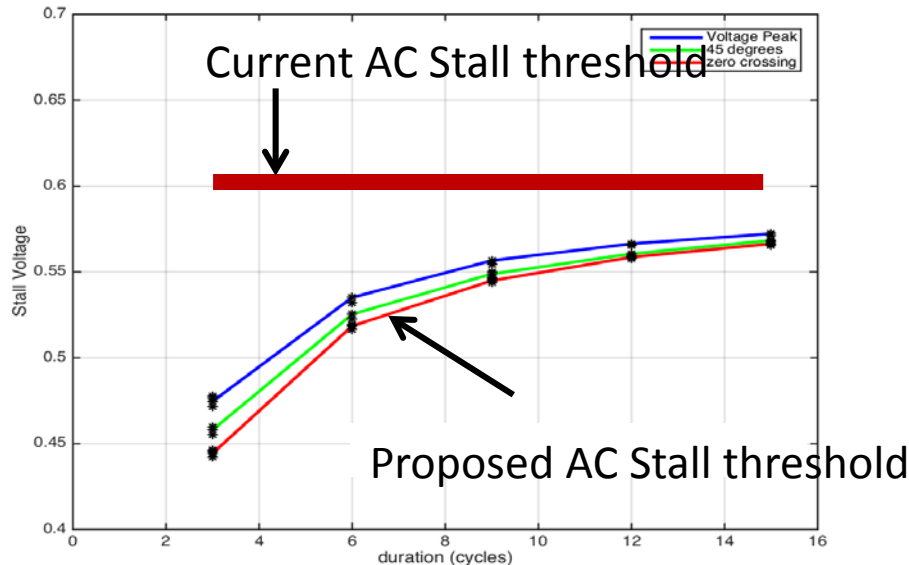


# AC Stall, : 1 Cycle Ramp in Voltage Dip



# Next Steps

## 1. Update AC “performance” model



## 2. Add dynamic MOTORC model to composite load model

## 3. Continue benchmarking positive sequence models (GE PSLF and PSS<sup>®</sup>E) with point on wave models (PSCAD)

**Thank You**



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# Simulation Models for Single Phase Compressor Motors

Bernie Lesieutre (UW-Madison, LBNL)





# Simulation Models for Compressor Load Models

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Option 1: Detailed motor models, and single-phase network models. Useful for research, hopefully not needed for grid-scale simulations.

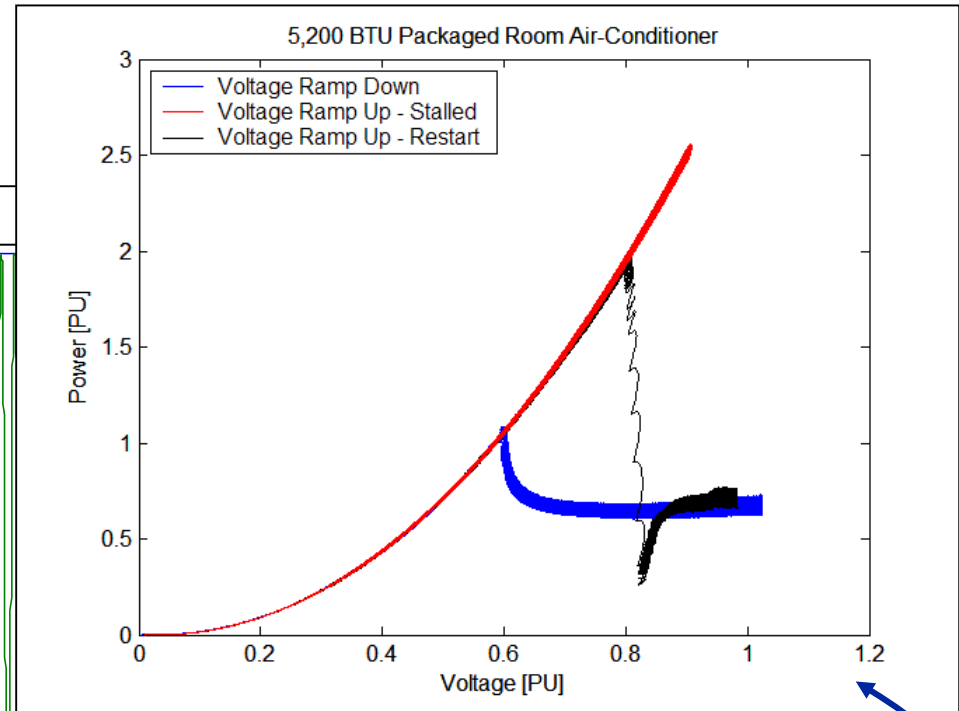
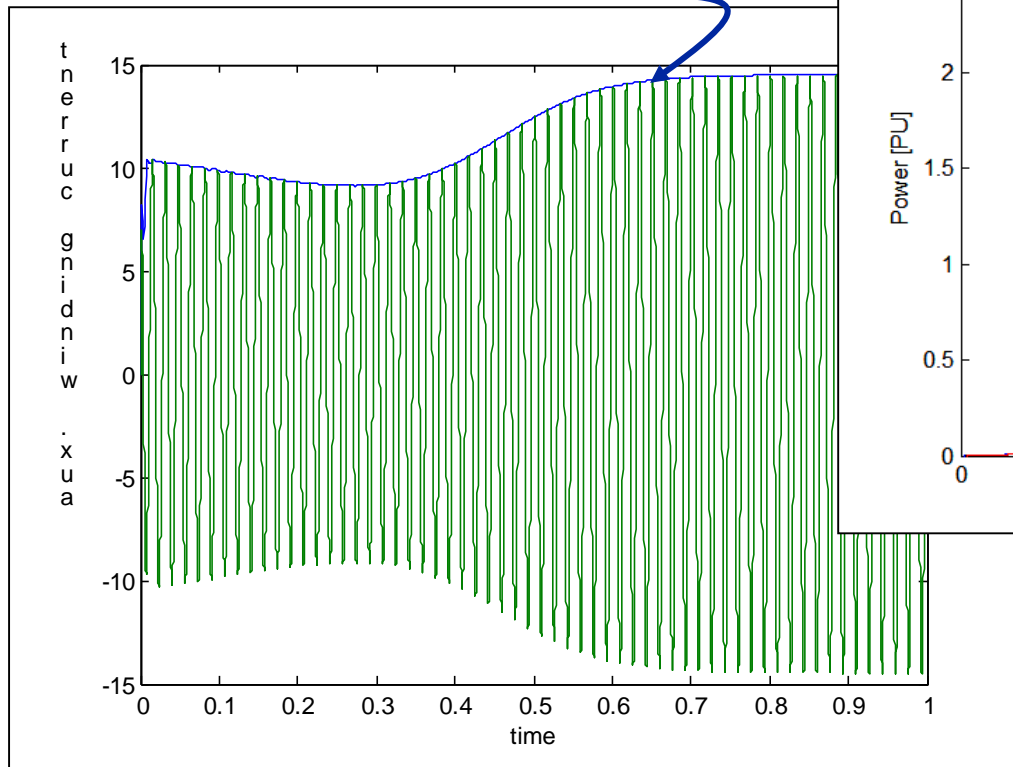
Option 2: Adapt models for grid simulations

- static performance model, current model  
simplistic, somewhat pessimistic.
- dynamic phasor model, complicated, doesn't capture subcycle influences (yet).



# Single-Phase Motor Models for Grid

**“Dynamic Phasor” Model**



**“Performance” Model**



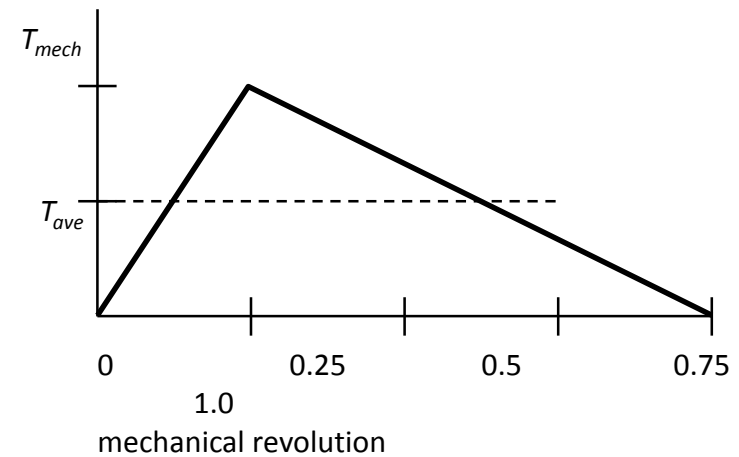
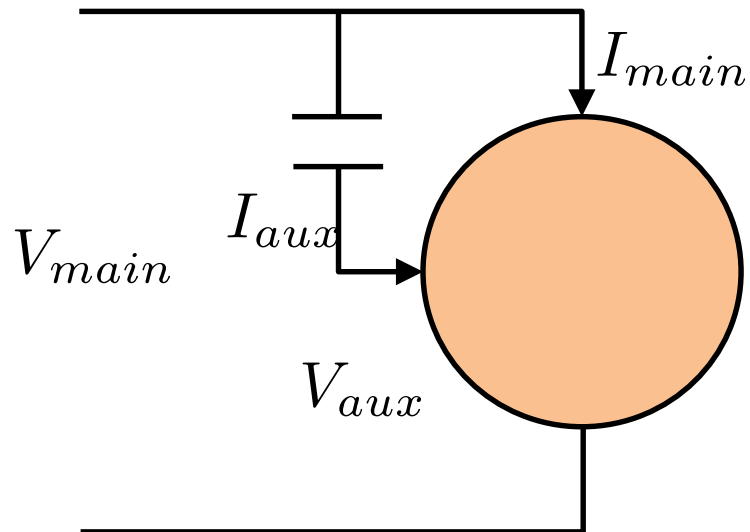
# Important Questions about Grid Simulations

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- To what extent do single-phase, point-on-wave effects matter? **Examine with single-phase motor simulations and tests.**
- To what extent can impacts be aggregated?  
**Do all motors stall during a FIDVR event?**



# Single Phase Compressor Simulation Model

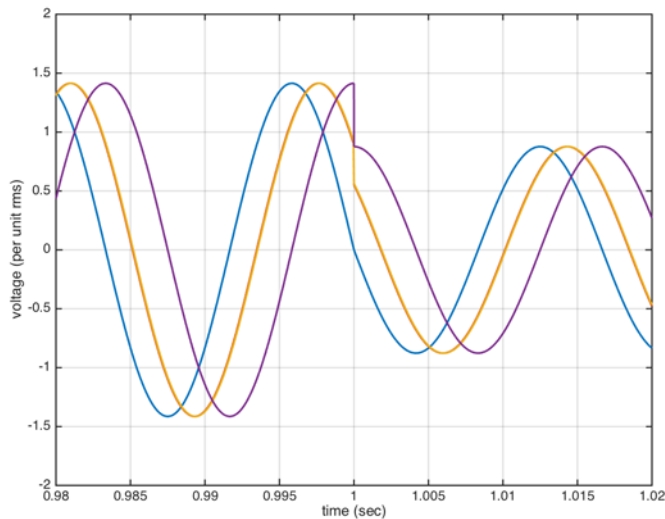


Reciprocating Compressor Mechanical Load

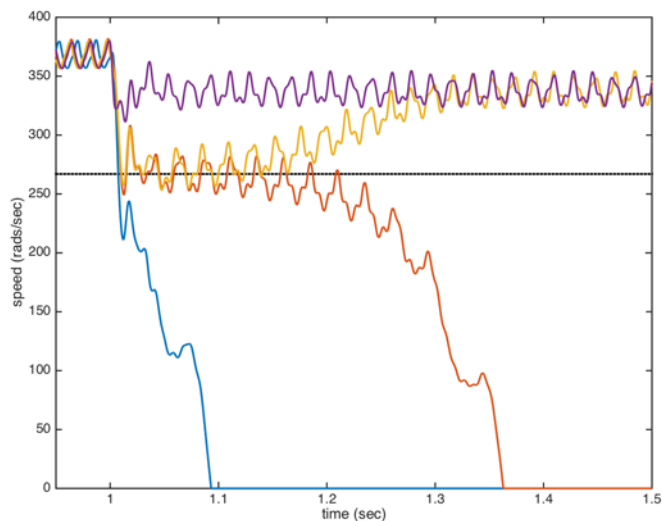


# Point-on-Wave Effects

## Simulations of Single-Phase Compressor Motor



Applied voltage. The disturbance occurs at different points along the sinusoid: peak, zero crossing, in between.



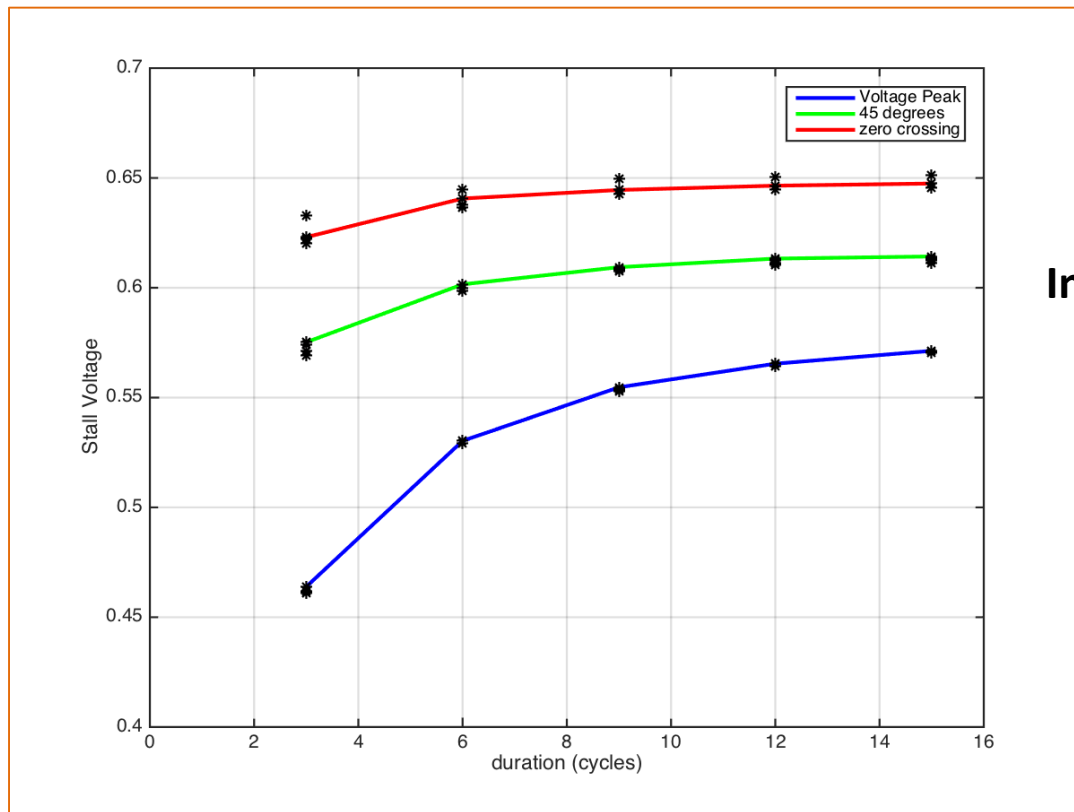
Instantaneous drop to 62% nominal for 3 cycles.

Speed for the different applied voltages. Worst case: zero crossing disturbance.



# Point-on-Wave Effects

**Stall Voltage vs fault duration,  
and point-on-wave variation.**

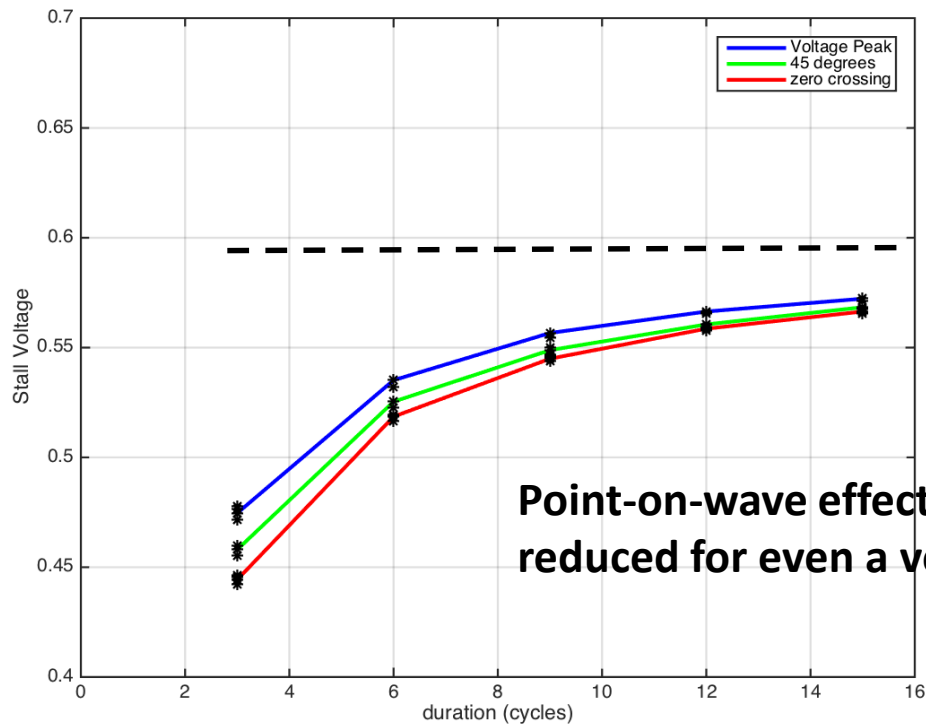


**Instantaneous voltage drop**

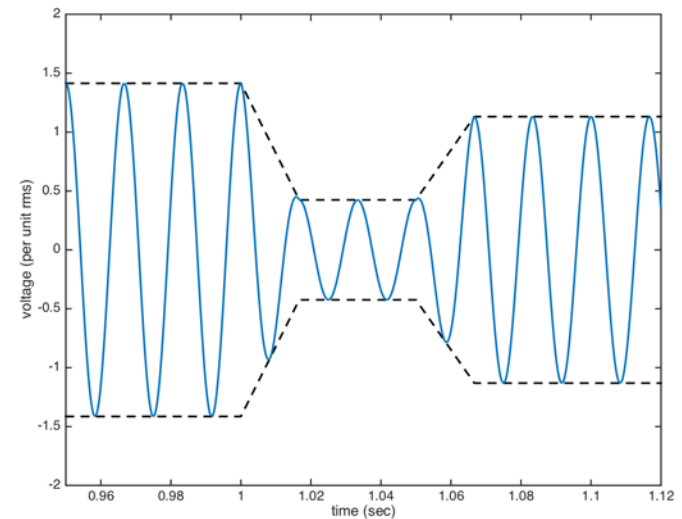


# Point-on-Wave Effects

- Ramp Voltage Instead:



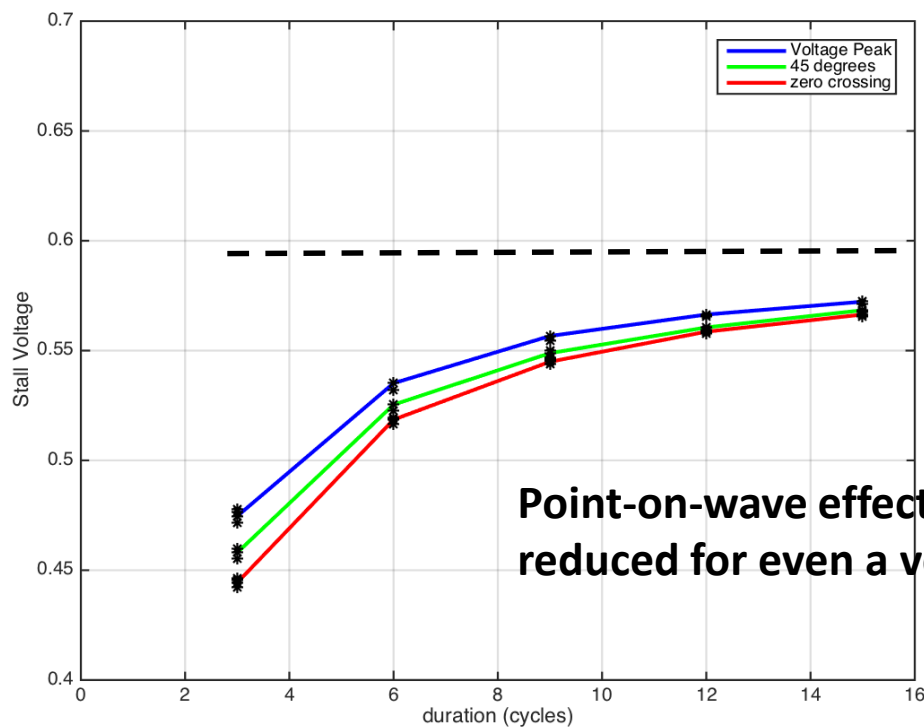
**Point-on-wave effect is greatly reduced for even a very short ramp.**



Performance Model Characteristic for reference

# Point-on-Wave Effects

- These results suggest a reason why FIDVR events don't cascade beyond an event feeder.
- **Locally, A/C motors stall in response to event.**



**Further away, the filtered voltage may exceed threshold.**

Performance Model Characteristic for reference

**Point-on-wave effect is greatly reduced for even a very short ramp.**

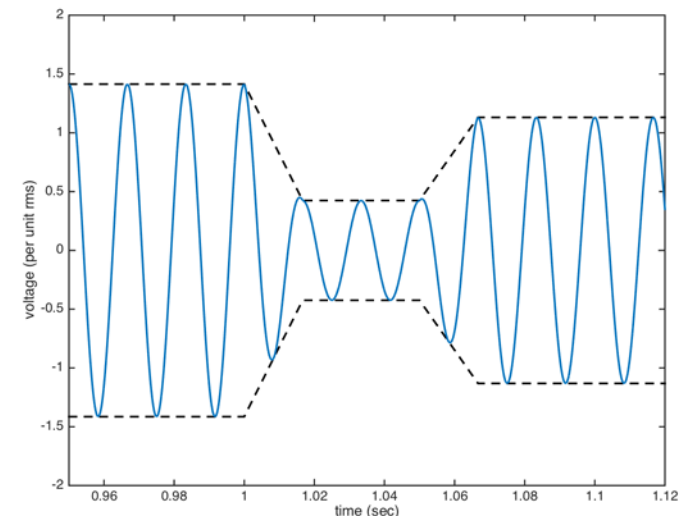


# Laboratory Tests

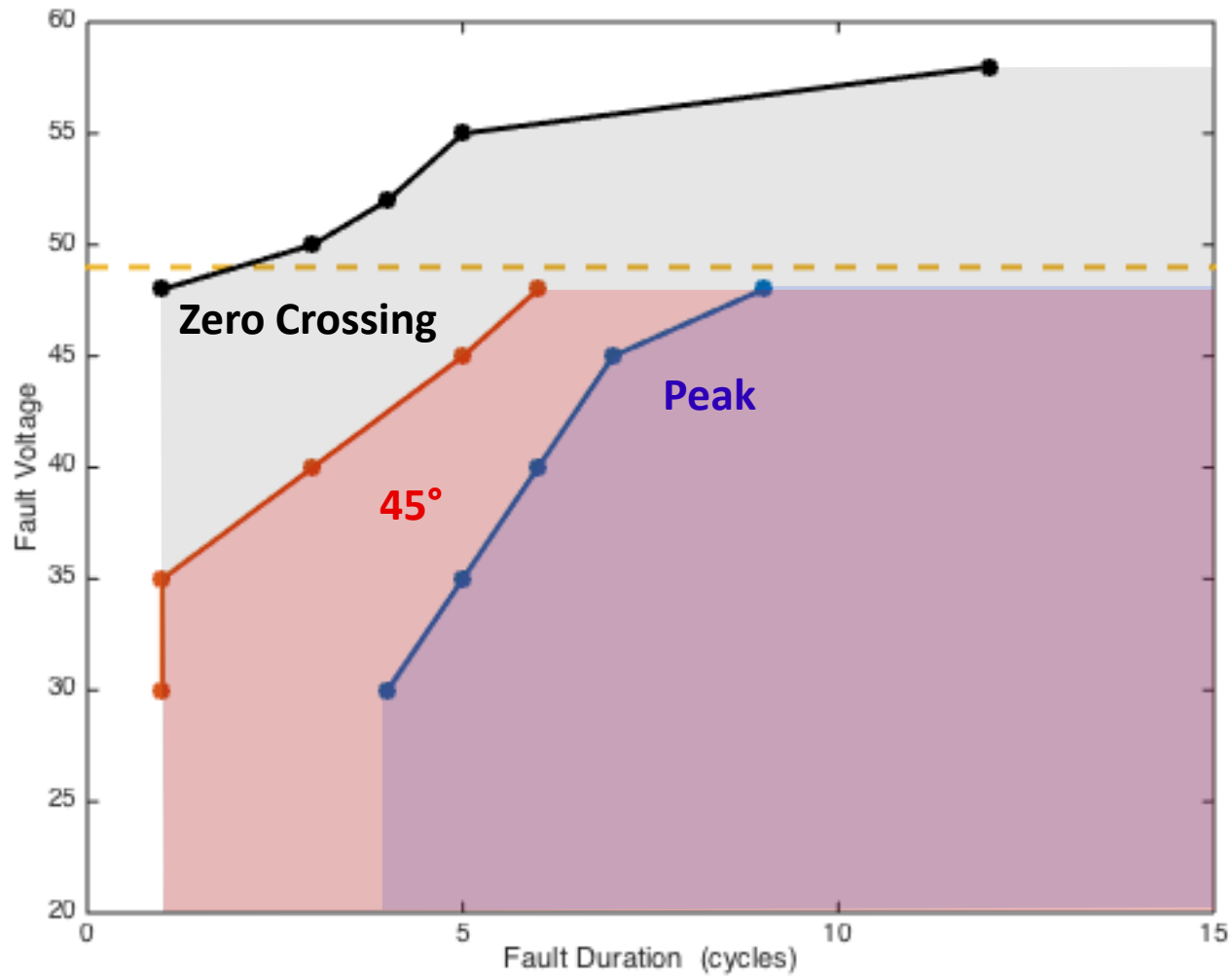
- Air Conditioner Tests at BPA Facility
- Test Point-on-Wave Response, with and without ramp.
- Scroll Compressor

Voltage dip to 48, 45, 40, 35 and 30% nominal  
Recovery voltage at 90% nominal.

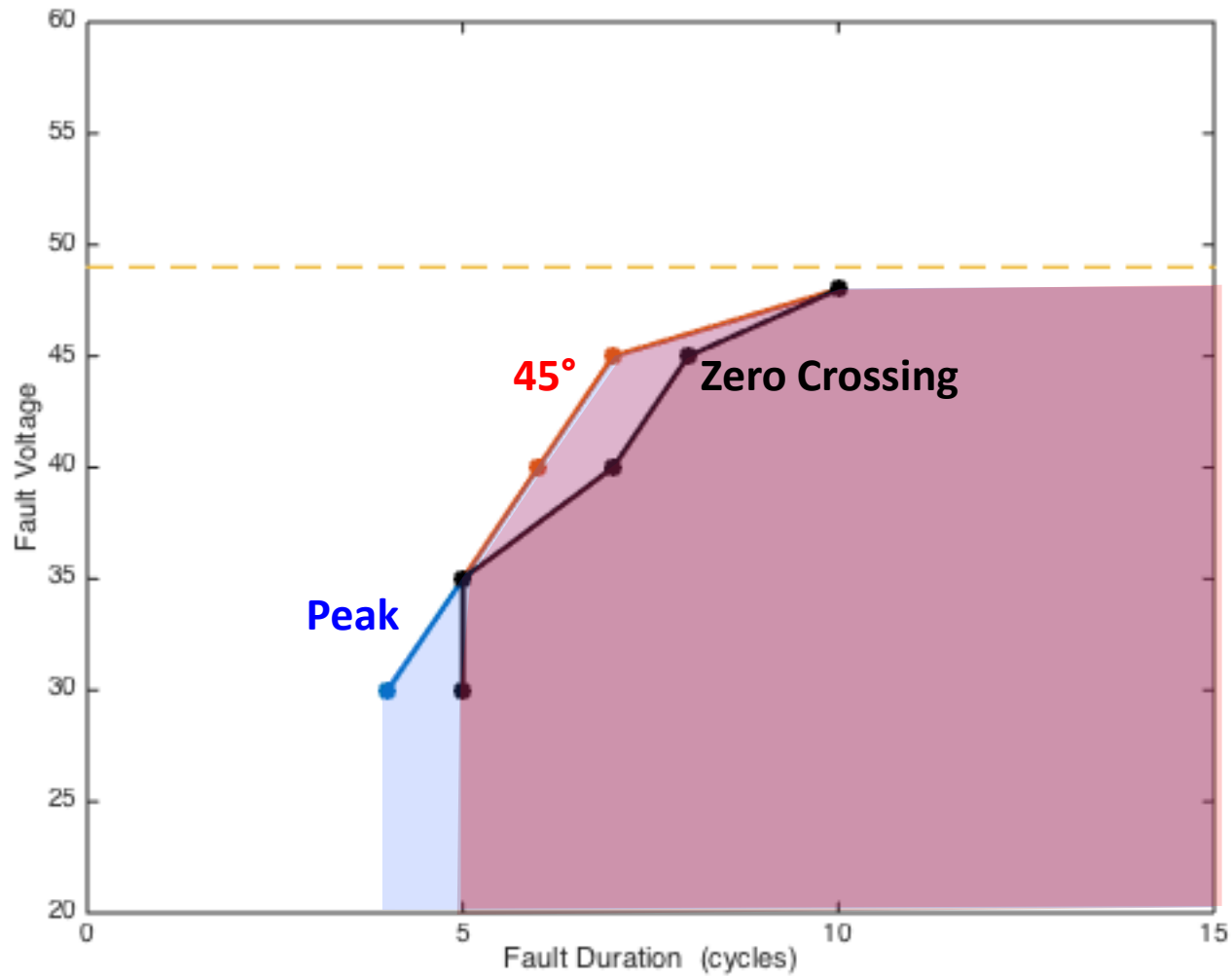
Find fault duration to result in a change in operating characteristic (not stall)



# Fault Regions, Instantaneous Voltage Dip

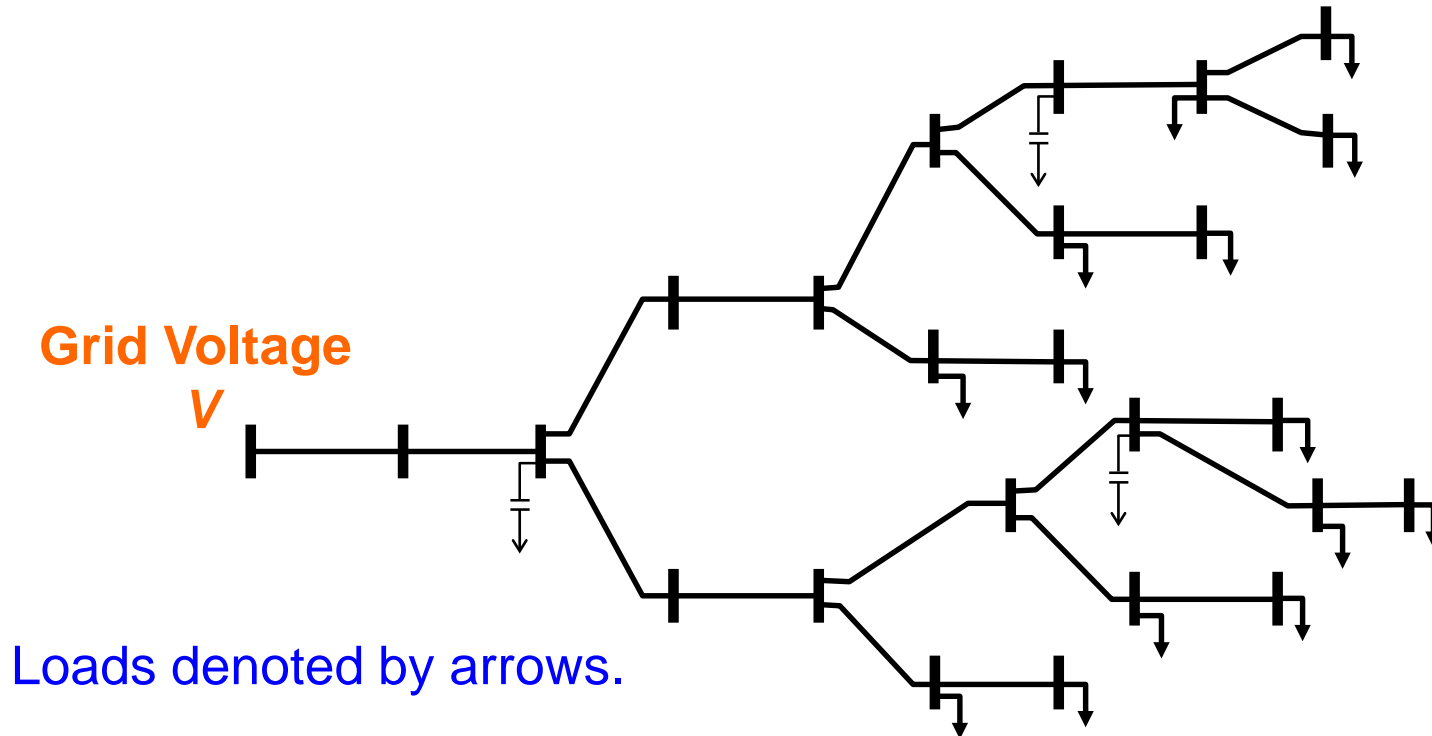


# Fault Region: 1 Cycle Ramp in Voltage Dip





# Do All Motors Stall?

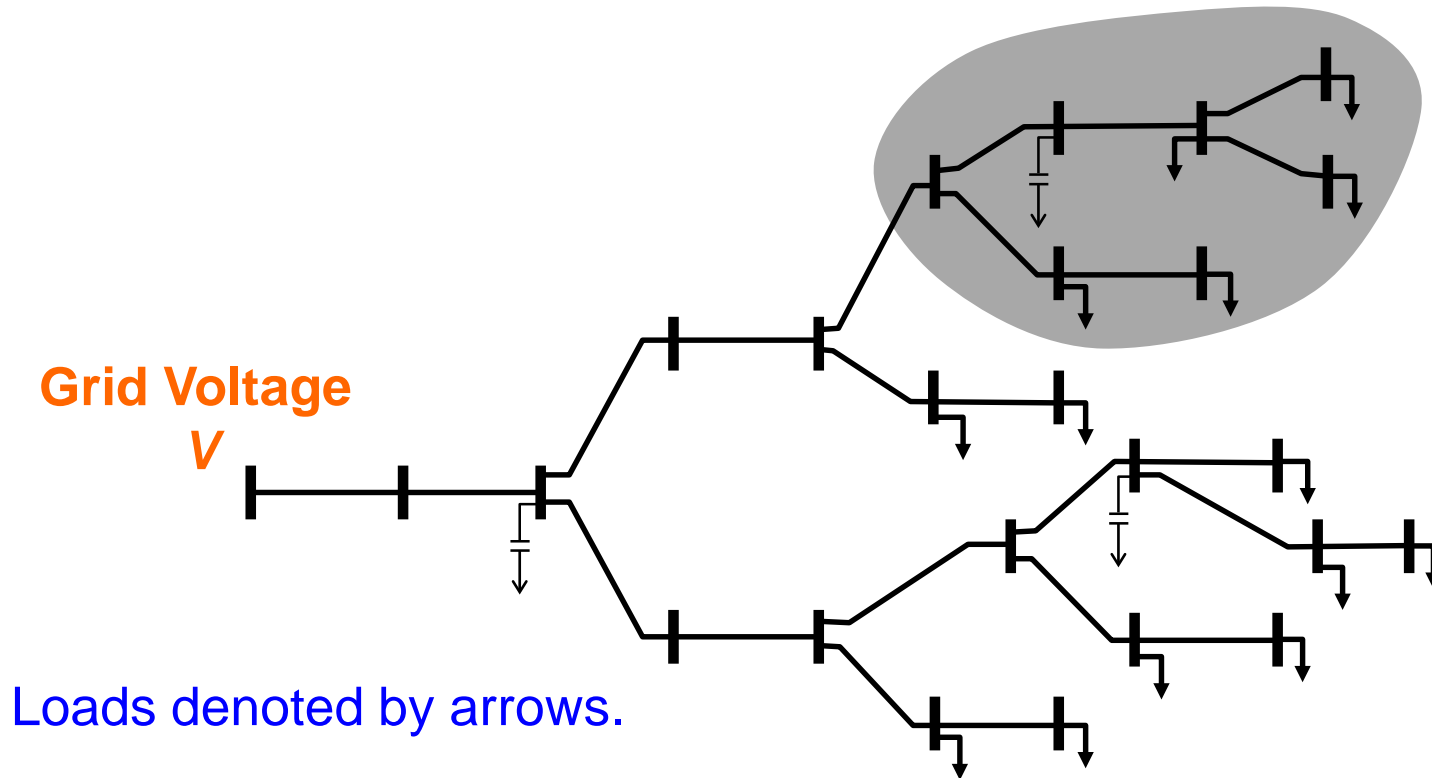


25 Buses, 13 loads, tree distribution network, single connection to the grid.

Is it possible for a fraction of motors to stall in this network without stalling them all?



# Do All Motors Stall?



**100% Compressor Load: They all stall.**

50% Compressor, 50% Impedance, some may stall.

(up to 5 maximum in this example)

# Conclusions

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A dynamic phasor models may be suitable for grid-scale simulations because

- point-on-wave effects may be naturally mitigated by smoothing in disturbance away from the event location.
- allow aggregation of stall effects.

# Dynamic Phasor Model

$$|V_s| = \left( r_{ds} + j \frac{\omega_s}{\omega_b} X'_{ds} \right) (I_{ds}^R + j I_{ds}^I) + j \left( \frac{\omega_s}{\omega_b} \right) \frac{X_m}{X_r} (\Psi_{dr}^R + j \Psi_{dr}^I)$$

$$|V_s| = \left( r_{qs} + j \frac{\omega_s}{\omega_b} X'_{qs} + j \frac{\omega_b}{\omega_s} X_c \right) (I_{qs}^R + j I_{qs}^I) + j \left( \frac{\omega_s}{\omega_b} \right) \frac{n X_m}{X_r} (\Psi_{qr}^R + j \Psi_{qr}^I)$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} (\Psi_f^R + j \Psi_f^I) \\ (\Psi_b^R + j \Psi_b^I) \end{bmatrix} = \left( \frac{1}{2} \right) \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -j \\ 1 & j \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} (\Psi_{dr}^R + j \Psi_{dr}^I) \\ (\Psi_{qr}^R + j \Psi_{qr}^I) \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{bmatrix} (\Psi_{dr}^R + j \Psi_{dr}^I) \\ (\Psi_{qr}^R + j \Psi_{qr}^I) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ j & -j \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} (\Psi_f^R + j \Psi_f^I) \\ (\Psi_b^R + j \Psi_b^I) \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} (I_f^R + j I_f^I) \\ (I_b^R + j I_b^I) \end{bmatrix} = \left( \frac{1}{2} \right) \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -jn \\ 1 & jn \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} (I_{ds}^R + j I_{ds}^I) \\ (I_{qs}^R + j I_{qs}^I) \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{bmatrix} (I_{ds}^R + j I_{ds}^I) \\ (I_{qs}^R + j I_{qs}^I) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ j/n & -j/n \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} (I_f^R + j I_f^I) \\ (I_b^R + j I_b^I) \end{bmatrix}$$

$$T_o' \frac{d}{dt} (\Psi_f^R + j \Psi_f^I) = X_m (I_f^R + j I_f^I) - (\text{sat}(\Psi_f, \Psi_b) + j(\omega_s - \omega_r) T_o') (\Psi_f^R + j \Psi_f^I)$$

$$(\Psi_b^R + j \Psi_b^I) = \frac{X_m (I_b^R + j I_b^I)}{(\text{sat}(\Psi_f, \Psi_b) + j(\omega_s + \omega_r) T_o')}$$

$$\frac{2H}{\omega_b} \frac{d\omega_r}{dt} = \frac{X_m}{X_r} 2 (I_f^I \Psi_f^R - I_f^R \Psi_f^I - I_b^I \Psi_b^R + I_b^R \Psi_b^I) - T_{mech}$$

$$I_s = \left[ (I_{ds}^R + j I_{ds}^I) + (I_{qs}^R + j I_{qs}^I) \right] e^{j\phi}$$

# Commercial 3Φ Rooftop and Residential VFD A/C Testing

*DOE-NERC FIDVR Workshop*

*September 30<sup>th</sup>, 2015*

Steven Robles

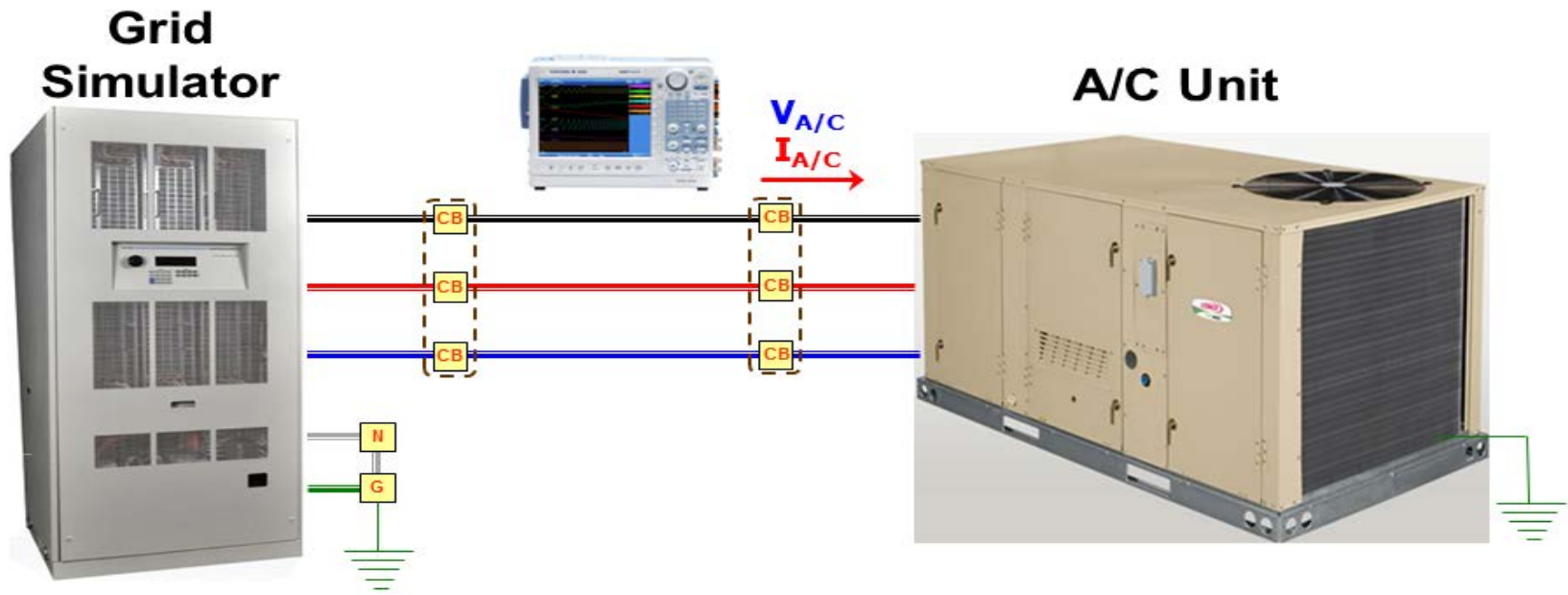


# Objectives

- Assess the performance of air conditioner (A/C) units during typical grid voltage and frequency deviations, including but not limited to:
  - Stalling criteria (or lack thereof)
  - Inrush currents
  - Contactor/relay dropout
  - Harmonics contribution
- A/C performance data can be used to:
  - Build, test, and/or validate load models
  - Identify potential device impacts (Is it “grid friendly”?)
  - Explore potential stalling solutions

# Laboratory Setup

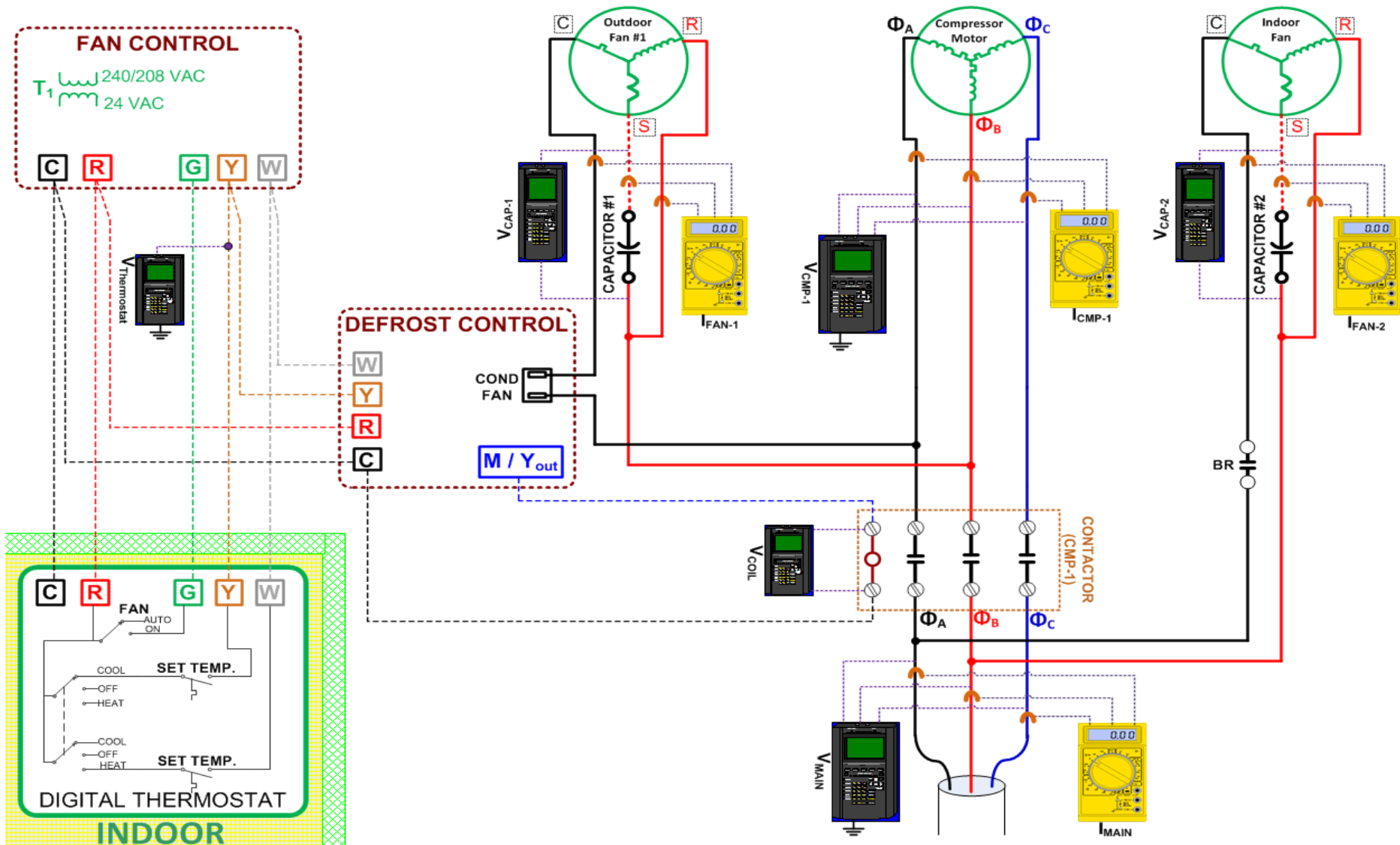
- Grid Simulator
- Equipment under test
  - 3 $\Phi$  Commercial Rooftop A/C Unit
  - Residential A/C Unit with VFD
- Digital Oscilloscope
  - Voltage Probes
  - Current Transformers (CTs)
  - Thermocouples
  - Accelerometers



# Tests Performed

- Compressor Shutdown
- Compressor Startup
- Balanced Under/Over-Voltage Transients
- Unbalanced Under/Over-Voltage Transients
- Under/Over-Frequency Transients
- Voltage/Frequency Oscillations
- Voltage/Frequency Ramps
- Harmonics
- Conservation Voltage Reduction

# Commercial 3Φ Rooftop A/C Testing



# 3 $\Phi$ A/C Contactor Dropout Summary

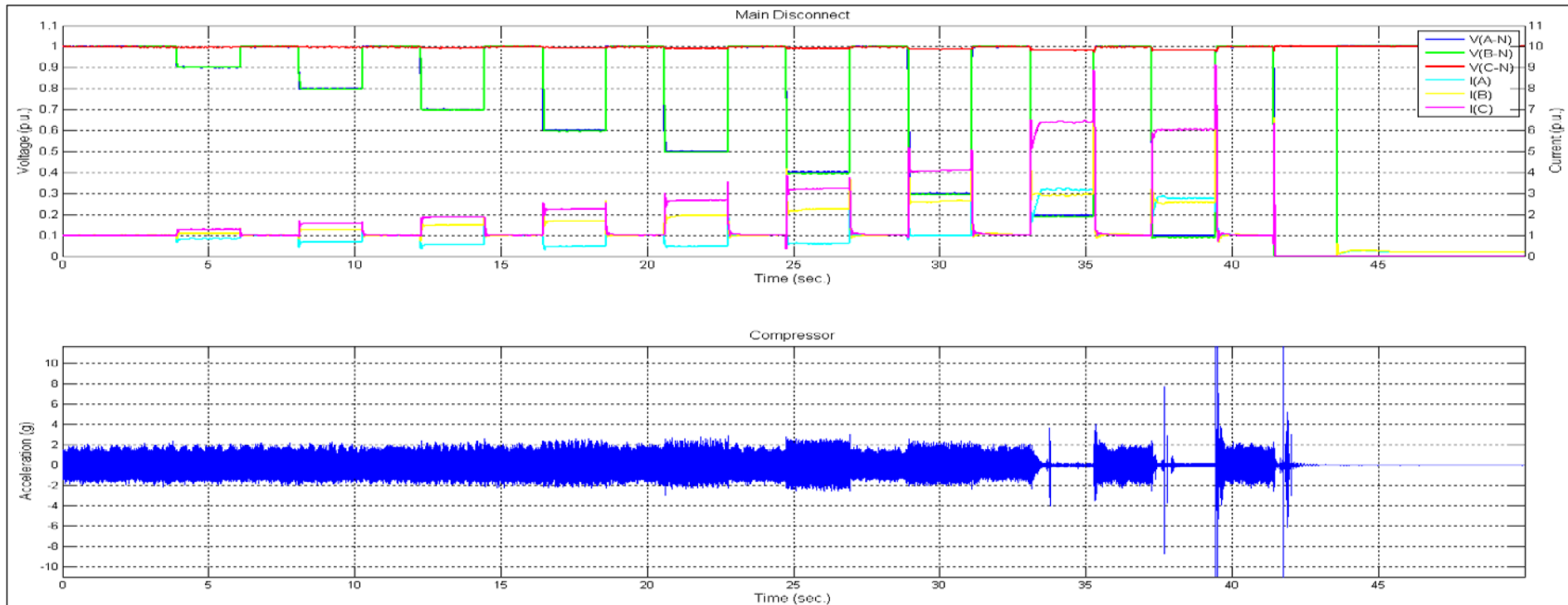
- Dropout is dependent on voltage supplying the A/C unit controls ( $V_{\Phi A-\Phi B}$ ,  $V_{\Phi B-\Phi C}$ , or  $V_{\Phi C-\Phi A}$ )
- Dropout generally occurs between 60% - 50% voltage within 2 – 10 cycles
- Contactor often chatters before dropping out
- Contactor normally does not reclose immediately after voltage recover (unit restarts several minutes later)
  - Suggests protective relay on thermostat or local controller

# 3 $\Phi$ A/C Stalling Results Summary

- Contactor drops out before stalling can occur for 3-phase balanced under-voltage conditions
- Most units (5 of 7) stall during 2-phase unbalanced under-voltages
  - Stalled between 30% - 10% voltage within 10.8 – 60 cycles
  - Stalling occurs quicker at lower voltages
  - Compressor restarts in 5 cycles after voltage recovers
- No stalling is observed during 1-phase unbalanced under-voltages

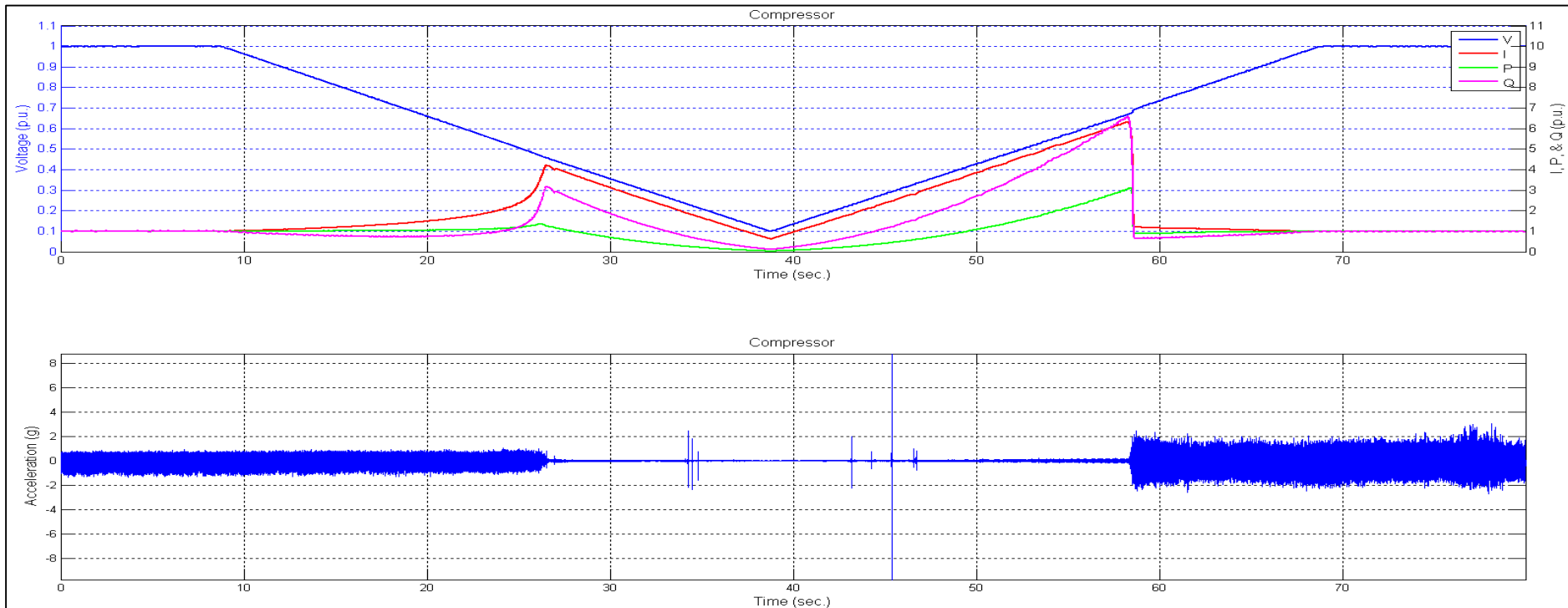
# 3 $\Phi$ A/C Stalling Results (Sample)

- Compressor performance during unbalanced under-voltage (Phases A & B) transients:
  - Stalled at 20%  $V_{L-N}$  in 24 cycles
  - Stalled at 10%  $V_{L-N}$  in 12.6 cycles



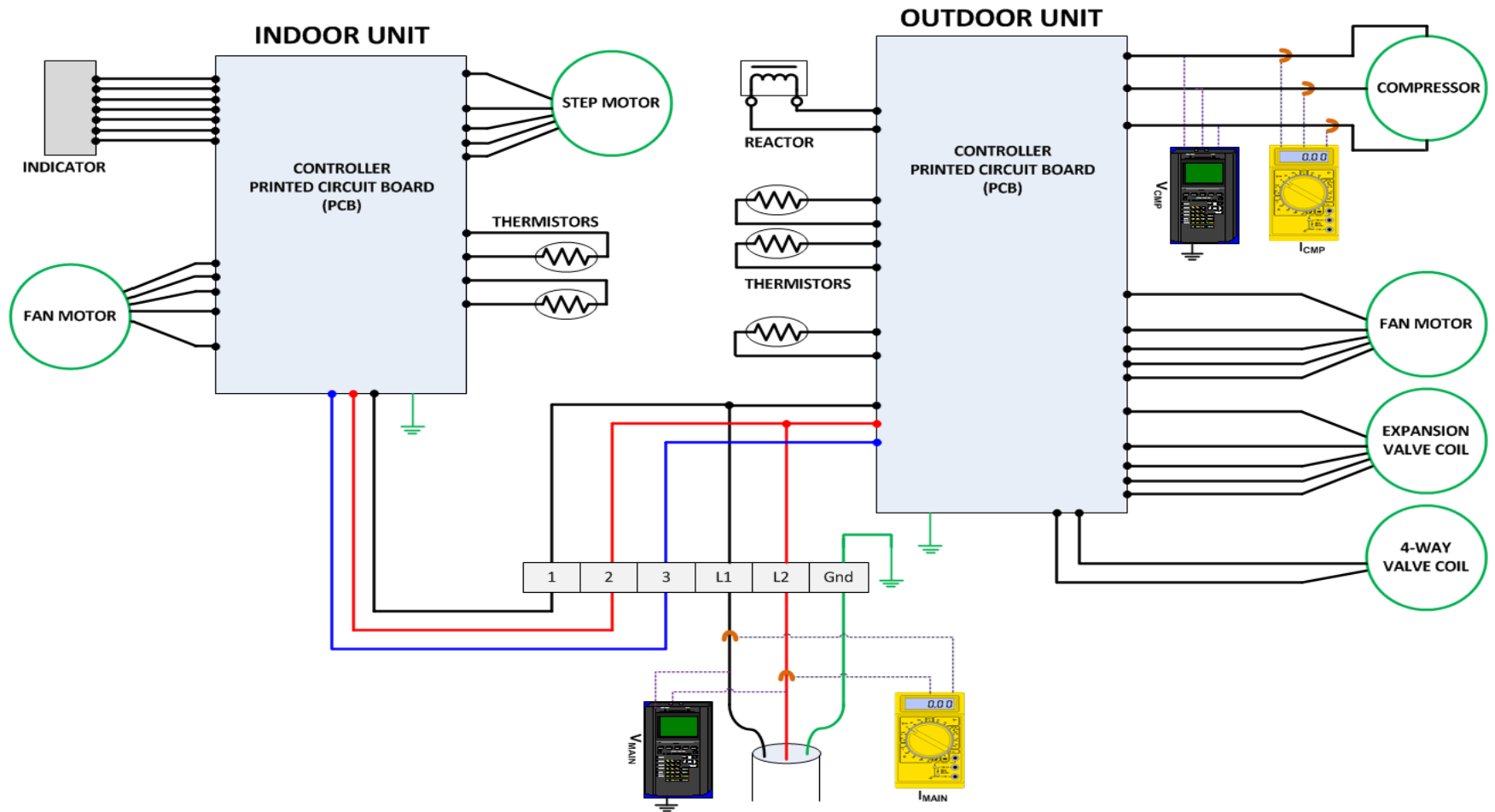
# 3 $\Phi$ A/C Stalling (Modified Units)

- Units were modified such that controls were powered separately to bypass dropout
- Captured I, P, and Q at different balanced voltage levels, including at the stalling and restarting point



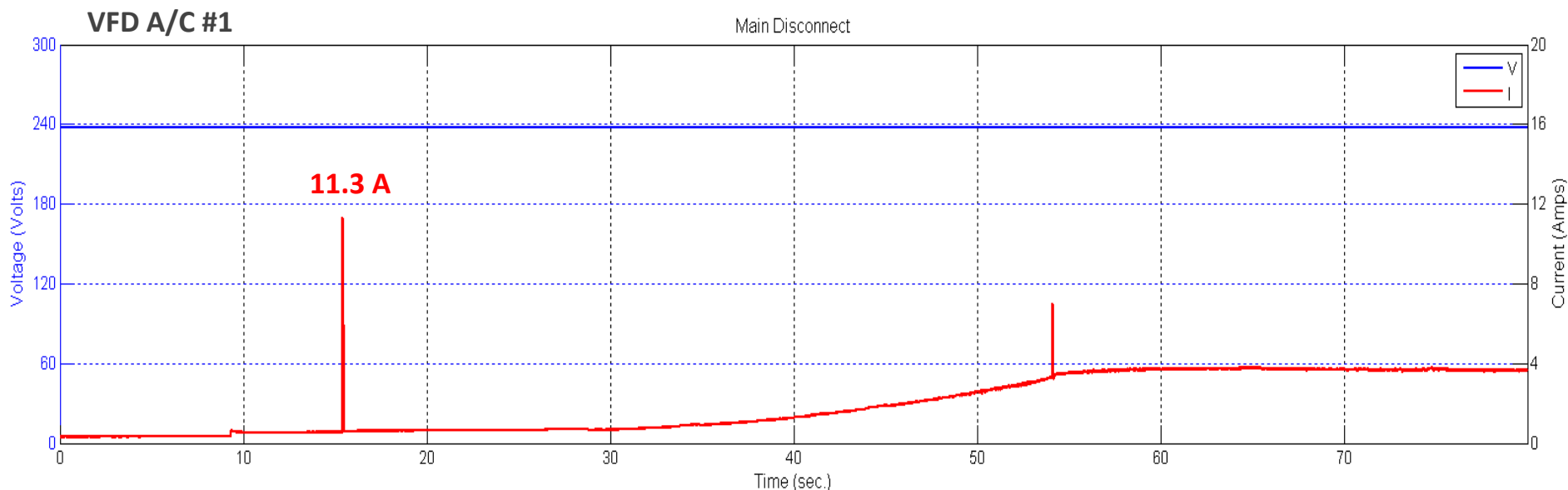


# Residential VFD A/C Testing



# VFD A/C Compressor Startup

- VFD A/C units display low inrush current compared to conventional units
  - Largest inrush current: 11.3 Amps within 1.8 cycles
  - Compressor current ramps up in 20 – 50 seconds
  - Consumption increases periodically to meet temperature demand

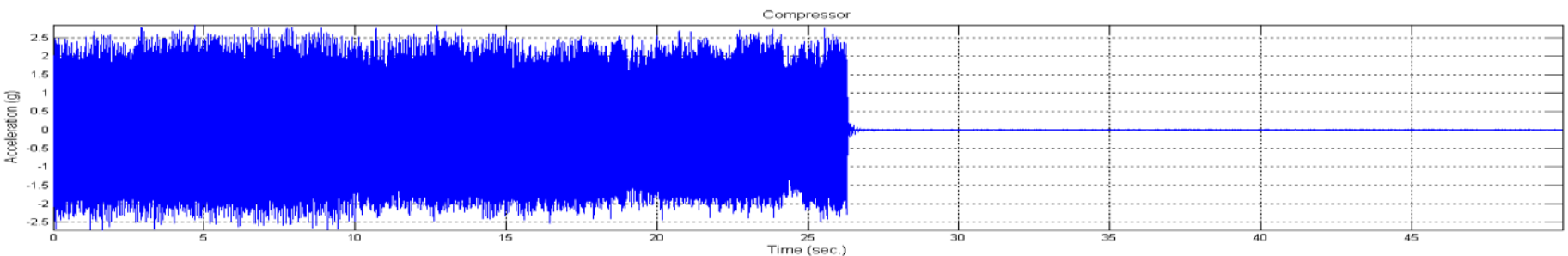
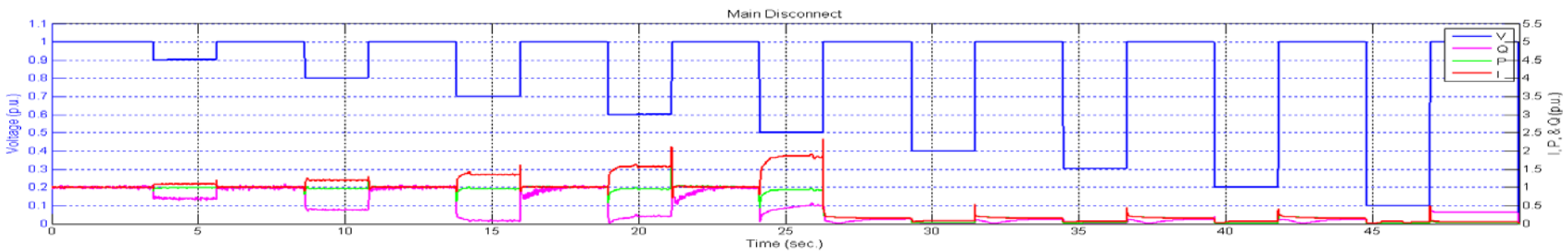


# VFD A/C Controls Dropout Summary

- No stalling behavior was observed
- Compressor usually disconnects at the end of a voltage sag or up to 3 cycles after voltage recovers
  - May be due to inrush of current during voltage recovery
- Compressor rides through shorter sags (down to 0%)
  - Shorter voltage sags range from 1 to 6 cycles
- Compressor does not restart immediately after controls drop out (unit restarts several minutes later)
  - Suggests protective relay on the local controller

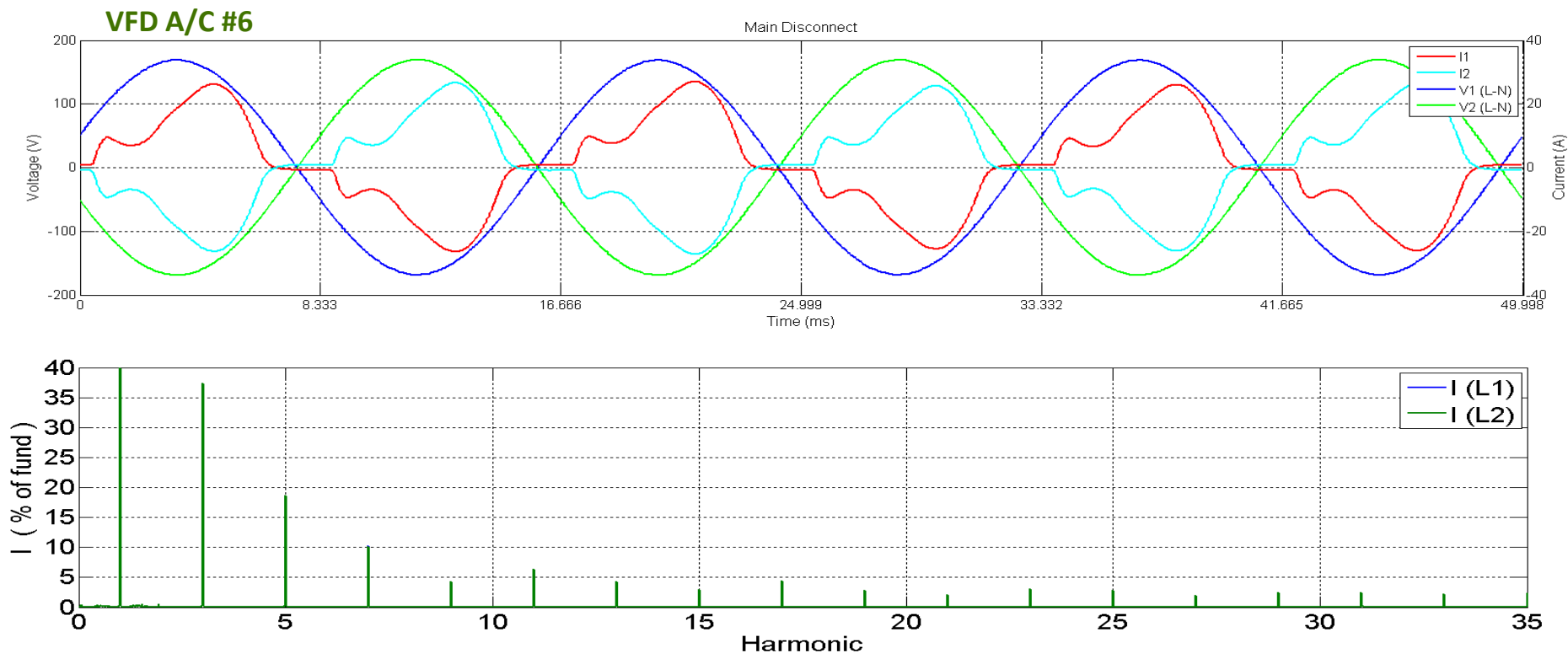
# VFD A/C Controls Dropout Summary

Unit	130 cycle Transients		12 cycle Transients		3 cycle Transients	
	V <sub>trip/dropout</sub> (%)	t <sub>trip/dropout</sub> (cyc)	V <sub>trip/dropout</sub> (%)	t <sub>trip/dropout</sub> (cyc)	V <sub>trip/dropout</sub> (%)	t <sub>trip/dropout</sub> (cyc)
VFD A/C #1	52%	15	55%	13.2	51%	3.6
VFD A/C #2	56%	7.8	55%	9	N/A	N/A
VFD A/C #3	58%	130.8	58%	12.6	59%	4.2
VFD A/C #4	69%	130.1	49%	12.9	N/A	N/A
VFD A/C #5	41%	130.8	20%	12.6	N/A	N/A
VFD A/C #6	81%	131.1	56%	12.2	N/A	N/A
VFD A/C #7	62%	129.6	60%	12	54%	4.2



# VFD A/C Harmonics Contribution

- VFD A/C #1, 4, 5, 7 current THD is 11% - 16.9% of fund.
- VFD A/C #3 current THD is ~29% of fund.
- VFD A/C #2 & #6 current THD is 39% - 47.5% of fund



# Thank You.



# FIDVR

The transient behavior of loads

John Undrill  
September 2015

# Load modeling issues

## Load composition

- lighting
- electronic power supplies
- single phase motors
- three phase motors

## Static characteristics (for load flow)

constant P,Q    constant I,B    constant G,B    variations on the theme

## Behavior in transients

- stay-on/shutdown
- slow-down/reaccelerate
- run/stall

- discharge and LED lighting
- miscellaneous motors
- residential air conditioners

## Asymptotic behavior

- linear dynamics
- mode changes

- control gain and bandwidth
- sensitivity to voltage/frequency conditions



# Load modeling issues

## Incandescent lighting / resistance heating

Was/is reasonable to treat as algebraic function of voltage/frequency

## Discharge and new-technology lighting

We are increasingly concerned that algebraic modeling is reasonable only within narrow voltage/frequency bands

## Large rotating machines - generators/motors

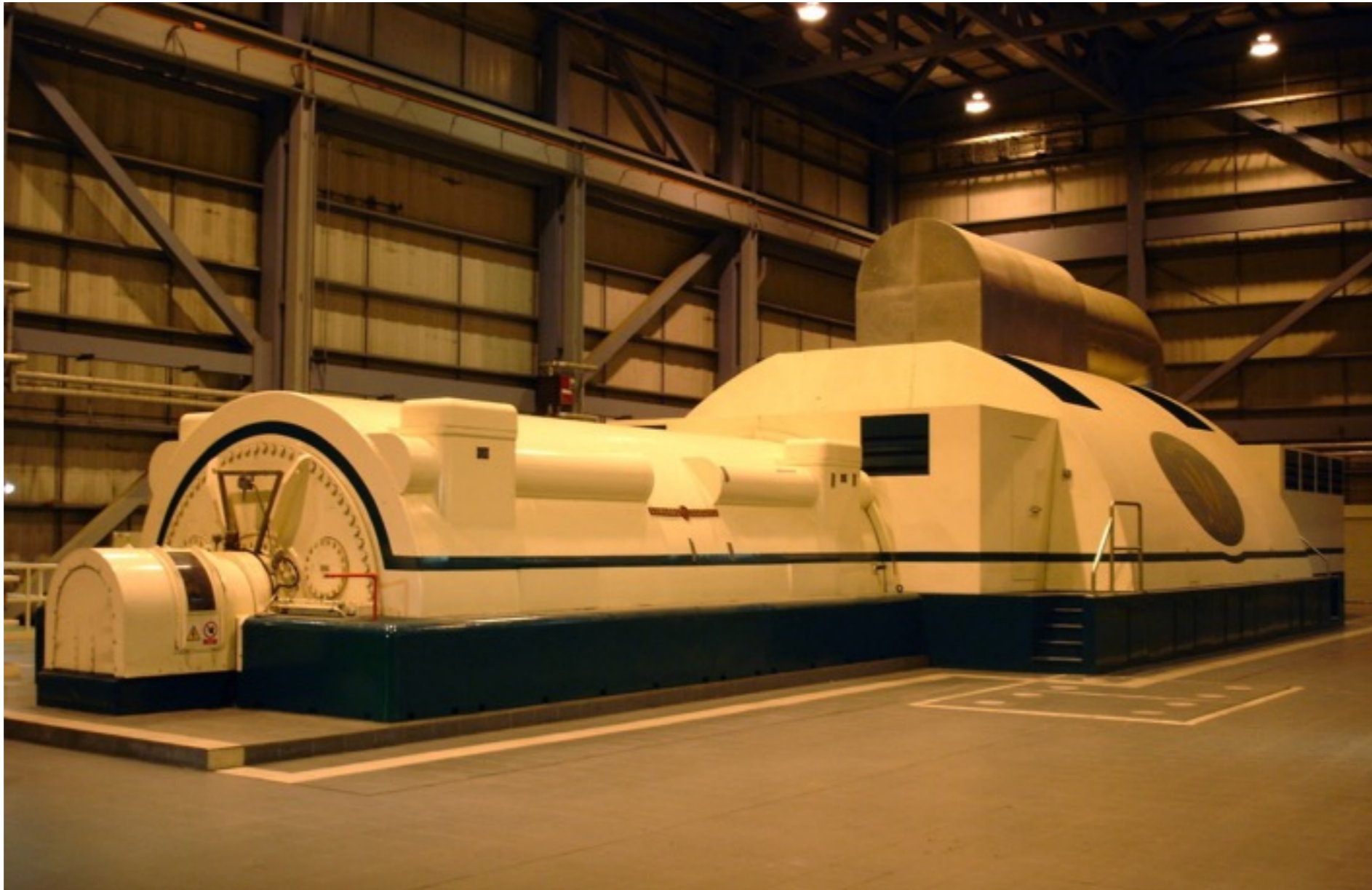
We can model large machines very closely but we are often quite lax about modeling the driven loads

## General population motor loads

Phasor-level modeling can reveal characteristics in steady operation  
but cannot address behavior in the initiating parts of grid transients

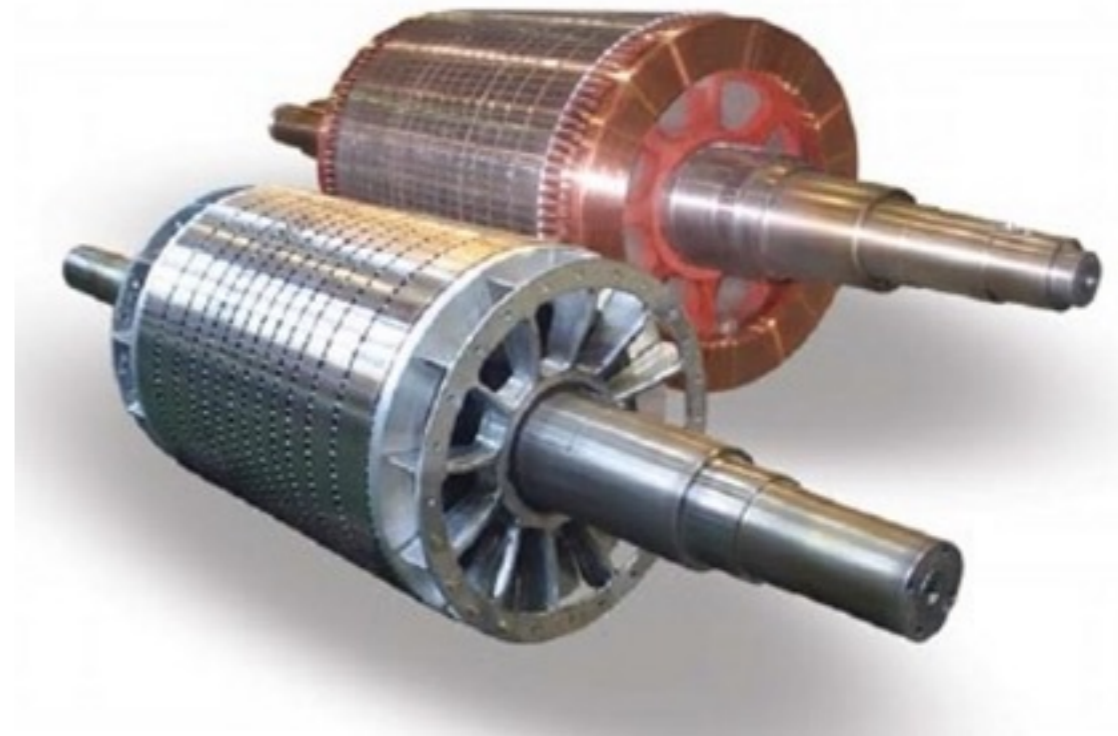
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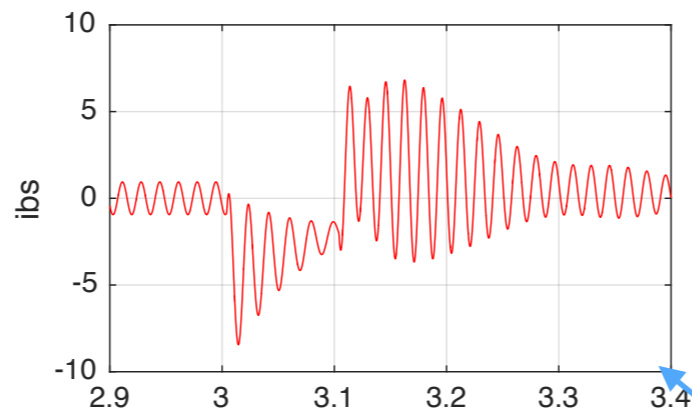
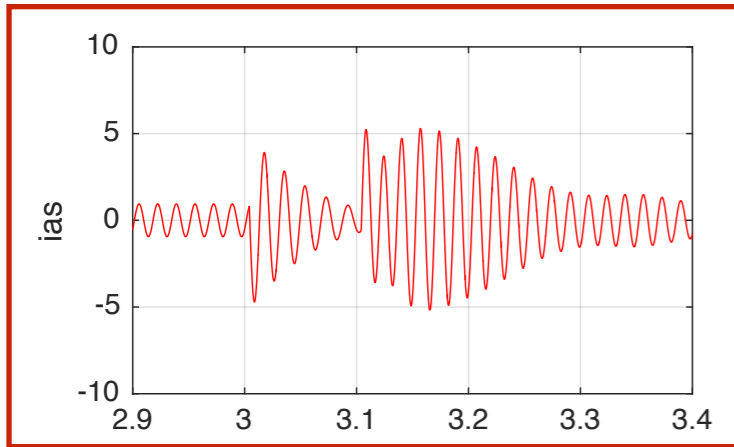
Time scale of 1 - 10 seconds



# Industrial motors

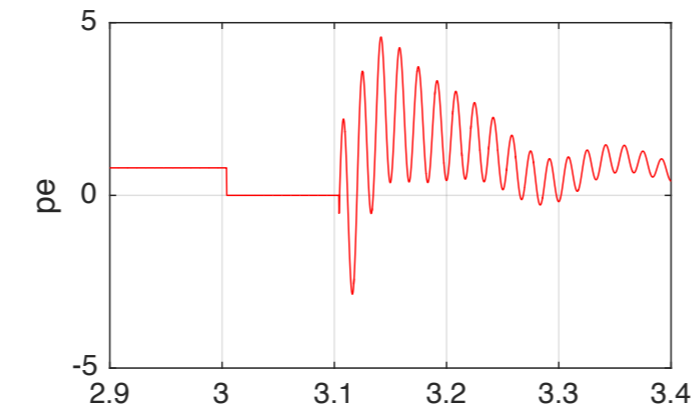
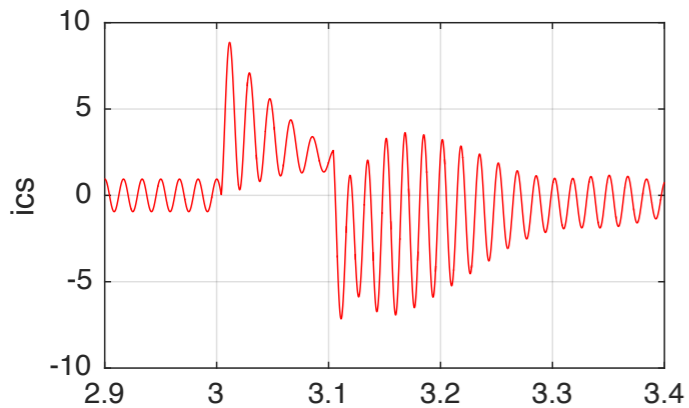
Inertia constant  $\sim 0.3 \text{ sec} < H < \text{very large}$   
Time scale of 0.5 - 10 seconds





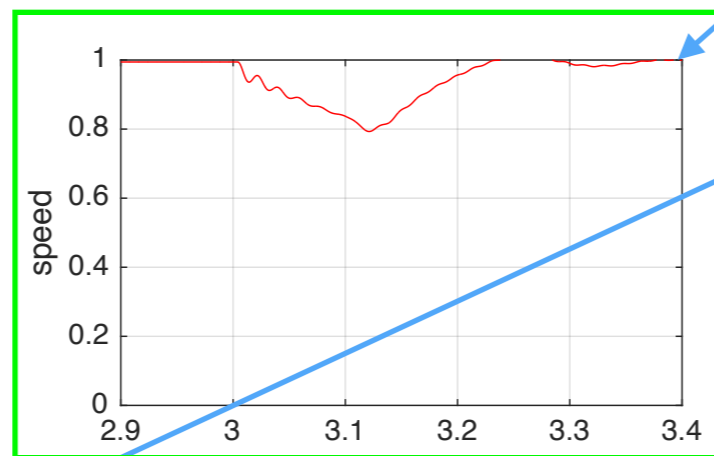
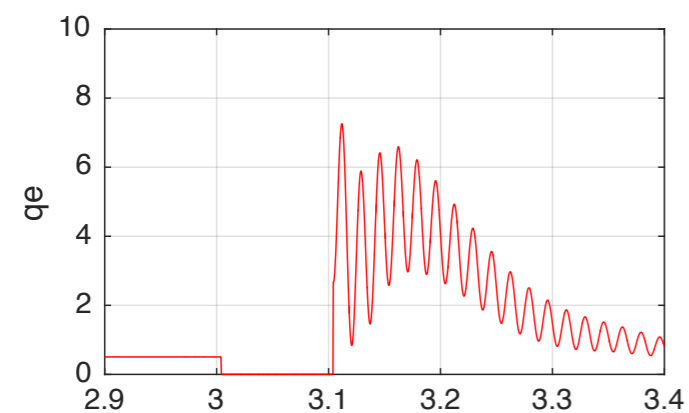
Short circuit at terminals of 100KW three phase motor driving a pump -

$H = 0.3$  second



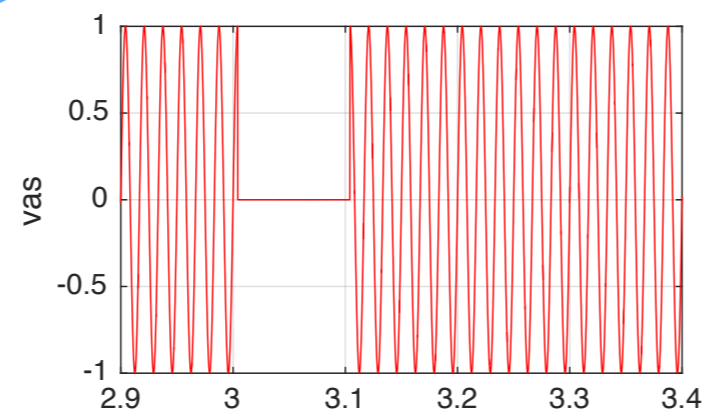
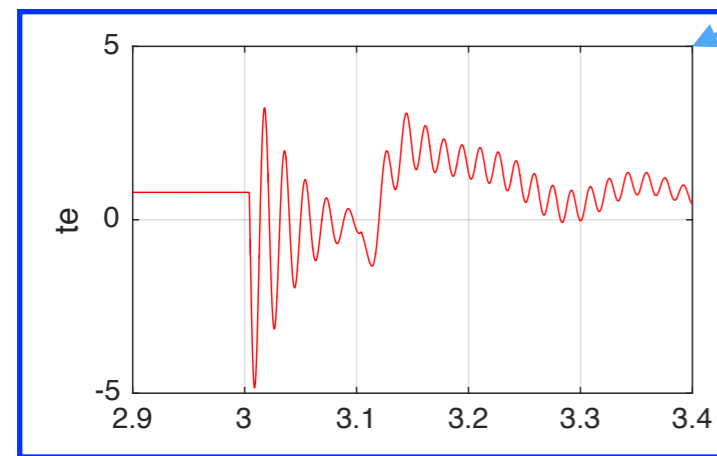
Motor contributes significant short circuit current

Speed dips during fault - reacceleration is decisive



Immediate **negative** peak of torque transient approaches **six times** rated torque

Well understood behavior



Central to circuit breaker rating standards

Voltage dip at terminals of 100KW three phase motor driving a pump -

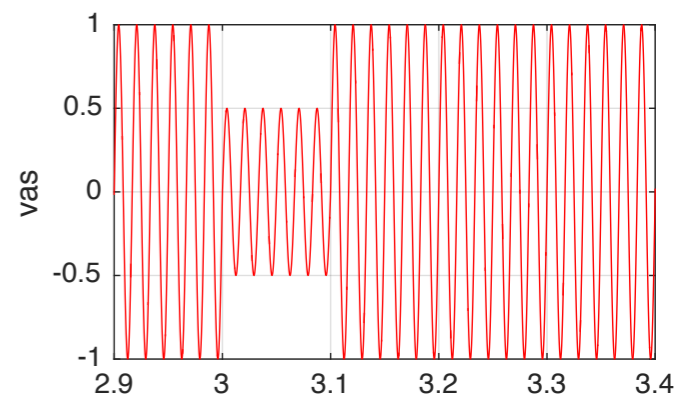
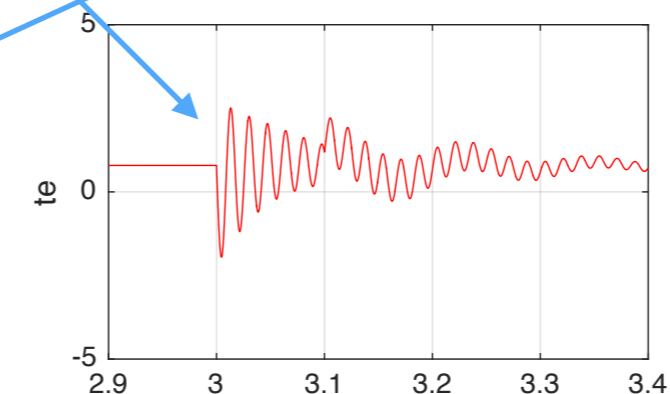
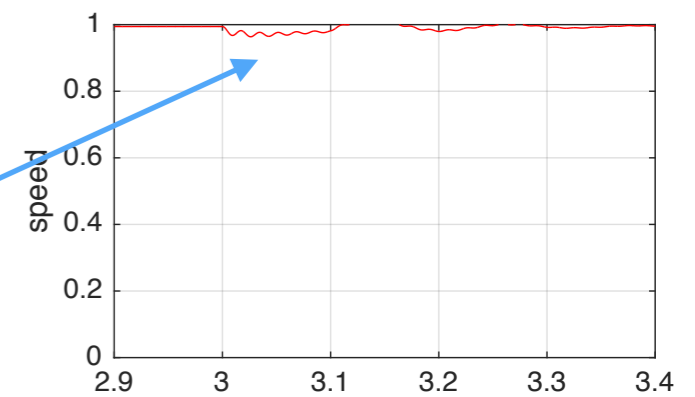
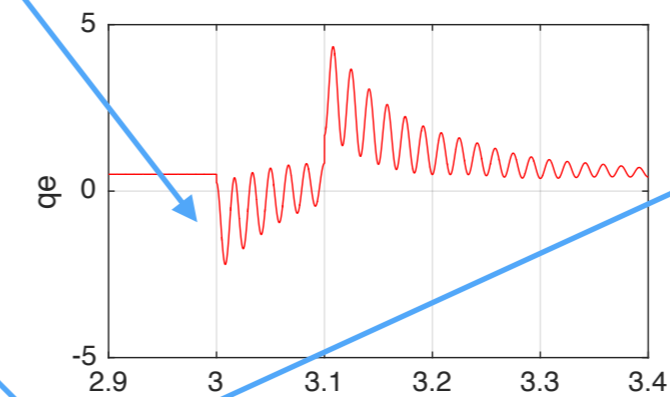
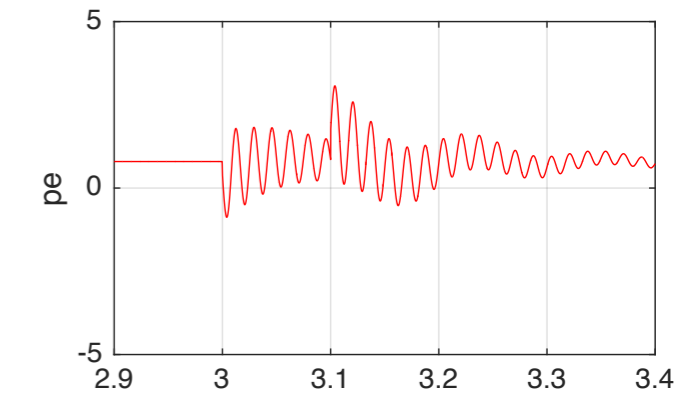
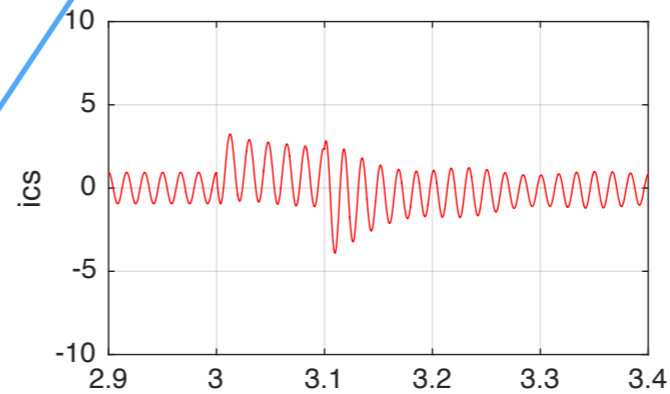
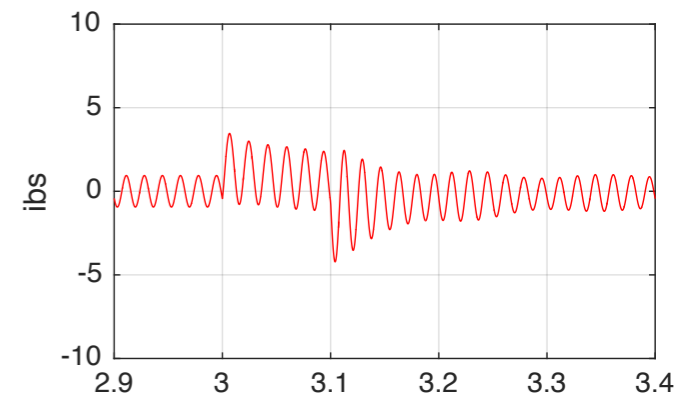
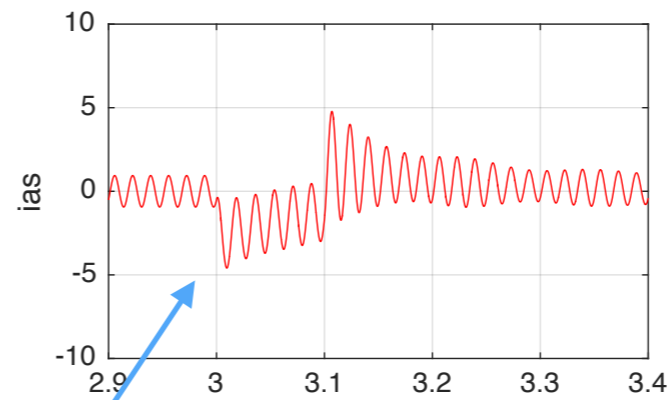
$H = 0.3$  second

Current contains AC and unidirectional components

Reactive power reverses during voltage dip - motor contributes to support of voltage

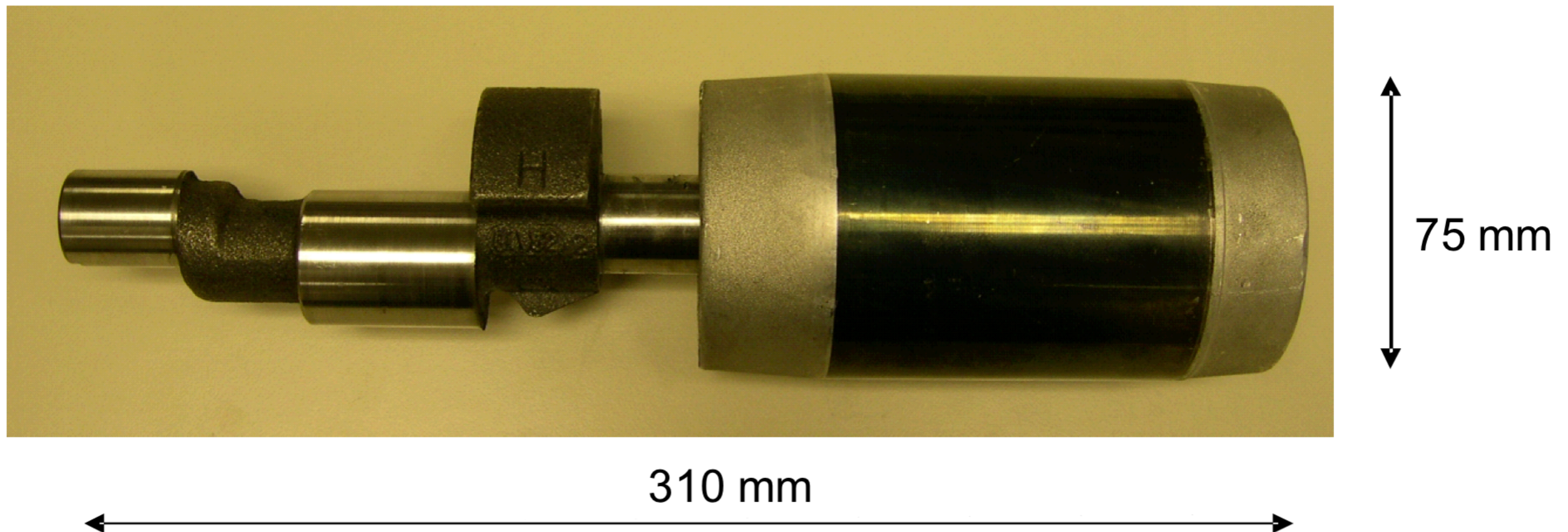
Immediate **negative** peak of torque transient approaches **six times** rated torque

Response to alternating torque is observable in speed transient, but only to minimal extent



# Air conditioner rotor - approximately 5kW

$H_{\text{motor}} \approx 0.05$  second  
Time scale of tenths of a second



Voltage dip at terminals of 5KW single phase motor driving a residential air conditioner

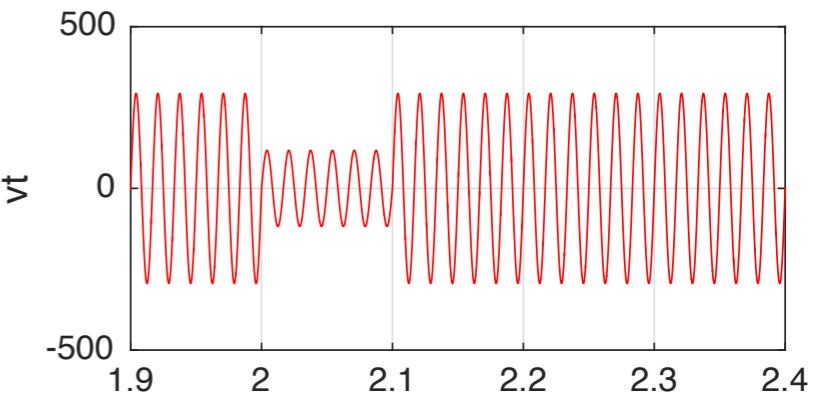
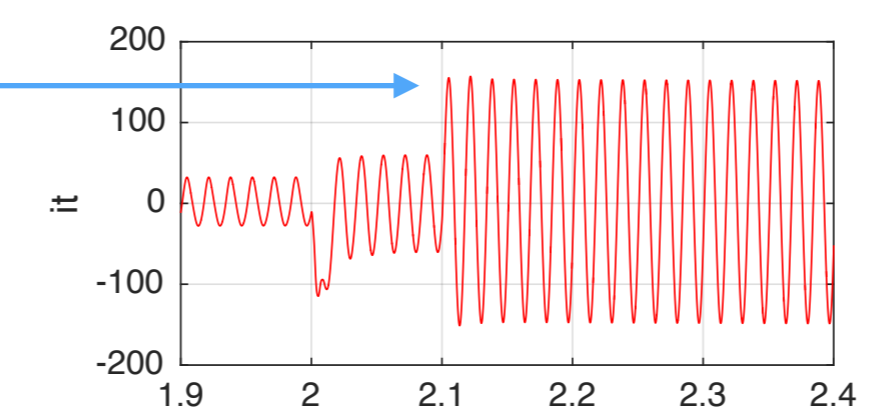
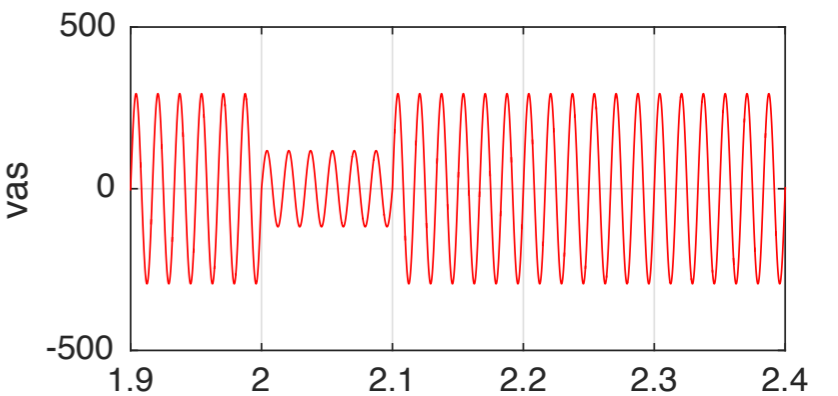
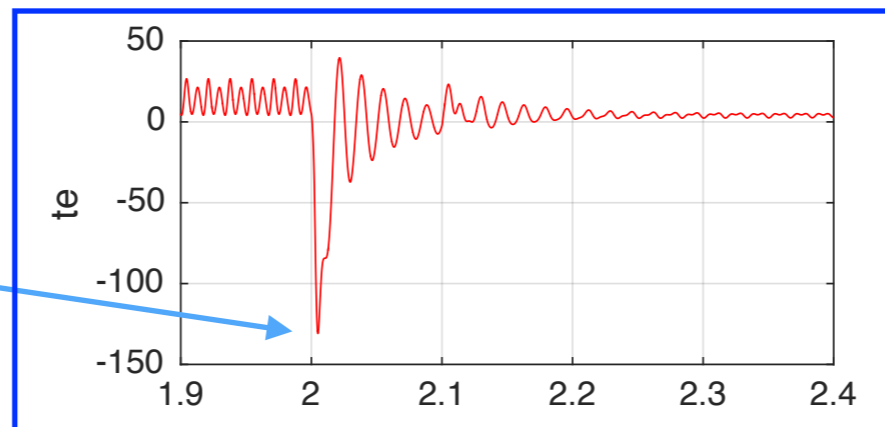
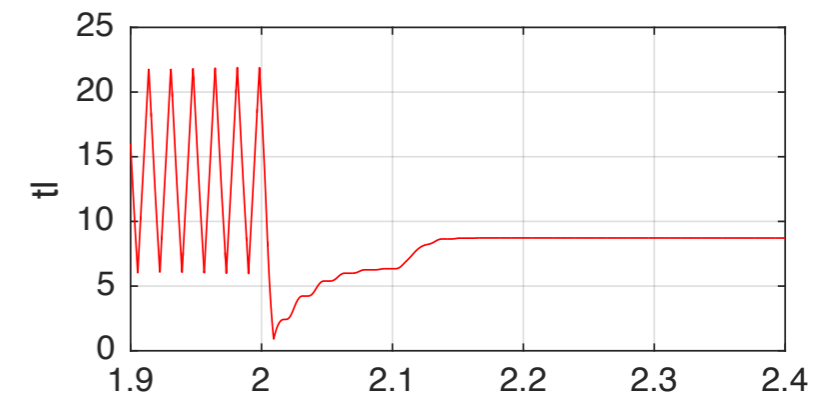
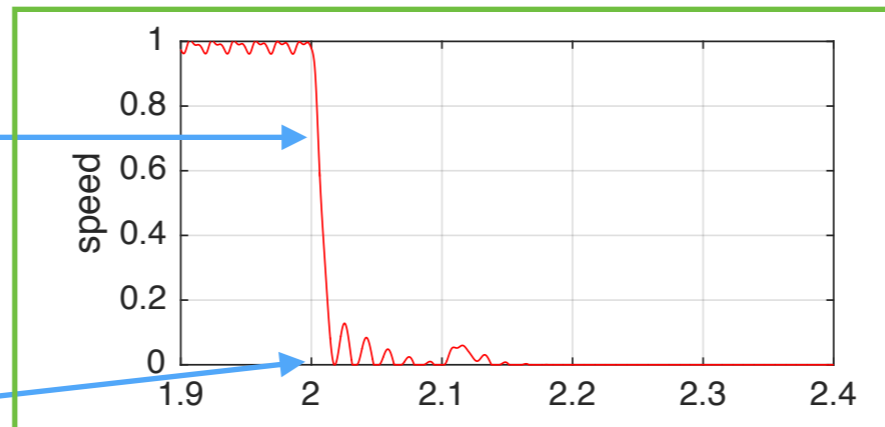
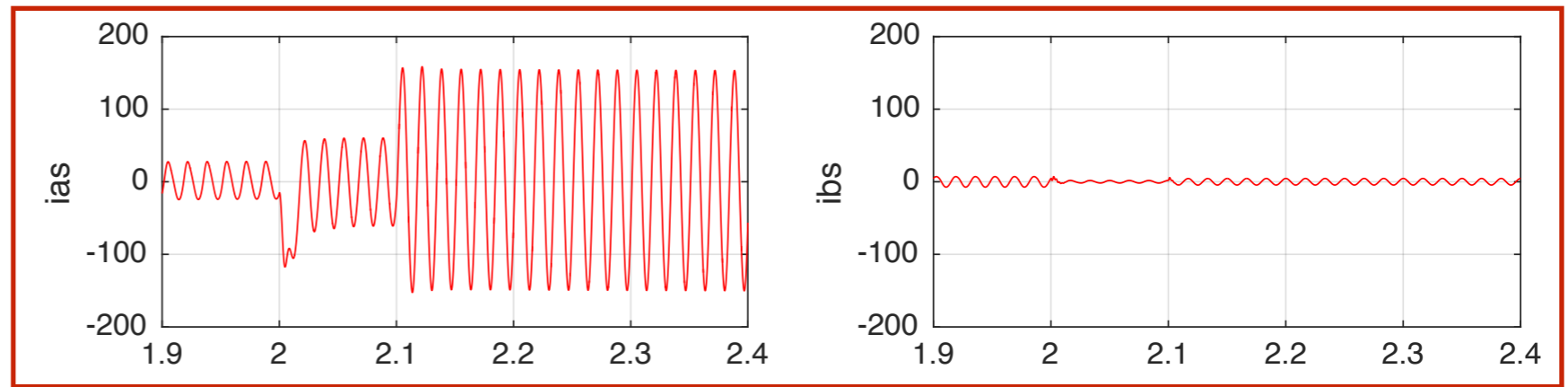
$H = 0.048$  second

Speed is pulled down very strongly by the negative electromagnetic torque

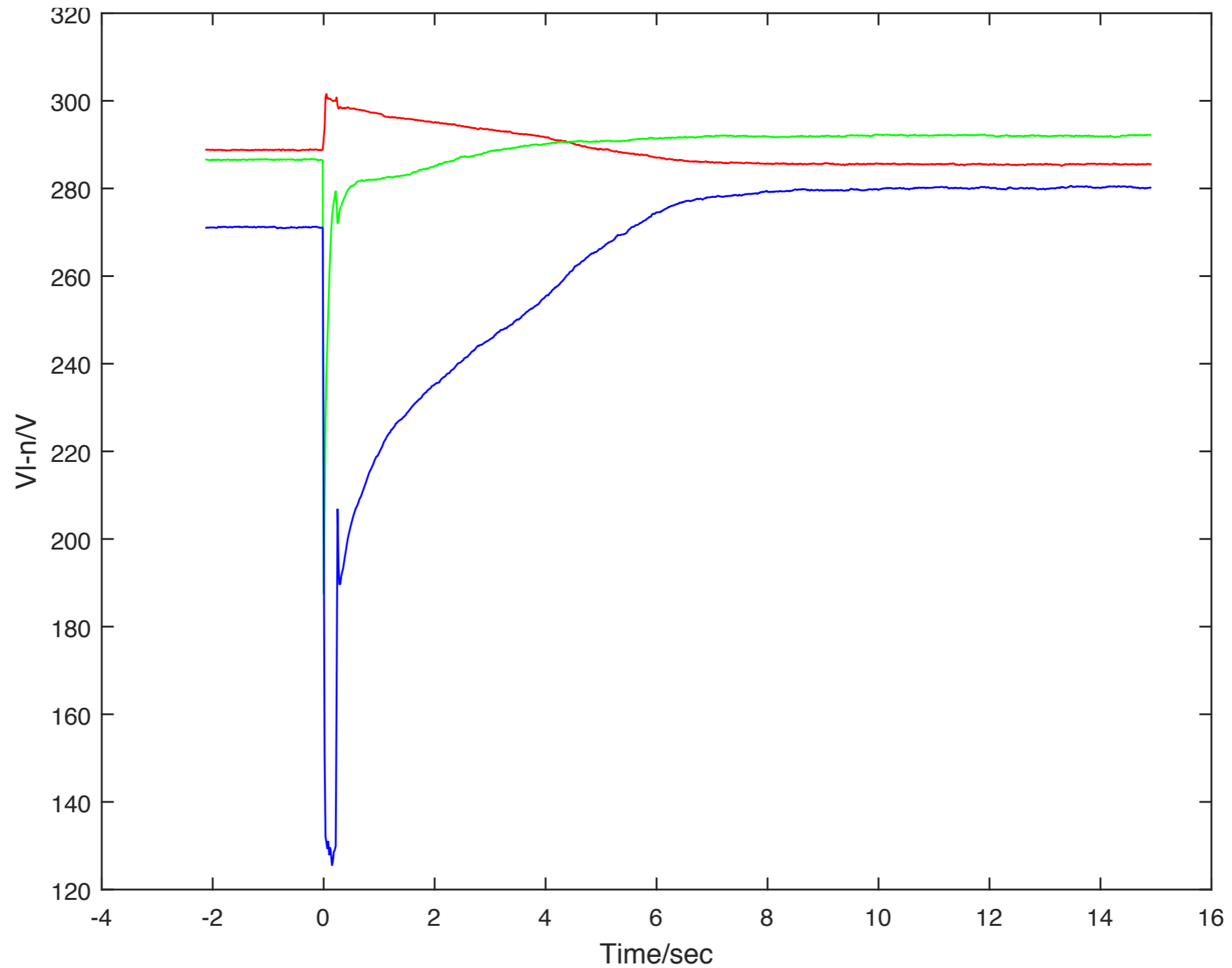
Motor stalls and does not restart

Immediate **negative** peak of torque transient approaches **eight times** rated torque

Current drawn by stalled motor is **five times** normal load current



# FIDVR is not only a positive sequence issue





# Motor behavior is sensitive to

Supply system impedance

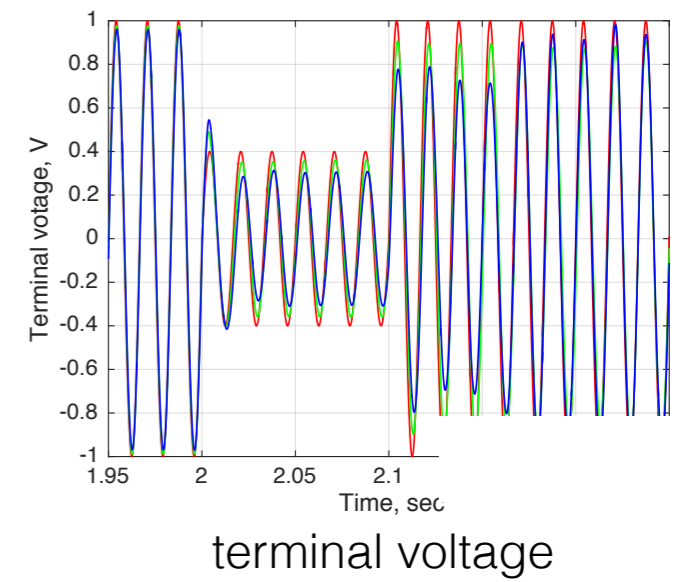
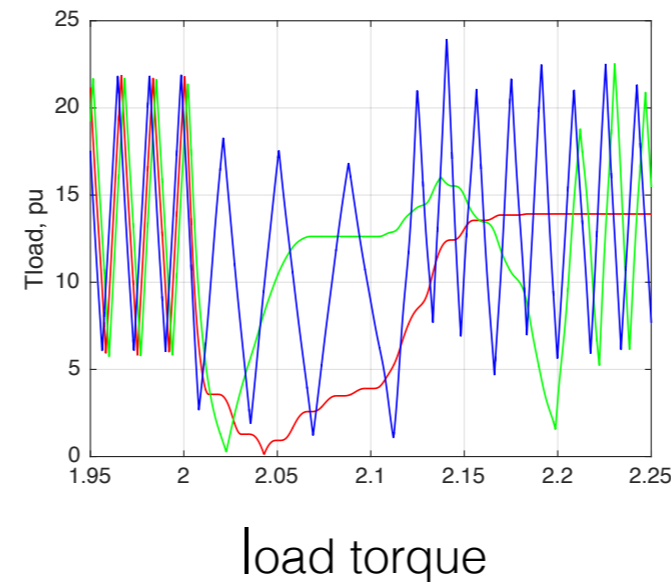
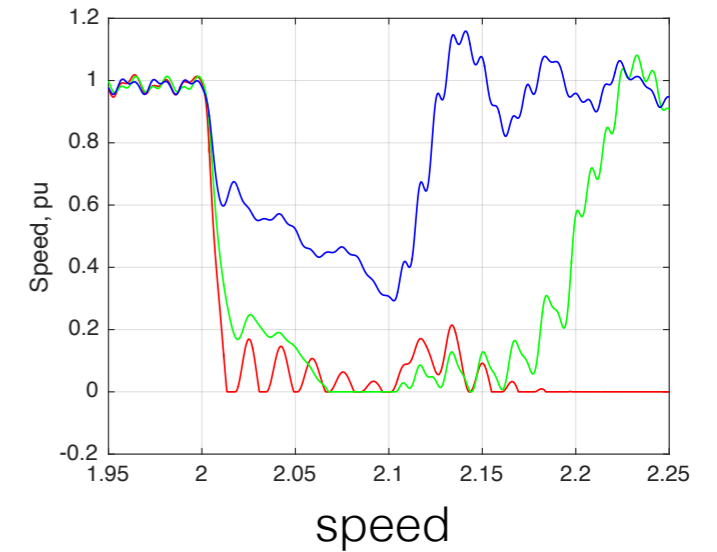
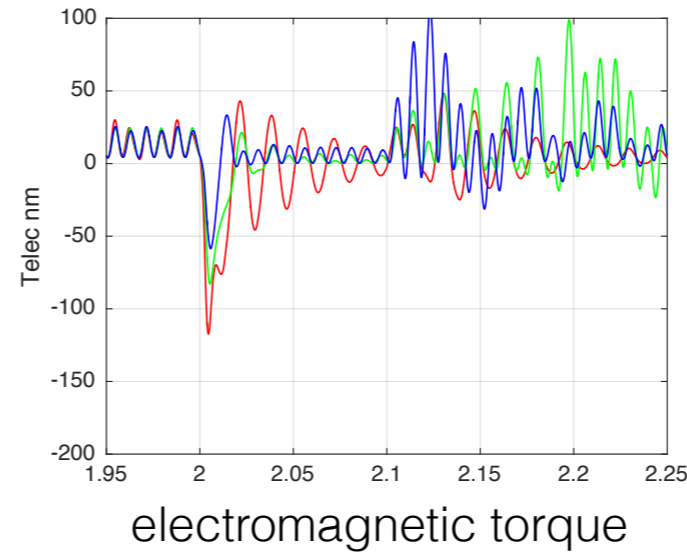
Driven load type and characteristics (torque/speed/angle)

Electrical phase at moment when voltage dip is initiated

Rate of change of voltage in initiation of voltage dip

Presence of other motors and load on feeders

etc.



What **generators and large rotating equipment** will do depends on things that we can model with phasor calculation and positive sequence networks

What **small motors and electronic equipment** will do depends on things that happen much faster than can be seen by models based on phasor calculation

We cannot see what we want with  $R + jX$

We could, *perhaps*, see a lot if we could use  $R + Ldi/dt$

Even after living through 25 iterations of Moore's law, the computers that I can use are not fast enough or big enough to handle grid-size systems at the  $di/dt$  level

When they do become available, the assembly of the required data will be a task of the same scale as we have today

We have to proceed

based on the physical understanding that we have, combined with carefully assembled empirical information

there are practical steps that we should take

End

# Smart Inverters and FIDVR Events

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# Presentation Overview

- **Inverter capabilities**
  - Old Inverters
  - Smart Inverters
- **Smart inverter functions defined today**
- **Defining the needed FIDVR response**
  - Normal operation (steady state) versus FIDVR (transient)
- **Conclusions**

# The Old Days (2000 - 2003)

- **Grid tied PV systems were rare**
- **General philosophy was:**
  - Produce unity power factor
  - Get out of the way quickly if anything bad happened
  - Tight trip limits
  - No requirements for ride through
- **Relevant Standards**
  - UL 1741, IEEE 1547, 1547.1

# Today (2014 - 2016)

- **CA rule 21 approves smart inverter functionality. Phase 1 autonomous behaviors (Dec 2015)**
  - Voltage and frequency ride through
  - Real and reactive power control
  - Return to service behaviors / ramp rate control
- **Hawaiian Electric Inc. implements mandatory ride through requirements (Jan 2015)**
- **CA rule 21 Phase 2 in development.**
  - IEC 61850 data model, IEEE 2030.5 / SEP 2.0 Protocol
  - Updates to interconnection handbooks under development
- **Relevant Standards**
  - UL 1741, UL 1741 Supplement A, IEEE 1547, 1547.a, 1547.1
  - IEC 61850, IEEE 2030.5
  - UL 1998 (firmware certification)



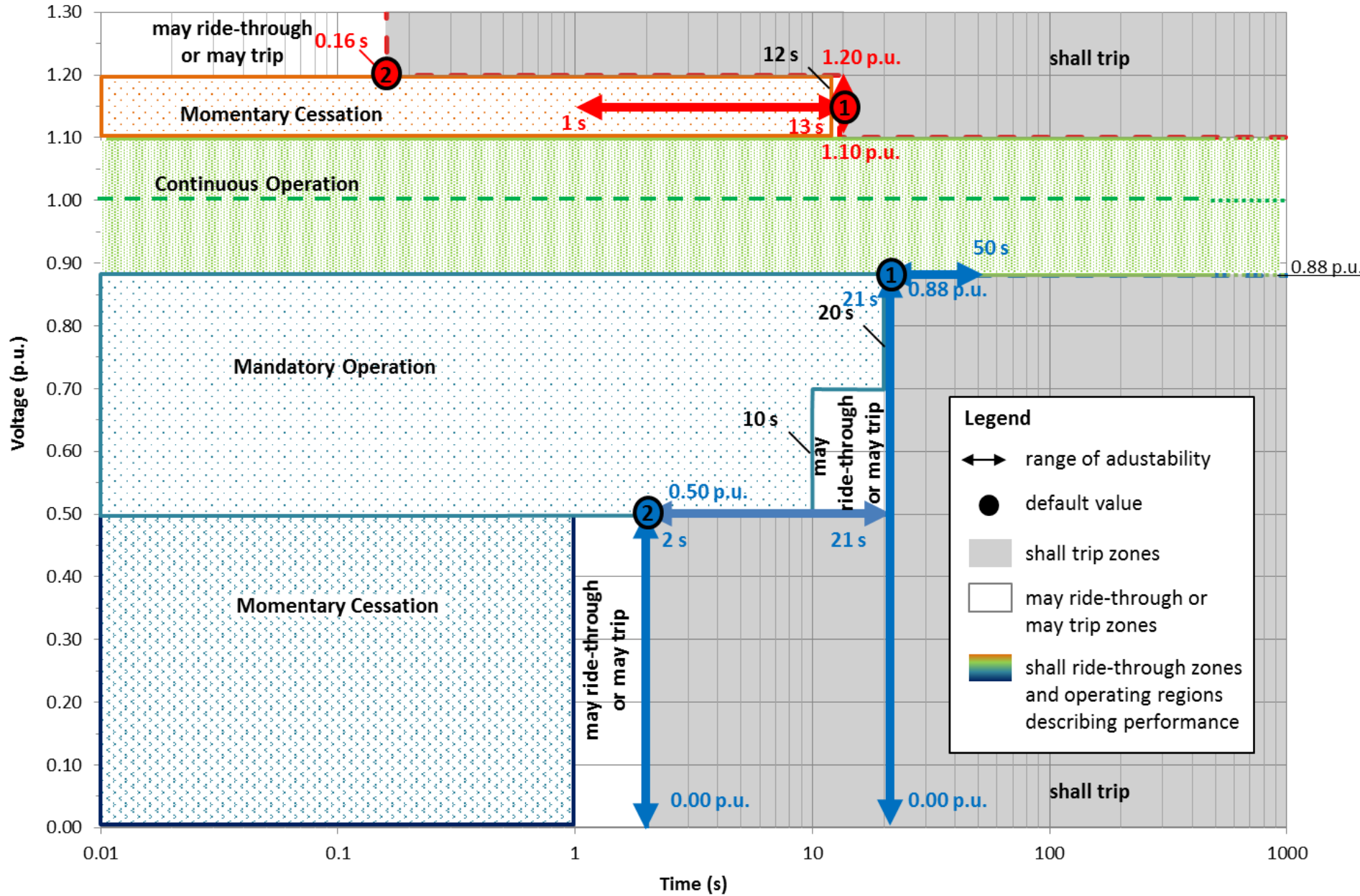
# New Regulatory Concepts (in the US)

- **Voltage and frequency ride through**
  - Must not trip requirements during abnormal excursions
- **Real and reactive power control**
  - Provides frequency stability and voltage regulation
- **Operating regions with differing behaviors**
  - Multiple areas are bounded by pair points of Voltage/time or frequency/time
- **Cease to energize (momentary cessation)**
  - A mode where the DER must cease to energize the area EPS but must not trip.
- **Return to service**
  - The criteria and behaviors required as the DER re-energizes the area EPS following an excursion

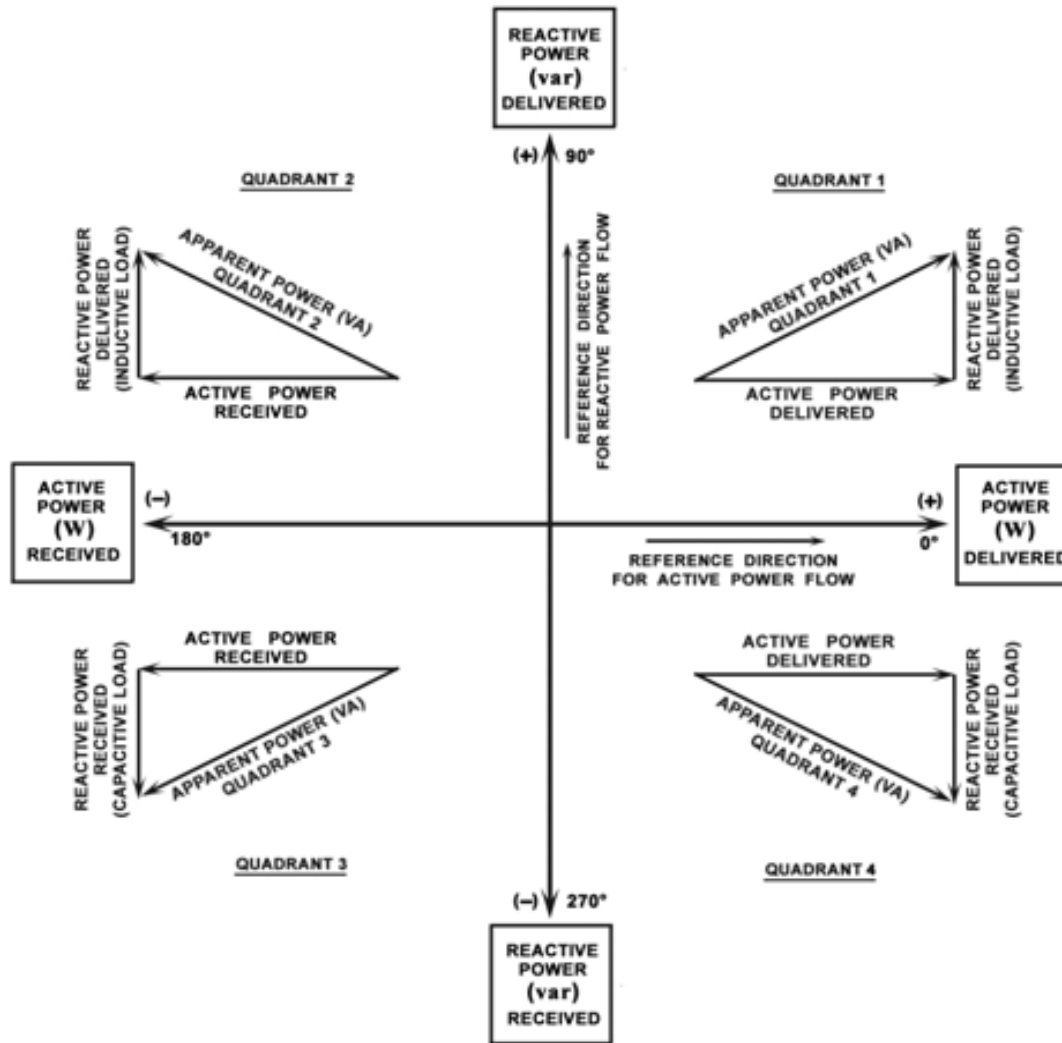
# UL 1741 Supplement A Functions

- **Voltage and frequency ride through**
  - **Reactive power control (voltage regulation)**
    - Fixed Power Factor
    - Volt/VAr (voltage droop)
    - Commanded VAr
  - **Active power control**
    - Ramp rate control
    - Volt/Watt
    - Frequency/Watt (frequency droop)
    - Commanded maximum power
- ➔ **FIDVR response is NOT currently addressed**

# Category III Voltage Ride Through (based on CA Rule 21 and Hawaii)



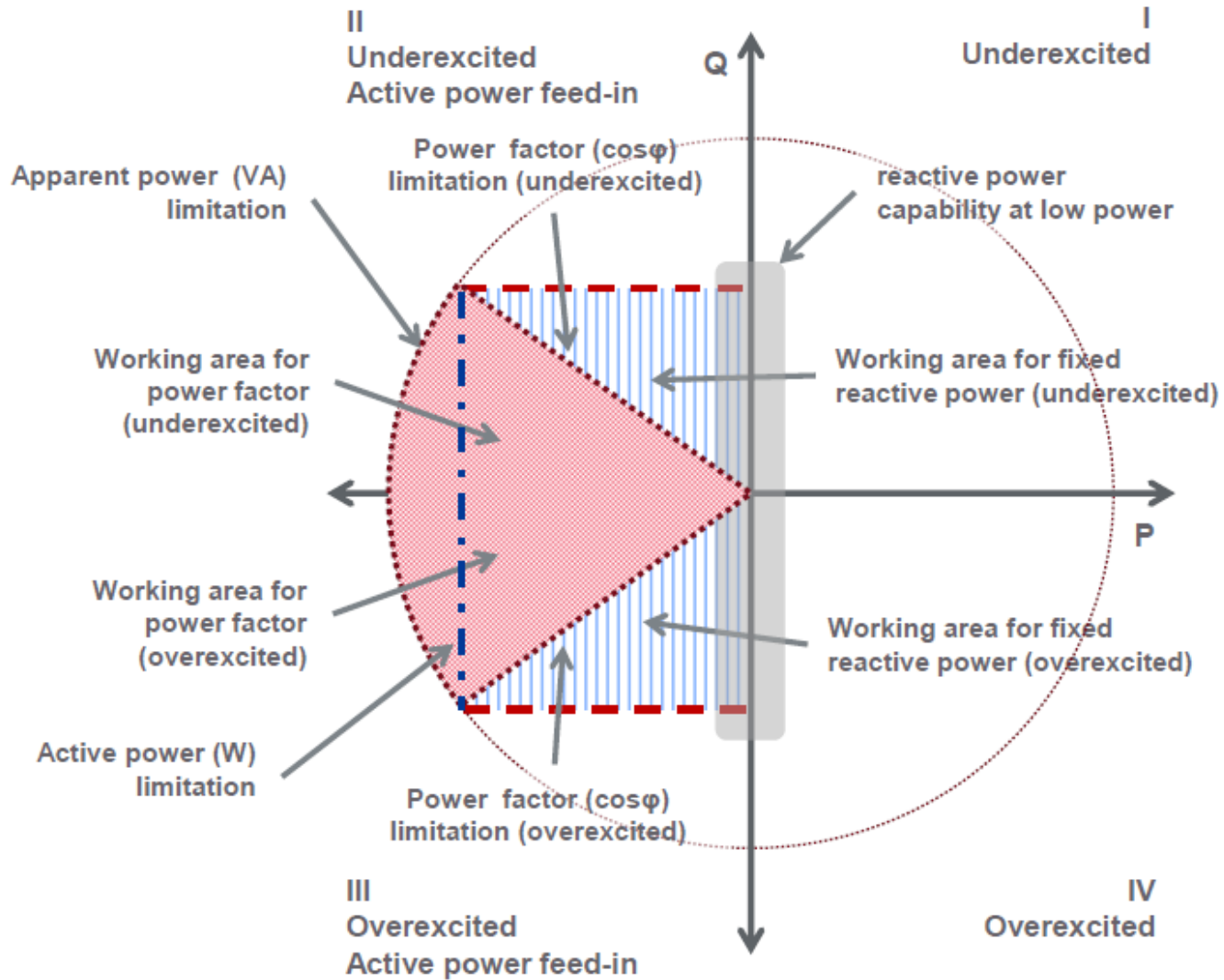
# The Four Quadrants (IEEE sign convention)



**Figure 1 - Four-quadrant power flow directions**  
 (© 1983 IEEE. Reprinted, with permission from the IEEE and R.H. Stevens [B19])

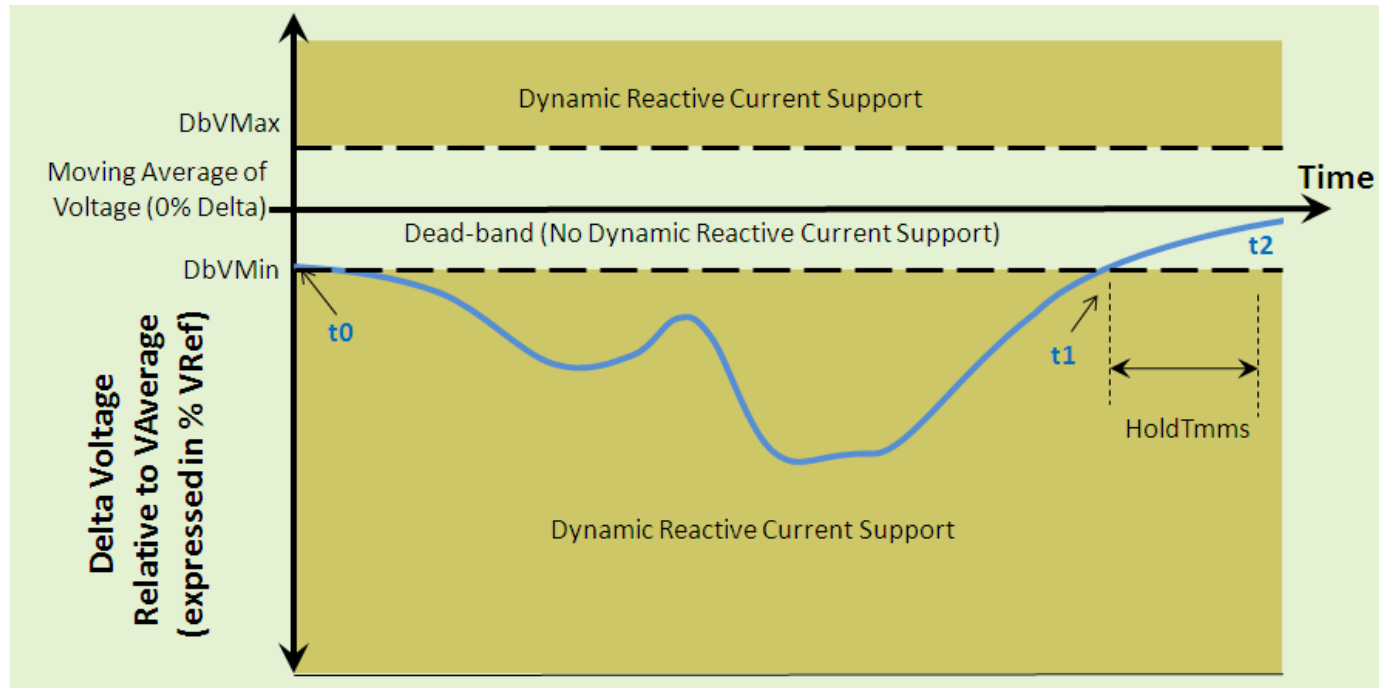
(redrawn by McEachern for clarity, 2012)

# PV Inverter Operating Areas



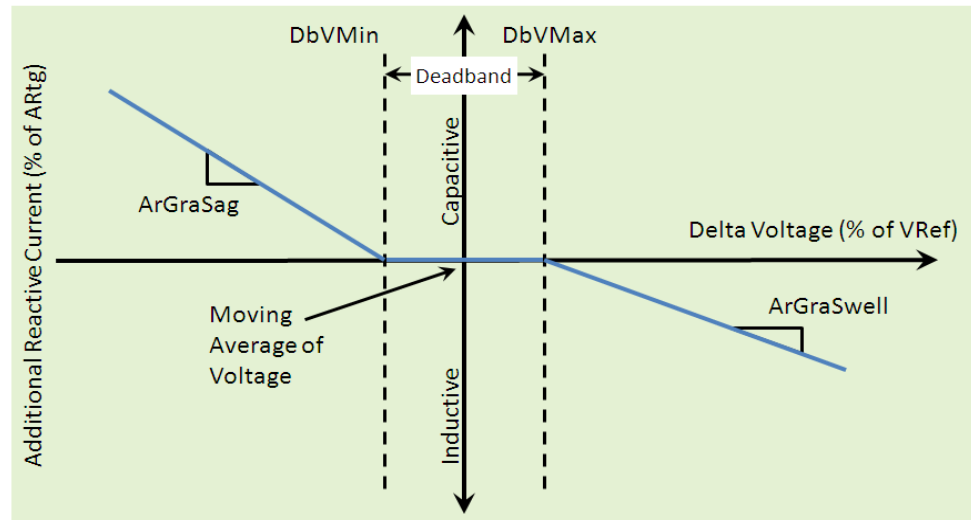
# Terminology of FIDVR Response

- “Event based dynamic reactive current support” (EPRI)
  - Provide capacitive reactive current in response to low voltage
  - Similar to EPRI VV12 but transient in nature
  - Reduce active power to supply reactive power (VAR Priority)



Courtesy of EPRI, *Common functions of smart inverters*, Version 3, Feb, 2014, Brain Seal

# Dynamic Reactive Current Support (EPRI)



- **Dead band default values and ROA's**
  - Default – ANSI Range B (88% to 110% PU) ?
  - ROA's – TBD
- **Gradient default values are TBD**
- **Time domain values are TBD**
- **Detailed modeling needed to establish baselines**

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# Dynamic Reactive Current Support Variables

Name	Description
Enable/Disable Dynamic Reactive Current Support Function	This is a Boolean that makes the dynamic reactive current support function active or inactive.
DbVMin	This is a voltage deviation relative to $V_{average}$ , expressed in terms of % of $V_{ref}$ (for example $-10\%V_{ref}$ ). For negative voltage deviations (voltage below the moving average) that are smaller in amplitude than this amount, no additional dynamic reactive current is produced.
DbVMax	This is a voltage deviation relative to $V_{average}$ , expressed in terms of % of $V_{ref}$ (for example $+10\%V_{ref}$ ). For positive voltage deviations (voltage above the moving average) that are smaller in amplitude than this amount, no additional dynamic reactive current is produced. Together, $DbV_{min}$ and $DbV_{max}$ allow for the creation of a dead-band, inside of which the system does not generate additional reactive current support.
ArGraSag	This is a gradient, expressed in unit-less terms of %/%, to establish the ratio by which Capacitive % VAR production is increased as %Delta-Voltage decreases below $DbV_{min}$ . Note that the % Delta-Voltage may be calculated relative to Moving Average of Voltage + $DbV_{min}$ (as shown in Figure 16-1) or relative to Moving Average of Voltage (as shown in Figure 16-4), according to the ArGraMod setting.
ArGraSwell	This is a gradient, expressed in unit-less terms of %/%, to establish the ratio by which Inductive % Var production is increased as %Delta-Voltage increases above $DbV_{max}$ . Note that the % Delta-Voltage may be calculated relative to Moving Average of Voltage + $DbV_{max}$ (as shown in Figure 16-1) or relative to Moving Average of Voltage (as shown in Figure 16-4), according to the ArGraMod setting.
FilterTms	This is the time, expressed in seconds, over which the moving linear average of voltage is calculated to determine the Delta-Voltage.

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# Optional Variables of DRCS

Additional Settings (Optional)	
<b>ArGraMod</b>	This is a select setting that identifies whether the dynamic reactive current support acts as shown in Figure 16-1 or Figure 16-4. (0 = Undefined, 1 = Basic Behavior (Figure 16-1), 2 = Alternative Behavior (Figure 16-4)).
<b>BlkZnV</b>	This setting is a voltage limit, expressed in terms of % of Vref, used to define a lower voltage boundary, below which dynamic reactive current support is not active.
<b>HysBlkZnV</b>	This setting defines a hysteresis added to BlkZnV in order to create a hysteresis range, as shown in Figure 16-5, and is expressed in terms of % of VRef.
<b>BlkZnTmms</b>	This setting defines a time (in milliseconds), before which reactive current support remains active regardless of how deep the voltage sag. As shown in Figure 16-5.
<b>Enable/Disable Event-Based Behavior</b>	This is a Boolean that selects whether or not the event-based behavior is enabled.
<b>Dynamic Reactive Current Mode</b>	This is a Boolean that selects whether or not Watts should be curtailed in order to produce the reactive current required by this function.
<b>HoldTmms</b>	This setting defines a time (in milliseconds) that the delta-voltage must return into or across the dead-band (defined by DbVMin and DbVMax) before the dynamic reactive current support ends, frozen parameters are unfrozen, and a new event can begin.

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# Priority of Smart Inverter Functions

- Multiple functions can be running simultaneously
- Can lead to conflicting requirements
  - Example: active power needed during under frequency versus reactive power needed for voltage regulation / FIDVR
- **What is priority of functions during FIDVR event ?**
  - 1) Frequency support of bulk system
    - May cause limitations of reactive power capabilities (W priority)
  - **2) FIDVR response ? (New concept needs discussion)**
  - 3) Steady state voltage regulation (FPF, V/VAr)
  - 4) Commanded active / reactive power
  - 5) Scheduled responses

# Conclusions

- **Smart Inverters can provide dynamic reactive power in response to FIDVR events**
  - Capability exists today but functional requirements are TBD
- **Regulatory standards are under development now and FIDVR response is “on the agenda”**
  - IEEE 1547 (2016), IEEE 1547.1 (2016/170)
  - UL 1741 Supplement A (2015), Full revision (2016)
- **Definition of the desired functionality is needed in order to implement and certify**
  - Inverters are very flexible and behaviors can be complex
  - Inverter models are very complex but will be critical in determining best guesses for initial functionality
- **Remote upgradability of inverters will likely be needed as PV proliferates and understanding evolves**

**Thank you for your attention!**

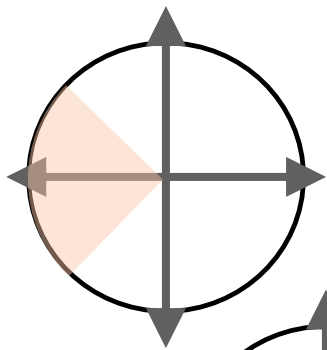


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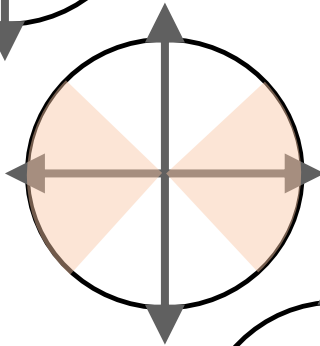
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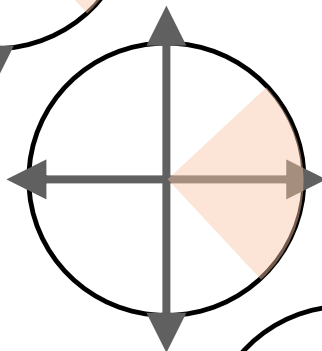
# “Smart System” Operating Areas



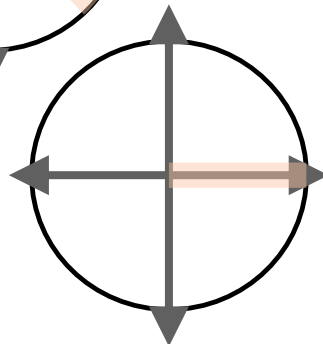
Smart PV Inverter



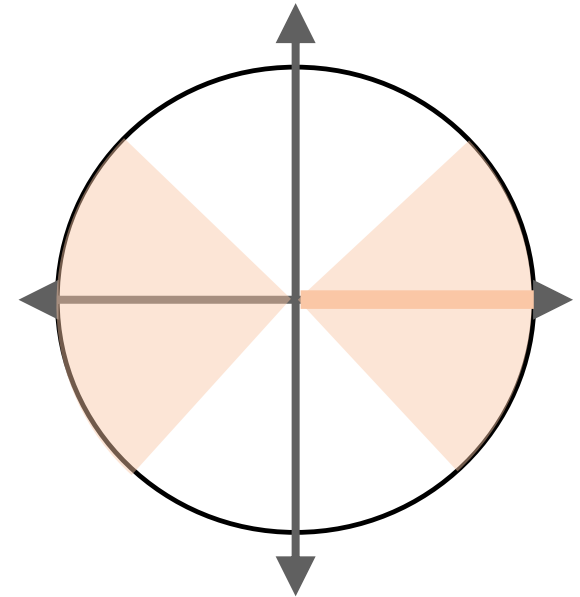
Smart Energy Storage



Smart EV Charger



Smart Loads



Smart System  
(composite)

# Plug-in Electric Vehicle Charging Characteristics

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September 30, 2015

Washington, D.C.



# Outline

- Electric Vehicle Supply Equipment
- Charging System Topologies
- Charging Characteristics
- Vehicle Voltage Response

# Some Electric Vehicle Supply Equipment Samples



Level 1 AC - Cord Set  
120V charging



DC Fast

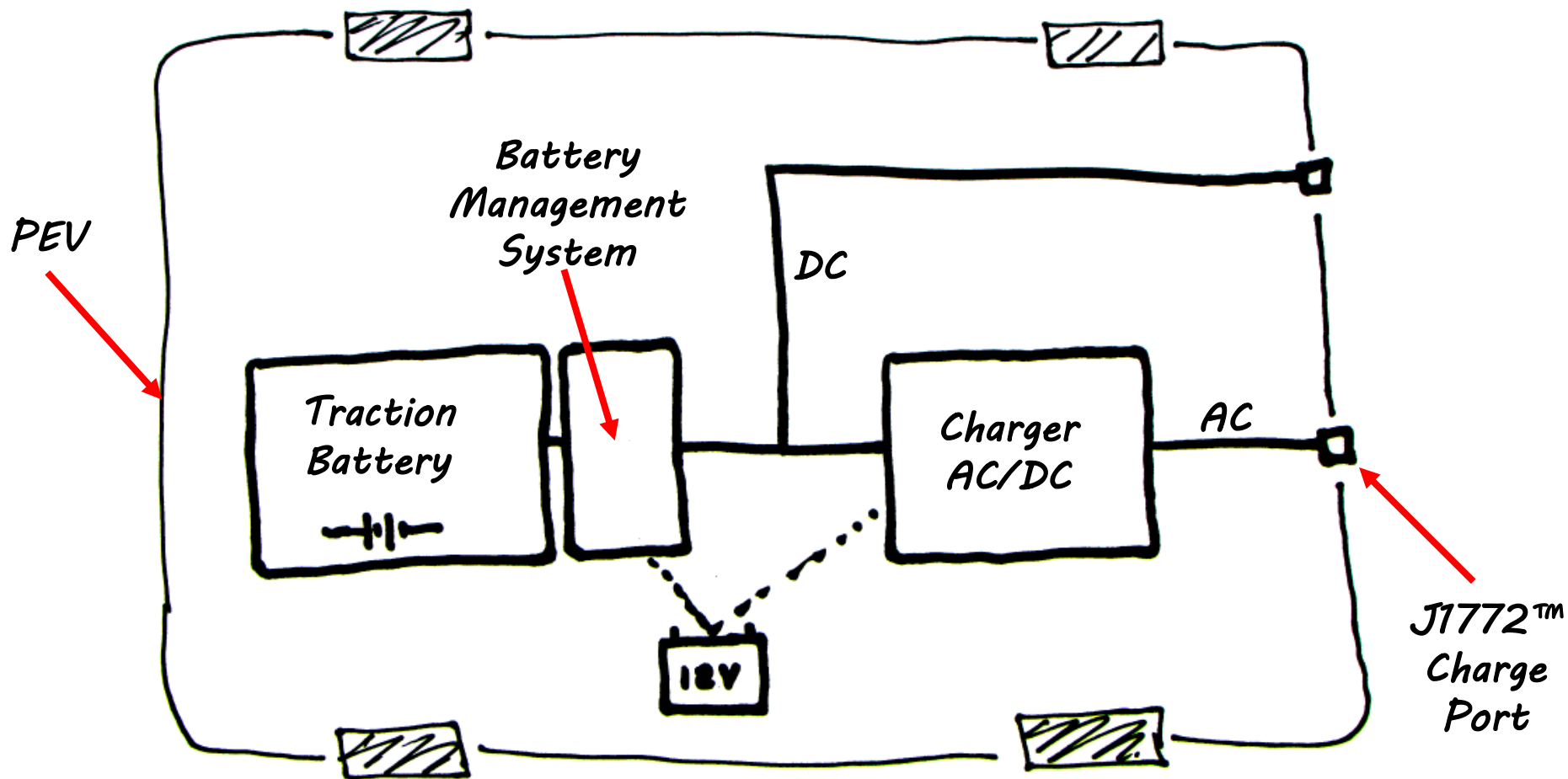


Level 2 AC  
208/240V charging

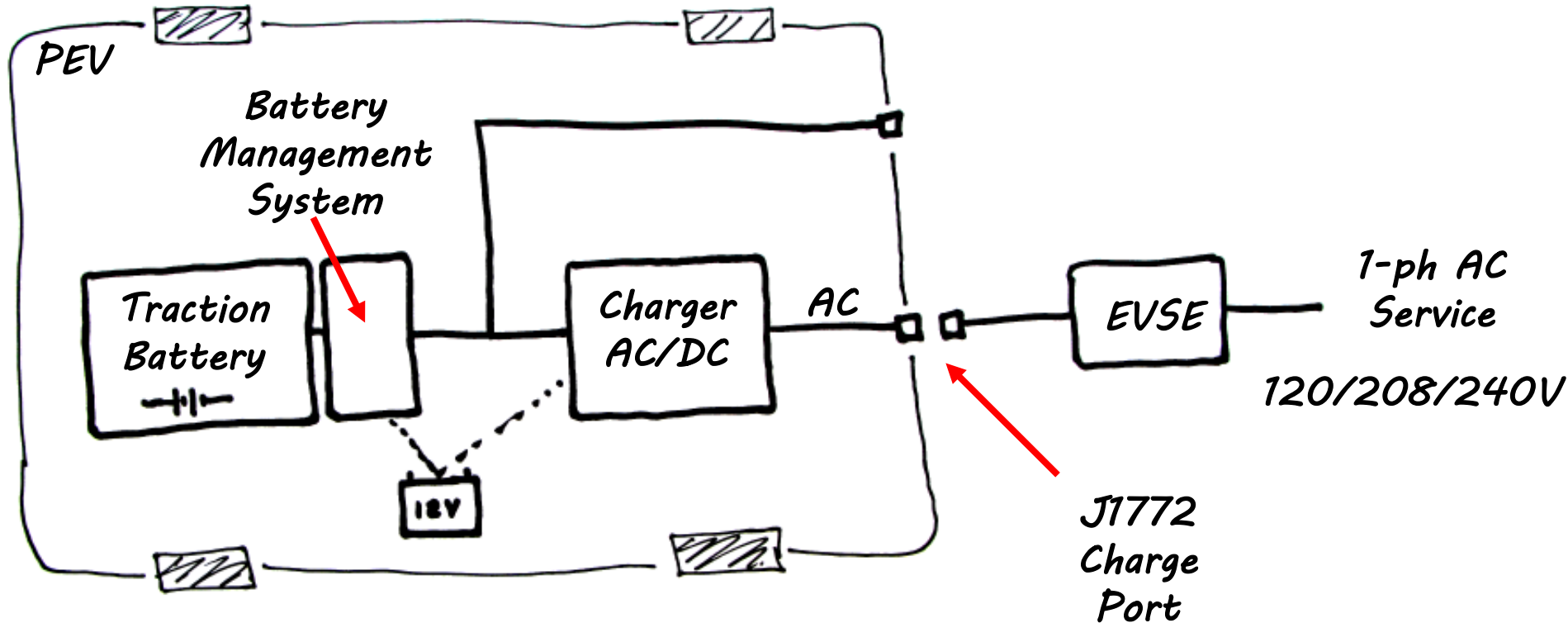
208/480V 3phase input



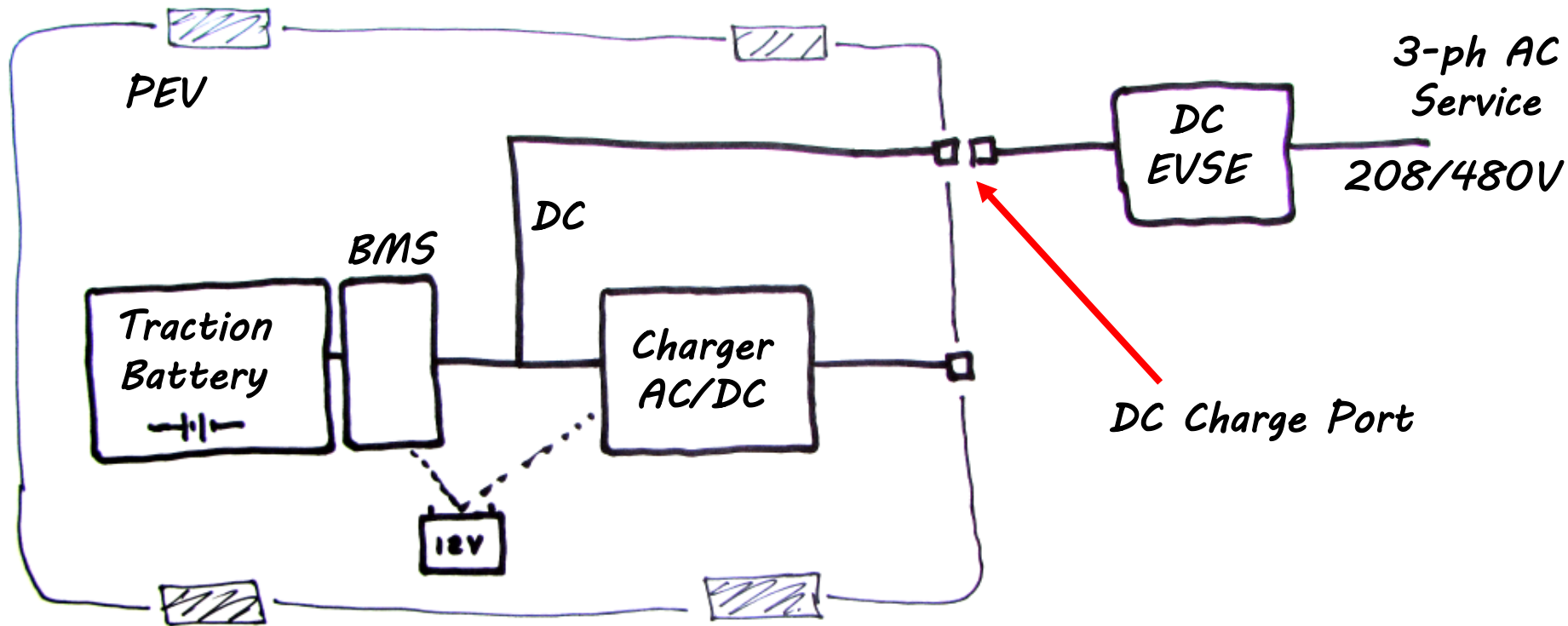
# Plug-in Vehicle On-board System Topology



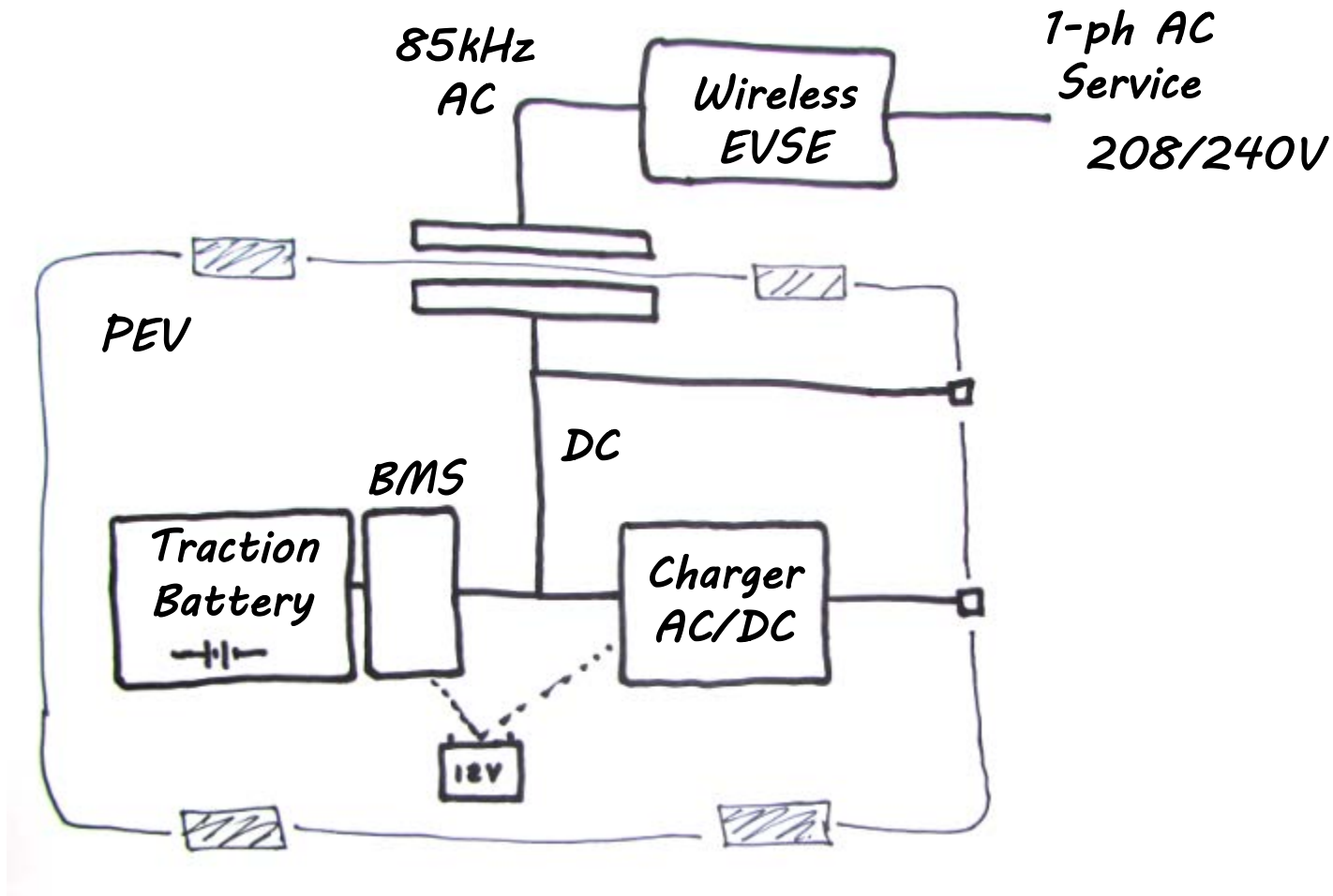
# Topology and Nomenclature – AC Charging



# DC Charging

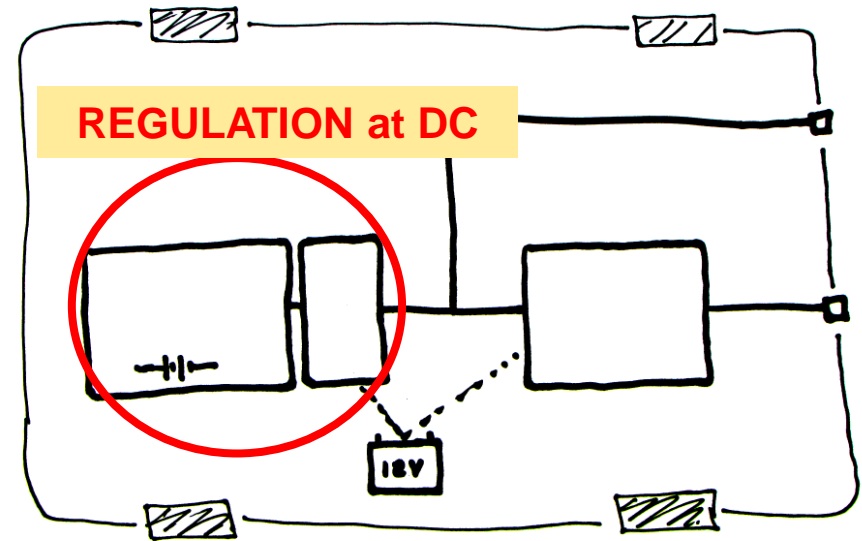


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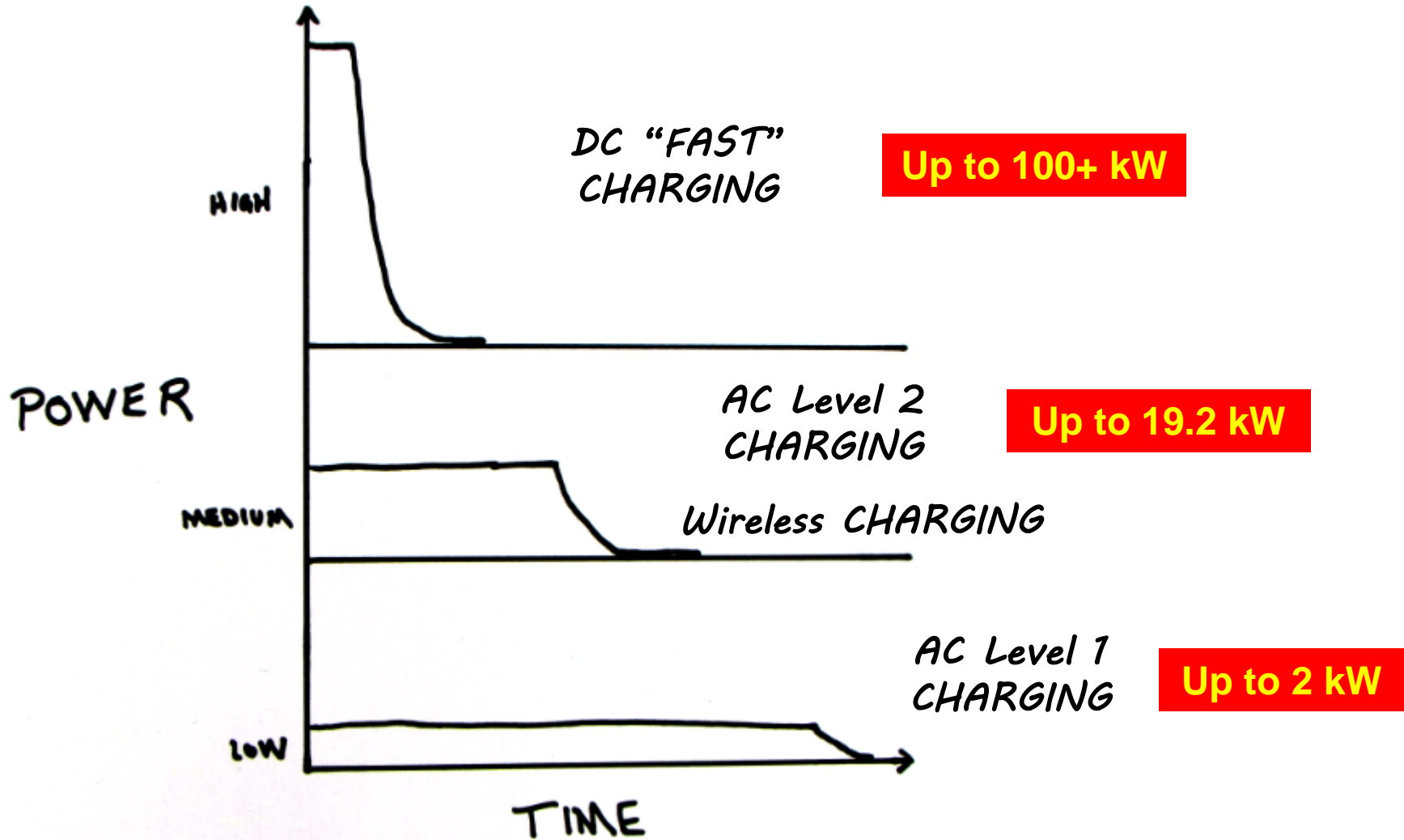


# No Matter the Charging Technology...

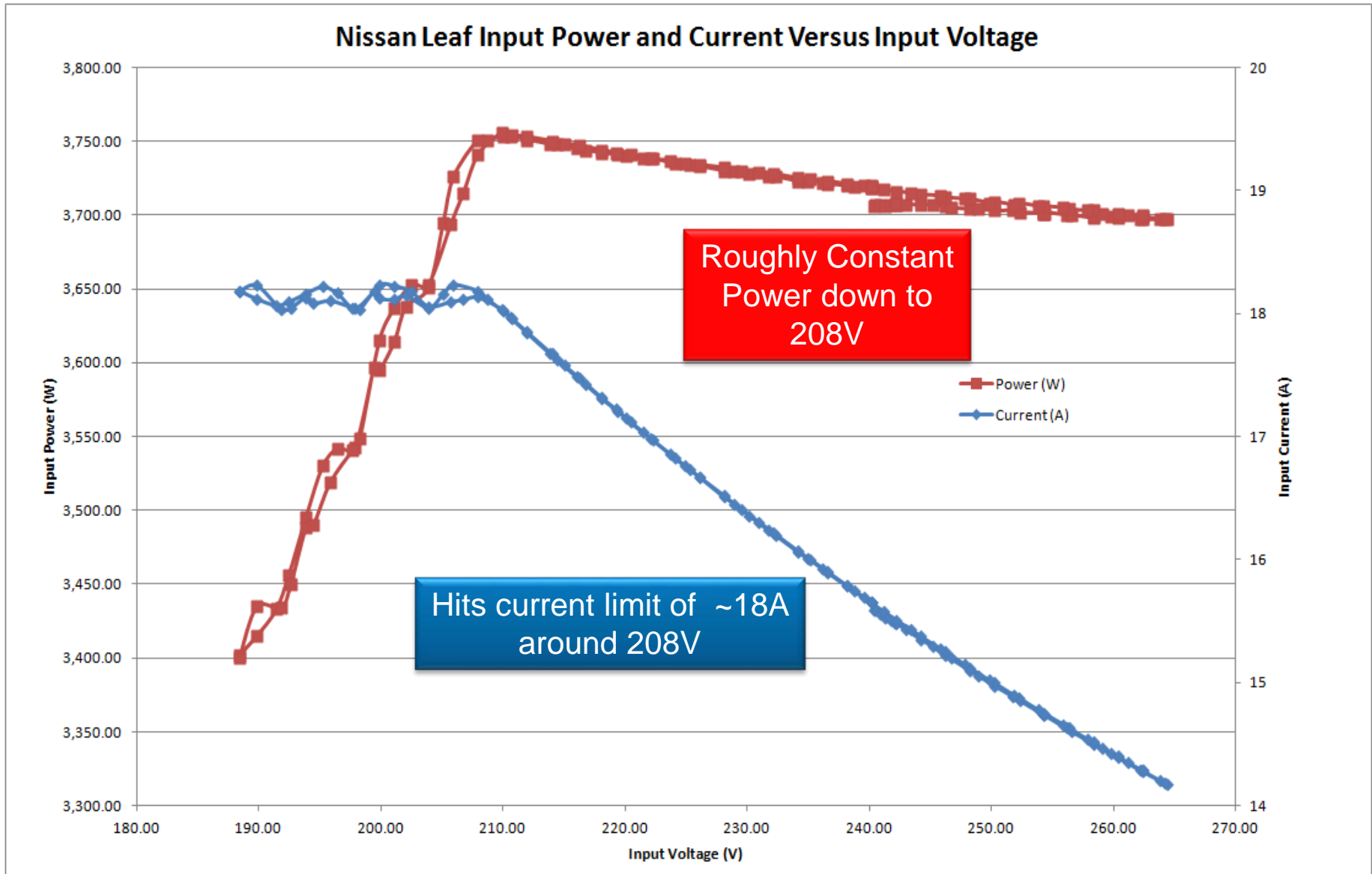
- Regulation is at the battery (DC load side)
  - V and I controlled by Battery Management System
  - From AC input, generally looks like a constant power load with a current limit
- Standards, wire sizing, etc..
  - Based on input current
- Response to off-normal conditions mix of:
  - OEM designed charge management
  - Third party charge station design (AC, DC Wireless)



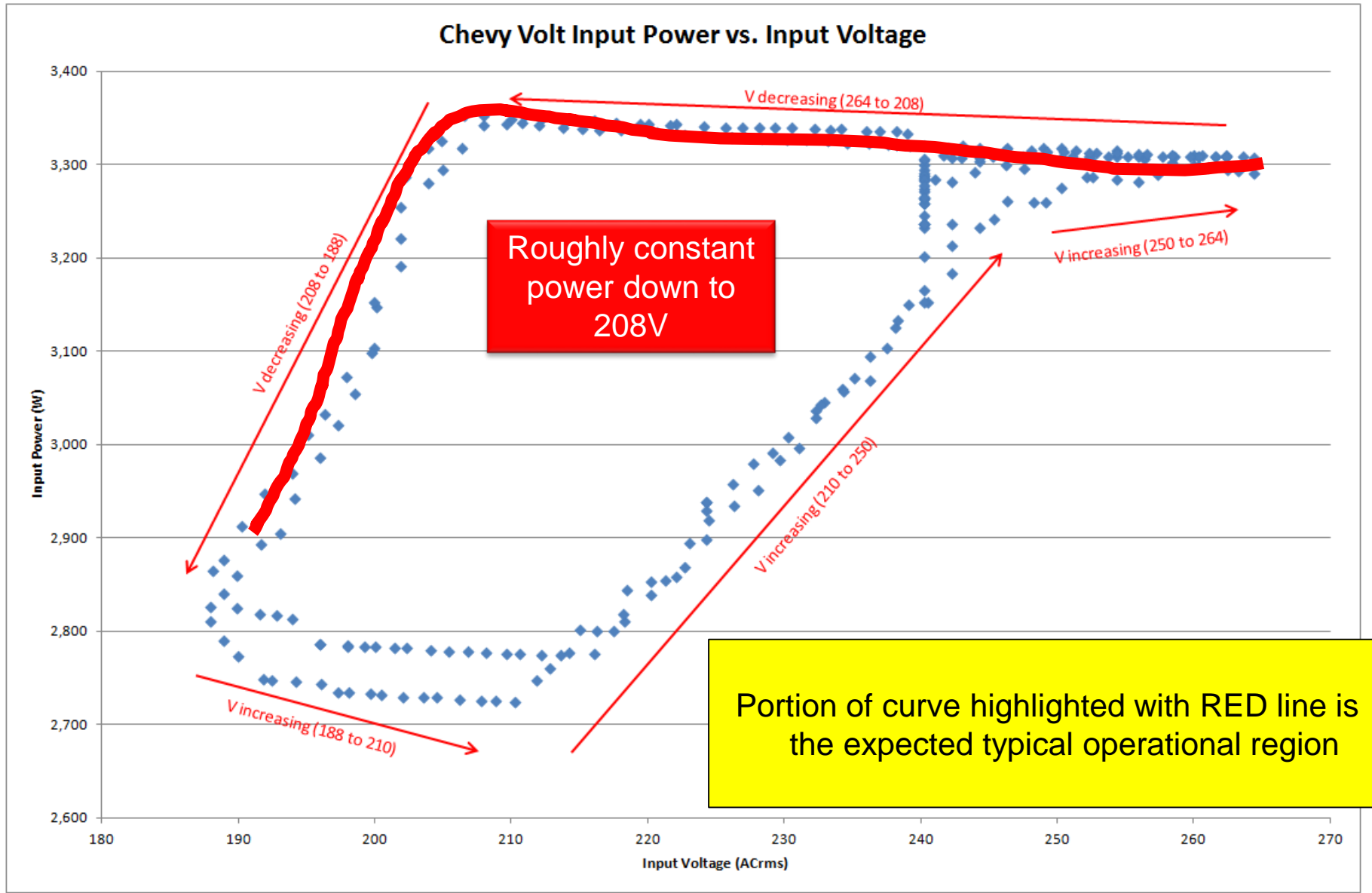
# Power versus Time



# EPRI 2011 Nissan Leaf Data



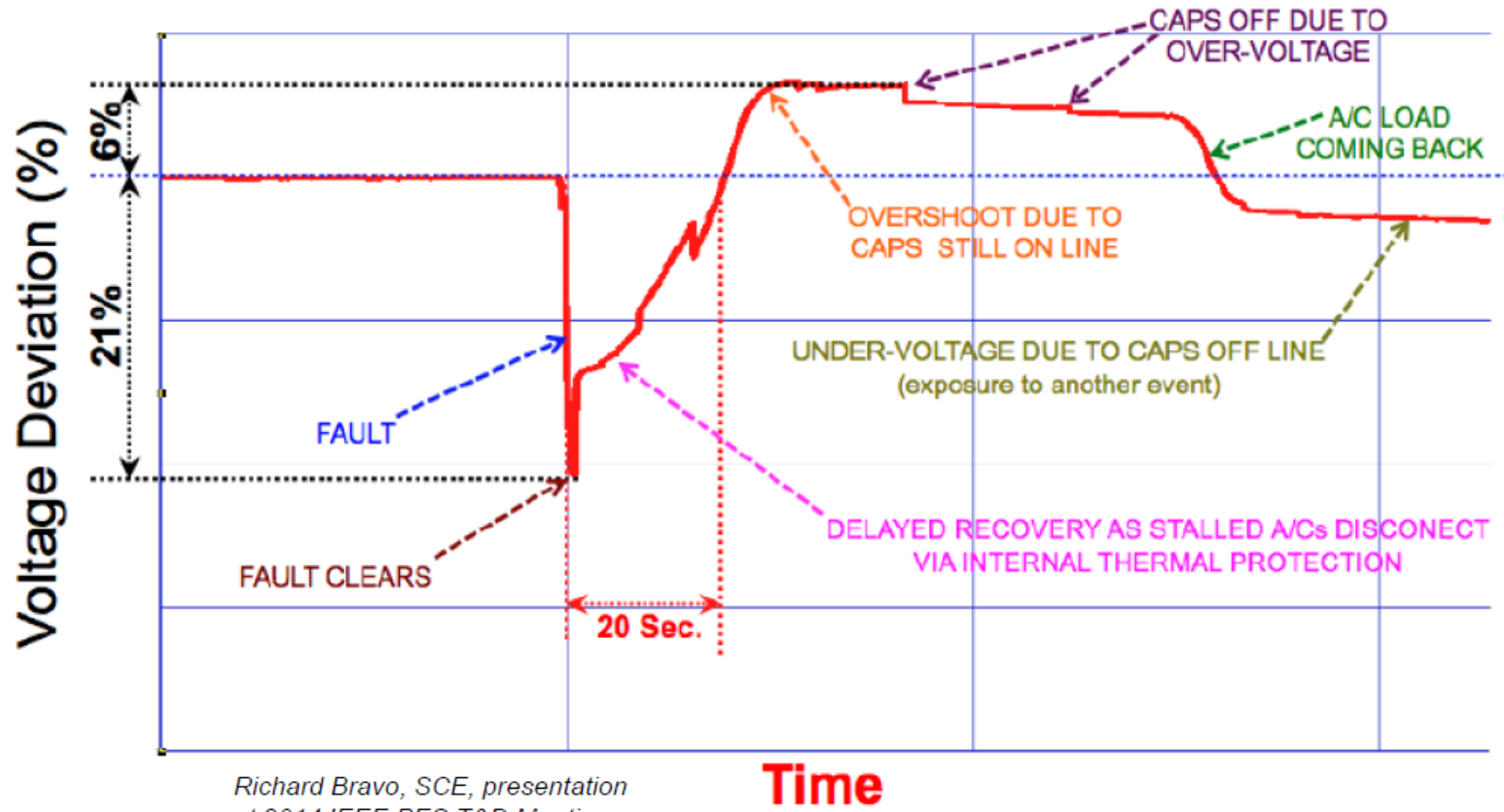
# EPRI 2011 Chevy Volt





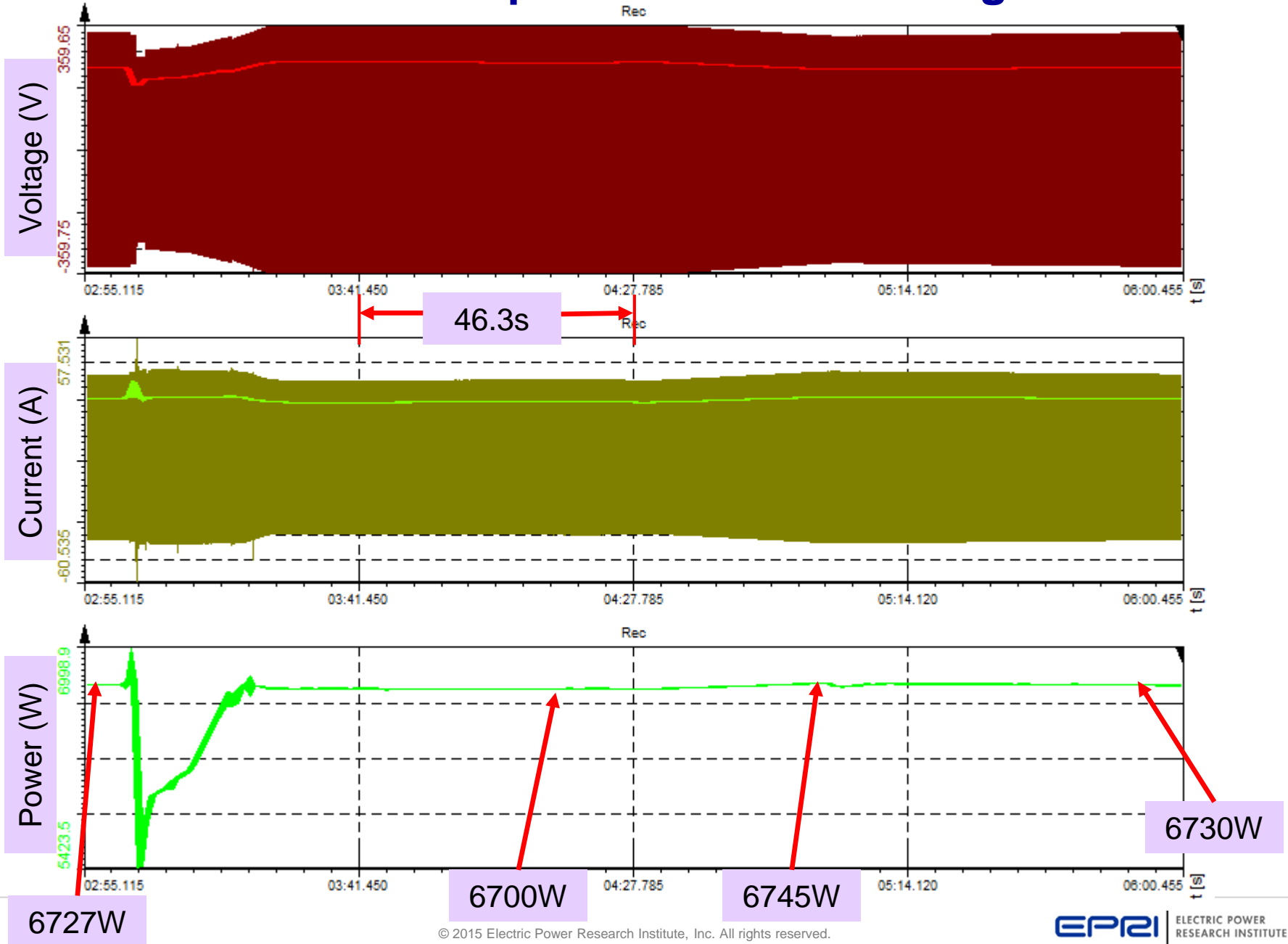
# This Sample Waveform was Used

## What Happens During a FIDVR Event?



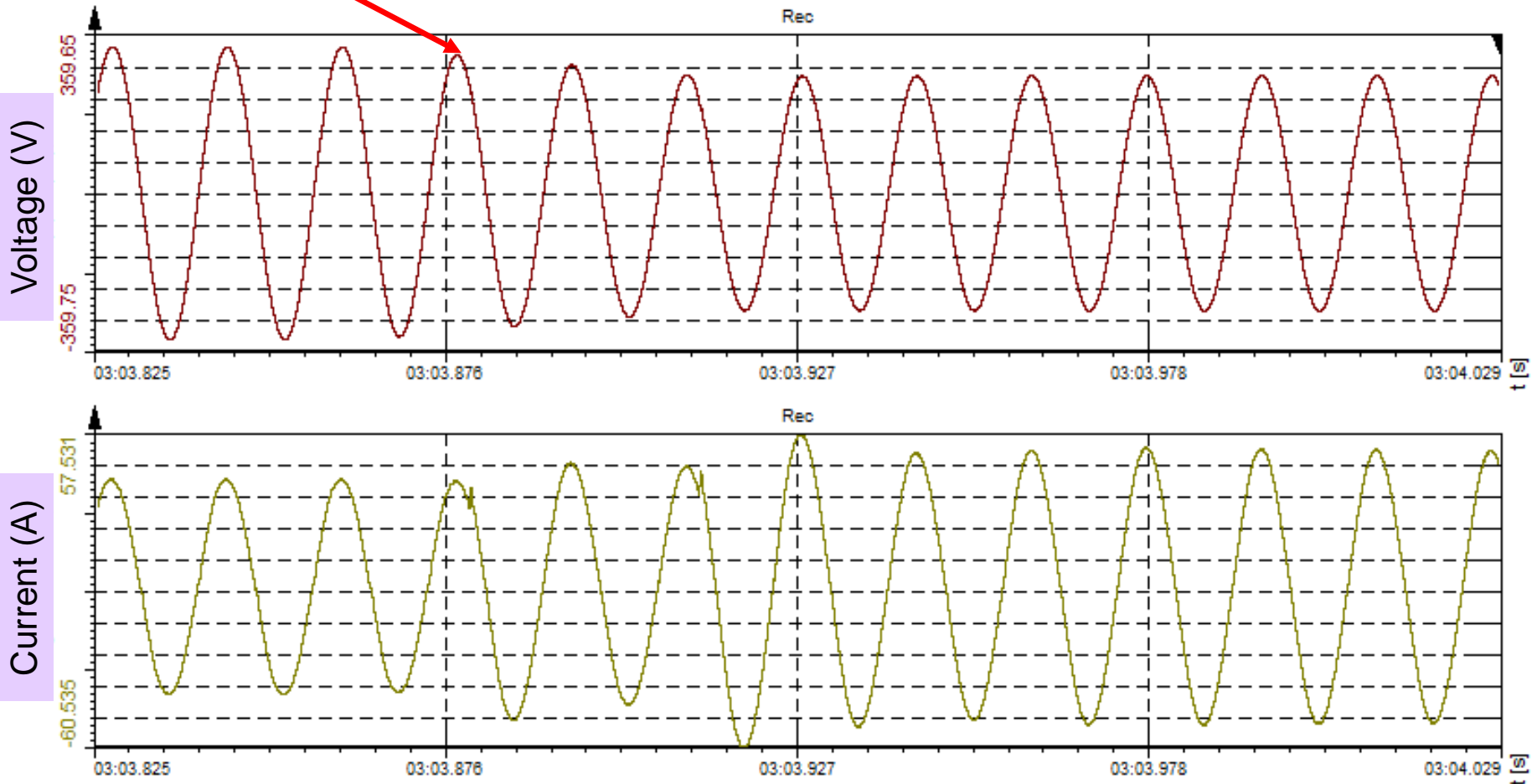
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# 2013 Nissan Leaf – Response to FIDVR Voltage Profile



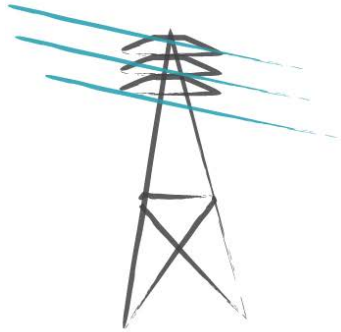
# 2013 Nissan Leaf – Response to FIDVR Voltage Profile - 2

Voltage Reduction





# Together...Shaping the Future of Electricity



# WECC

## Load Model Improvements – a Case Study

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Chief Senior Engineer

# Data Management

- Complexity of load modeling
  - Each load has a different composition
  - Load magnitude and composition changes over a day, over a year, and over the years.
- Had to find ways to simplify data management processes
- Other entities will also need to find ways to simplify data management, may wish to consider some of WECC's methods

# Load model addition to a new base case

- Developed a process we use to build composite load models for a given base case.
- Don't need to worry about all the details for each case.

# CLZONE – “Climate Zone”

Developed by WECC LMTF to categorize similar load patterns and types

WECC has approximately 60 climate zones, formed from combinations of climate areas, feeder types, and industrial load types.



# CLZONE – Climate Areas



- NWC – Northwest coast
- NWV – Northwest valley
- NWI – Northwest inland
- RMN – Rocky mountain
- NCC – N. Calif. coast
- NCV – N. Calif. valley
- HID – High desert
- SCC – S. Calif. coast
- SCV – S. Calif. valley
- DSW – Desert southwest

# CLZONE – Climate Areas

## *WECC Climate Areas*

ID	Climate Zone	Representative City
NWC	Northwest Coast	Seattle, Vancouver BC
NWV	Northwest Valley	Portland OR
NWI	Northwest Inland	Boise, Tri-Cities, Spokane
RMN	Rocky Mountain North	Calgary, Montana, Wyoming
NCC	Northern California Coast	Bay Area
NCV	Northern California Valley	Sacramento
NCI	Northern California Inland	Fresno
SCC	Southern California Coast	LA, San Diego
SCV	Southern California Valley	LA, San Diego
SCI	Southern California Inland	LA, San Diego
DSW	Desert Southwest	Phoenix, Riverside, Las Vegas
HID	High Desert	Salt Lake City, Albuquerque, Denver, Reno

# CLZONE – Feeder Type

## *Feeder Type*

ID	Feeder Type	Residential	Commercial	Industrial	Agricultural
RES	Residential	80%	20%	0%	0%
COM	Commercial	20%	80%	0%	0%
MIX	Mixed	40%	40%	20%	0%
RAG	Rural Agricultural	40%	40%	10%	10%

LID code is <3-character climate zone>\_<3-character load class>  
Or <7-character industrial load ID>

LID is a field located in the load table.

For example:

Commercial load downtown Phoenix with high concentration of commercial loads would be identified as "DSW\_COM"

Rural agricultural load in Moses Lake, WA would be identified as "NWI\_RAG"

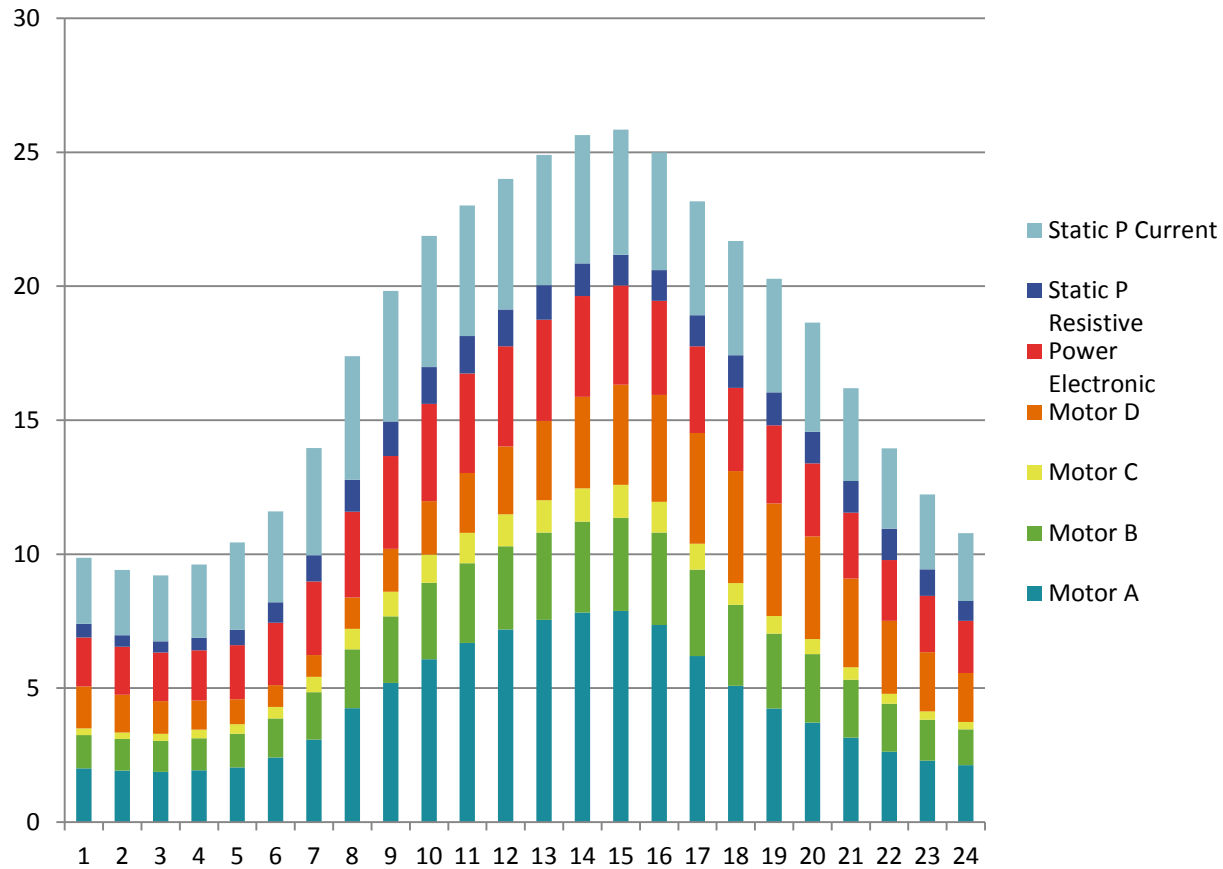
# CLZONE – Industrial Loads

## *Industrial Loads*

ID	Feeder Type
IND_PCH	Petro-Chemical Plant
IND_PML	Paper Mill
IND_ASM	Aluminum Smelter
IND_SML	Steel Mill
IND_SCD	Semiconductor Plant
IND_SRF	Server Farm
IND_OTH	Industrial – Other
PPA	Power Plant Auxiliary

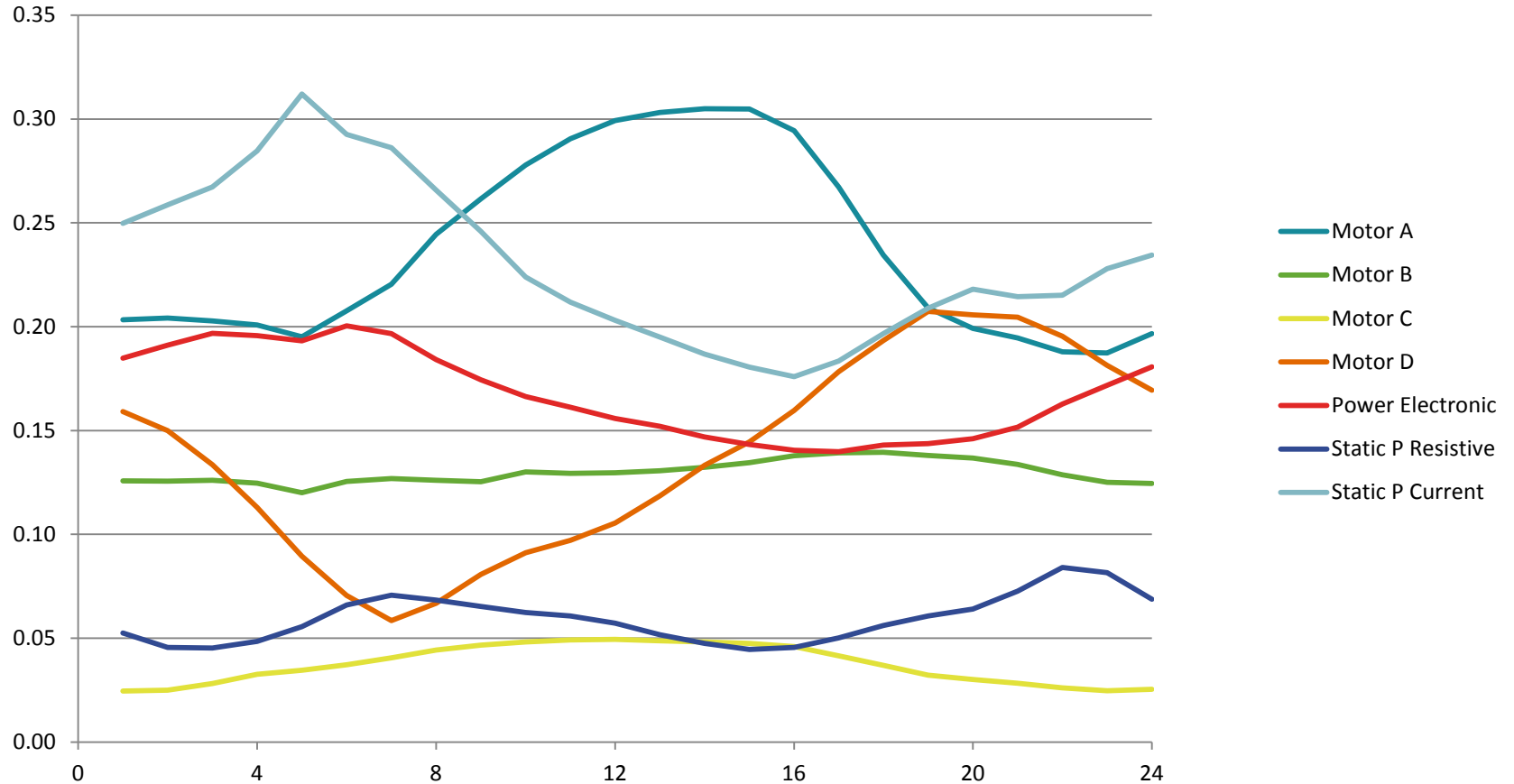
# Daily Load Shape Example

### Load Profile



# Daily Load Shape Example

## Load Model Fractions



42 Microinverters  
1 Envoy Ethernet  
Taylorsville, UT

59°F 

System Normal

### Full System

Energy

Status

Today

**10.5 kWh**

Peak Power: 7.33 kW at 10:15 AM

Latest Power: 1.70 kW at 2:30 PM

Past 7 Days

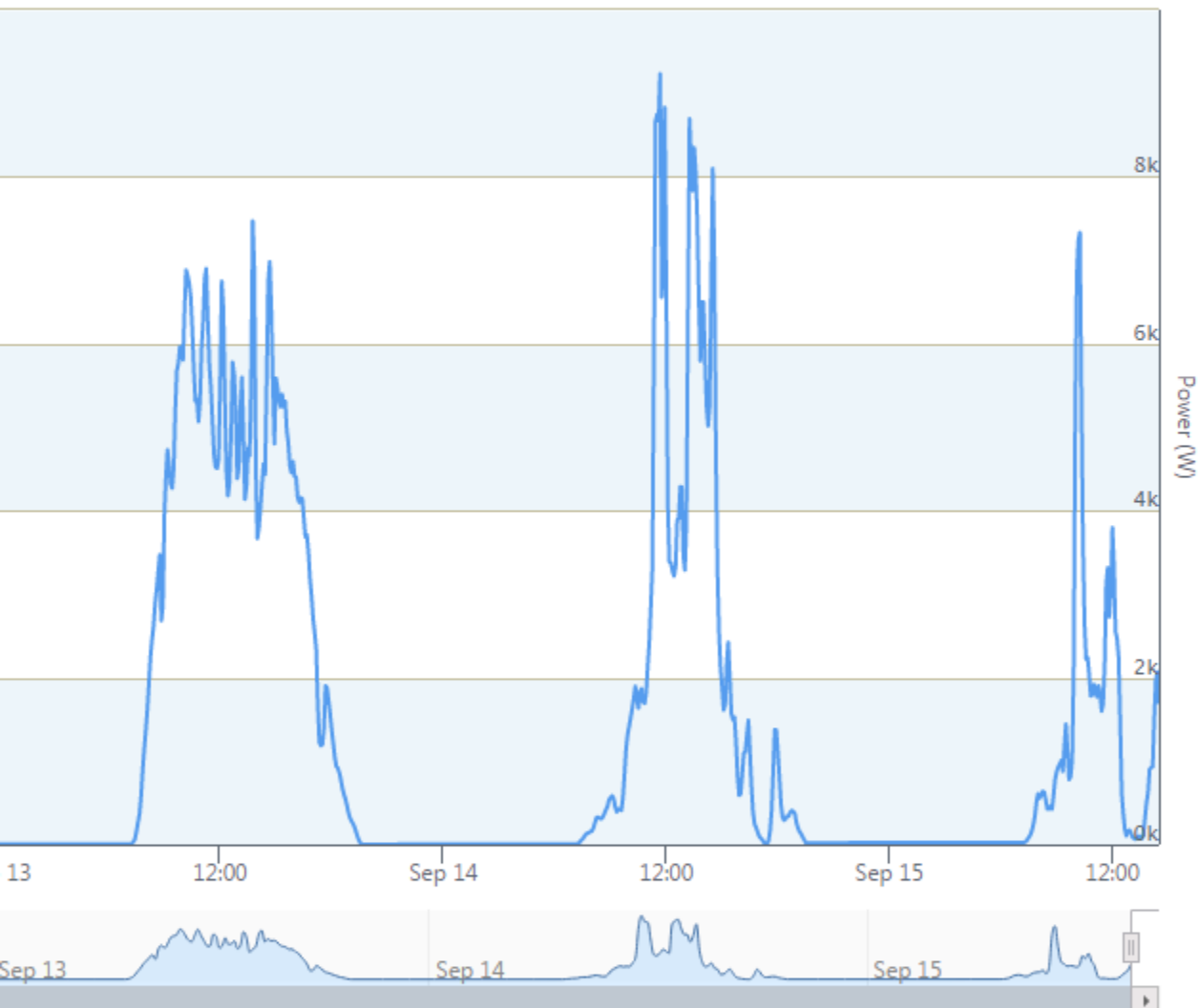
**335 kWh**

Month To Date

**797 kWh**

Lifetime

**19.8 MWh**



# Routine Process to add Load model to each base case

- 1) Transmission Planner (or whoever prepares load data) populates a “Climate Zone” field for each load in their power flow data submittal. They typically do this once, use for all future cases.
- 2) WECC runs a spreadsheet tool to look up the climate zone definitions for a given power flow case based upon the hour of day and season represented. Spreadsheet dumps a calculated sheet with feeder information, proportion of various motor types in each climate zone to a csv file.



# Spreadsheet Tool

Enter Day (1=normal summer, 2=hot summer,3=cool summer,4=shoulder,5=winter)	Enter Hour (Pacific Time)
5	5

Significant effort went into the data in the spreadsheet tool, but that was preparatory . That work does not have to be redone for each case, or by each utility.

The tool computes how much of each motor type, etc. for each climate zone based upon hour of day and type of day.

# Routine Process to add Load model to each base case

3) WECC uses an epcl program (WECC uses PSLF to build cases) that reads the completed power flow case to dump a csv file with needed information including load magnitude, voltage and climate zone for each load bus.

4) WECC runs a tool from PNNL to create the composite load model part of the dynamics data file. The tool reads three files:

- CSV from spreadsheet tool (step 2)
- CSV output from epcl (step 3)
- CSV with predefined motor definitions

The tool can output cmpld model data for PSLF or PSS/E dynamics files

# Implementation Process

- Several rounds of implementation, then trial, then refinement
  - 2 years of studies by individual utility volunteers with the composite load model
  - Additional adjustments were required, especially to the protection model
  - Finally approved for initial inclusion in base cases with a phased approach
    - The new model provides a better match to system events

# Implementation Process

- Phased implementation
  - Currently disabled AC stalling – Phase 1
  - Work continues to better understand AC stalling
  - Hope to continue improving the model – Phase 2

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# Is Load Loss Real ?

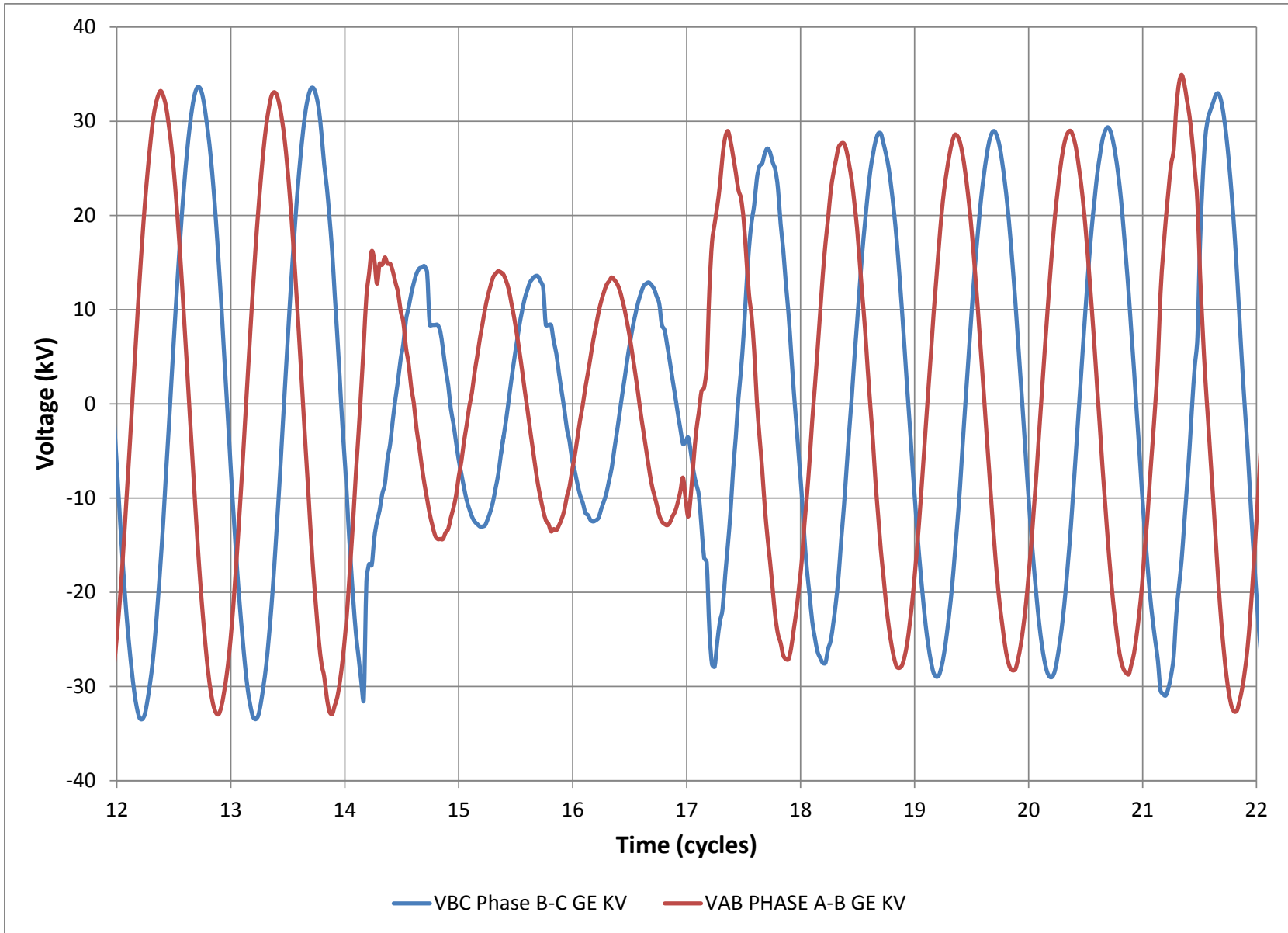
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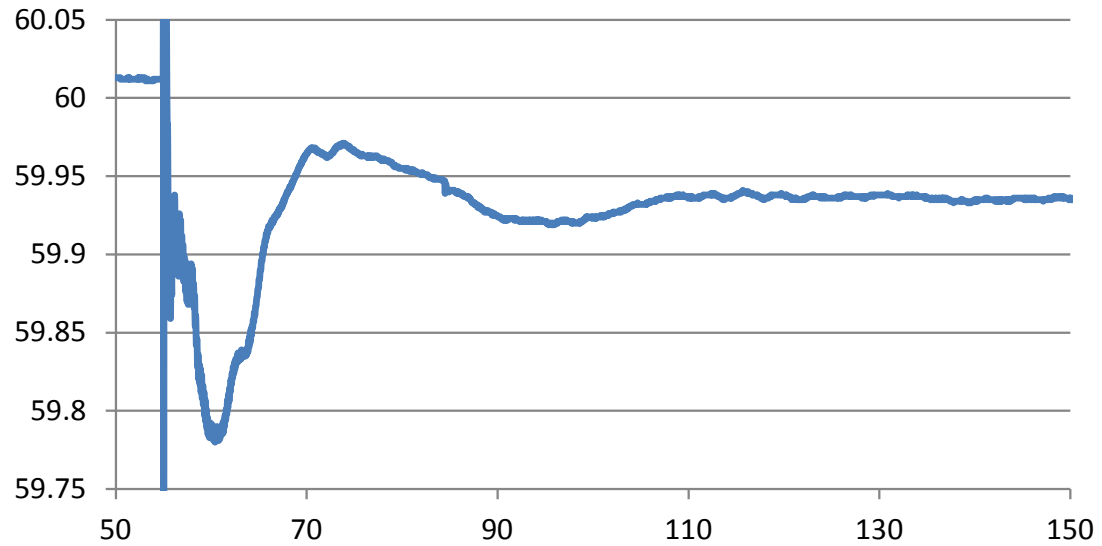
# Hassayampa Event

- July 28, 2003 at 18:54
- 3-phase fault at Hassayampa 500-kV substation west of Phoenix, AZ
- 2,685 MW of generation tripped following a fault

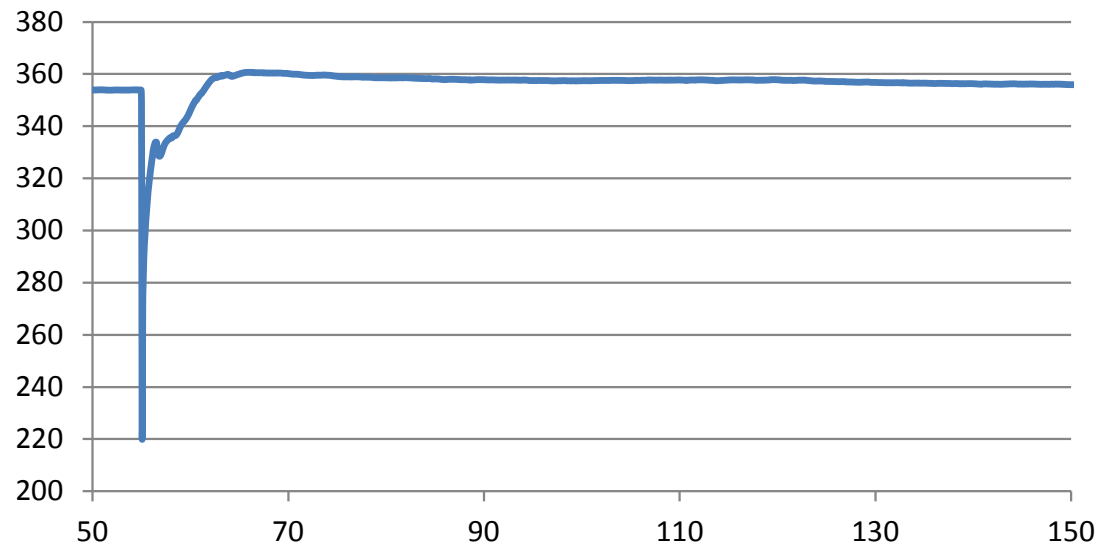




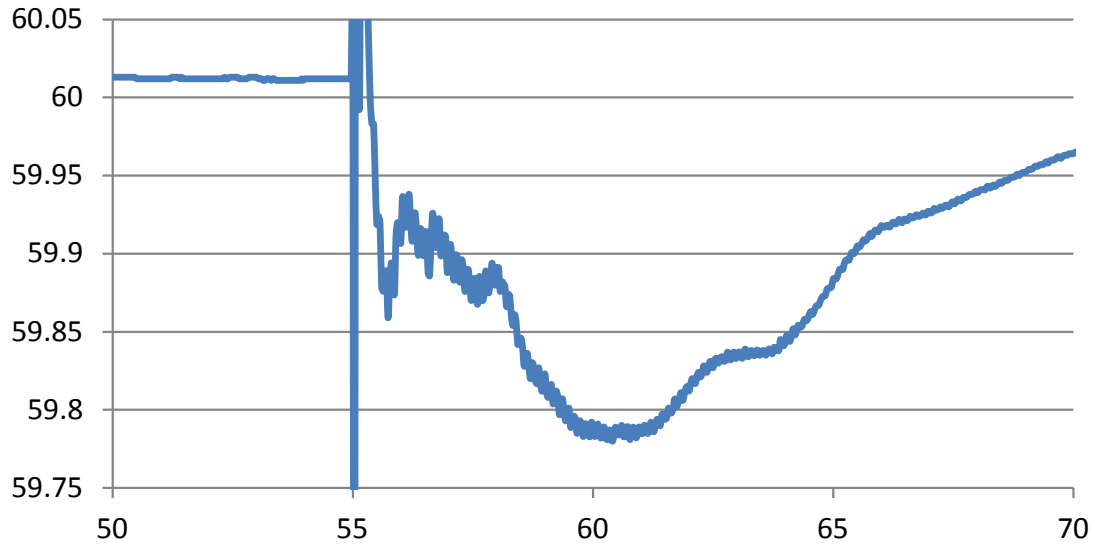
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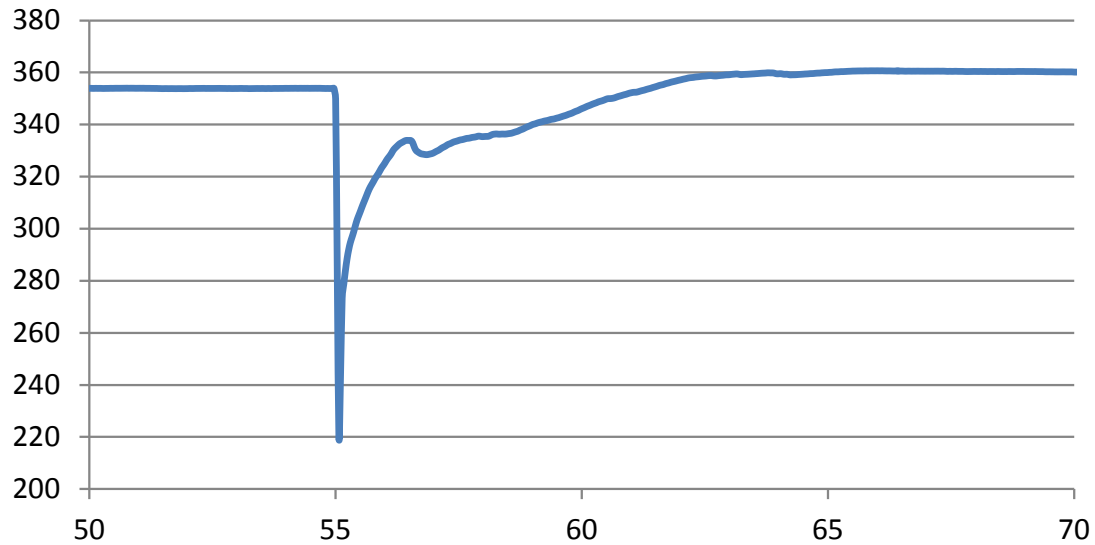
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## Pinnacle Peak frequency (pu)



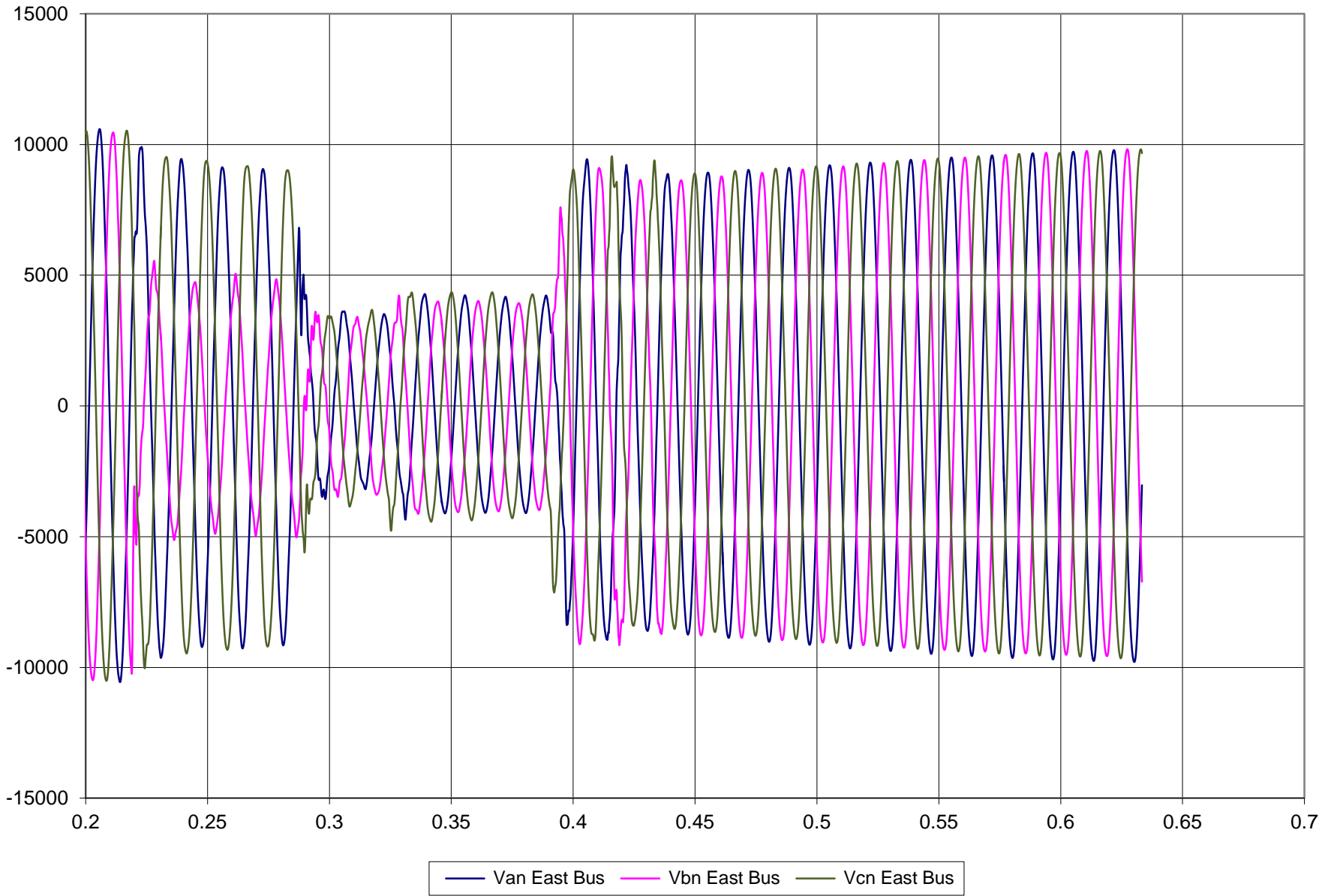
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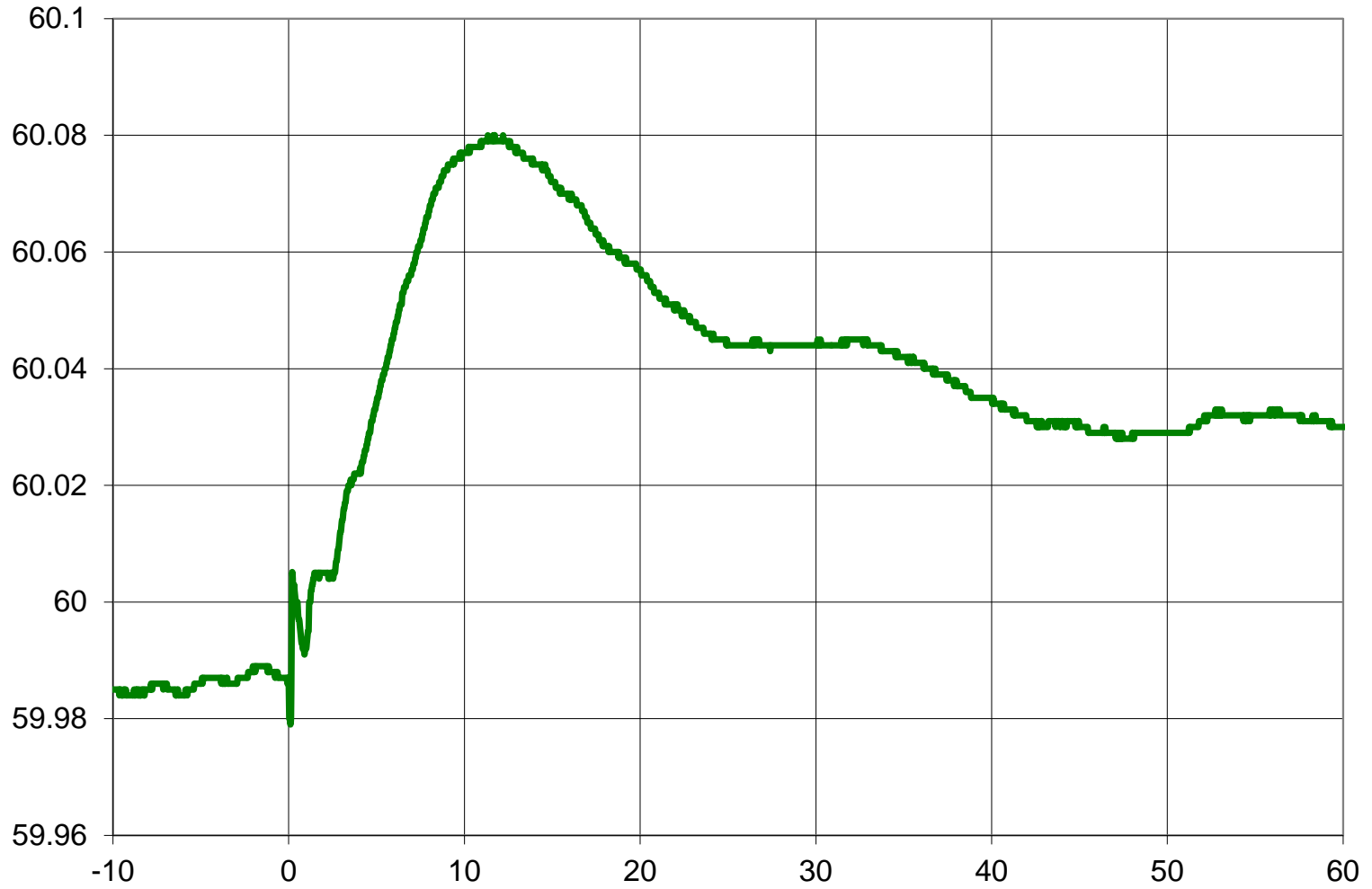
- $\Delta F = (60.011 - 59.938) = 0.073 \text{ Hz}$
- WECC Frequency Response is about 1,450 to 1,650 MW per 0.1 Hz (see next page)
- **Estimated Load Loss is 1,480 to 1,620 MW,** calculated as  $2,685 - 0.073 * 10 * FRM$
- Load loss is due to FIDVR and load tripping during the fault

# Mid-Valley Event

- July 28, 2009 at 21:18
- Mid Valley 138-kV substation, Salt Lake City, UT
- Capacitor bank failure
- Fault initiated as a four cycle single phase to ground fault that evolved into a three phase fault for an additional six cycles. The fault was cleared by action of the capacitor bank's protective relays. Total clearing time was about ten cycles.
- Temperatures were about 80 F



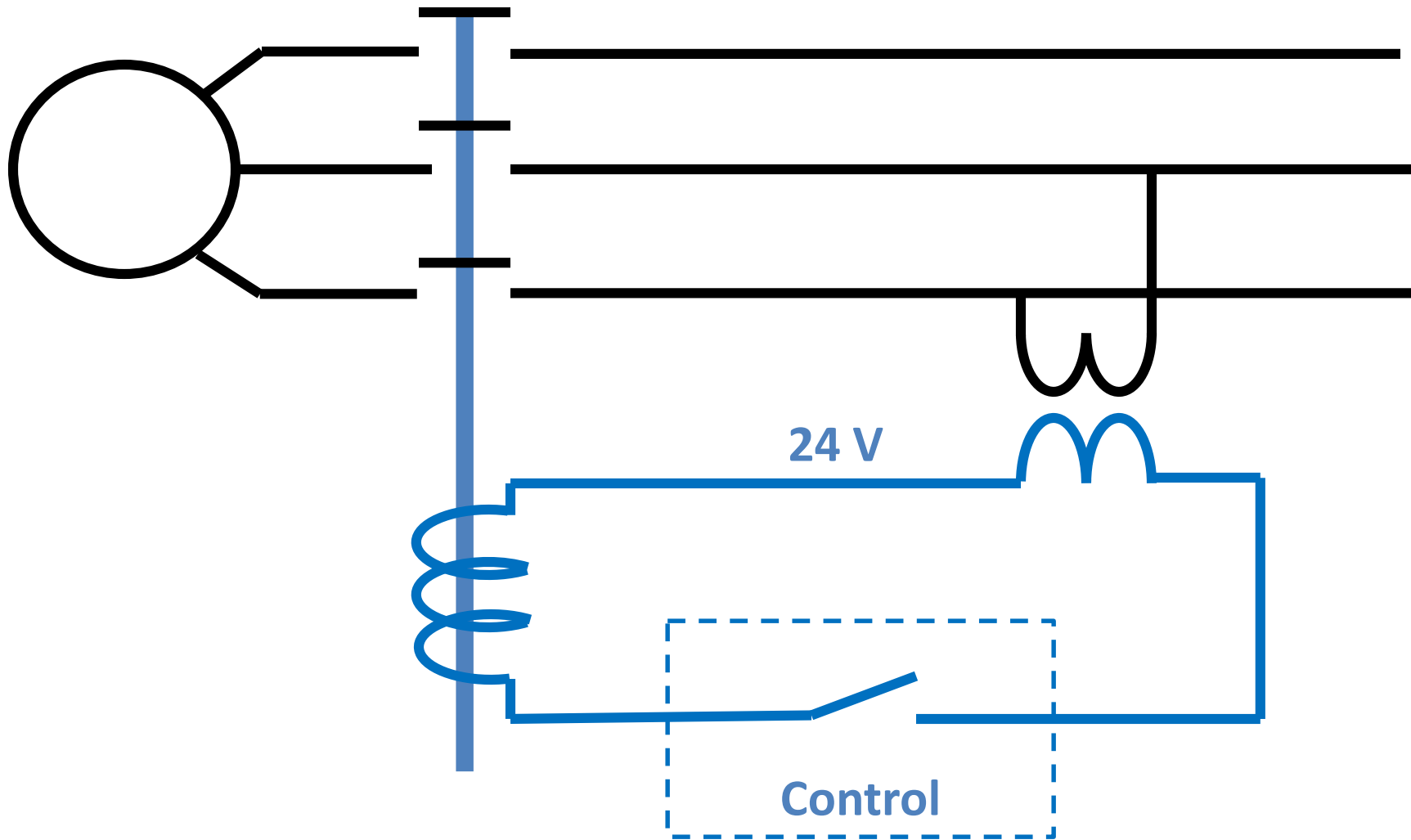
Summer Lake frequency (Hz)





- Generation loss was about 190 MW
- Total load loss was about **920 MW**
  - 68 MW loss due to fault clearing
  - Loads tripped due to voltage sensitivity during the fault
  - No FIDVR detected

# Modeling



## Commercial / residential loads:

- Motors B and C (fans and pumps)

- 20% trip at 60% voltage, reclose at 75%
- 30% trip at 50% voltage, reclose at 65%

- Motor A (compressors)

- 20% trip at 70% voltage and lock out
- 70% trip at 50% voltage, reclose at 70%

- Electronics

- Ramp down linearly as voltage declines from 70% to 50%
- 20% trip and remain off-line, 80% restart

Thank You

# Motor Control and Protection

## Effect of Under Voltage Transients in Commercial Buildings

John Kueck, Dan James (PNNL)



# A Study and Report Have Been Completed

- To understand how typical motor protection and control responds to voltage transients.
- A selection of commercial building types was studied.
- Dan James of PNNL has extensive experience with building management systems in a variety of commercial building types and was able to provide expertise on the many different motor types and control systems in today's commercial buildings.
- We also performed tests of Energy Management Systems at BPA and had discussions with control system manufacturers to review the test results.

# Purpose of Study

- Voltage transient time frames of interest and magnitudes were developed which are used in a set of tables
- Two tables are provided for each building type.
- All motor loads were considered, not just single phase air conditioners.
- In commercial buildings, more and more motors are controlled by computer based building management systems.





# Voltage Transient Time Frames and Magnitudes of Interest

- Voltage transient magnitudes and durations were selected which were typical fault response levels that are of interest to system planners.
  - Dips to 75% of nominal and to 50% of nominal voltage. In general, most motor control equipment will ride through sags down to 75%. In some cases, for larger motors, under voltage protection will trip motors for sags to 80% of nominal for 2 seconds.
  - Dip durations of 5, 10 and 20 cycles, 2 seconds and 3 minutes (3 minutes is really just for interest and for recovery planning.)

# Possible Motor Responses to Voltage Transients

- Motors may ride through, trip, or stall.
- Controls may ride through, drop out, or trip immediately after the event.
- When voltage recovers, motors may re-energize and re-accelerate, or delay for a few minutes, or stay stalled.



# Tables Have Been Developed for the Following Commercial Building Types

- Food Service (Fast Food) (McDonalds)
- Supermarket (Albertson's)
- Other (Hotels, Residential Care)
- Office
- 20k-100k sf office building motor response
- 100k-1m sf office building motor response
- Retail (Both Big and Small, by square feet)
- 5k sf Under Retail building motor table (Service Station)
- 15k-40k sf Retail building motor response (Strip Mall)
- 40k-100k sf Retail building Motor Response (big box Stores)
- Warehouse

# Building and Load Characteristics

- Larger, high rise office buildings usually have an EMS. EMS typically consists of a central computer and field controllers which have EPROM memory. The field modules control relays which control contactors.
- Testing at BPA has shown that the EMS can ride through severe voltage sags down to 65% of nominal voltage. Testing has shown even though the EMS can ride through voltage transients below 65% of nominal voltage, the EMS will drop out 2 seconds after the event and then takes 3 seconds to reset.
- Roof top units have motor contactors drop out at 50 to 60% voltage, which is higher than the stall voltage of about 50%. Thus it is unlikely that the three phase motors will be stalling during transients, unlike the single phase compressor motors.



## Sample Table (Office Building Load Square Feet 100,000 to 1,000,000 Voltages between 75% and 50% of nominal)

Equipment	Motors	Protection	Controls	5 cycle	10 cycle	20 cycle	2 second	3 minutes
AHUs	3-ph Fan Motors	Over voltage, Phase Imbalance, over current	EMS with VFD	EMS remains in control	EMS & VFD operate through event then drops out 2 seconds after event below 65% V but will automatically restart. First fan starts within 5 seconds 2nd fan if applicable re-starts at 30sec			
Fan Powered VAVs	1-ph Fractional Fan Motors	Fuse & Thermal	EMS with Contactor	EMS remains in control contactor drops out at 50% V and re-energizes after 1 to 8 cycles after event	<p>EMS drops out 2 seconds after event below 65% V but will automatically restart. fan starts within 5 seconds</p> <p>Contactors operate through voltage variance but drop out when EMS drops offline 2 seconds after event. Or if the voltage dips below 50% V the contactor will drop and re-energizes 1 to 8 cycles after event. And then drop out again when the EMS drops 2 seconds later.</p> <p>Possible thermal trip if the voltage variance is longer than 4-5 seconds and above 65%V</p>			

<p>(DOAS) Dedicated Outside Air System</p>	<p>3-ph Fan Motors</p>	<p>Over voltage, Phase Imbalance, over current</p>	<p>EMS with VFD</p>	<p>EMS remains in control</p>	<p>EMS &amp; VFD operate through event then drops out 2 seconds after event below 65% V but will automatically restart. First fan starts within 5 seconds 2nd fan if applicable re-starts at 30sec</p>
<p>Chillers</p>	<p>3-ph Compressor Motors</p>	<p>Over voltage, Phase Imbalance, over current</p>	<p>Manufacture r Solid-state Controller tied into EMS</p>	<p>Control Board remains in control contactor drops out at 50% V and re-energizes after 1 to 8 cycles after event</p>	<p>Manufacturer Solid-state Control Board drops out below 65% V but will automatically restart. 300-500sec First Chiller 600sec interstaging delay for each additional chiller if applicable</p>
	<p>3-ph Pump Motors</p>	<p>Over voltage, Phase Imbalance, over current</p>	<p>EMS with VFD</p>	<p>EMS &amp; VFD remains in control</p>	<p>EMS &amp; VFD operate through event then drops out 2 seconds after event below 65% V but will automatically restart. Pump soft starts within 90 seconds</p>

Equipment	Motors	Protection	Controls	5 cycle	10 cycle	20 cycle	2 second	
Boilers	1-ph Induced Draft Motor	Fuse & Thermal	Manufacturer Solid-state with contactor, EMS	Control Board remains in control contactor drops out at 50% V and re-energizes after 1 to 8 cycles after event	<p>Manufacturer Solid-state Control Board drops out below 65% V but will automatically restart. 120sec First Boiler 240sec interstaging delay for each additional boiler if applicable</p> <p>Possible thermal trip if the voltage variance is long enough and above 50% for 2-3 seconds</p>			
	3-ph Motors	Over voltage, Phase Imbalance, over current, & current limiting	EMS with VFD	EMS & VFD remains in control	<p>EMS &amp; VFD operate through event then drops out 2 seconds after event below 65% V but will automatically restart. Pump starts within 90 seconds</p>			
Cooling Towers	3-ph Fan Motor	Over voltage, Phase Imbalance, over current, & current limiting	EMS with VFD	EMS & VFD remains in control	<p>EMS &amp; VFD operate through event then drops out 2 seconds after event below 65% V but will automatically restart. First fan starts within 5 seconds 2nd fan if applicable re-starts at 30sec</p>			

# Conclusions

- We have developed a set of load response tables for a range of commercial building types.
- We provide both the “drop out” and recovery characteristic for typical motor loads, for the voltage dips and times of interest, including both protection and control components.
- This is a “next step” in better understanding of commercial building load response to voltage transients.
- [http://www.pnnl.gov/main/publications/external/technical\\_reports/PNNL-24468.pdf](http://www.pnnl.gov/main/publications/external/technical_reports/PNNL-24468.pdf)
- [fidvr.lbl.gov](http://fidvr.lbl.gov)



# Additional Info Slides

## VFDs

- Variable Frequency Drives are typically programmed to ride through short duration voltage sags by current limiting the motor. In cases where only one phase is sagging, and the motor is being operated at partial load, the motor can run for several seconds or more, depending on motor load.
- For 60% voltage and 5, 10 and 20 cycles, the VFD should be able to ride through by current limiting the motor. Depending on motor load, the VFD typically cannot ride through a 2 second or 3 minute loss of voltage unless it is equipped with energy storage.
- In testing, VFDs were noted to ride through sags of up to 2 seconds, or more, in duration, then trip after voltage recovery.

## Additional Info - Chiller Motors

- Large chiller motors in the range of 100 to 700 HP typically have their own proprietary local control board with voltage, overcurrent and unbalance protection.
- Manufacturer under voltage protection is typically set at 80% of nominal voltage for 2 seconds and 60% of nominal voltage for 0.1 seconds.
- If the motor is de-energized on under voltage, it will not restart for 4 to 10 minutes.

# Energy Management System

- The EMS typically consists of a central computer and field controllers which have EPROM memory. The field modules control relays which control contactors.
- Testing at BPA has shown that the EMS can ride through severe voltage sags down to 65% of nominal voltage. Testing has shown even though the EMS can ride through voltage transients below 65% of nominal voltage, the EMS will drop out 2 seconds after the event and then takes 3 seconds to reset.
- It is assumed for the tables that for voltage sag down to 65% of nominal, that the EMS rides through. For sags below 65%, the EMS will drop out the load and then reset by initiating the programmed sequences in the controller from the beginning. Some loads and motors will be started relatively quickly while others may take several minutes to reengage the loads.
- Testing performed revealed that the EMS controllers tripped less at voltages above 60% when the control transformer secondary supplying power to the controller was under 50% of its max VA capacity.
- In general, testing showed that voltages variances below 60% resulted in the EMS controller resetting regardless of transformer loading.

# Contactors

- Contactors, in general, will drop out within 5 cycles at 50% voltage. In some cases, voltage may sag to 40% before the contactor drops, and in some cases, it may be 60%, but 50% is a good estimate.
- When the voltage recovers, at 70% of nominal voltage the BPA tests shows contactor reclosed after two cycles. At 65% it took 8.5 cycles to reclose. At 62% it never pulled in, even after multiple seconds.



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# A Look into Load Modeling: The Composite Load Model

Dynamic Load Modeling & FIDVR Workshop  
September 30, 2015

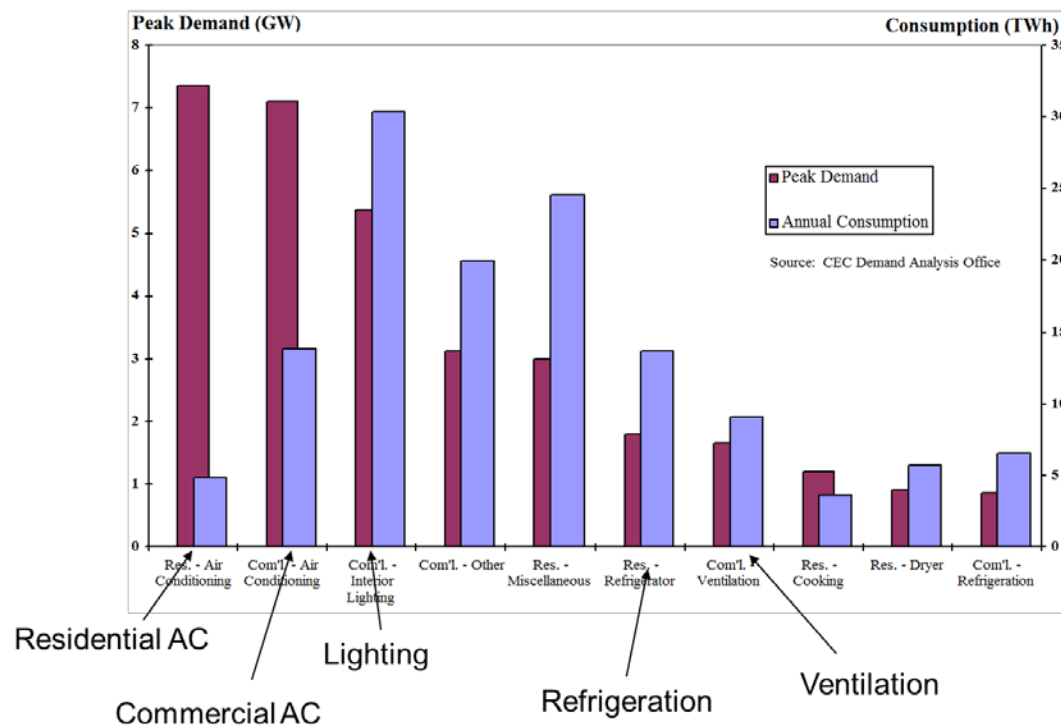
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- Landscape
- Brief History
- Today's State of the Art
- Putting Context to the Comp Load Model
- A Look at Some Key Parameters
- Where We Are & Where We're Going

*Summer peak vs. annual consumption in California*



*Resistive Cooking  
Resistive Heating*



*Incandescent Lighting*



*Distributed  
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*AC and Heat  
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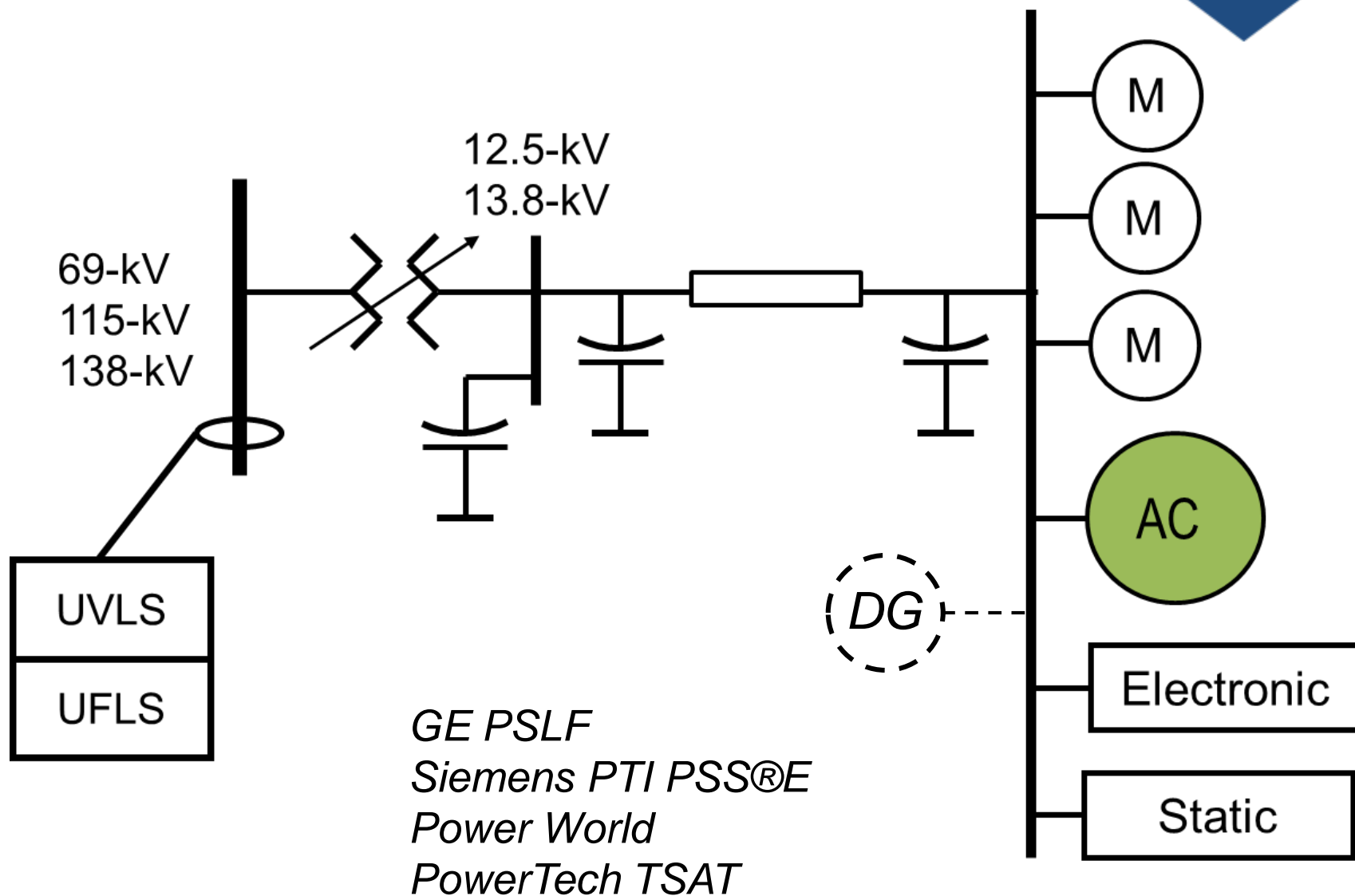


*Electric Vehicles*

*Share of total system load*

PSS®E Load Models	PSLF Load Models
CIM5 – Induction Motor Load	alwsc (b,w,z) – Load Voltage/Frequency Dependence Model
CIM6 – Induction Motor Load (WECC)	secld1 (2,3) – Secondary Load Model with Tap Ration Reset
CIMW – Induction Motor Load	apfl (spfl) – Pump/Fan Driven Induction (Synchronous) Motor Load
CLOD – Complex Load Model	motorw/x – Single or Double Cage Induction Motor Model
EXTL – Extended-Term Reset Load	Ld1pac – Performance-based Model of Single Phase Air Conditioner
IEEL – IEEE Load Model	motorc – Phasor Model of Single Phase Air Conditioner
LDFR – Load Frequency Model	Idelec (rect) – Electronic (Rectifier) Load
ACMT – Single-Phase Air Conditioner	





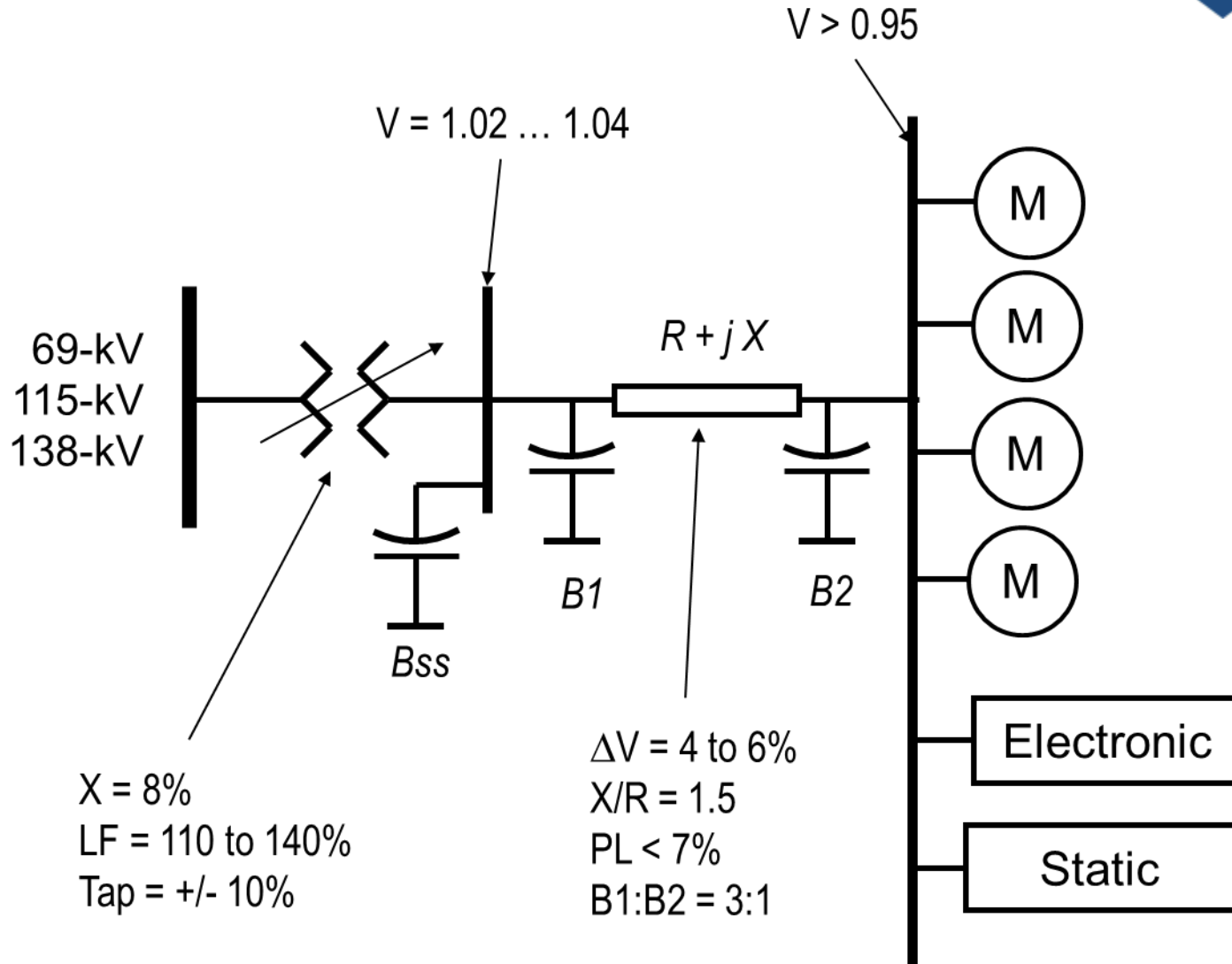
- Let us break down the 130+ parameters, contextualize their meaning; begins to come together cohesively.

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# The Distribution Equivalent Circuit



- Represents 3-phase compressor motors in commercial cooling and refrigeration systems
  - Typical of rooftop A/C – Walmart, Whole Foods, Malls, etc.
- Model data representative of 5-15 HP compressor motors
  - Special design motors (not NEMA)
  - Stall at about 40% voltage, restart at about 50-60% voltage
  - Constant torque load (on average)
  - Low inertia
- Motor protection & control:
  - Contactors trip when supply voltage drops to about 40% voltage, reclose at 45-55% voltage
  - Building EMS – no apparent reason to keep equipment out of service

*Roof-Top Direct Expansion HVAC  
10-25 hp compressor motors*



- Large commercial buildings have central cooling systems
- Chiller compressors are large motors 200-500 HP
- Motor protection & control:
  - Chillers are sensitive equipment
  - Once tripped, probably require manual restart



*Central Cooling System  
Chiller 200-250 hp compressors*

- High initial torque motor
- $H = 0.1$  sec
- Constant torque load
- 70% of motors trip at 50% voltage, restart at 70% voltage (representing 10-25 HP motors)
- 20% of motors trip at 70% voltage, remain disconnected (representing large chillers)

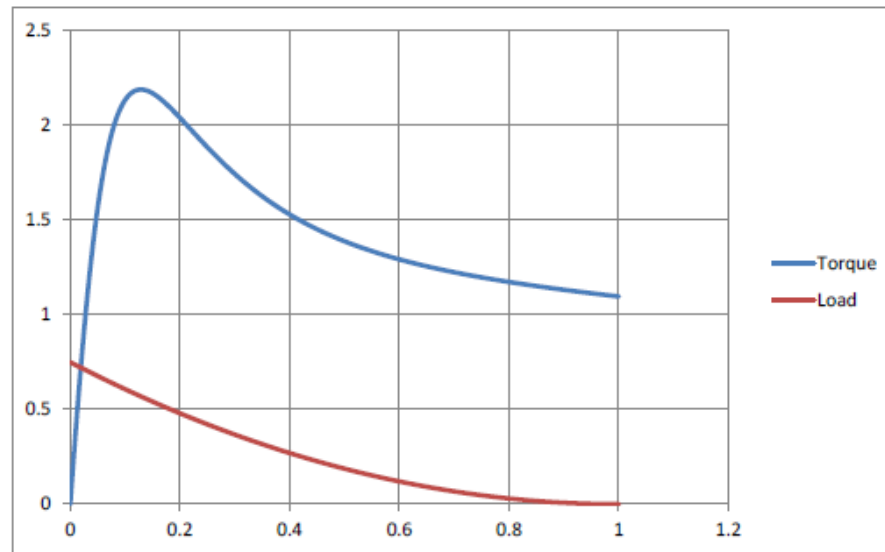
- Represents fan motors used in residential and commercial buildings
  - Ventilation fans in buildings, air-handler fans
- Model data is representative of 5-25 HP fan motors
  - Usually NEMA B design motors
  - Torque load proportional to speed squared
  - High inertia (0.25 to 1 seconds)
- Motor protection and control:
  - Contactors trip: ~ 40% voltage; Reclose: ~ 45-55% voltage
  - Building EMS – no apparent reason to keep equipment out of service
- Current trend: Fan motors are being replaced with Electronically Commutated Motors (ECMs)
  - Energy Efficiency Upgrade – DC motors, controllable speed
- Stall at very low voltages

- Represents direct-connected pump motors used in commercial buildings
    - Water circulating pumps in central cooling systems
  - Same as Motor B, but with low inertia
  - Model data is representative of a 5-25 HP pump motor
    - Usually NEMA B design motors
    - Torque load proportional to speed squared
    - Lower inertia (0.1 to 0.2 seconds)
  - Motor protection and control:
    - Contactors trip: ~ 40% voltage; Reclose: ~ 45-55% voltage
    - Building EMS – no apparent reason to keep equipment out of service
  - Current trend: Pump motors are being replaced with Variable Frequency Drives (VFDs)
- 12 ▪ EE Upgrade – AC motors, controllable speed



- NEMA B Design Motor
- H = 0.5 sec for fan, H = 0.1 sec for pump
- Load torque proportional to speed squared

L	1.80
L'	0.19
L''	0.15
T'	0.19
T''	0.0026
D	2
H (fan)	0.5
H (pump)	0.15

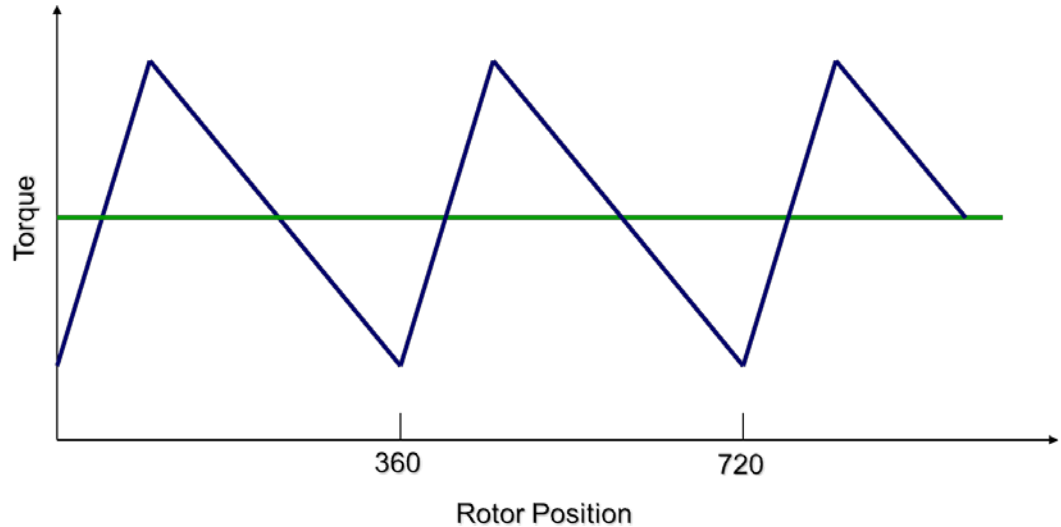


# Motor D – Residential Air Conditioner



- Single-phase compressor motors in residential and small commercial cooling and refrigeration
- Model data representative of 3-5 HP compressor motors
  - Special design motors (not NEMA)
  - Stall at about 45-60% voltage
  - Constant torque load (on average)
  - Low inertia
- Motor protection and control:
  - Contactors trip: ~ 40-50% voltage; Reclose: ~ 45-55% voltage

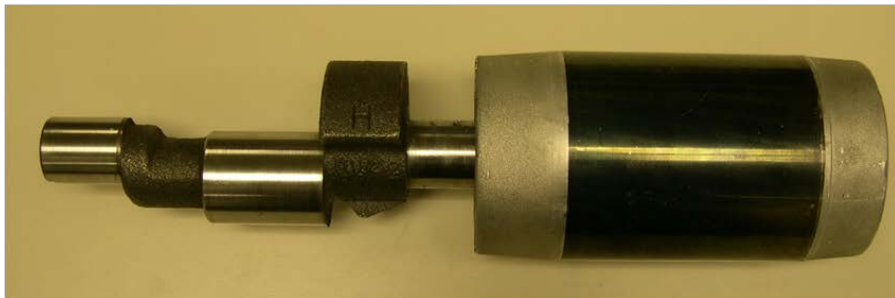
- Compressor Load Torque is very cyclical
- Very possible that motor stalls on next compression cycle



*E.g. 3.5-ton compressor motor:*

*Weight: 4.6 kg*

- Compressor Motor Inertia is very low
  - $H = 0.03 - 0.05$  sec
- Physically small

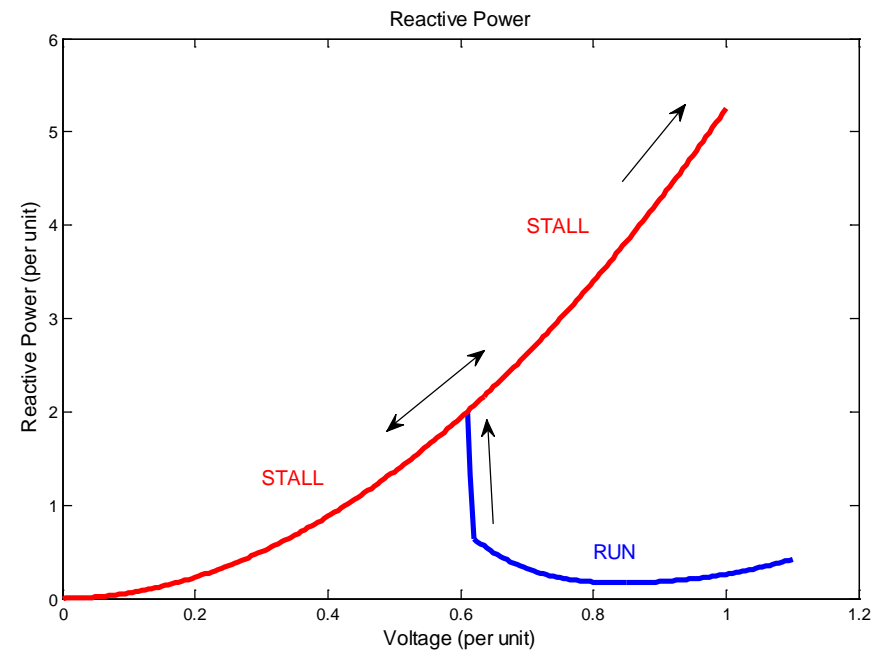
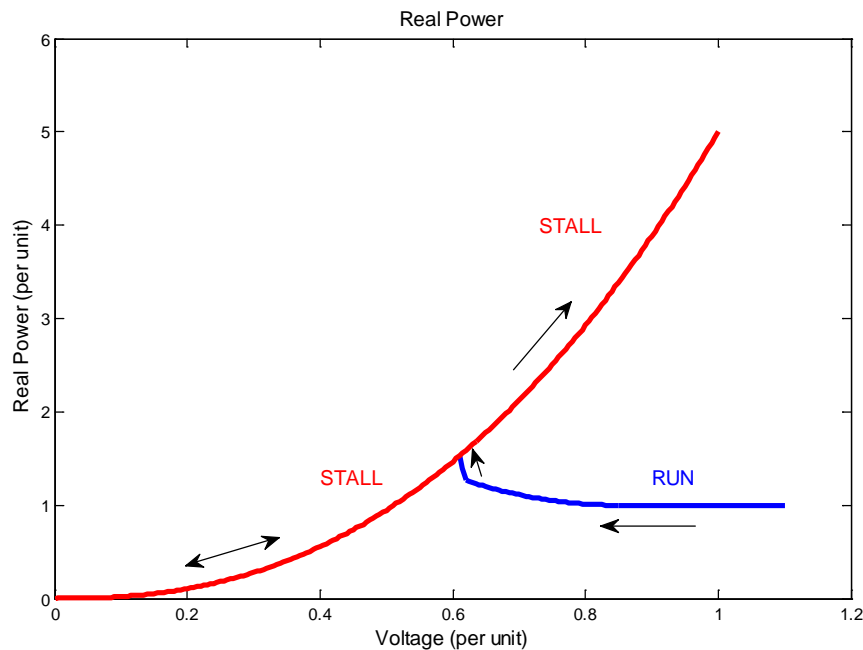


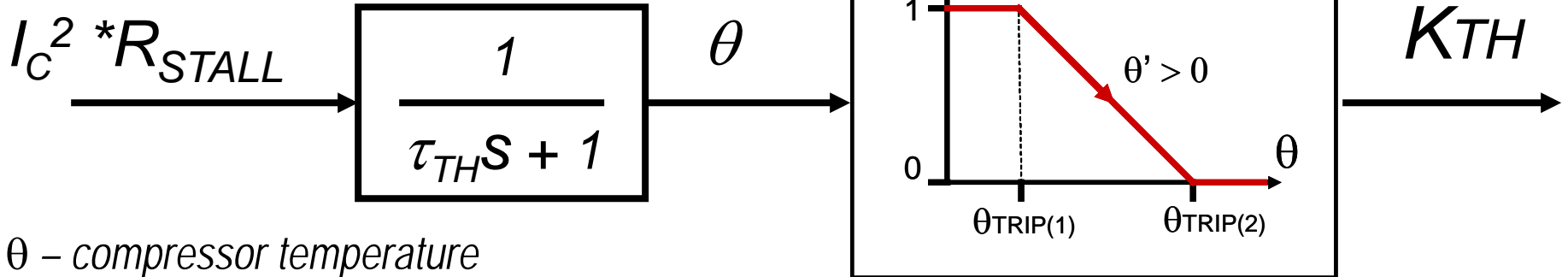
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- Three-phase motor models cannot represent behavior of single-phase motors with the same datasets
  - Stalling phenomena – 3-phase motors usually stall at much lower voltages
  - P and Q consumption during stalling
- Single-phase models exist, but not in positive sequence models
  - Research is looking into sensitivities of single-phase motors
    - Point-on-wave
    - Electrical impedance
    - Voltage rate-of-change
    - Voltage and duration

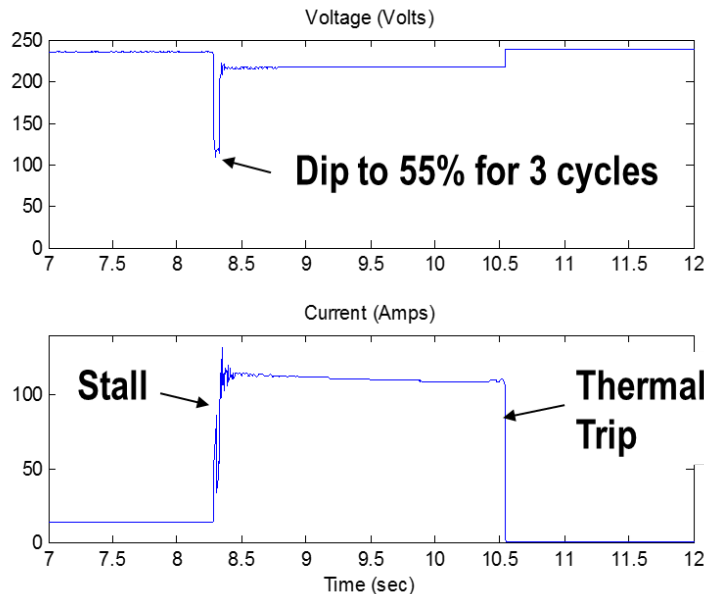
- Motors stall when voltage drops below  $V_{stall}$  for duration  $T_{stall}$
- Fraction  $Fr_{st}$  of aggregate motor can restart when voltage exceeds  $V_{rst}$  for duration  $T_{rst}$





$\theta$  – compressor temperature

$K_{TH}$  – fraction of motors that remain connected



- Thermal trip constant varies by manufacturer, protection requirements
- Thermal relay model accounts for this in linear tripping mechanism

- Electrical response is represented with performance model
  - “Run” and “stall” states based on  $V_{stall}$  and  $T_{stall}$
  - Fraction of motors allowed to restart (usually scroll compressors)
  - Manufacturers believe scroll-type represents 10-20% of A/C motors
- Thermal protection
  - $I^2t$  characteristic used – a range is used to capture diverse settings
- Contactors
  - Load reduced linearly at 40-50% voltage, reconnect at 50-60% voltage
- Energy Efficiency standards driving greater penetration of scroll compressors – higher efficiency
  - SEER 12 very hard to meet with reciprocating units
- Newer A/C units have power-electronic VFDs – generally smaller ones popular in Europe/Japan for single-room cooling



- The CMPLDW/CMLD model is NOT the “WECC” Model
  - It is generic, and can be used across the interconnections
  - Can provide detailed representation of dynamic load behavior, including induction motor loads
  - Advancements in model structure greatly simplify utilization
  - Must perform sensitivity studies to better understand model parameter impacts on performance
  - Can disable A/C motor stalling by setting Tstall to 9999 (WECC Phase 1)
    - More work to understand software implementation of this
  - Tools available to generate load model records effectively
- These types of models will never capture the level of accuracy of generator modeling. But they’re a big step in the right direction.
  - Can be tuned to accurately reproduce and explain historical events
  - Seek to predict future events *in principle*, not in full fidelity

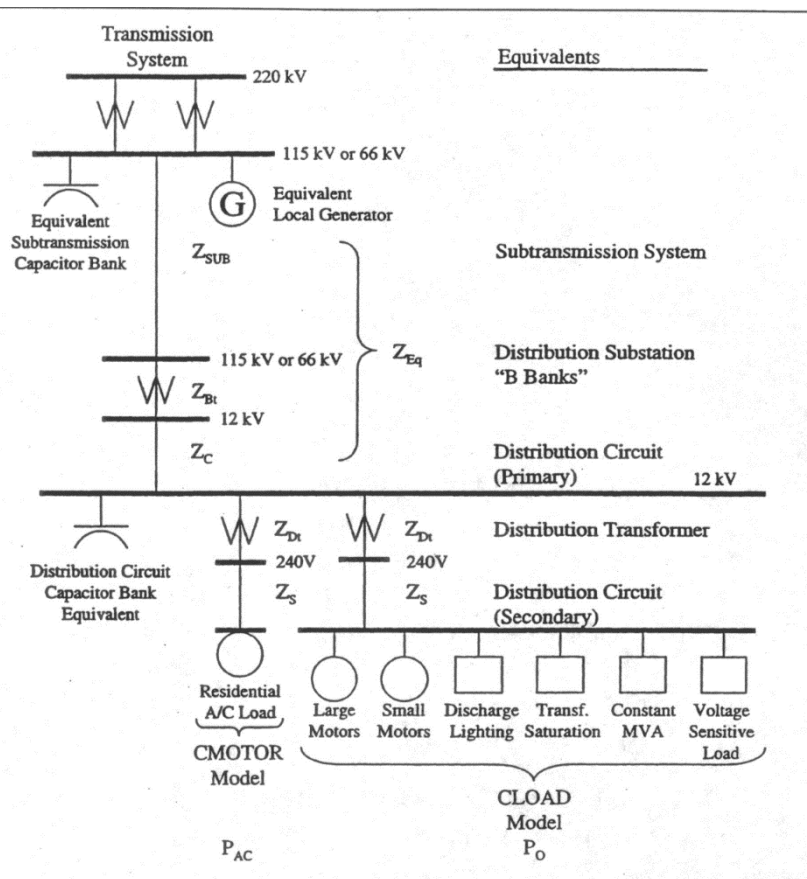


# Questions and Answers

# Appendix: Supplemental Material

- 1980s: Constant current real, constant impedance reactive models connected at transmission-level bus
  - *Limitation of computing technology for that time*
- 1990s: EPRI Loadsyn (static polynomial characteristic to represent load), IEEE Task Force recommends dynamic load modeling
  - *Failed to get much traction in industry*
- 1996: BPA model validation study for August 10 1996 outage
  - *Demonstrated need for motor load representation* in dynamic load models to capture oscillations and voltage instability

- 2000-2001 – WECC “Interim” Load Model
  - 20% induction motor, remaining static load
  - Was only practical option in 2001
  - Intended as a temporary ‘fix’ to model oscillatory behavior observed at the California-Oregon Intertie (COI)
  - Model limitations were recognized and need for a better model was clear
  - *Model was used for 10+ years to plan and operate the Western Interconnection*
  - *...Many utilities are choosing to use the CLOD model, which is similar to this approach from 2001...!*



- Late 1980s – Southern California Edison observes delayed voltage recovery events, attributed to stalling of residential air conditioners
  - Tested residential A/C units in laboratory, developed empirical AC models
- 1997 – SCE model validation effort of Lugo event
  - **Illustrated need to represent distribution equivalent**
  - **Illustrated need to have special models for air conditioning load**

Model was used in Southern California for special studies using PTI PSS®E simulator

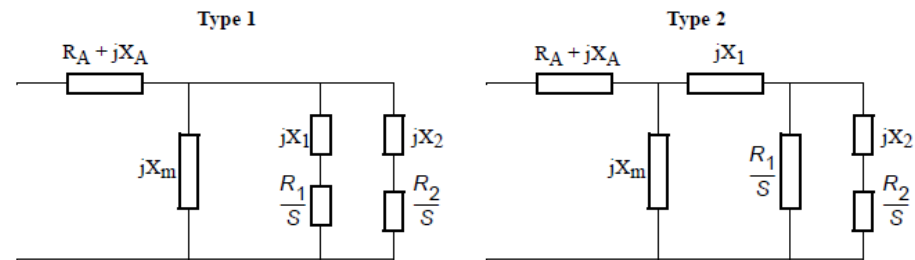
- 1994 – Florida Power published an IEEE paper, using a similar load model
- 1998 – Delayed voltage recovery event in Atlanta area in Southern Company territory
  - Events were observed, analyzed, modeled, and benchmarked to recreate event
- FPL and Southern Co. used, in principle, similar approaches to SCE and the eventual WECC model
- *These models were used for special studies of local areas, but beginning to get traction*

- 2005 – WECC developed ‘explicit’ model
  - Included distribution equivalent, induction motor and static loads
  - Numerical stability in Interconnection-wide study
    - *This was a big step 10 years ago. Still unavailable in the East.*
- 2007 – First version of the composite load model in PSLF
  - Three phase motor models only, no single phase represented
- 2006-2009 – EPRI/BPA/SCE testing of residential air conditioners and development of models
- 2009 – 1 $\phi$  air conditioner model added to composite load model
- 2011 – WECC adopts phased approach for composite load model, starts system impact studies
- 2013 – TPL-001-4 requires modeling induction motor load
- 2013-Current – WECC approved use of Phase I composite load models for planning and operational studies



- **CIM5 – Induction Motor Load Model**

- Load Torque represented by  $T_{LOAD} = T_{NOM}(1 + n)^D$
- Single- or double-cage induction motors, including rotor flux dynamics
- Captures motor start-up



- **CIMW – Induction Motor Load Model (WECC)**

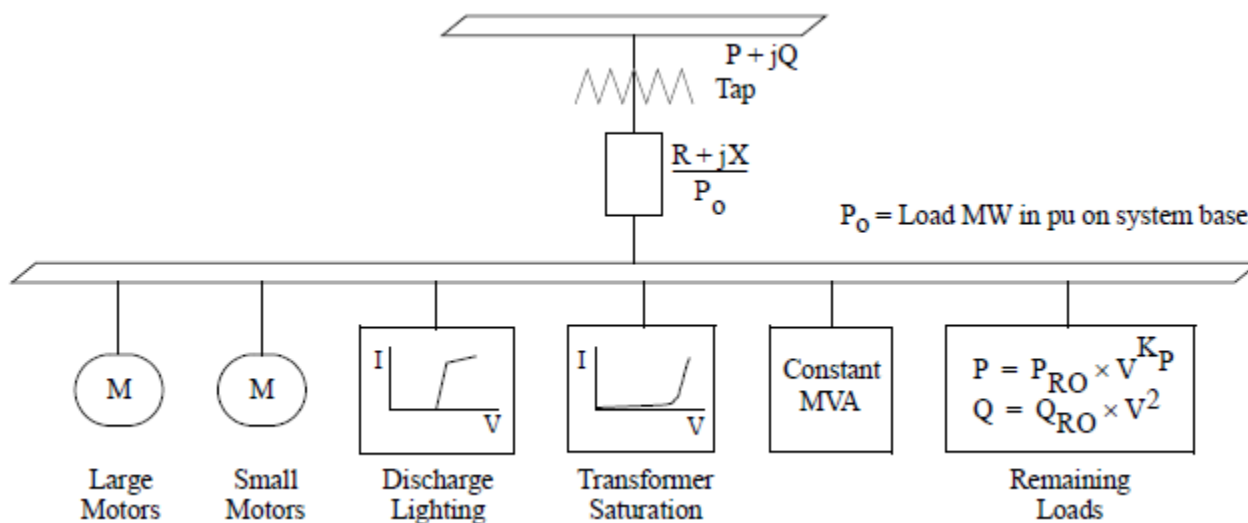
- Motor load including electromagnetic dynamics (single- or double cage)
- Load Torque represented by  $T_{LOAD} = T_0(A\omega^2 + B\omega + C_0 + D\omega^e)$

- **CIM6 – Induction Motor Load Model**

- Detailed load torque representation of CIMW
- Motor starting capability of CIM5

## • CLOD – Complex Load Model

- Distribution (transformer & circuit) impedance
- Large & Small 3- $\phi$  induction motors
- Discharge lighting
- Transformer saturation
- Assumed 0.98 pu loads – tap calculation to obtain V at load bus



- **EXTL – Extended-Term Load Reset Model**

- Simulates general effects of loads being reset to constant MWMVAR in steady-state without specifically modeling equipment (taps, caps, etc.)

- **IEEL – IEEE Load Model**

$$P = P_{load} (a_1 v^{n_1} + a_2 v^{n_2} + a_3 v^{n_3}) (1 + a_7 \Delta f)$$

- Algebraic representation of load

$$Q = Q_{load} (a_4 v^{n_4} + a_5 v^{n_5} + a_6 v^{n_6}) (1 + a_8 \Delta f)$$

$$P = P_o \left( \frac{\omega}{\omega_o} \right)^m$$

- **LDFR – Load Frequency Model**

- Constant P and constant I components sensitive to system frequency

$$Q = Q_o \left( \frac{\omega}{\omega_o} \right)^n$$

$$I_p = I_{po} \left( \frac{\omega}{\omega_o} \right)^r$$

- **ACMT – Single-Phase Air Conditioner Motor Model**

$$I_q = I_{qo} \left( \frac{\omega}{\omega_o} \right)^s$$

- Aggregate representation of single-phase A/C load
  - Compressor motor, thermal relay, U/V relays, contactors
- Representation based on “*Performance Model for Representing Single-Phase Air-Conditioner Compressor Motors in Power System Studies*” developed by WECC Load Model Task Force (LMTF)
- This is the 1-φ A/C motor representation in the CMLD model

- **Aggregate Load**
  - alwsc (b,w,z) – Load Voltage/Frequency Dependence Model
  - Secld1(2,3) – Secondary Load Model with Reset of Tap Ratio
- **Induction Motor Load**
  - apfl (spfl) – Pump/Fan Driven Induction (Synchronous) Motor Load Model
  - motorw/x – Single or Double Cage Induction Motor Model
- **Single-phase Air Conditioner Load**
  - Ld1pac – Performance-based Model of 1- $\phi$  Air Conditioner Load
  - motorc – Phasor Model of 1- $\phi$  Air Conditioner Load
- **Other Loads**
  - Ldelec (rect) – Electronic (Rectifier) Load Model

```
"Bss" 0 "Rfdr" 0.04 "Xfdr" 0.04 "Fb" 0.75 /
"Xxf" 0.08 "TfixHS" 1 "TfixLS" 1 "LTC" 0 "Tmin" 0.9 "Tmax" 1.1 "step" 0.00625 /
"Vmin" 1.025 "Vmax" 1.04 "Tdel" 30 "Ttap" 5 "Rcomp" 0 "Xcomp" 0 /
```

Parameter	Default	Reason
Load MVA Base	-1.0 to -1.25	If (-), MVA base = Load MW/Value Specified
Bss	0.0	Assumed no shunt compensation at bus
Rfdr	0.04	4% impedance on load MVA base; 1:1 distribution feeder impedance X:R ratio
Xfdr	0.04	
Fb	0.0	No shunt compensation, so N/A
Xxf	0.08	8% impedance on load MVA base
TfixHS	1.0	Assumed 1:1 T:D transformer turns ratio
TfixLS	1.0	

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"Xxf" 0.08 "TfixHS" 1 "TfixLS" 1 "LTC" 0 "Tmin" 0.9 "Tmax" 1.1 "step" 0.00625 /
"Vmin" 1.025 "Vmax" 1.04 "Tdel" 30 "Ttap" 5 "Rcomp" 0 "Xcomp" 0 /
```

Parameter	Default	Reason
LTC	1 or 0	Based on whether LTC action enabled
Tmin	0.9	Based on common ULTC configuration: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 32 steps</li> <li>• +/- 0.1 tap</li> <li>• +/- 1.25% voltage operation bounds</li> </ul>
Tmax	1.1	
step	0.00625	
Vmin	0.9875	
Vmax	1.0125	
Tdel	30-75	
Ttap	5	Time duration of LTC adjustment, commonly 5 seconds
Rcomp	0	Resistance and reactance compensation for LTC;
Xcomp	0	Generally no considered

"Fma" 0.239538 "Fmb" 0.156309 "Fmc" 0.064766 "Fmd" 0.206375 "Fel" 0.116908 /

Parameter	Default	Reason
Fma	Varies	These parameters are solely dependent on the load composition at the given bus. Many utilities use zonal or regional data when bus-level or feeder-level data is not available. Exact values depend on many factors – season, regional economies, industries, load type, etc. For example, heavy summer case parameters could = A: 25%, B: 15%, C: 5%, D: 15%, PE: 10%. But this is solely dependent on the load composition at the bus.
Fmb	Varies	
Fmc	Varies	
Fmd	Varies	
Fel	Varies	

"Pfe1" 1 "Vd1" 0.7 "Vd2" 0.5 "Frcel" 0.8 /

Parameter	Default	Reason
Pfel	1.0	Assumed power electronic load at unity power factor
Vd1	0.7	Assume electronic load starts tripping at 70% voltage
Vd2	0.5	Assume all electronic load is tripped by 50% voltage
Frcel	0.8	Assumed 80% of electronic load will automatically reconnect upon acceptable voltage return



```
"Pfs" -0.994504 "P1e" 2 "P1c" 0.295212 "P2e" 1 "P2c" 0.704788 "Pfreq" 0 /
"Q1e" 2 "Q1c" -0.5 "Q2e" 1 "Q2c" 1.5 "Qfreq" -1 /
```

Parameter	Default	Reason
Pfs	-0.995	Rather than specify shunt compensation, assume slight capacitive power factor for static load to account for shunt compensation at substation and on feeder
P1e	2.0	$P = P_0 * (P_{1c} * V/V_0^{P1e} + P_{2c} * V/V_0^{P2e} + P_3) * (1 + P_{frq} * D_f)$ Assume one component varies with square of voltage; 50% remaining static load assigned to this component
P1c	0.5	
P2e	1.0	$P = P_0 * (P_{1c} * V/V_0^{P1e} + P_{2c} * V/V_0^{P2e} + P_3) * (1 + P_{frq} * D_f)$ Assume one component varies linearly with voltage; 50% remaining static load assigned to this component
P2c	0.5	
Pfreq	0.0	Assume real power not frequency dependent

```
"Pfs" -0.994504 "P1e" 2 "P1c" 0.295212 "P2e" 1 "P2c" 0.704788 "Pfreq" 0 /
"Q1e" 2 "Q1c" -0.5 "Q2e" 1 "Q2c" 1.5 "Qfreq" -1 /
```

Parameter	Default	Reason
Q1e	2.0	$Q=Q_0*(Q_{1c}*V/V_0^{Q1e} + Q_{2c}*V/V_0^{Q2e} + Q_3) * (1 + Q_{freq} * D_f)$ Assume one component varies with square of voltage; 50% remaining static load assigned to this component; Inversely related to voltage relationship
Q1c	-0.5	
Q2e	1.0	$Q=Q_0*(Q_{1c}*V/V_0^{Q1e} + Q_{2c}*V/V_0^{Q2e} + Q_3) * (1 + Q_{freq} * D_f)$ Assume one component varies linearly with voltage.
Q2c	1.5	
Qfreq	-1.0	Assume Q inversely frequency dependent

"MtpA" 3 "MtpB" 3 "MtpC" 3 "MtpD" 1 /

Parameter	Default	Reason
MtpA	3	Constant torque loads (e.g. commercial air conditioners and refrigerators)
MtpB	3	Torque speed squared loads with high inertia (fans)
MtpC	3	Torque speed squared loads with low inertia (pumps)
MtpD	1	Single-phase induction motors (residential A/C)

```
"LfmA" 0.75 "RsA" 0.04 "LsA" 1.8 "LpA" 0.12 "LppA" 0.104 /
"TpoA" 0.095 "TppoA" 0.0021 "HA" 0.1 "etrqA" 0 /
"Vtr1A" 0.7 "Ttr1A" 0.02 "Ftr1A" 0.2 "Vrc1A" 1 "Trc1A" 99999 /
"Vtr2A" 0.5 "Ttr2A" 0.02 "Ftr2A" 0.7 "Vrc2A" 0.7 "Trc2A" 0.1 /
```

Parameter	Default	Reason
LfmA	0.75	Load MVA = MW/MVA Rating
RsA	0.04	These are 'generic' motor parameters for this type of load, based on laboratory testing
LsA	1.8	
LpA	0.12	
LppA	0.104	
TpoA	0.095	
TppoA	0.0021	
HA	0.1	
etrqA	0*	$T_{mech} = T_{mech,0} * \omega^{E_{trq}}$ - Constant Torque

*\*3φ motors driving constant torque loads (commercial air conditioner compressors and refrigeration)*

```
"LfmA" 0.75 "RsA" 0.04 "LsA" 1.8 "LpA" 0.12 "LppA" 0.104 /
"Tp0A" 0.095 "TppoA" 0.0021 "HA" 0.1 "etrqA" 0 /
"Vtr1A" 0.7 "Ttr1A" 0.02 "Ftr1A" 0.2 "Vrc1A" 1 "Trc1A" 99999 /
"Vtr2A" 0.5 "Ttr2A" 0.02 "Ftr2A" 0.7 "Vrc2A" 0.7 "Trc2A" 0.1 /
```

Parameter	Default	Reason
Vtr1A	0.7	Assumed performance of these motors: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• This set represents the higher performance motors – large commercial building chillers/air handlers</li> <li>• First trip level at 0.70 pu voltage, trip time &lt; 2 cycles</li> <li>• 20% of these motors have this type of protection</li> <li>• Manual reconnection</li> </ul>
Ttr1A	0.02	
Ftr1A	0.2	
Vrc1A	1.0	
Trc1A	9999	
Vtr2A	0.5	Assumed performance of these motors: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• This set represents the majority of ‘brute’ motors – standard design, rugged, automated</li> <li>• Trip level at 0.50 pu voltage, trip time &lt; 2 cycles</li> <li>• 70% of these motors have this type of protection</li> <li>• Auto-reconnect – 0.7 pu within 100 ms.</li> </ul>
Ttr2A	0.02	
Ftr2A	0.7	
Vrc2A	0.7	
Trc2A	0.1	

```
"LfmB" 0.75 "RsB" 0.03 "LsB" 1.8 "LpB" 0.19 "LppB" 0.14 /
"TpoB" 0.2 "TppoB" 0.0026 "HB" 0.5 "etrqB" 2 /
"Vtr1B" 0.6 "Ttr1B" 0.02 "Ftr1B" 0.2 "Vrc1B" 0.75 "Trc1B" 0.05 /
"Vtr2B" 0.5 "Ttr2B" 0.02 "Ftr2B" 0.3 "Vrc2B" 0.65 "Trc2B" 0.05 /
```

Parameter	Default	Reason
LfmB	0.75	Load MVA = MW/MVA Rating
RsB	0.03	These are 'generic' motor parameters for this type of load, based on laboratory testing
LsB	1.8	
LpB	0.19	
LppB	0.14	
TpoB	0.2	
TppoB	0.0026	
HB	0.5	Large inertia commercial/industrial fan motor loads
etrqB	2*	$T_{mech} = T_{mech,0} * \omega^{E_{trq}}$ - Torque $\propto$ Speed-Squared

*\*3 $\phi$  motors driving load proportional to speed-squared relationship with high inertia (large fans)*

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"LfmB" 0.75 "Rsb" 0.03 "Lsb" 1.8 "Lpb" 0.19 "LppB" 0.14 /
"TpoB" 0.2 "TppoB" 0.0026 "HB" 0.5 "etrqB" 2 /
"Vtr1B" 0.6 "Ttr1B" 0.02 "Ftr1B" 0.2 "Vrc1B" 0.75 "Trc1B" 0.05 /
"Vtr2B" 0.5 "Ttr2B" 0.02 "Ftr2B" 0.3 "Vrc2B" 0.65 "Trc2B" 0.05 /
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Parameter	Default	Reason
Vtr1B	0.6	Assumed performance of these motors: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• First trip level at 0.60 pu voltage, trip time &lt; 2 cycles</li> <li>• 20% of these motors have this type of protection</li> <li>• Auto-reconnect – 0.75 pu voltage within 50 ms</li> </ul>
Ttr1B	0.02	
Ftr1B	0.2	
Vrc1B	0.75	
Trc1B	0.05	
Vtr2B	0.5	Assumed performance of these motors: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Trip level at 0.50 pu voltage, trip time &lt; 2 cycles</li> <li>• 30% of these motors have this type of protection</li> <li>• Auto-reconnect – 0.65 pu within 50 ms</li> <li>• Emulates staggered tripping and reconnection – diversity of motor load</li> </ul>
Ttr2B	0.02	
Ftr2B	0.3	
Vrc2B	0.65	
Trc2B	0.05	

```
"LfmC" 0.75 "RsC" 0.03 "LsC" 1.8 "LpC" 0.19 "LppC" 0.14 /
"TpoC" 0.2 "TppoC" 0.0026 "HC" 0.1 "etrqC" 2 /
"Vtr1C" 0.65 "Ttr1C" 0.02 "Ftr1C" 0.2 "Vrc1C" 1 "Trc1C" 9999 /
"Vtr2C" 0.5 "Ttr2C" 0.02 "Ftr2C" 0.3 "Vrc2C" 0.65 "Trc2C" 0.1 /
```

Parameter	Default	Reason
LfmC	0.75	Load MVA = MW/MVA Rating
RsC	0.03	These are 'generic' motor parameters for this type of load, based on laboratory testing
LsC	1.8	
LpC	0.19	
LppC	0.14	
TpoC	0.2	
TppoC	0.0026	
HC	0.1	
etrqC	2*	$T_{mech} = T_{mech,0} * \omega^{E_{trq}}$ - Torque $\propto$ Speed-Squared

*\*3 $\phi$  motors driving load proportional to speed-squared relationship with low inertia (pump loads)*



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"LfmC" 0.75 "Rsc" 0.03 "Lsc" 1.8 "LpC" 0.19 "LppC" 0.14 /
"TpoC" 0.2 "TppoC" 0.0026 "HC" 0.1 "etrqc" 2 /
"Vtr1C" 0.65 "Ttr1C" 0.02 "Ftr1C" 0.2 "Vrc1C" 1 "Trc1C" 9999 /
"Vtr2C" 0.5 "Ttr2C" 0.02 "Ftr2C" 0.3 "Vrc2C" 0.65 "Trc2C" 0.1 /
```

Parameter	Default	Reason
Vtr1C	0.65	Assumed performance of these motors: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• First trip level at 0.65 pu voltage, trip time &lt; 2 cycles</li> <li>• 20% of these motors have this type of protection</li> <li>• Manual reconnection</li> </ul>
Ttr1C	0.02	
Ftr1C	0.2	
Vrc1C	1.0	
Trc1C	9999	
Vtr2C	0.5	Assumed performance of these motors: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Trip level at 0.50 pu voltage, trip time &lt; 2 cycles</li> <li>• 30% of these motors have this type of protection</li> <li>• Auto-reconnect – 0.65 pu within 100 ms</li> </ul>
Ttr2C	0.02	
Ftr2C	0.3	
Vrc2C	0.65	
Trc2C	0.1	

```
"LfmD" 1 "CompPF" 0.98 /
"Vstall" 0.6 "Rstall" 0.1 "Xstall" 0.1 "Tstall" 0.03 "Frst" 0.2 "Vrst" 0.95 "Trst" 0.3 /
"fuvr" 0.1 "vtr1" 0.6 "ttr1" 0.02 "vtr2" 1 "ttr2" 9999 /
"Vc1off" 0.5 "Vc2off" 0.4 "Vc1on" 0.6 "Vc2on" 0.5 /
"Tth" 15 "Th1t" 0.7 "Th2t" 1.9 "tv" 0.025
```

Parameter	Default	Reason
LfmD	1.0	Load MVA = MW/MVA Rating
CompPF	0.98	Assumed slightly inductive motors load
Vstall	0.60	Stall voltage (range) based on laboratory testing
Rstall	0.1	Based on laboratory testing results of residential air-conditioners
Xstall	0.1	
Tstall	0.03	Stall time (range) based on laboratory testing
Frst	0.2	Captures diversity in load; also based on testing.
Vrst	0.95	Reconnect when acceptable voltage met
Trst	0.3	Induction motor restart time is relatively short

*\*1φ induction motor load (residential air-conditioner compressors)*

```
"LfmD" 1 "CompPF" 0.98 /
"Vstall" 0.6 "Rstall" 0.1 "Xstall" 0.1 "Tstall" 0.03 "Frst" 0.2 "Vrst" 0.95 "Trst" 0.3 /
"fuvr" 0.1 "vtr1" 0.6 "ttr1" 0.02 "vtr2" 1 "ttr2" 9999 /
"Vc1off" 0.5 "Vc2off" 0.4 "Vc1on" 0.6 "Vc2on" 0.5 /
"Tth" 15 "Th1t" 0.7 "Th2t" 1.9 "tv" 0.025
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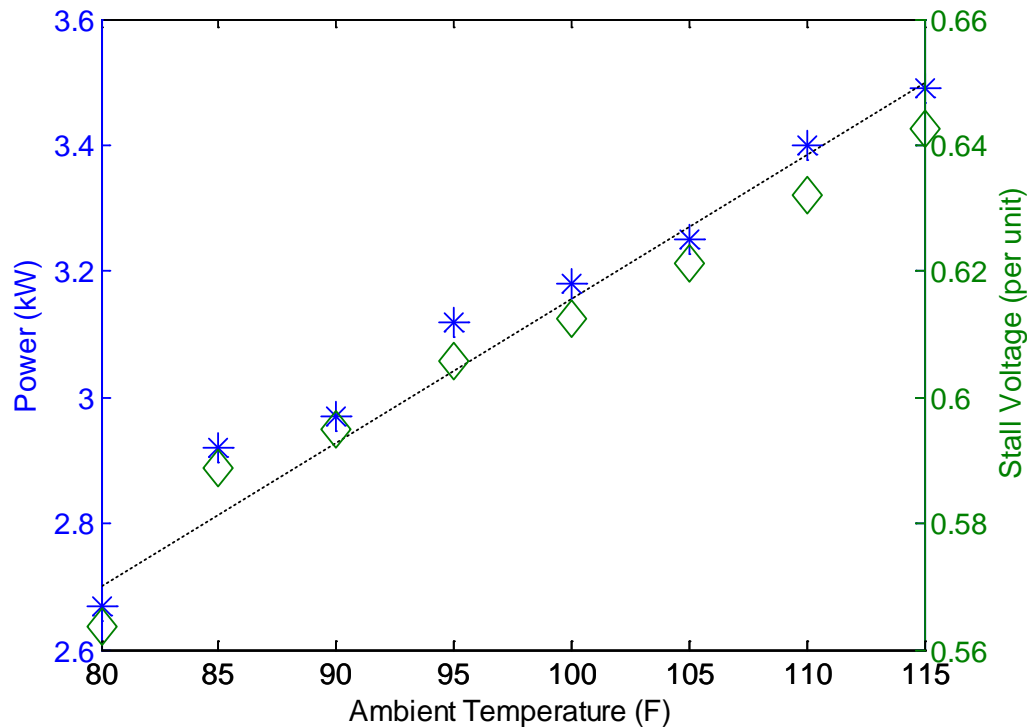
Parameter	Default	Reason
fuvr	0.1	Assumed most A/C units have undervoltage relaying
vtr1	0.6	Undervoltage relay
ttr1	0.02	
vtr2	1	No second level undervoltage tripping specified.
ttr2	9999	
Vc1off	0.5	Stall time (range) based on laboratory testing
Vc2off	0.4	Based on laboratory testing results
Vc1on	0.6	Reconnect when acceptable voltage met
Vc2on	0.5	Induction motor restart time is relatively short

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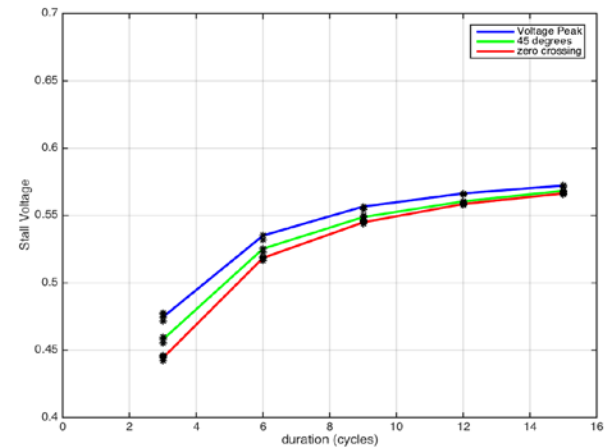
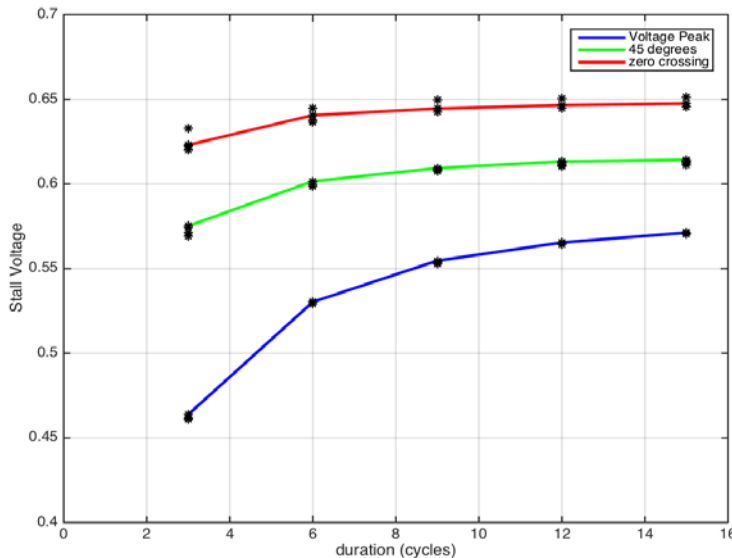
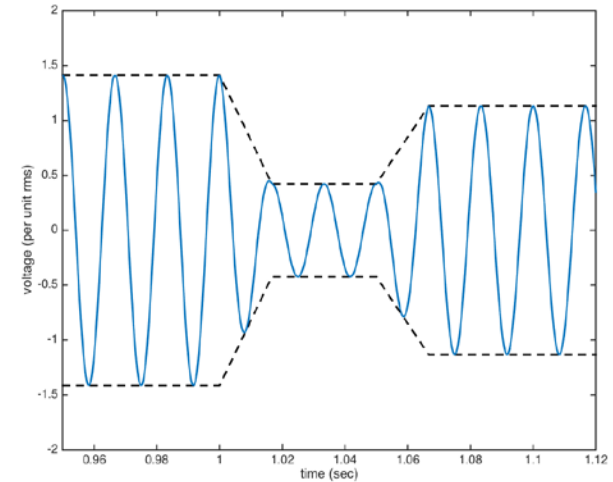
Parameter	Default	Reason
Tth	15	Varies based on manufacturer – sensitivity analysis required; based on range of external factors
Th1t	0.7	Assumed tripping starting at 70% temperature, with all tripped at 190% temperature
Th2t	1.9	
tv	0.025	Assumed generic transducer time lag

# Motor D – Sensitivity to Ambient Temp

- Compressor loading and stall voltage depend on ambient temperature
- Compressor motors have high power factor when running
  - Approximately 0.97 pf



- Point-on-wave sensitivity
- Voltage sag rate-of-change sensitivity
  - Distribution recordings show sag is not instantaneous
  - At least 1 cycle for voltage to sag – motor back-feed
  - Vstall numbers lower than previously thought



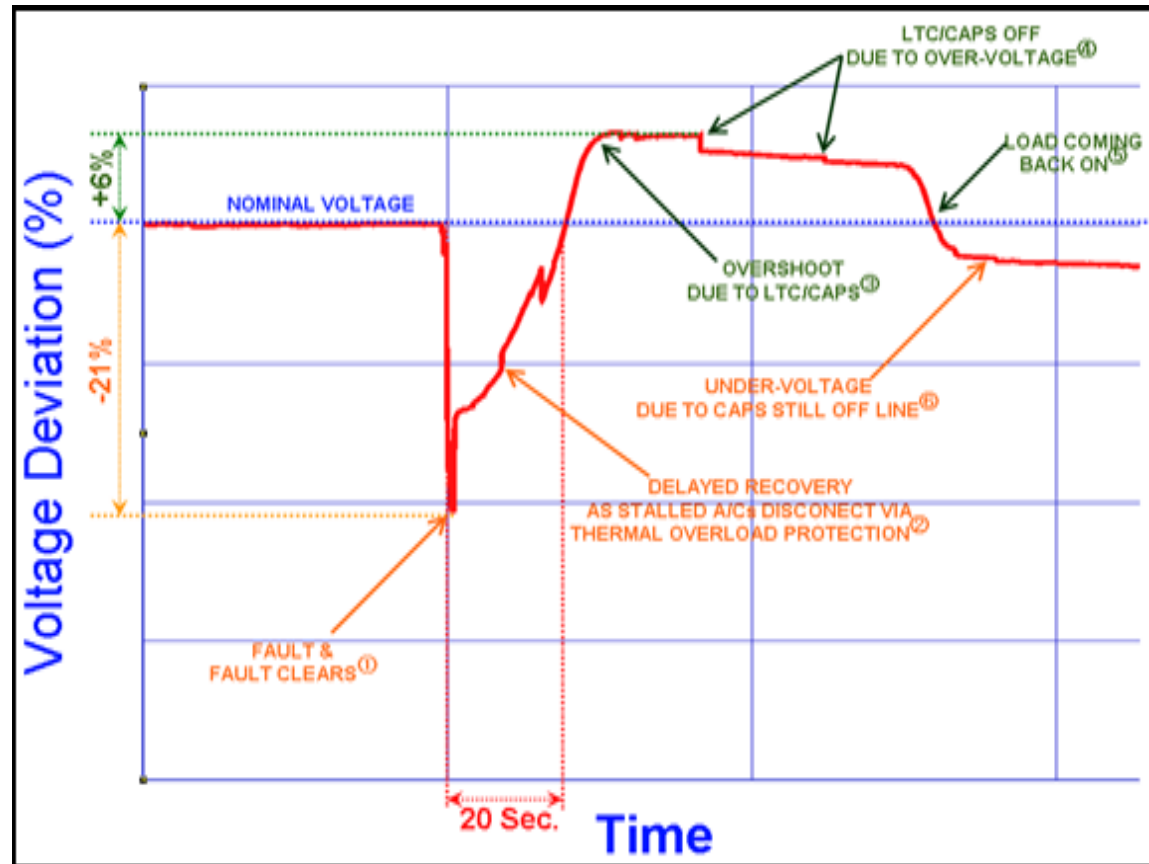
# Distribution FIDVR Monitoring

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# FIDVR Events

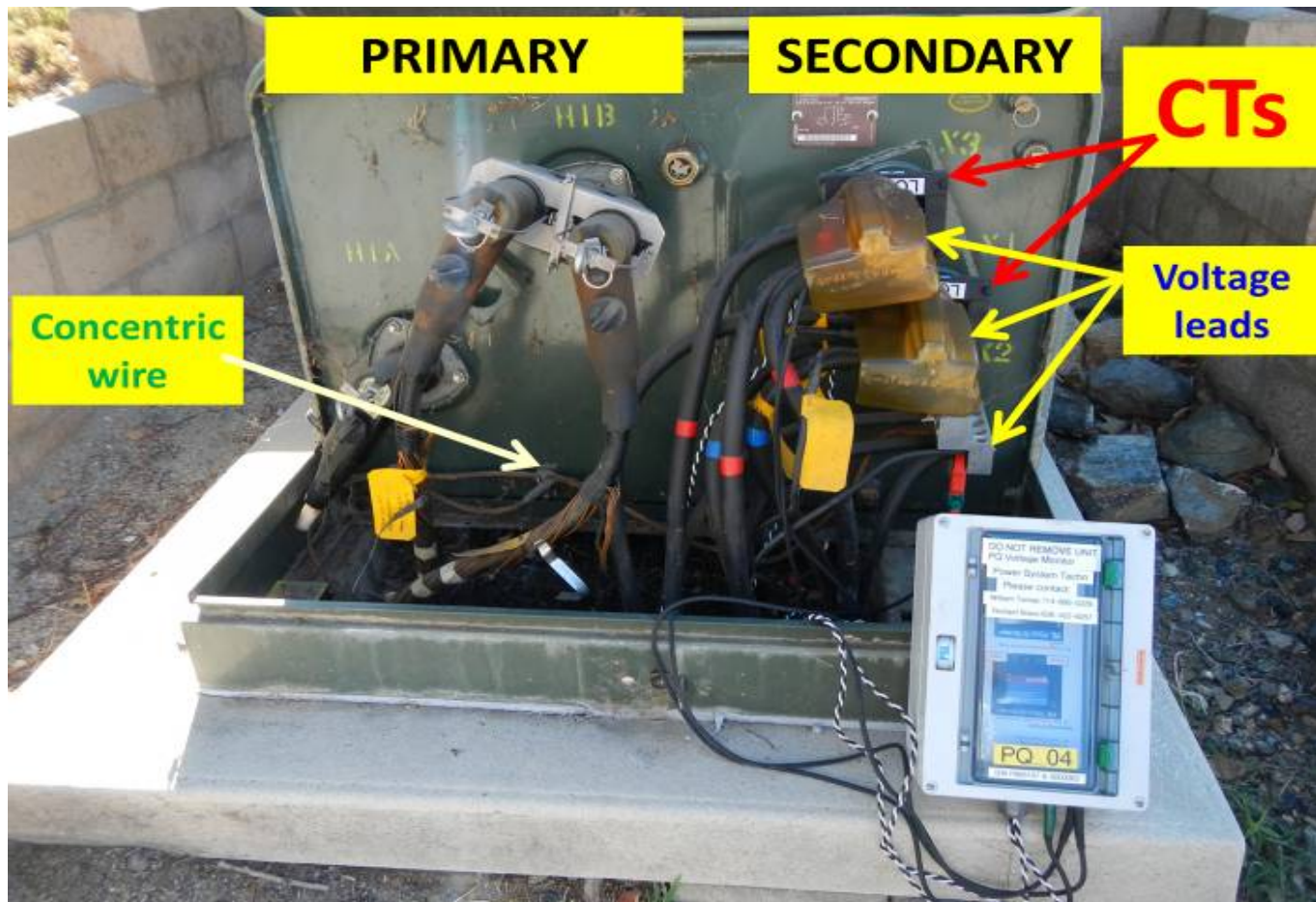
- PMUs has been recording FIDVR events for many years
- Limited information on how FIDVR events evolve in distribution system
- Distribution FIDVR events details needed to assess:
  - Spreading behavior
  - Voltage levels at T&D
  - Time of events
  - Real and reactive power demands





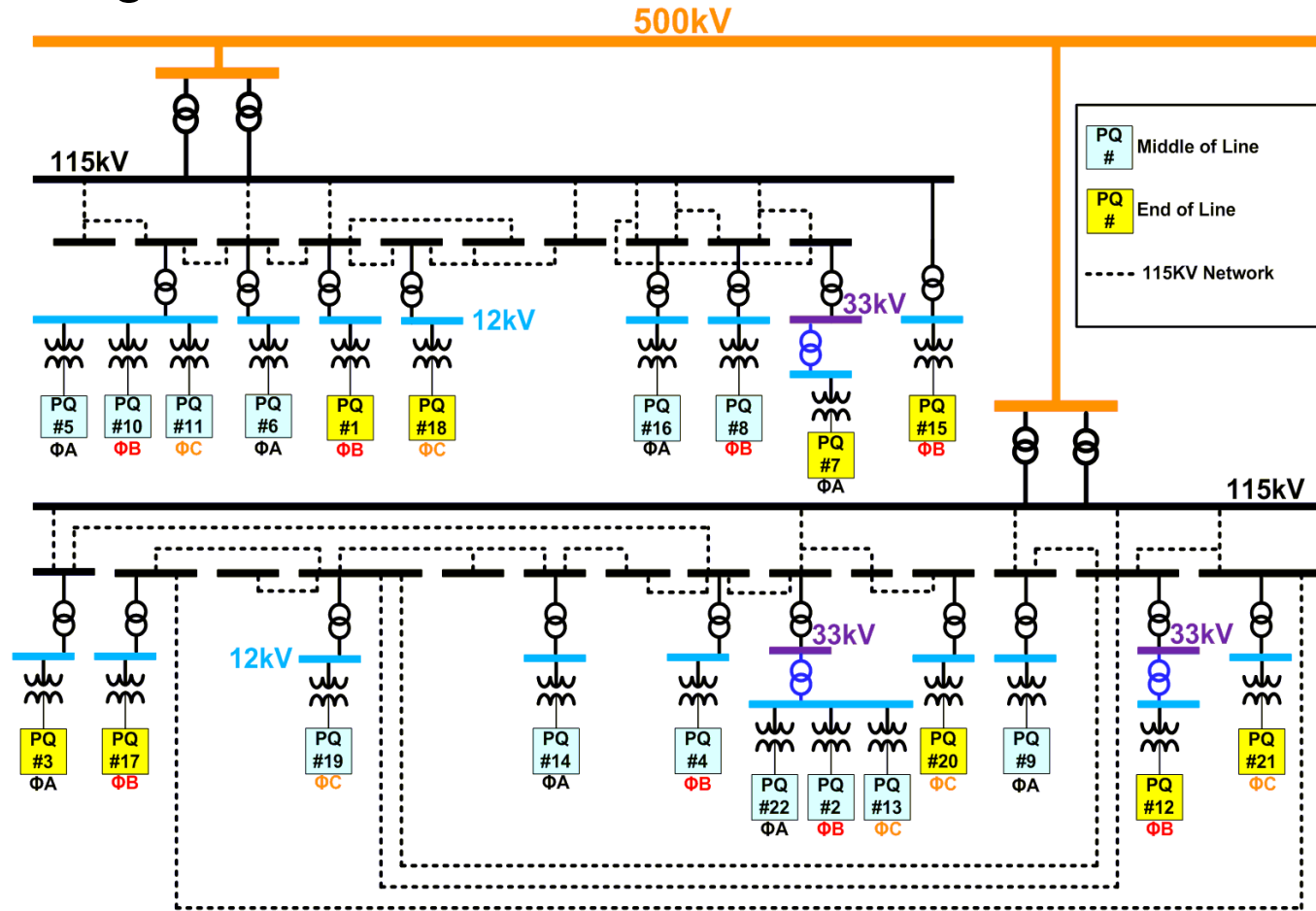
# PQ Monitors on Residential Xmers

- Installed in pad-mount residential xmers secondary side: 240V
- Record residential loads aggregated behavior
- Record: V & I
  - Line to ground voltage
  - Line current (aggregated)



# PQ Monitors Installations

- Installed in Valley system dist. circuits (1,500 MW peak load)
- PQ threshold settings:
  - UV triggers at 80%
  - OV triggers at 110%
  - Capture event
    - RMS
    - sinusoidal waveforms

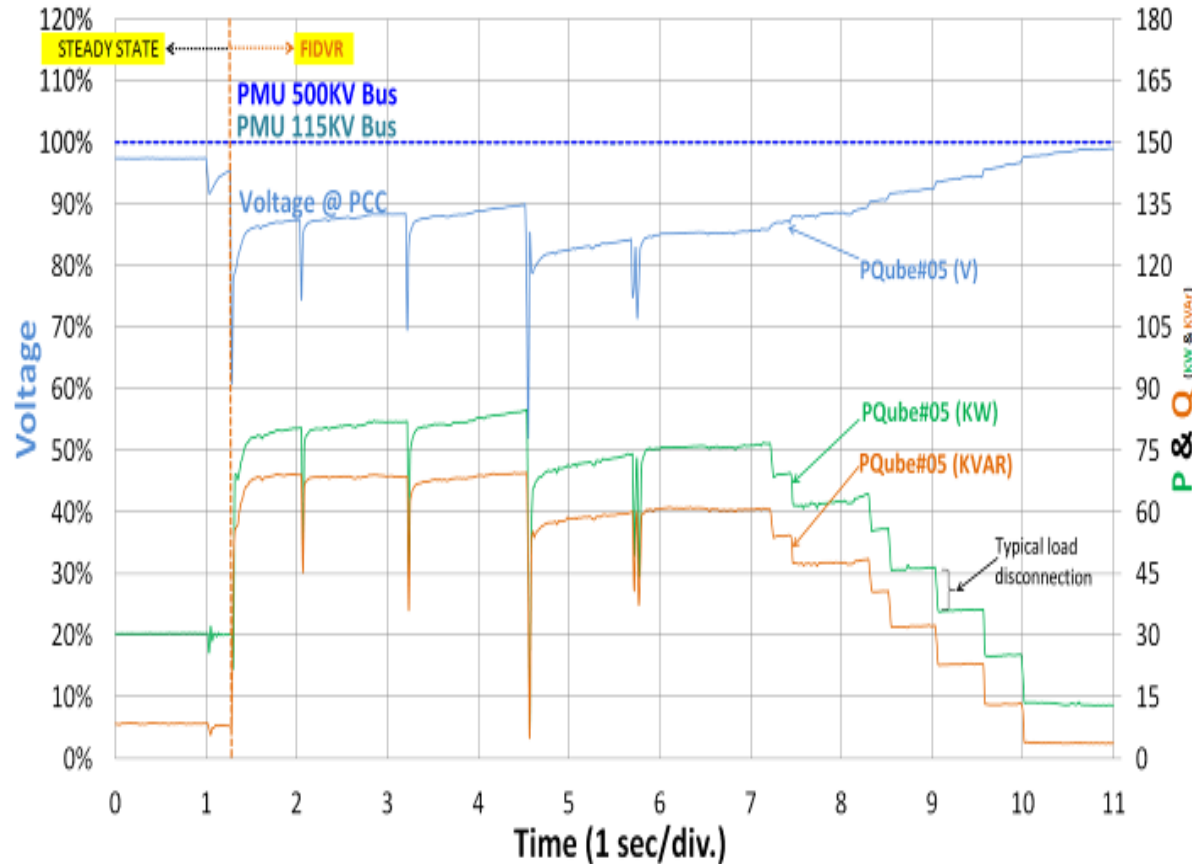


# Event #1 (RMS)

- Multiple lightning strikes caused multiple distribution faults recorded by the PQ devices, but not by transmission PMU

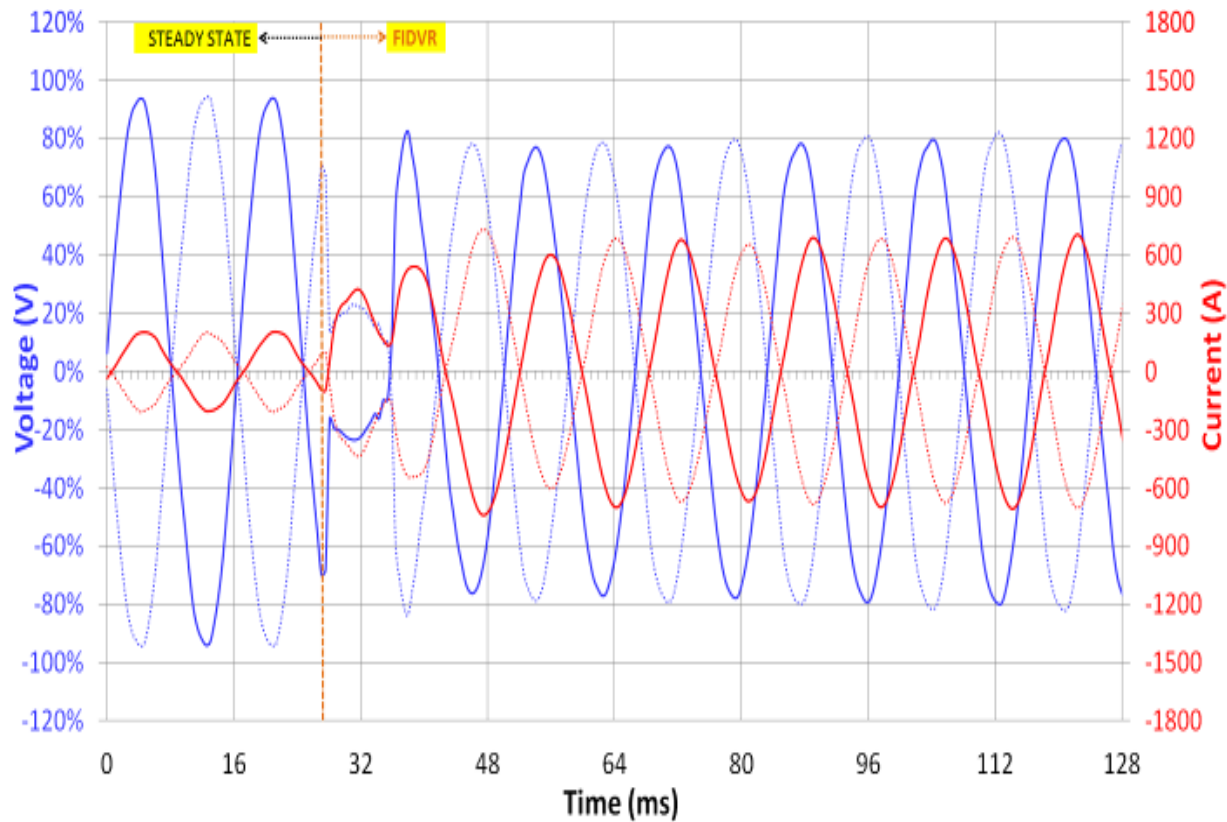
- P & Q increased during FIDVR
  - P=2.6 p.u. at V=90%
  - Q=7 p.u. at V=90%
- FIDVR lasted 9 sec
- TOPs open disconnecting loads after seven (7) second mark

- FIDVR recorded only in distribution system



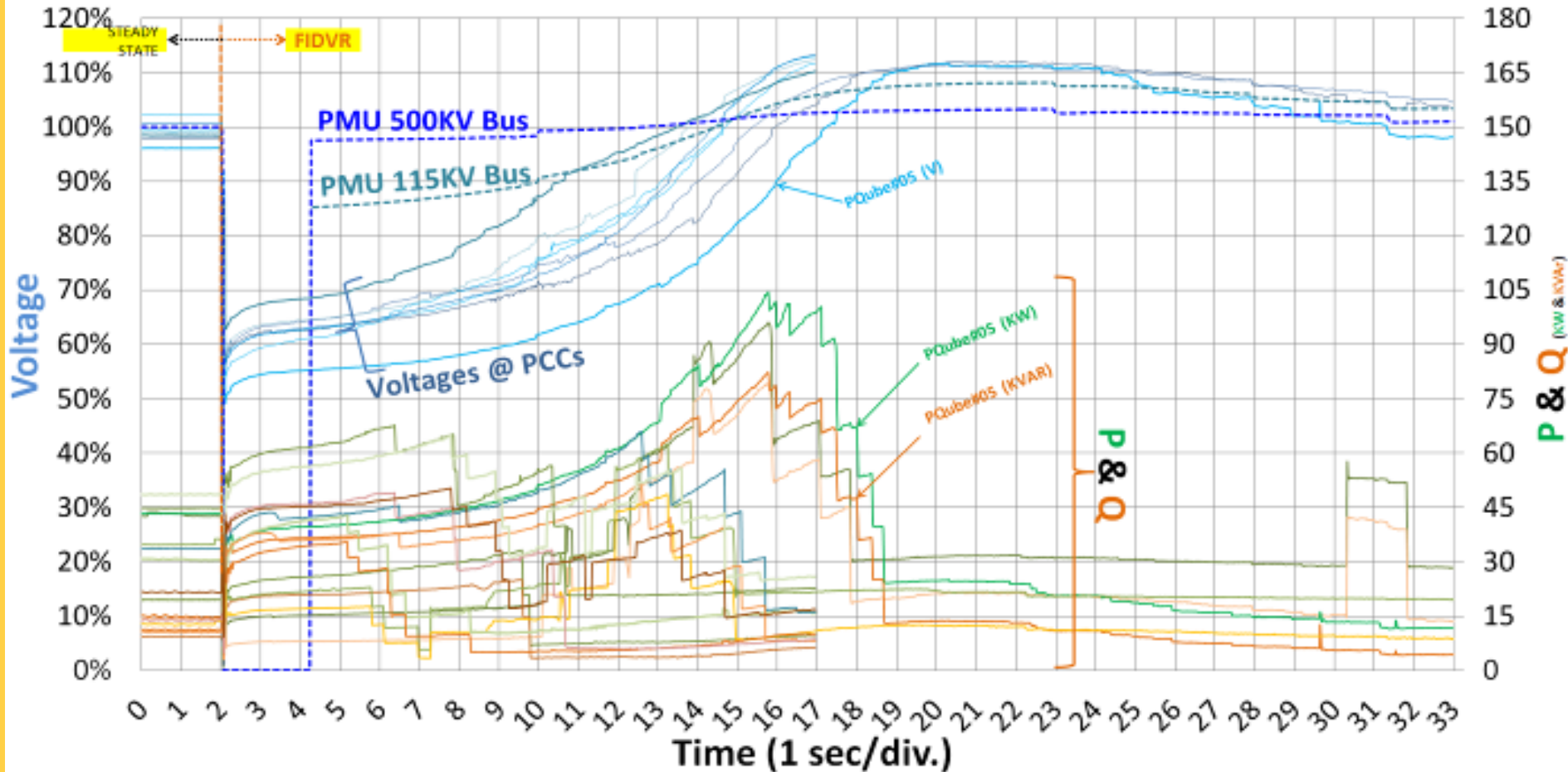
# Event #1 (sinusoidal) Leading the Way in Electricity<sup>SM</sup>

- Fault initiated at ~70 degrees of voltage waveform
- Fault must have been in adjacent circuit
- Fault cleared fast but not fast enough to prevent A/C stalling
- Stalling prevented voltage from recovering
  - Current waveform (red) increases significantly 200A → 700A
  - Voltage hold at 80%
  - Current lagging behavior increases significantly during the event



# Event #6

- Lightning causes FIDVR event recorded by BOTH distribution PQ devices and transmission PMU

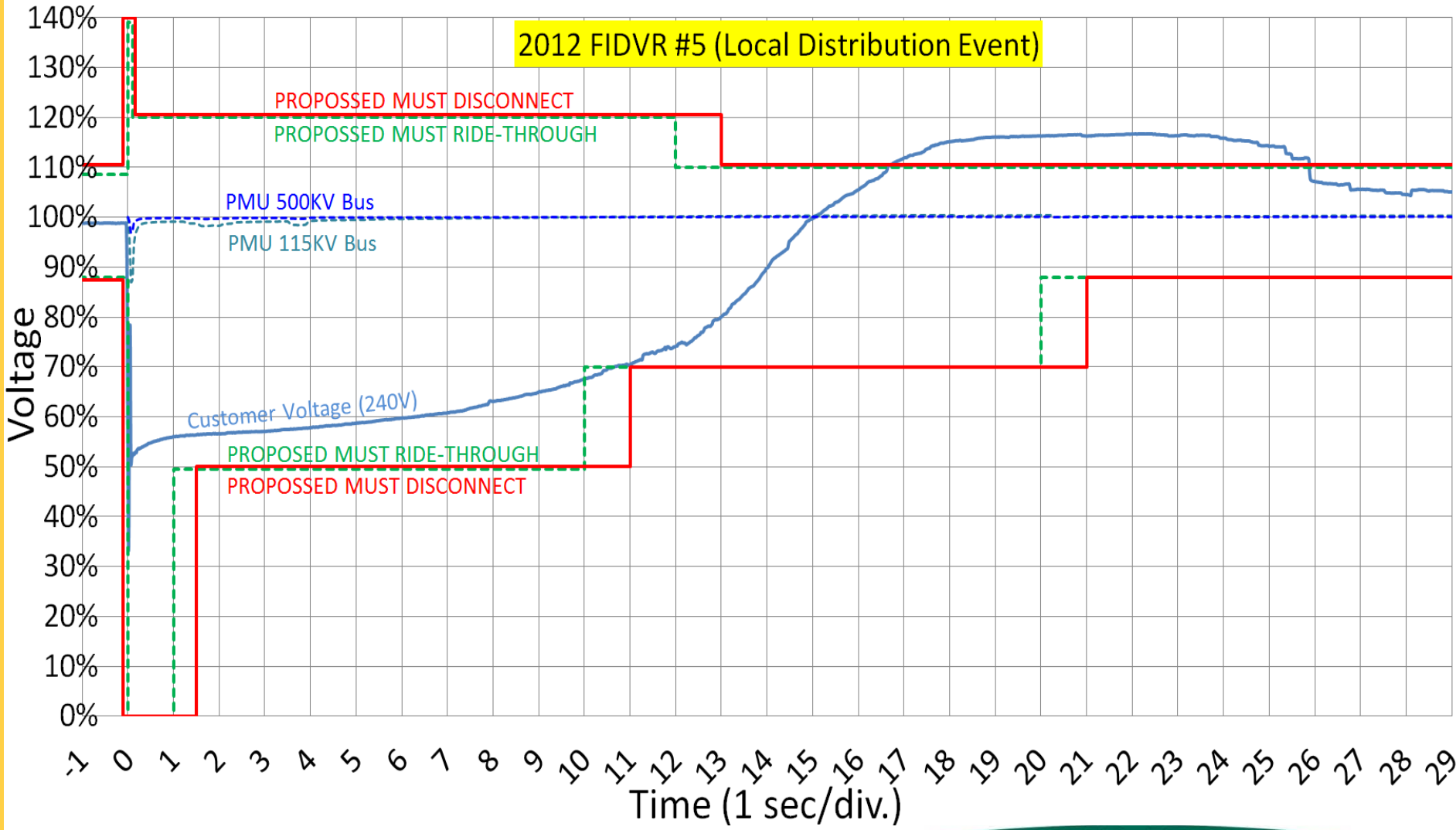


# DER Proposed VRT

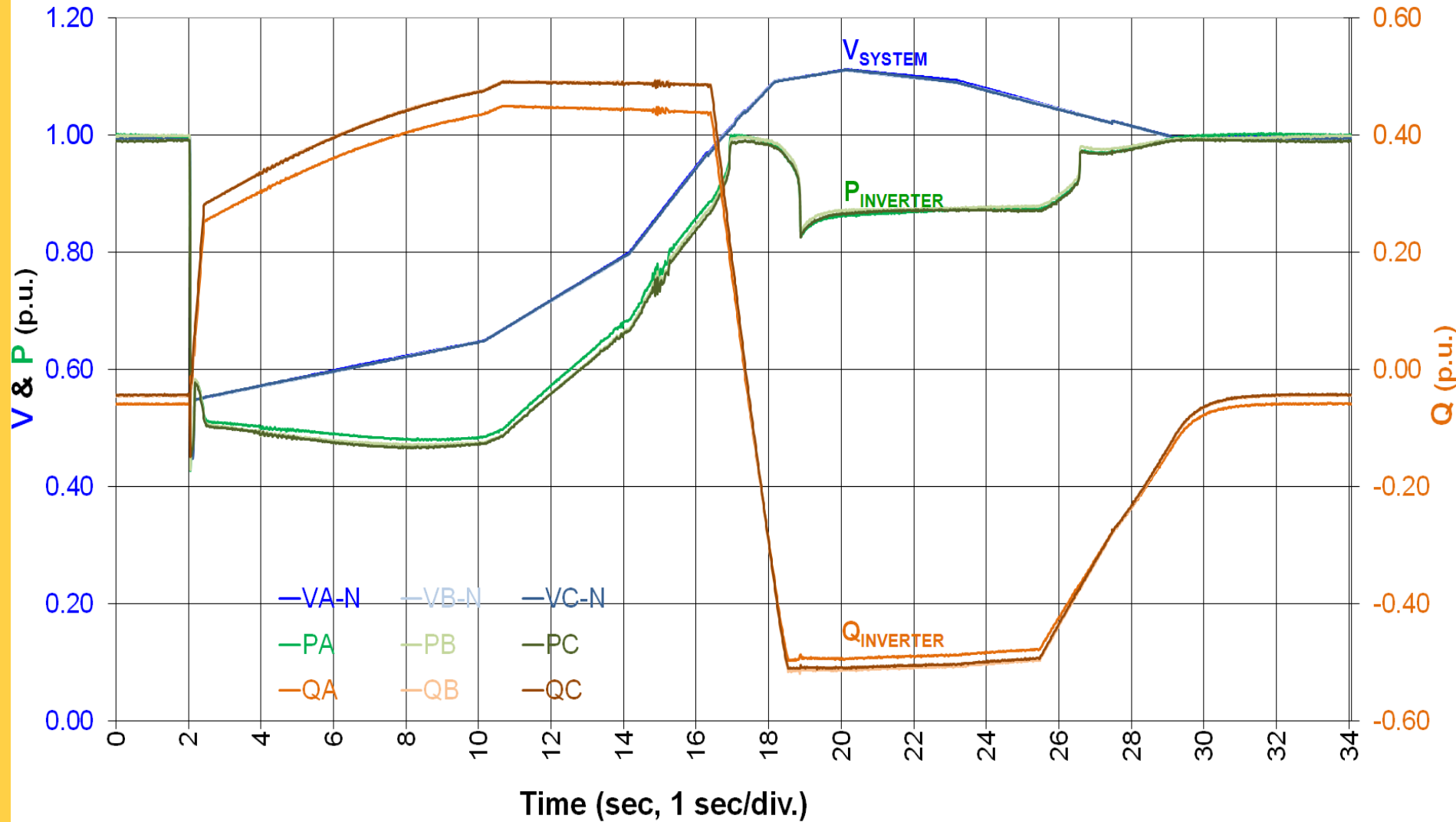
- DER penetration is increasing significantly and may become a major generating part of the grid during certain times
- Standards are being revised to allow voltage ride through

VOLTAGE (p.u.)	RIDE-THROUGH (seconds)	OPERATION	MUST DISCONNECT (seconds)
>1.2	none	Disconnect	0.16
1.1 ~ 1.2	12	Momentary Cessation	13
0.88 ~ 1.10		Continuous Operation	
0.70 ~ 0.88	20	Mandatory Operation	21
0.5 ~ 0.7	10	Mandatory Operation	11
0 ~ 0.5	1 sec	Momentary Cessation	1.5

# Ride Through Grid Voltage Events



# DER Can Provide Grid Support





# Conclusion

- No linear relationship between T&D voltages during FIDVR
- Faults at any point in the waveform can provoke FIDVR if there is large induction motor load
- Stalling happens very quick within 2 cycles
- DER should ride through voltage events
- DER should supply VARs to support the voltage during voltage events
- Voltage support typically less than 30 seconds so minimum impact to generation renewew



# Distribution Data for FIDVR & Load Modeling

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### — **NERC TPL-001**

- Addition of dynamic load model requirement in planning studies expected/planned

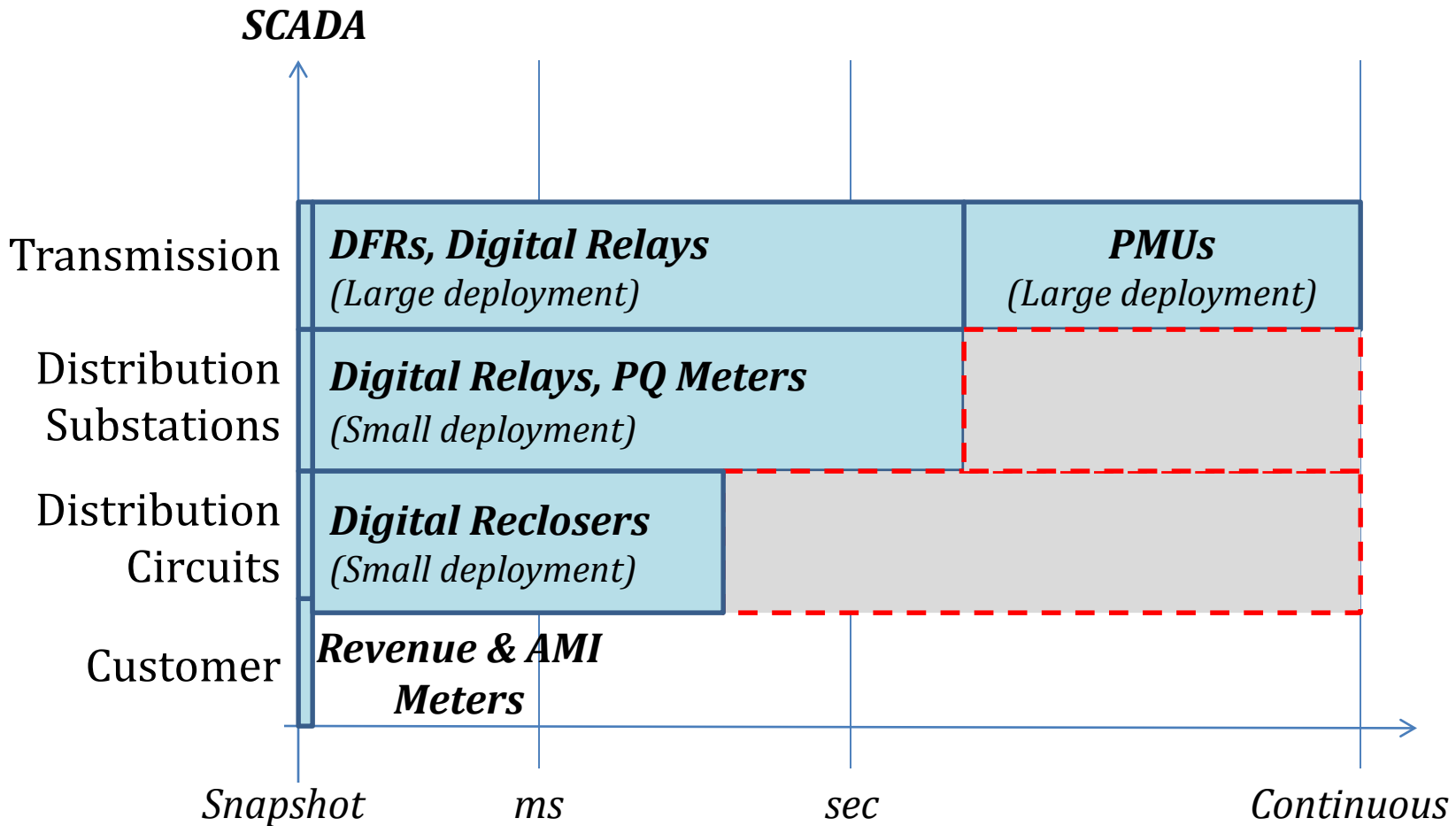
### — **Initial Simulation Observations**

- Simulations using composite load model with best guess load composition parameters show widespread FIDVR on Transmission system
- Actual Transmission level monitoring shows little to no widespread FIDVR

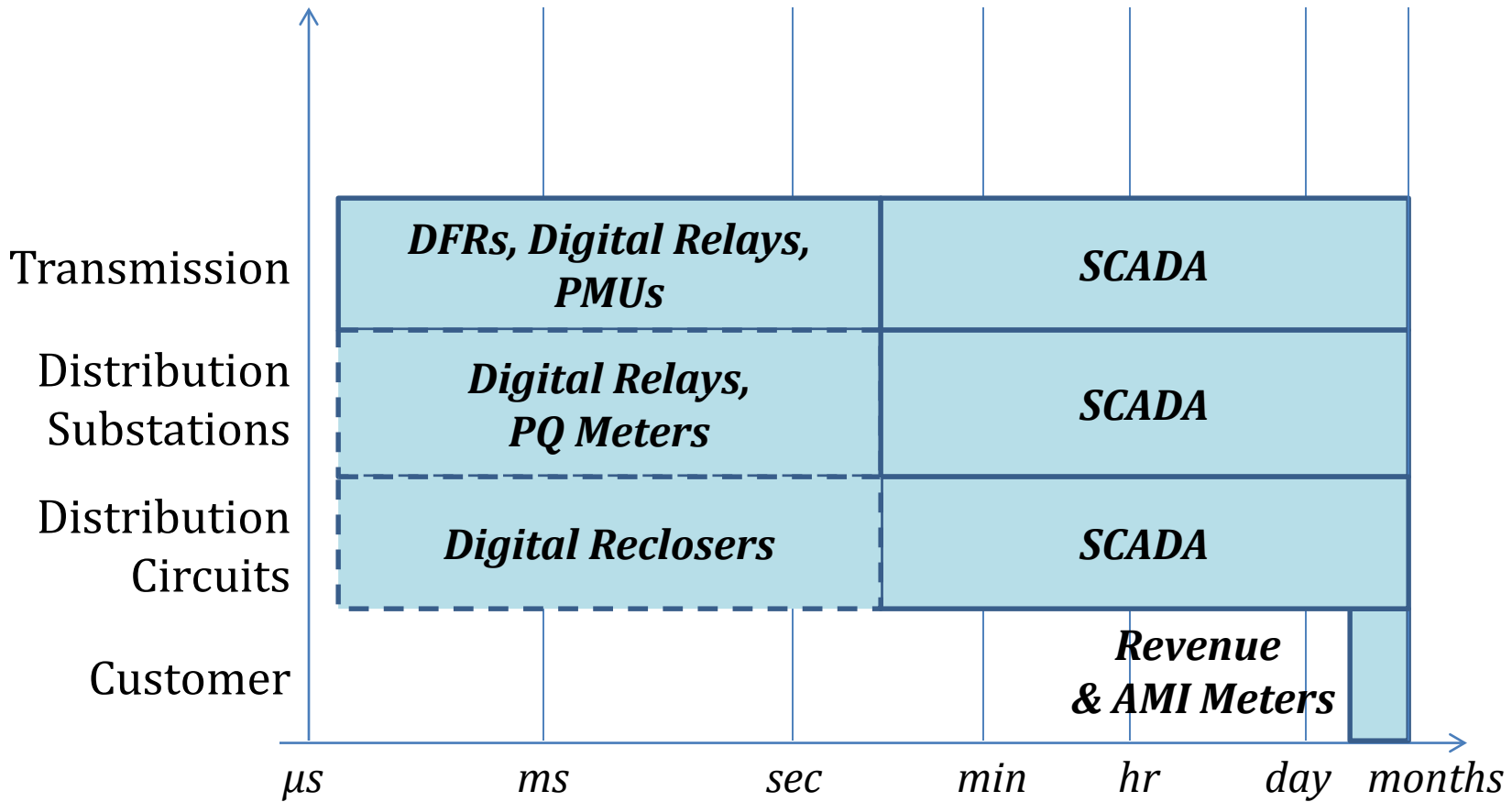
### — **Goal:**

- Improve distribution level monitoring capability
- Use captured data to understand phenomena & model parameters
- Use improved model parameters to perform better informed studies

# Distribution Data Gap – Capture Duration



# Distribution Data Gap – Monitoring Resolution



## — Portable Digital Fault Recorders (DFRs)

- 3 Portable DFRs purchased
- Placed in distribution substations throughout our system
- Can monitor 3-phase voltages and 3-phase currents at two distribution feeders
- High resolution oscillography
- Continuous RMS
- Synchrophasors
- Local storage and communications



# Initial Field Installations

2012-2014



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2012-2014



- **High quality data captured over 3 summers**
  - Moved the Portable DFRs around every summer
- **Devices never failed**
- **Communications had high uptime, local storage a perfect backup**
  
- **Excellent service to customers**
  - No significant events captured!
    - Very few events occurred at all
    - The couple of events occurred at very end of the circuits



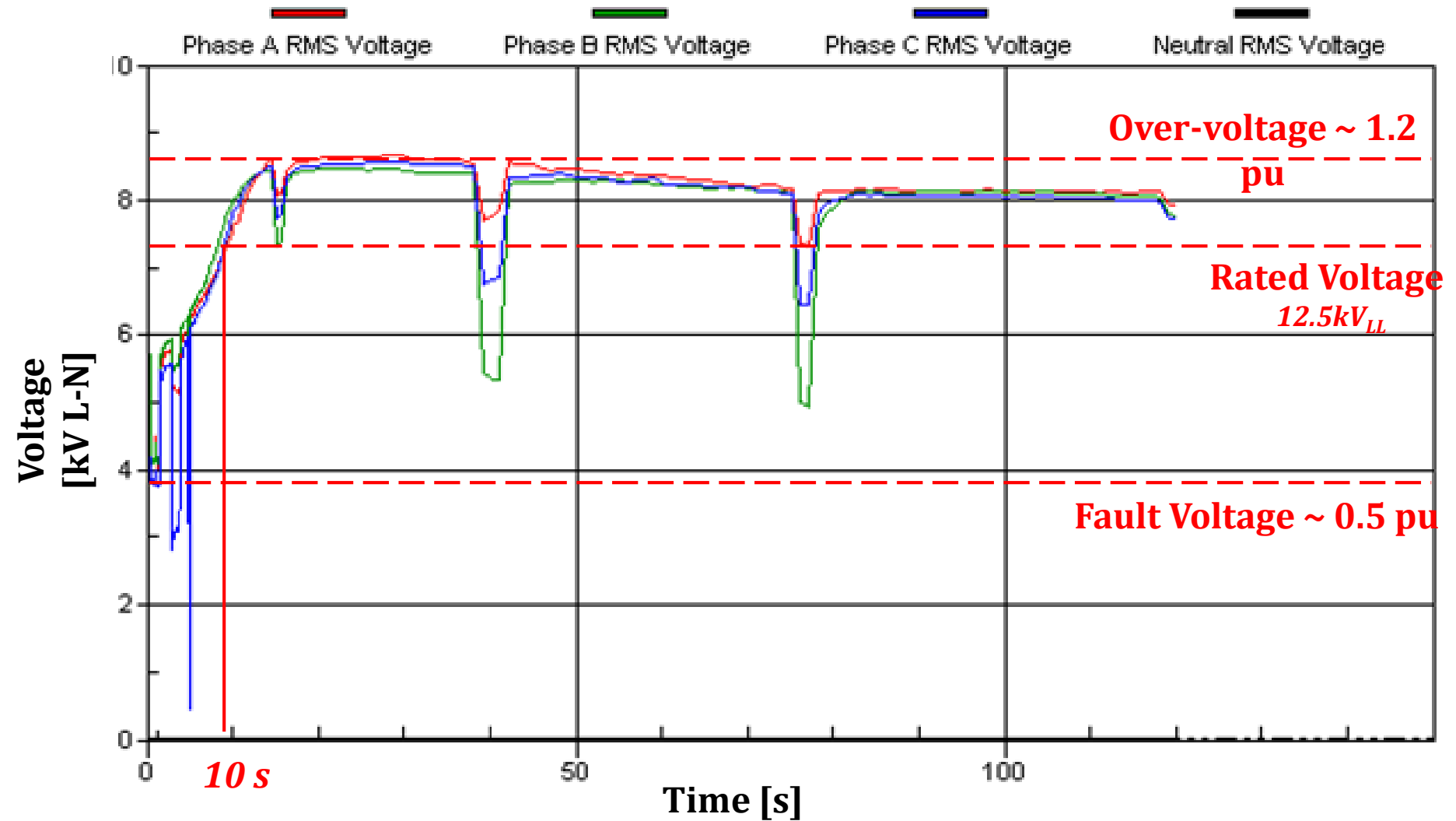
# Distribution PQ Meter Data

2013 and on

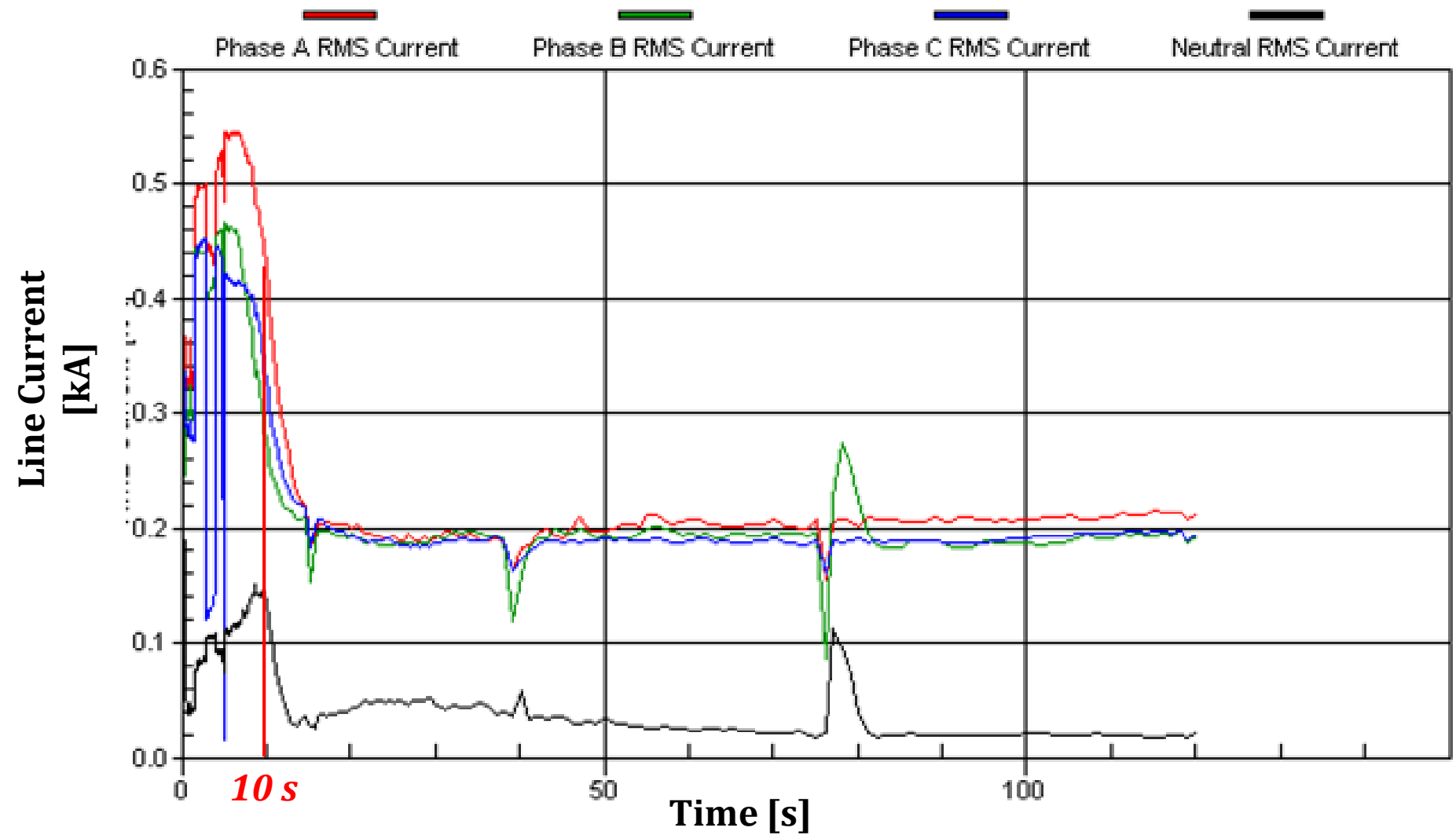


- **Power Quality meters installed on low-side of Distribution Transformers**
  - Primary purpose for helping with customer service issues
- **PQ data automatically collected via network and dial-up**
- **Historical data going back to 2005**

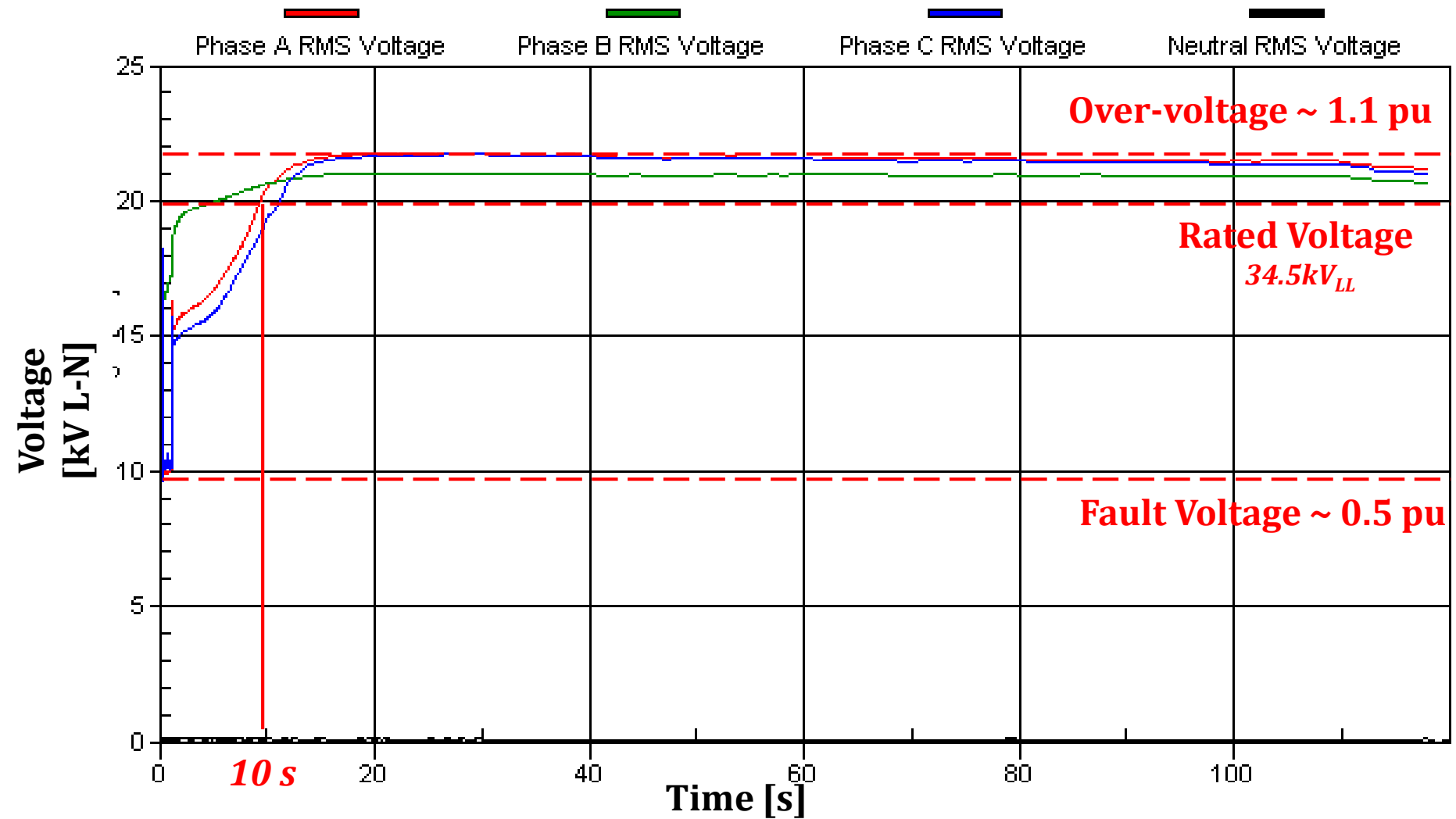
# Example 1 - July 2006 4pm



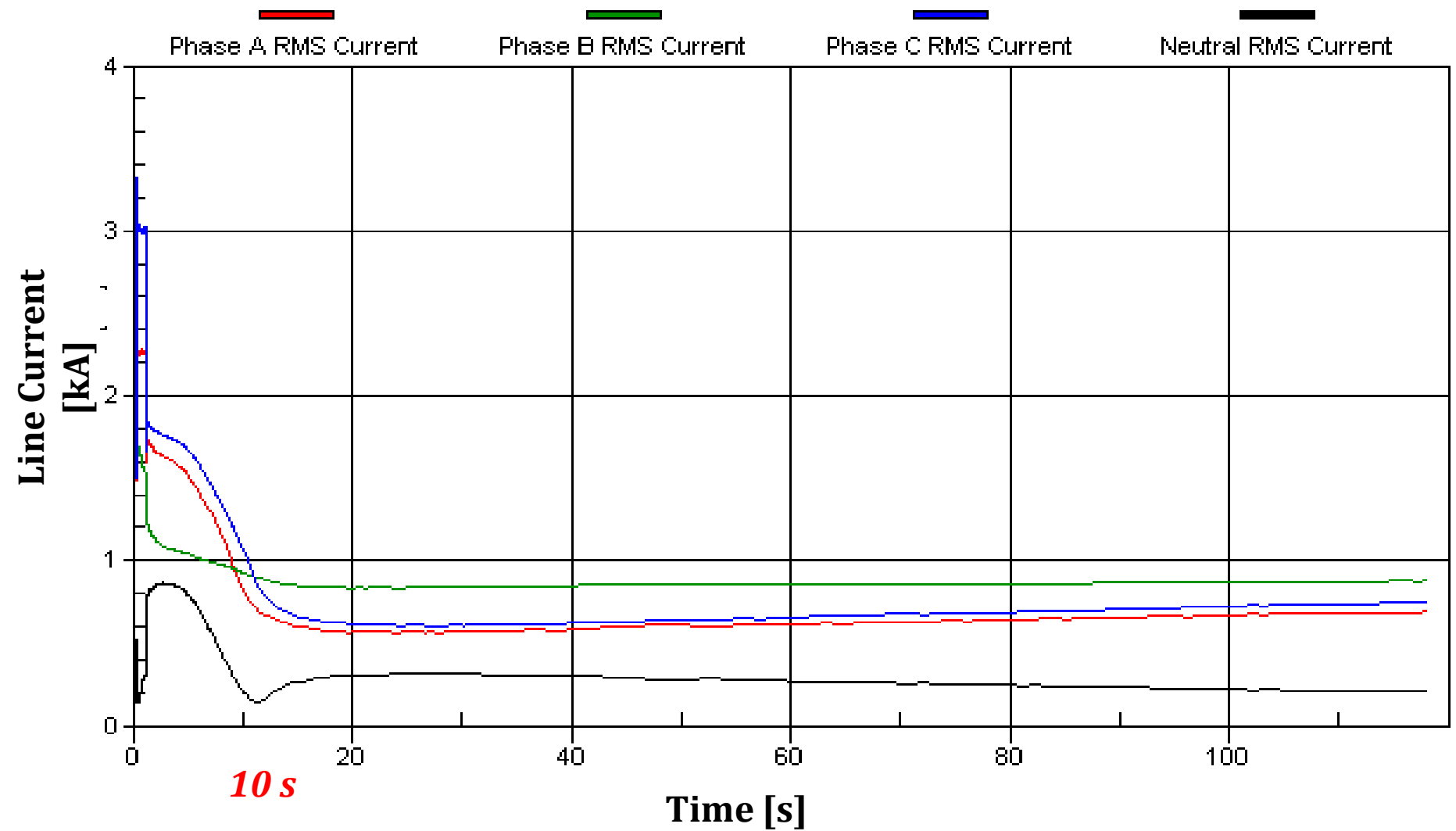
# Example 1 - July 2006 4pm



# Example 2 - August 2006 6pm



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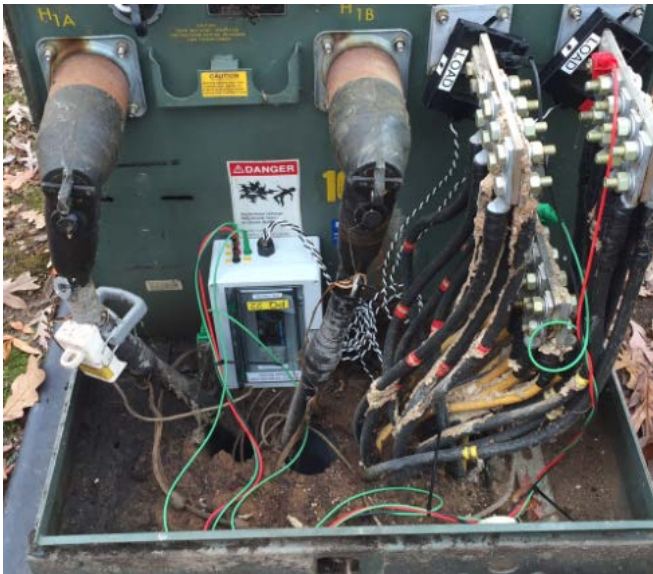
- **Did not find any FIDVR events in the PQ meter network since the 2006-2008 timeframe**
  - Problem solved?
- **Past: Magnitude trigger with duration setting**
  - Can capture longer term dynamics following faults
- **Current: Trigger on  $V < 0.9$  pu, stop capture upon recovery back to 0.9 pu**
  - Very useful for fault analysis, but not for longer dynamics such as A/C motor stalling

# Latest Field Installations

Summer 2015

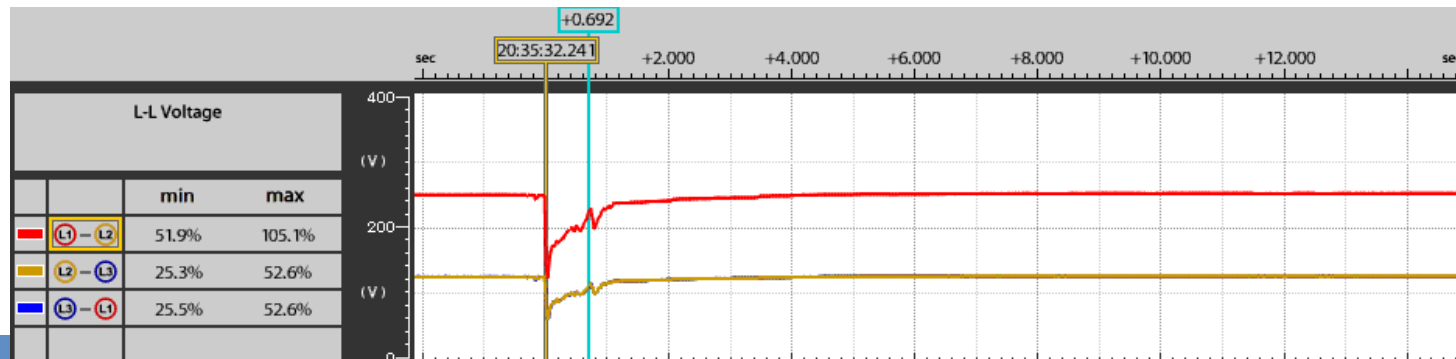
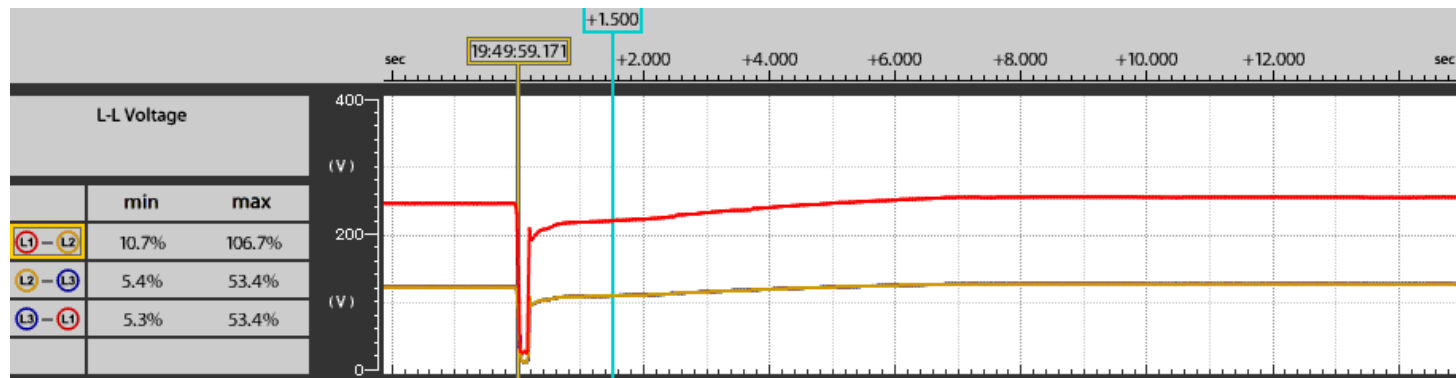
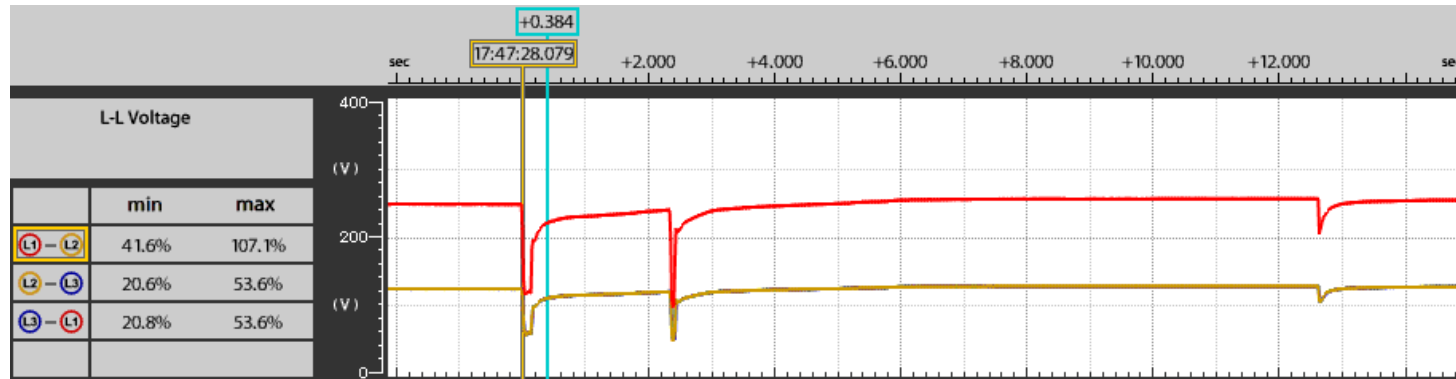


- 10 PQube devices from Joe Eto & Richard Bravo
- Installed on pad mount transformers around our territory
- Selected circuits with portable DFRs and/or digital relays on distribution feeder
- Data being collected at this time



# Latest Field Installations

Summer 2015





# Going Forward



Standardization = Proliferation

- **Transmission PMUs as % of Total Capital Expenditure =< 0.1%**
  - \$1M/yr expected on PDC infrastructure & architecture
- **Distribution Substation Hurdles**
  - Use 300-series SEL relays (387/351) w/o PMU capability
  - Use Power Quality meters (SEL 734/735) w/o PMU capability
  - Adding PMU functionality to these devices will proliferate PMU technology into Distribution
- **Fix/standardize meter and relay settings**
- **Automate data/file collection**
- **Distributed Generation increasing need/push for high resolution data on distribution (ex: PMUs)**



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# FIDVR

## Voltage Dip Recordings

John Undrill, Weijia Wang  
September 2015

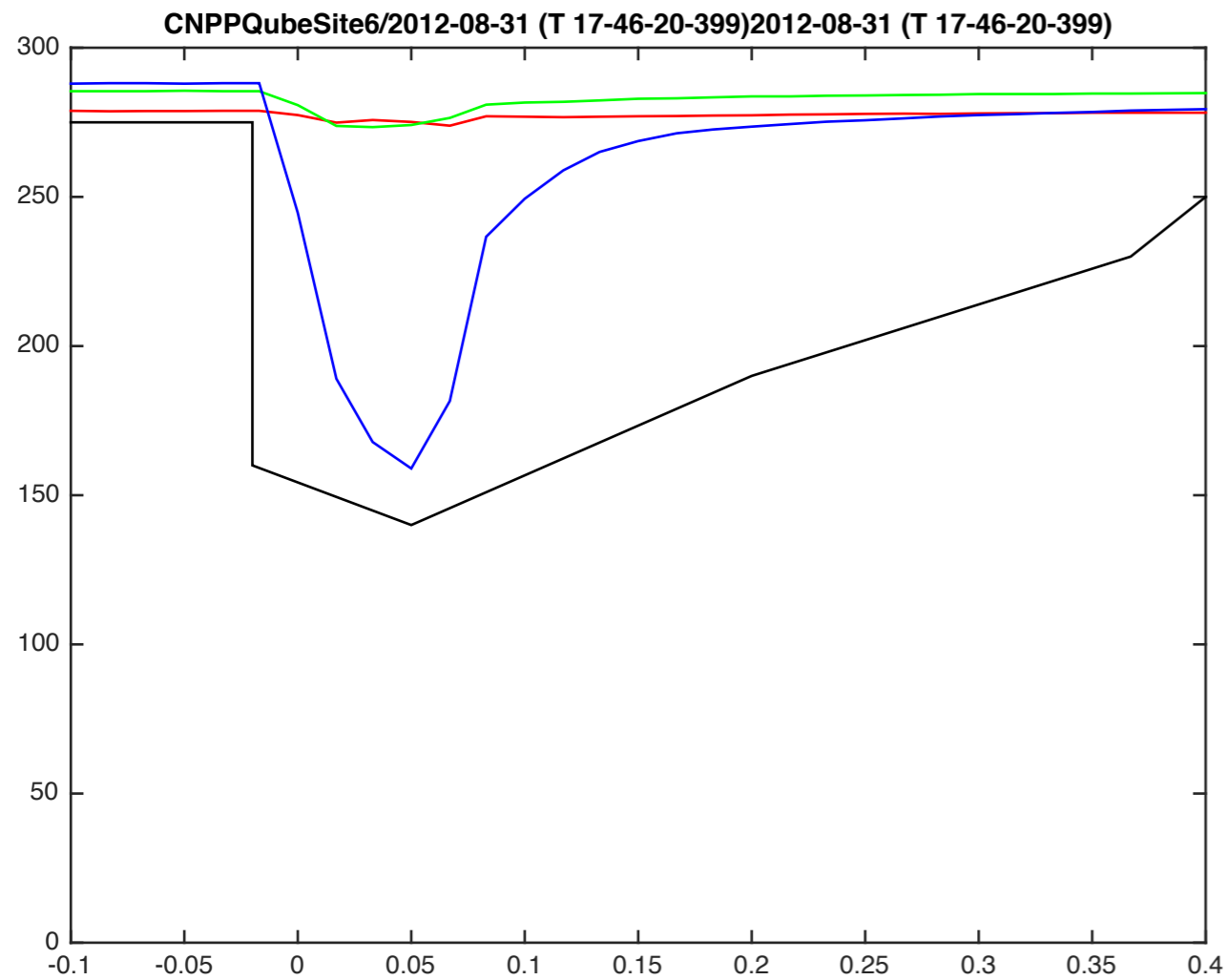
PQube power quality recorders placed at 10 locations in Centerpoint distribution system in 2011

1830 events recorded in 2011 - 2013

Many events are not of interest with regard to FIDVR

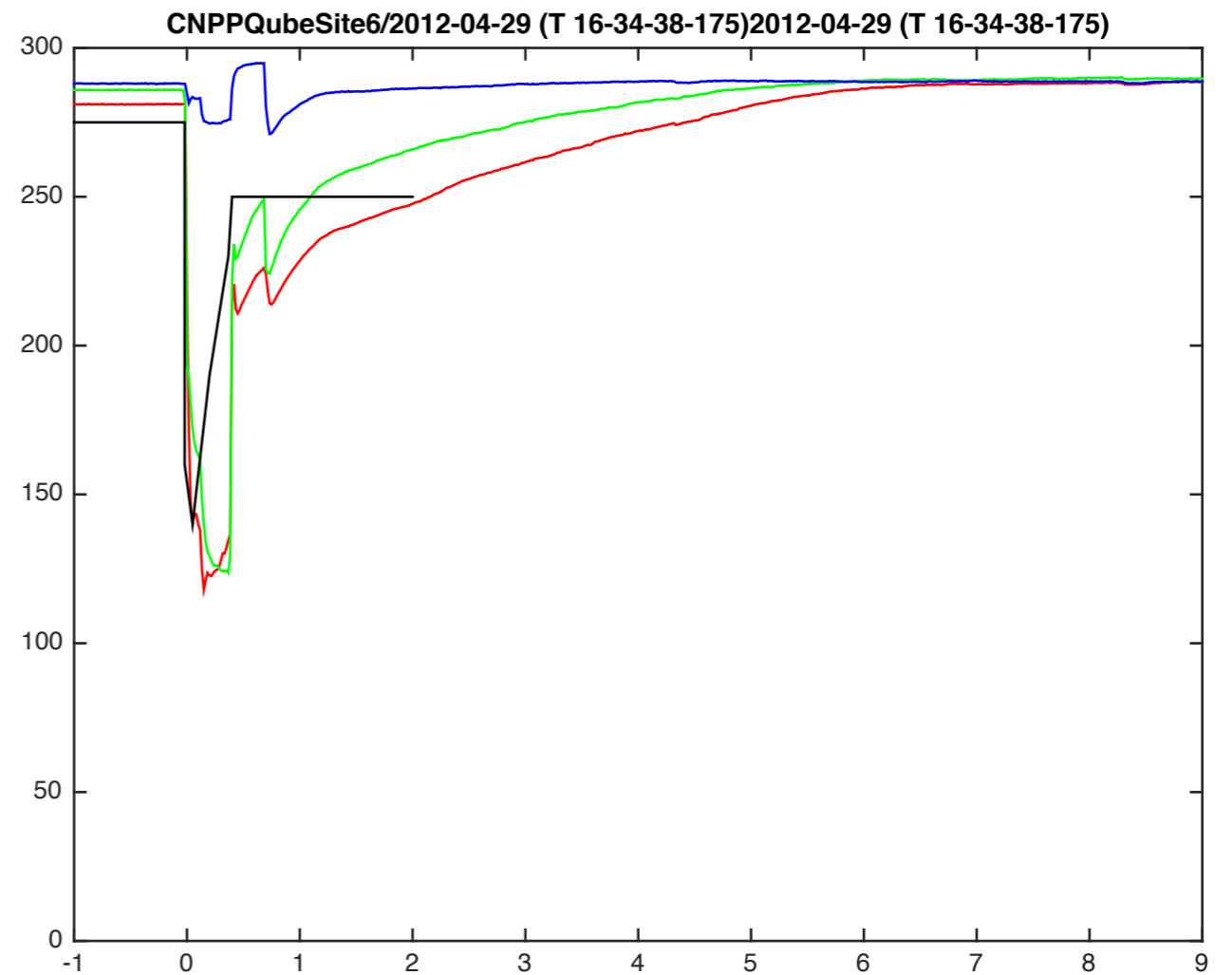
- single point data dropouts
- noise spikes
- normally cleared fault events

Not of interest

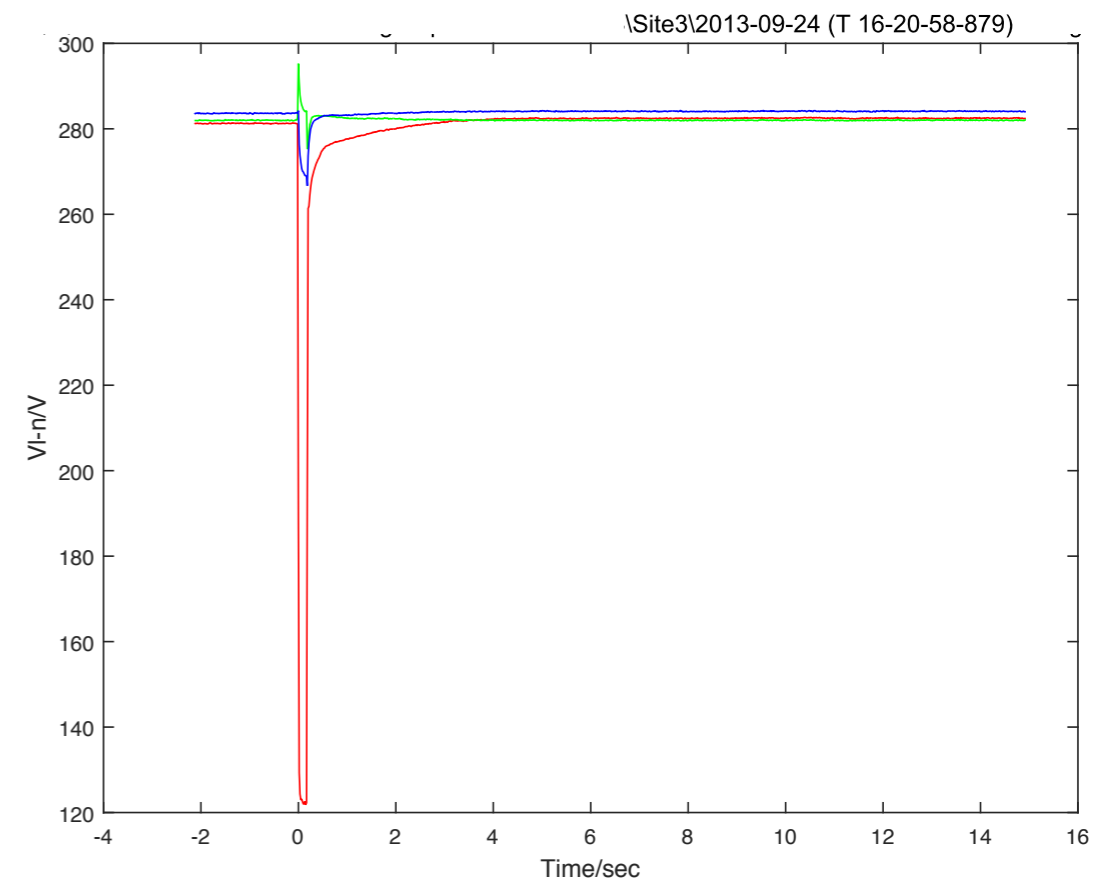
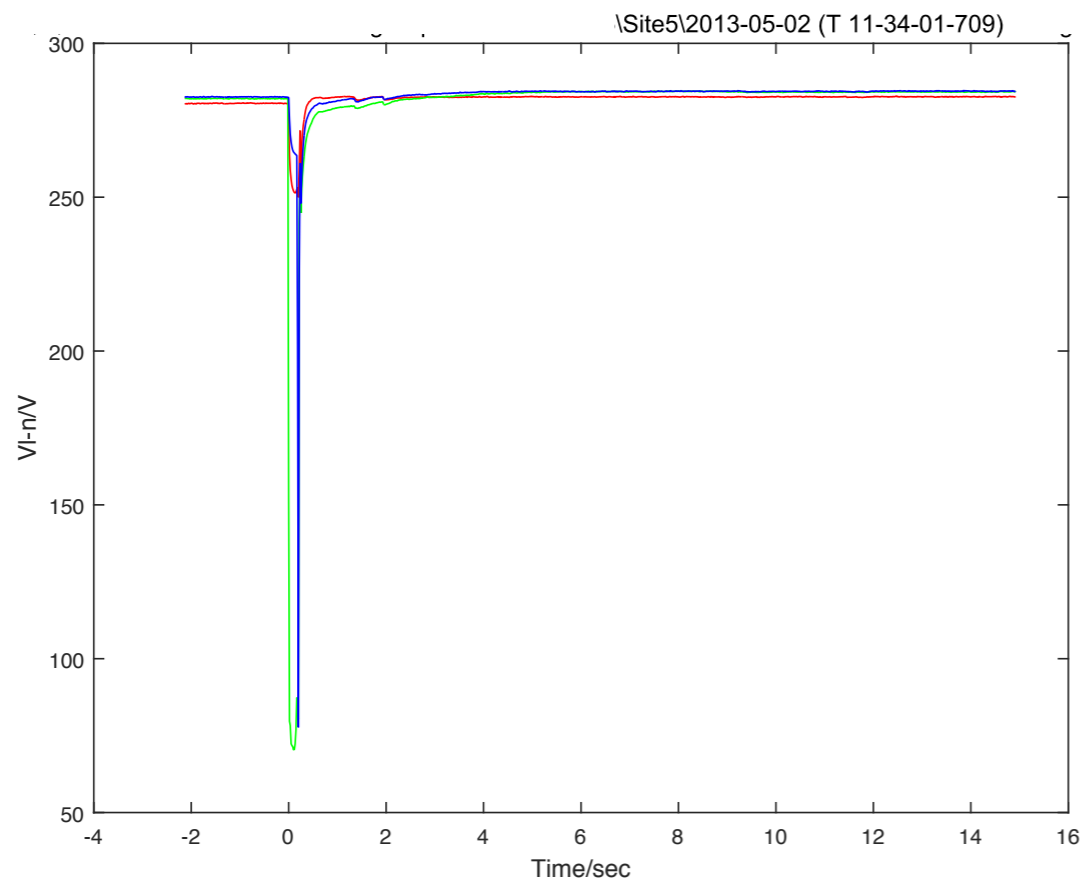
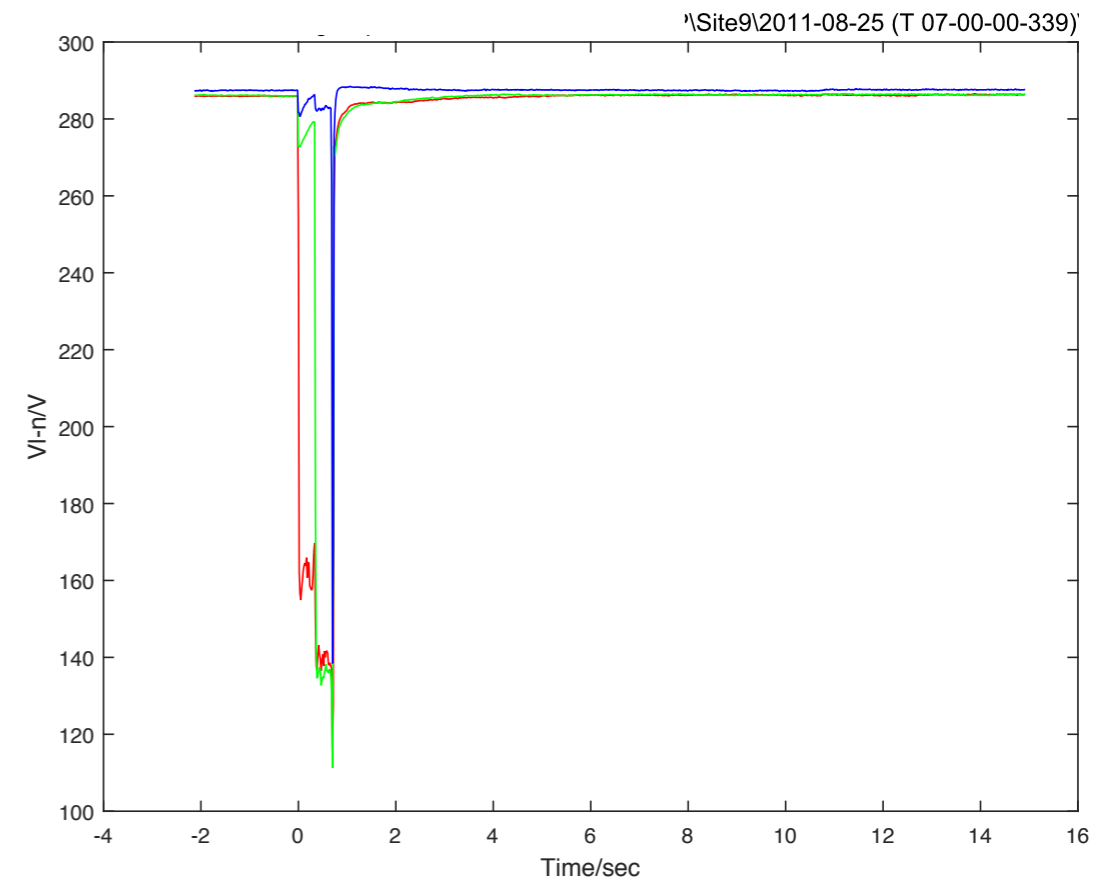
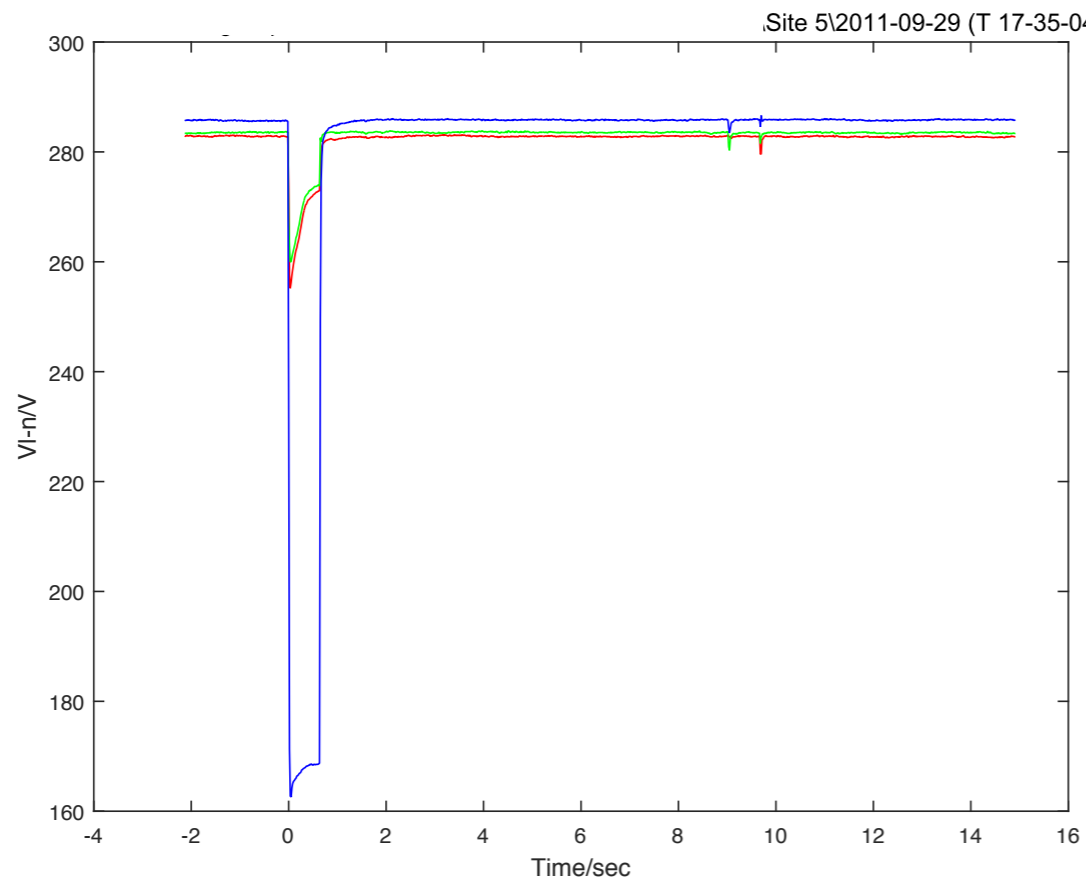


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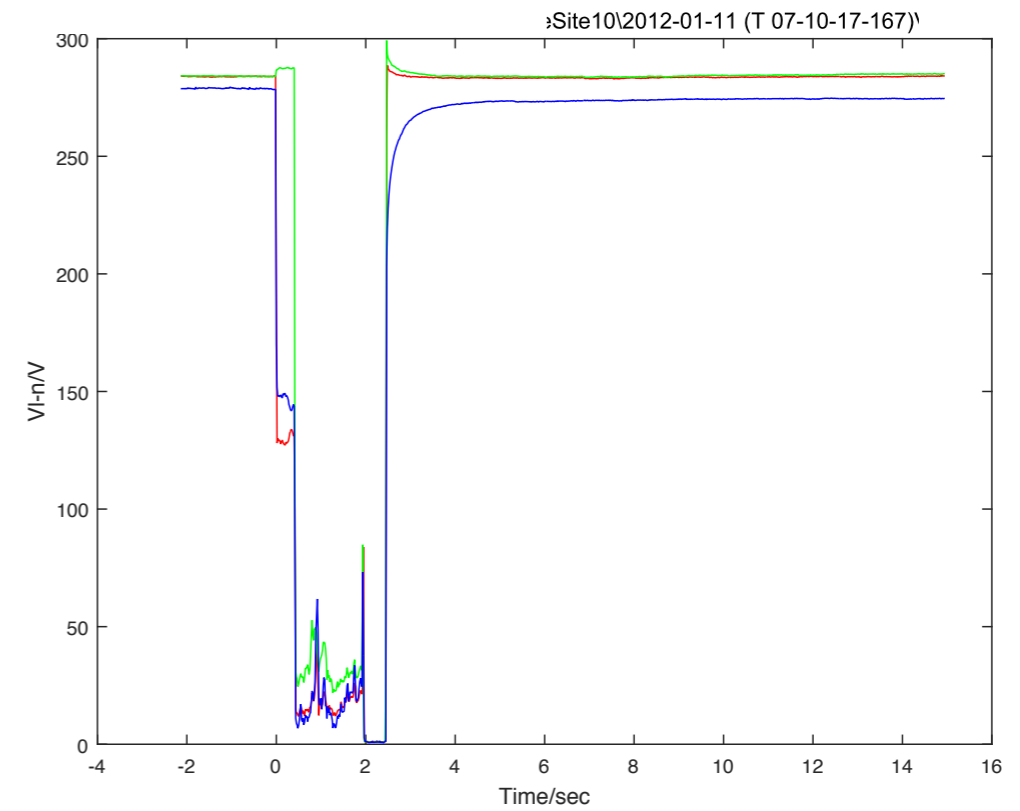
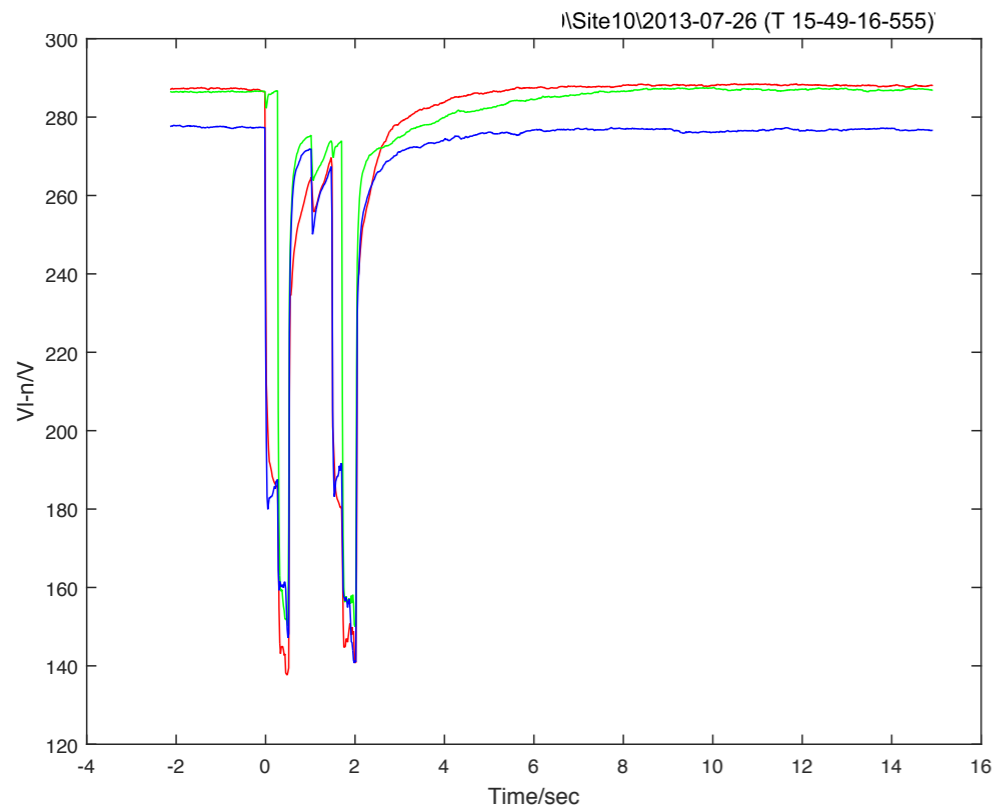
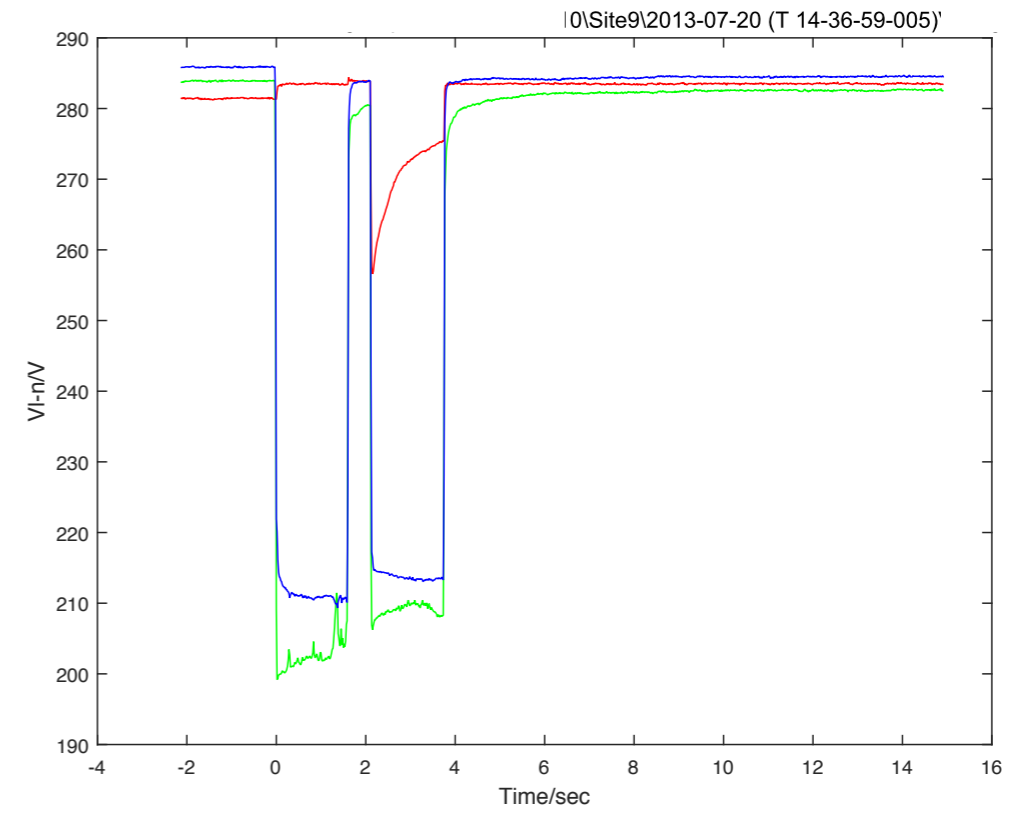
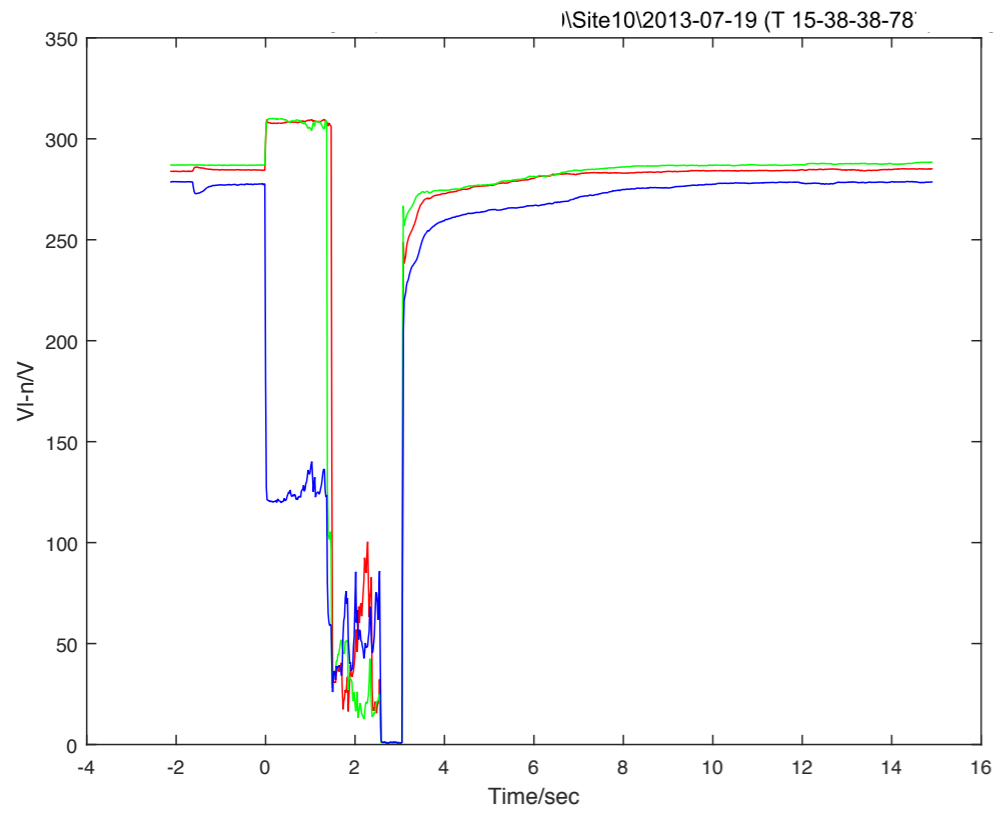
first pass filtering  
selected 317 events



# Non-FIDVR events

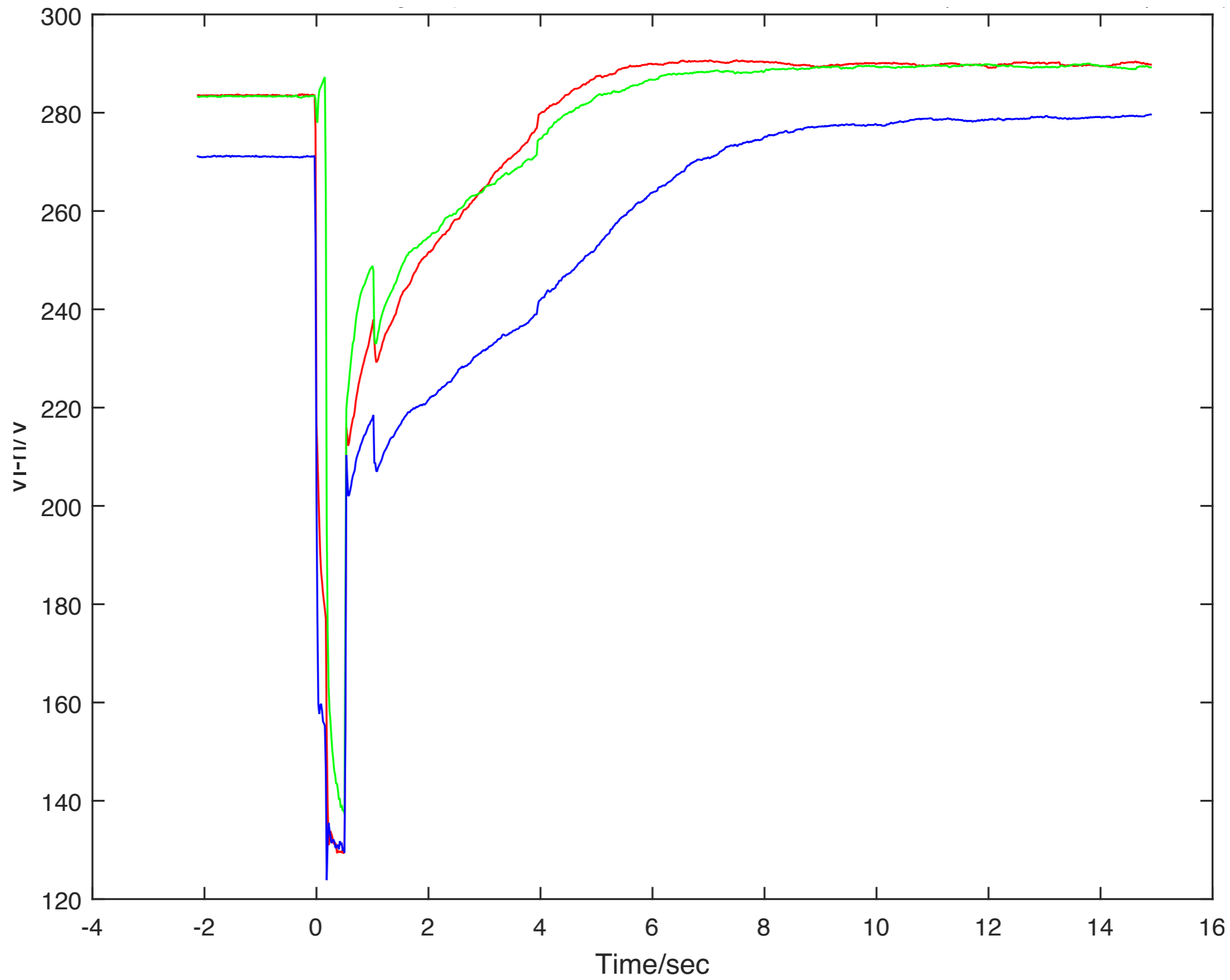


# Complicated events



Events of interest



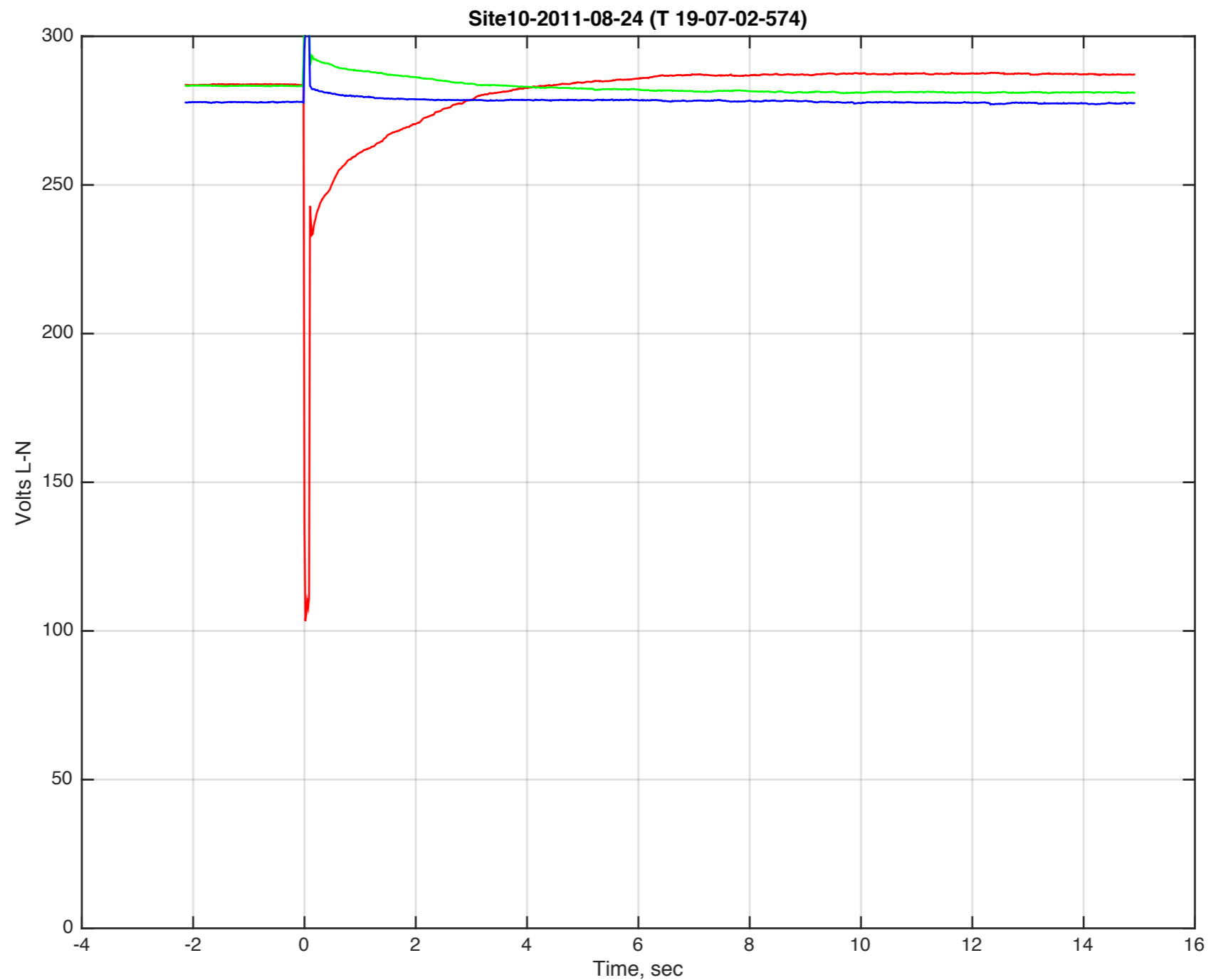


Event 291

Dip Duration 0.117 second (7 cycles)

Initial voltage a,b,c 283.7 283.3 277.8

Final voltage a,b,c 287.4 281.1 277.7

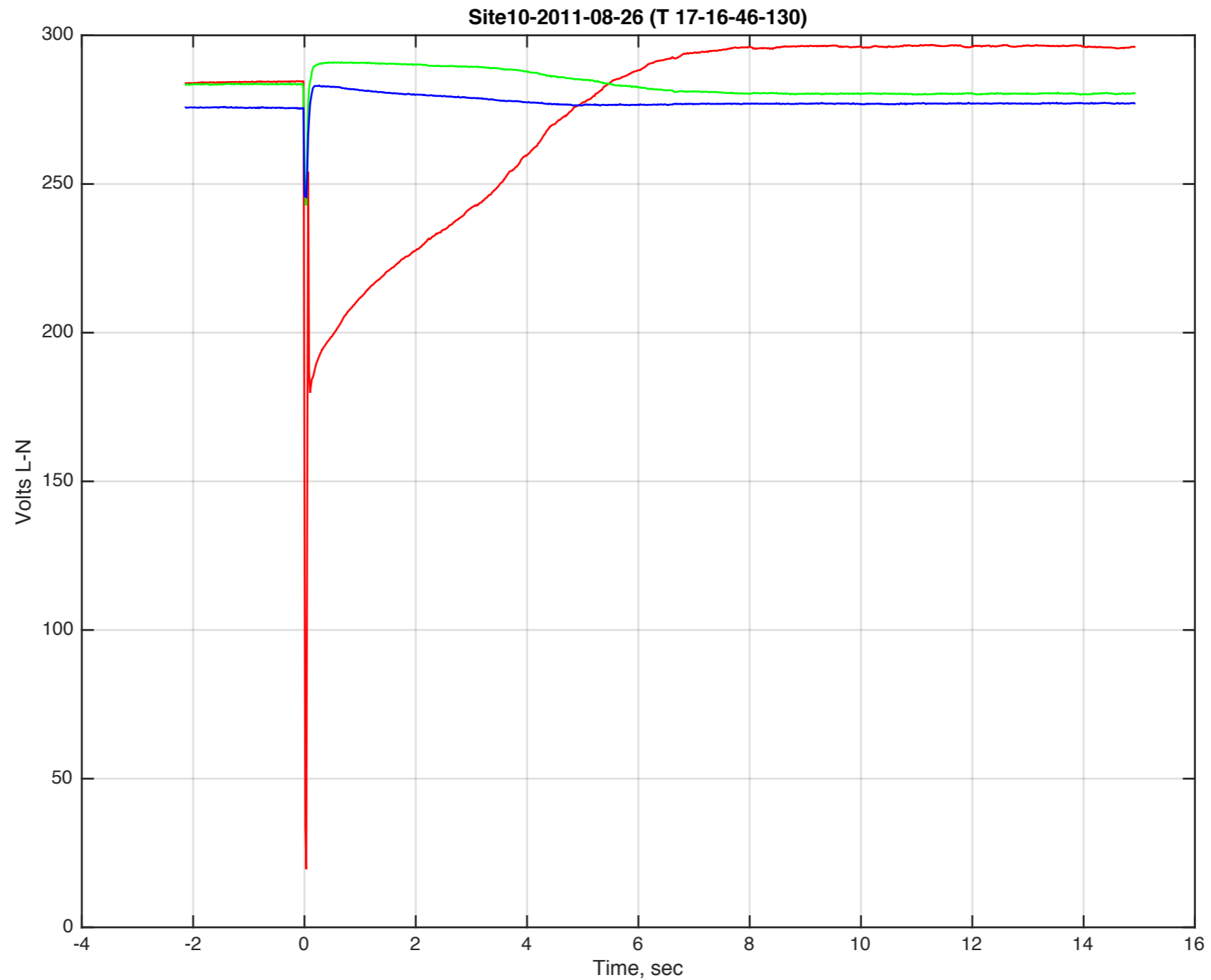


# Event 265

Dip Duration 0.067 second (4 cycles)

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Final voltage a,b,c 296.4 280.3 277.7

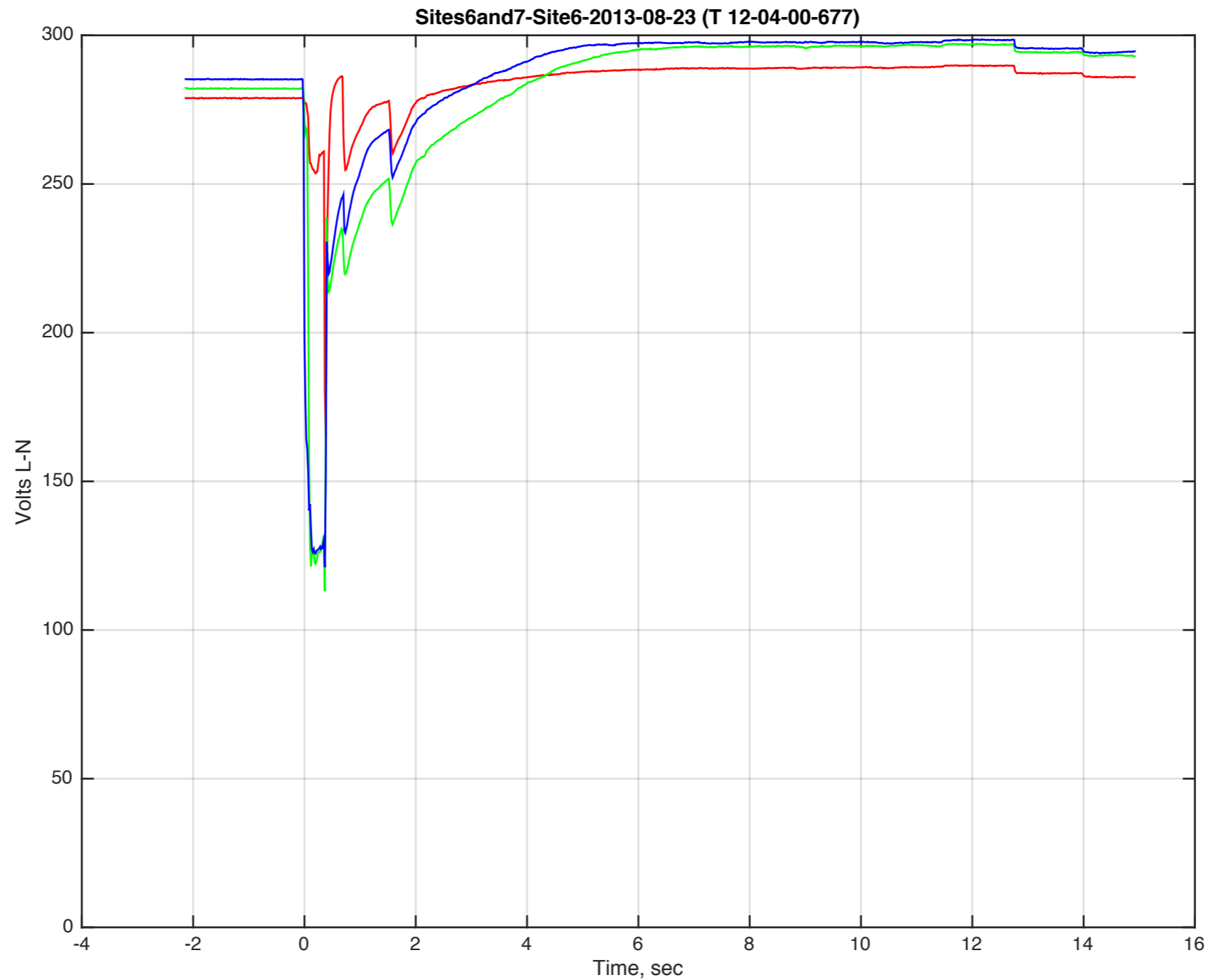


# Event 55

Dip Duration 0.4 second (24 cycles)

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Final voltage a,b,c 289.2 296.9 298.5

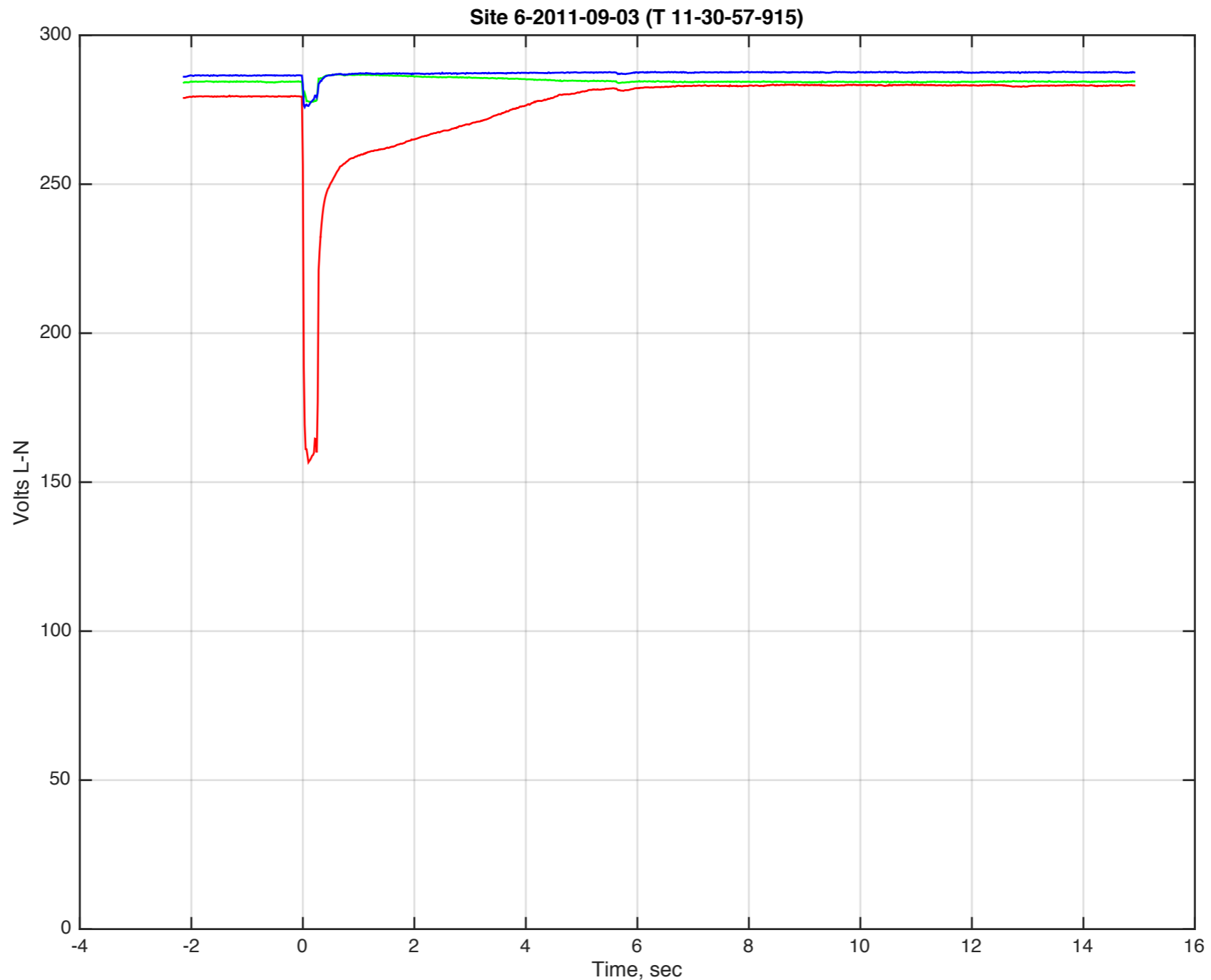


Event 243

Dip Duration 0.3 second (18 cycles)

Initial voltage a,b,c 279.4 284.5 286.5

Final voltage a,b,c 283.1 284.3 287.6

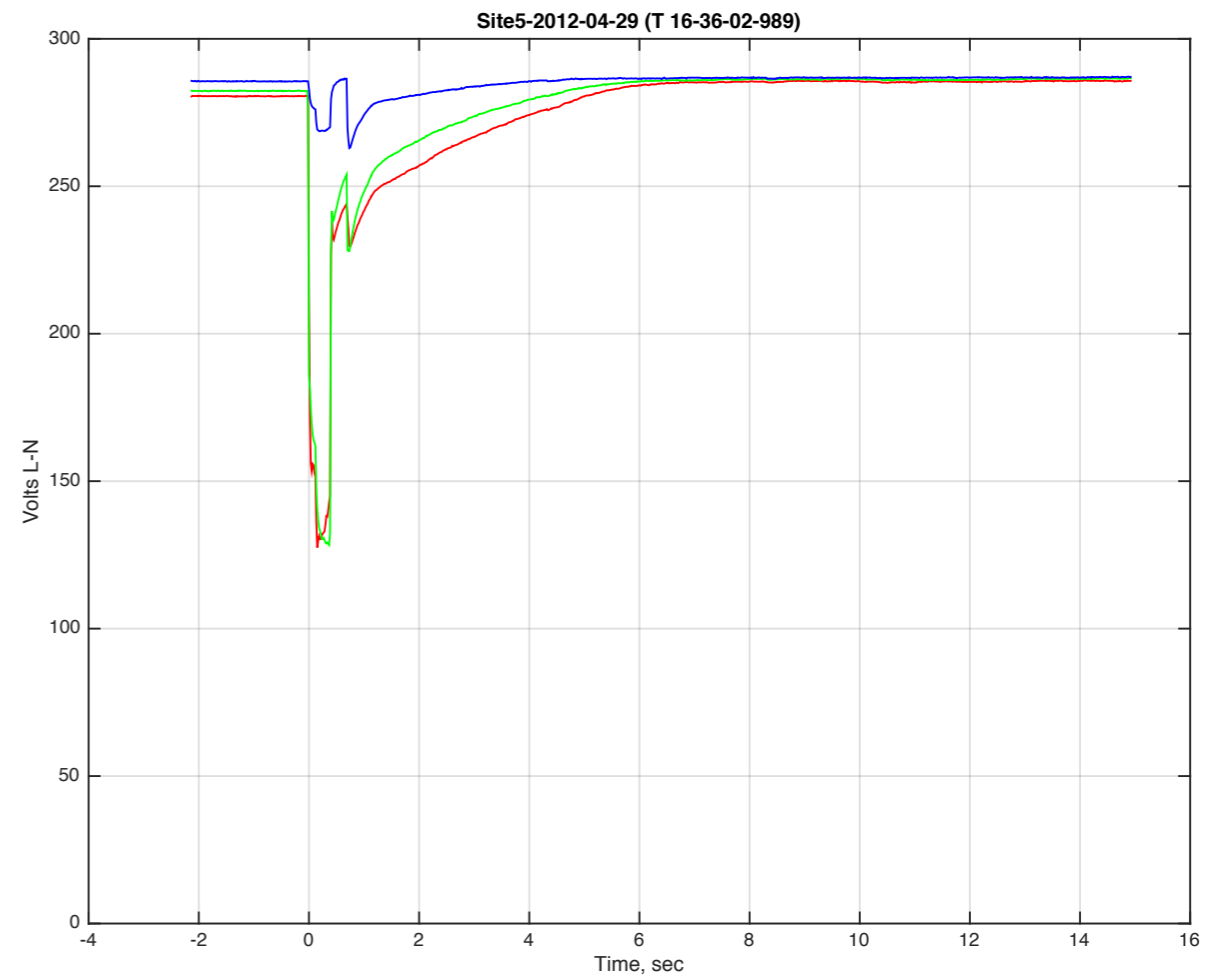
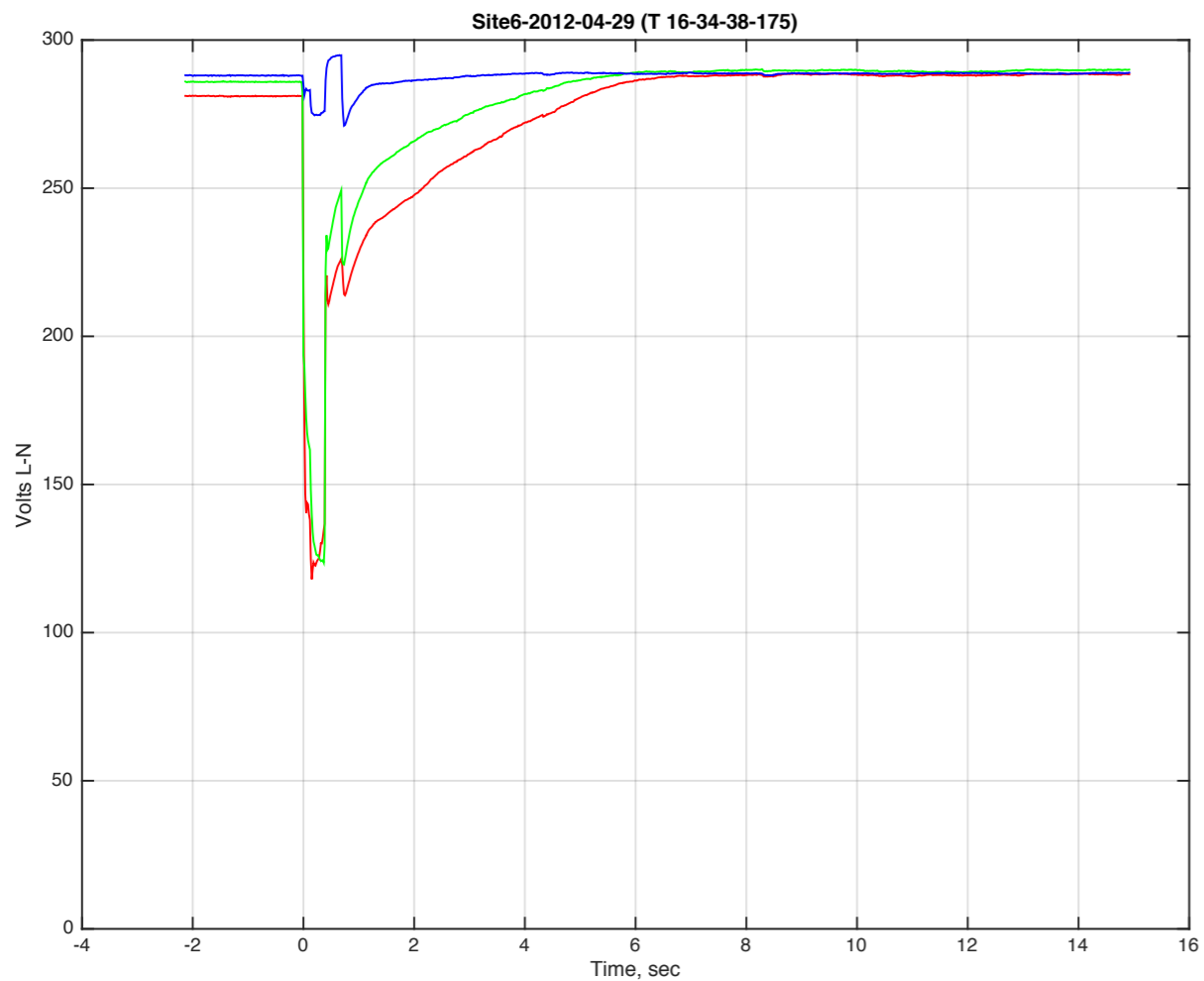


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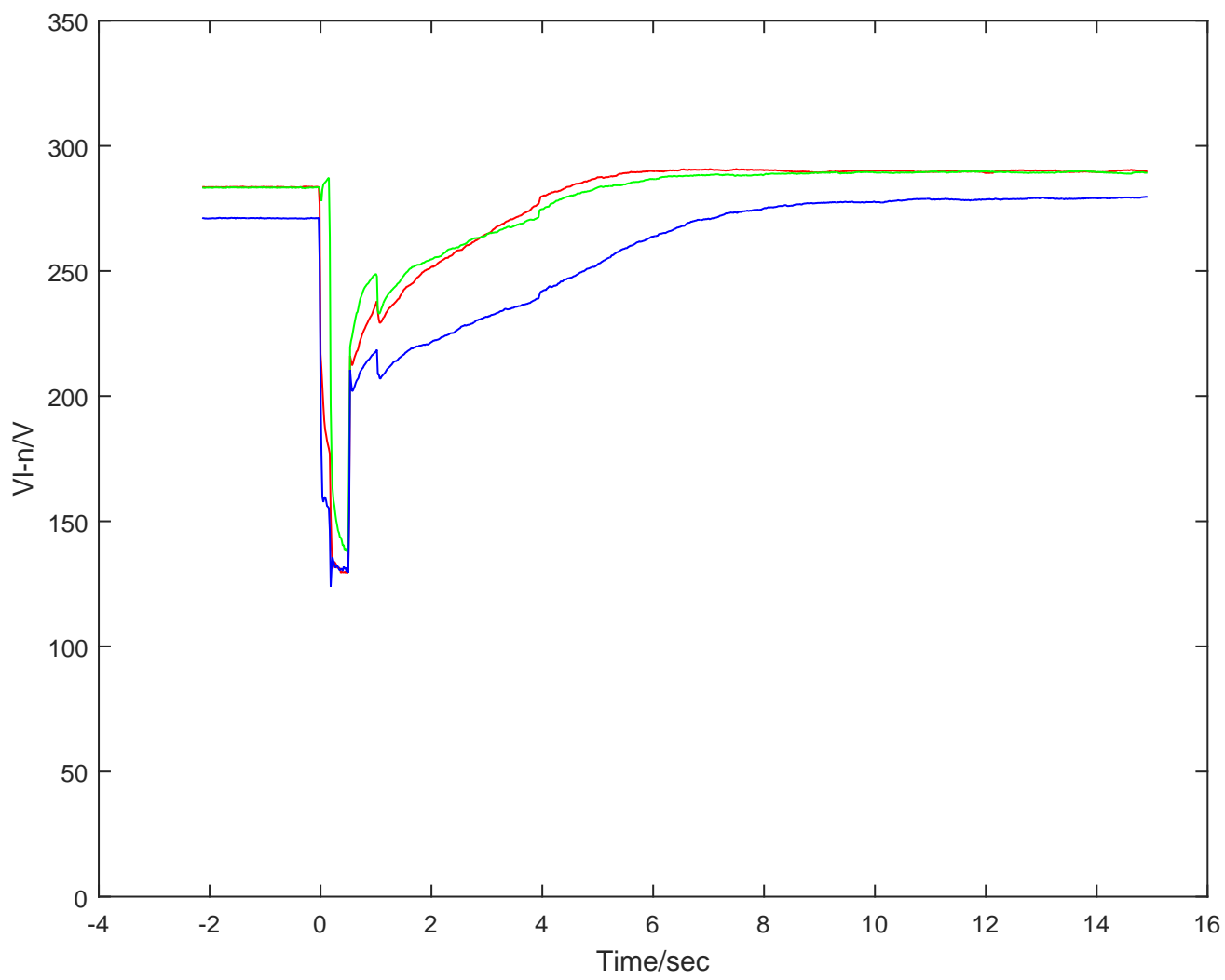
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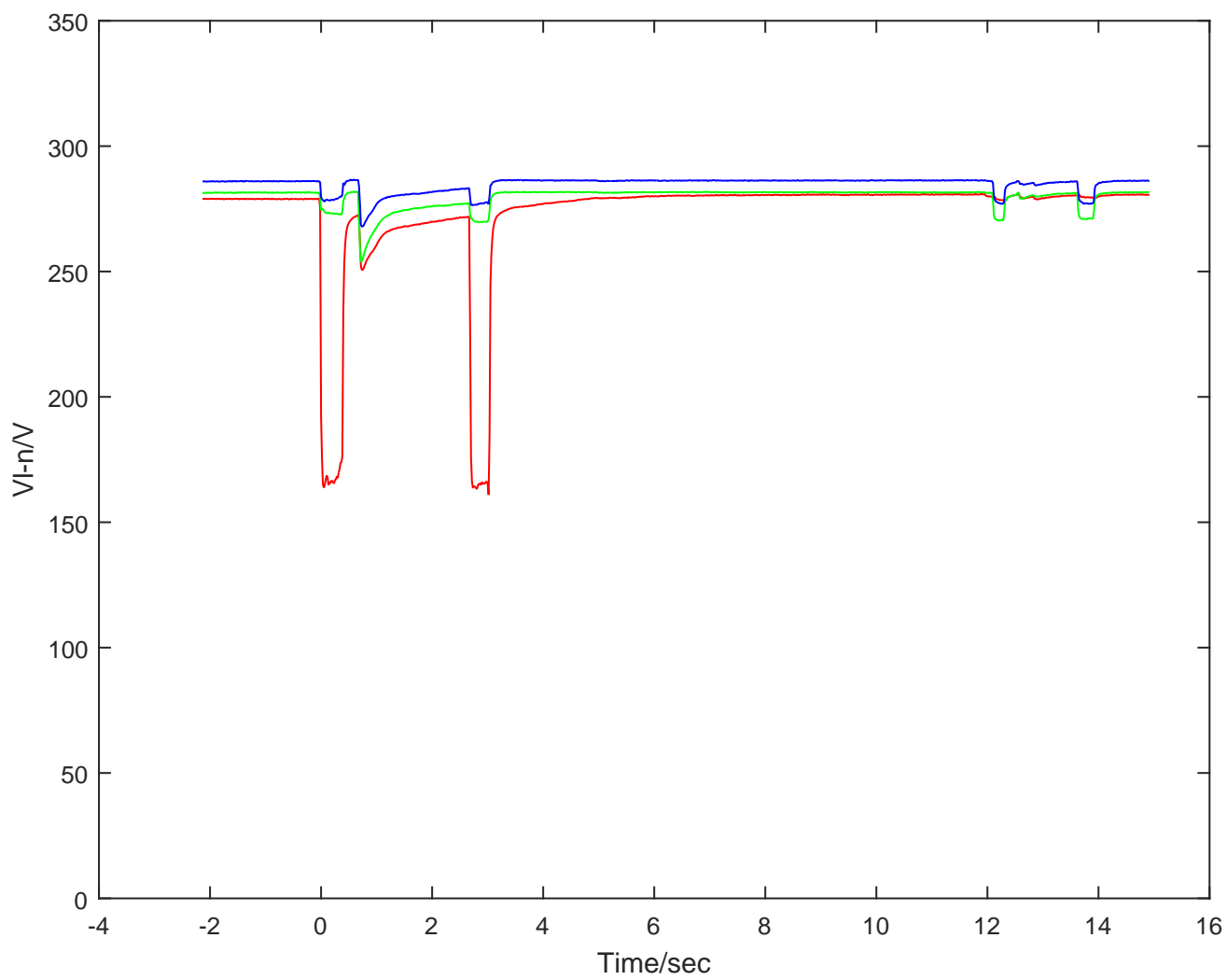
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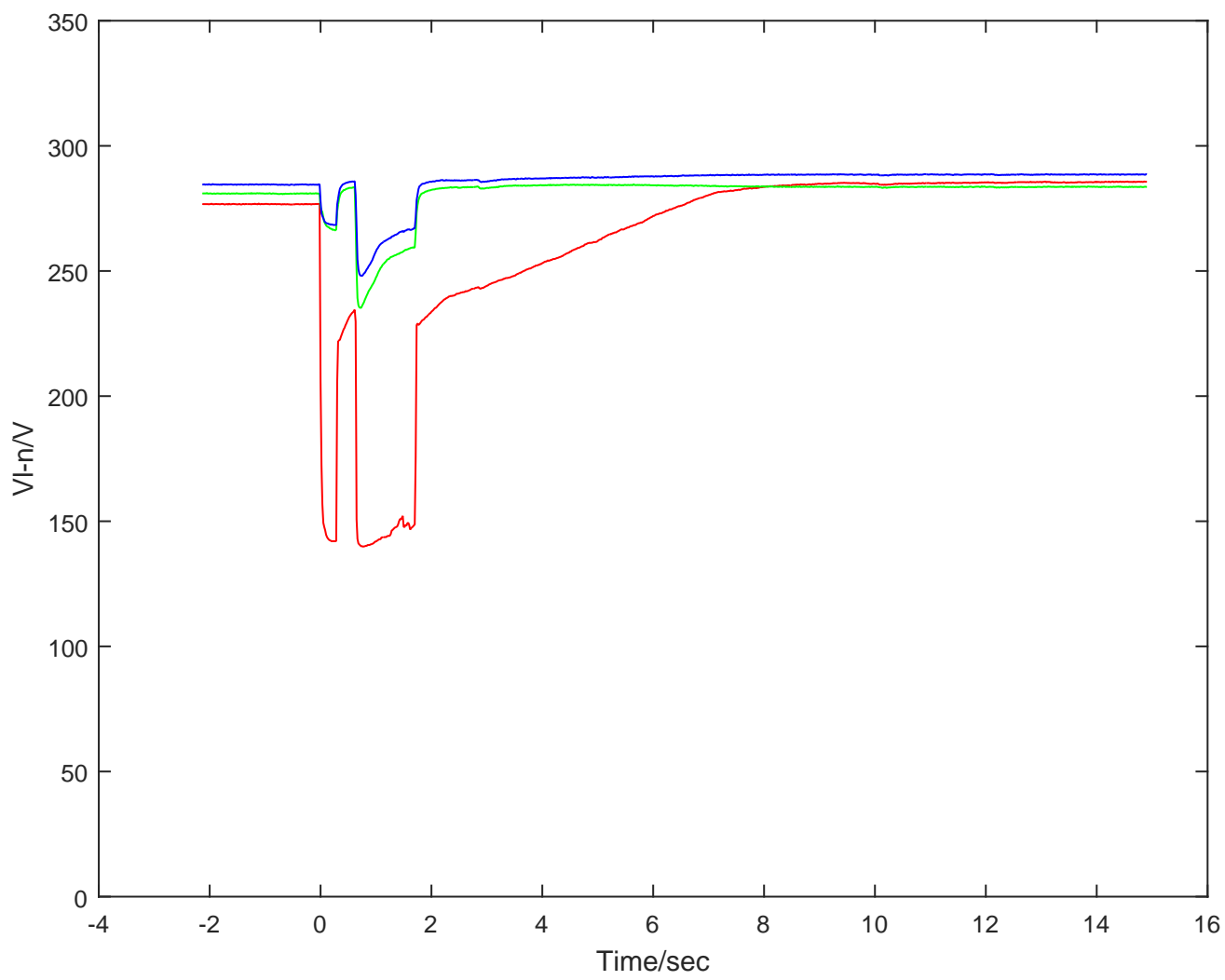


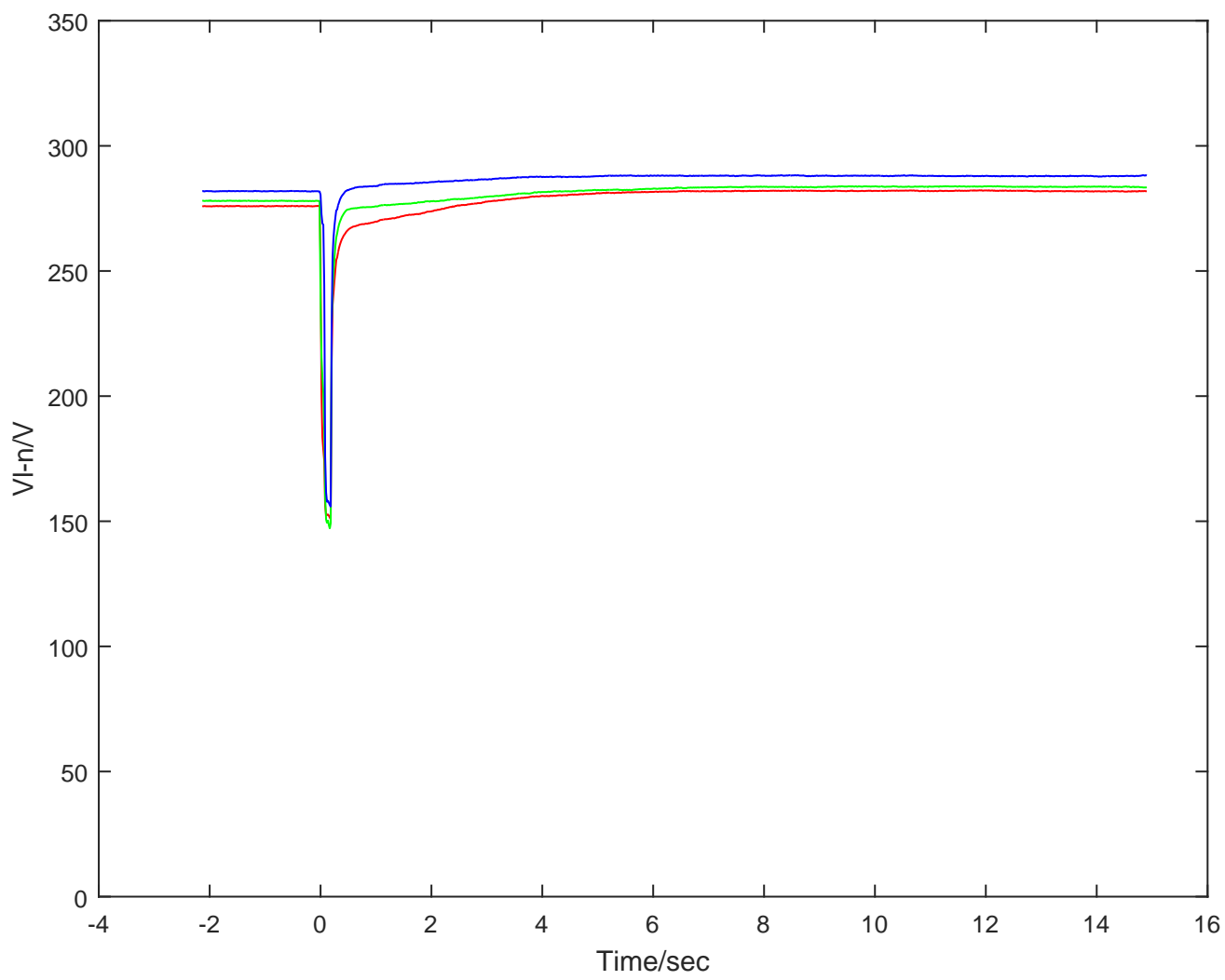
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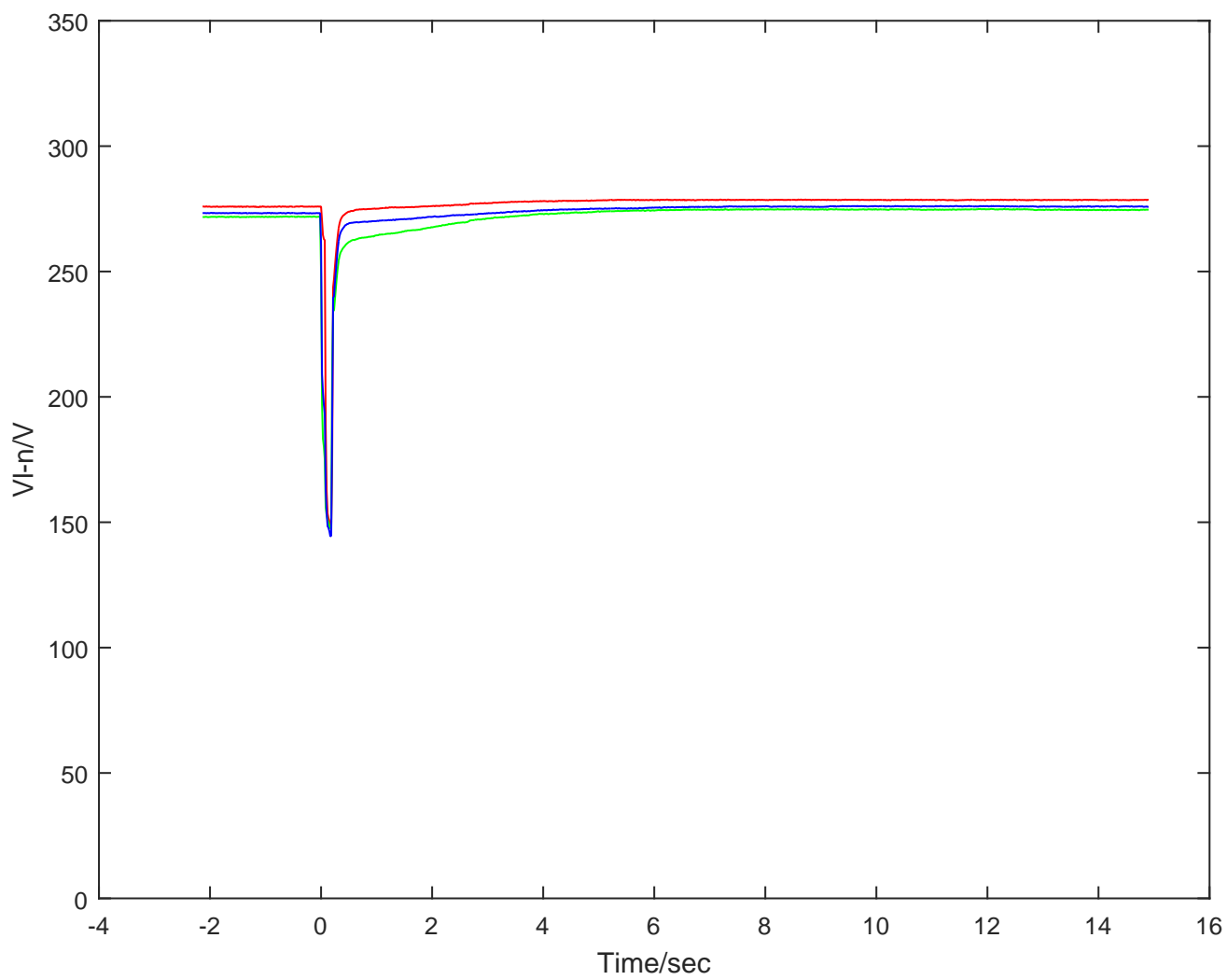


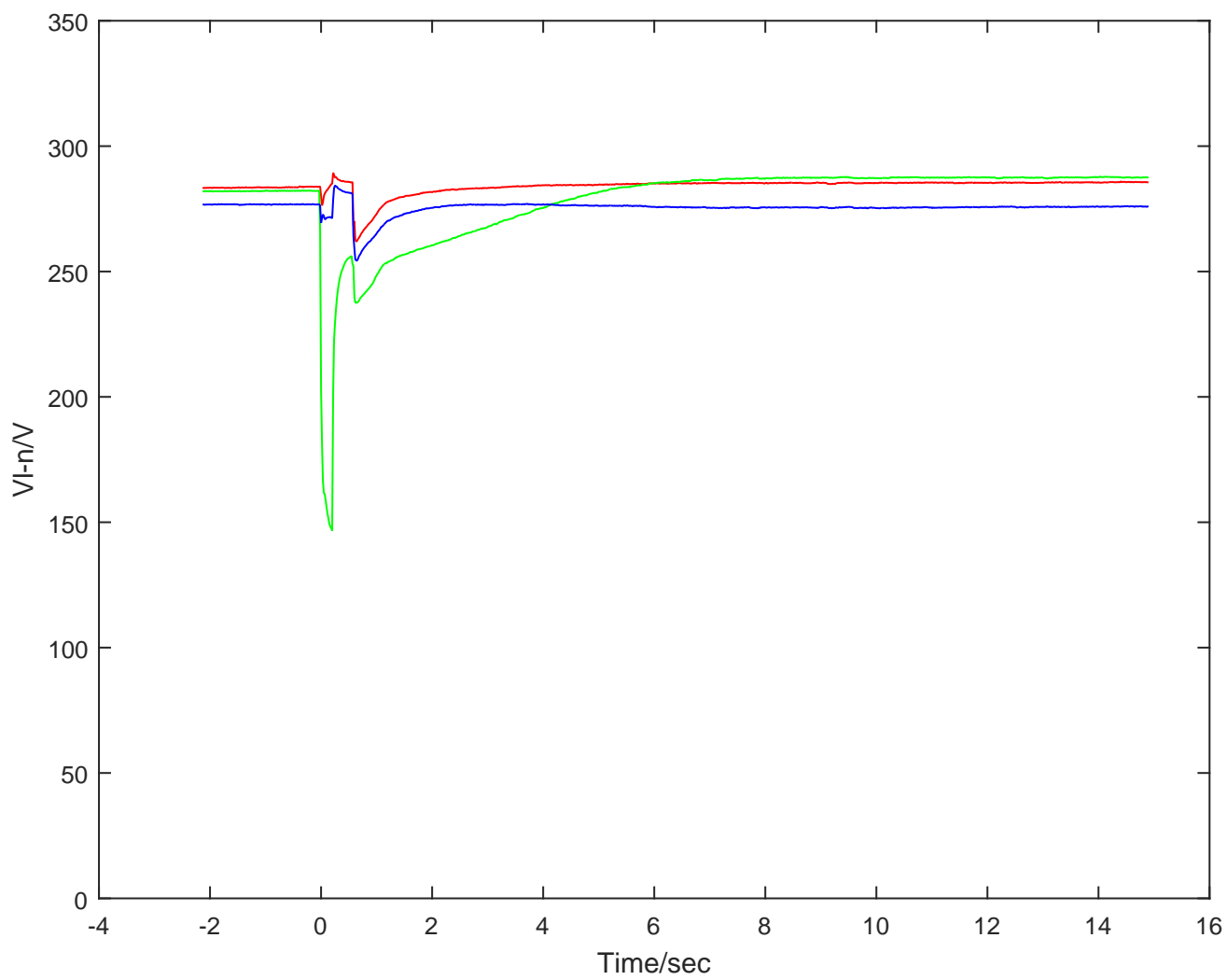


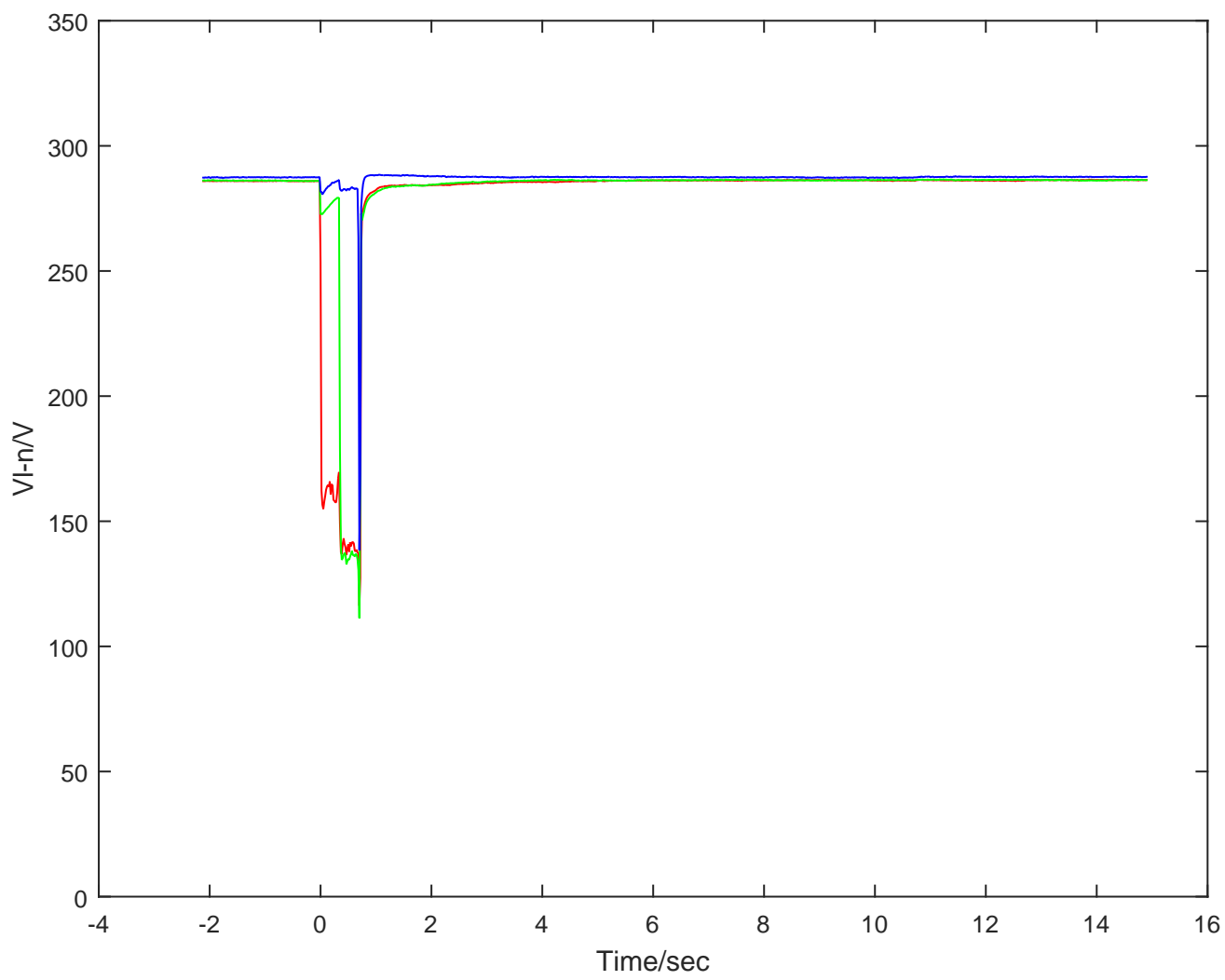


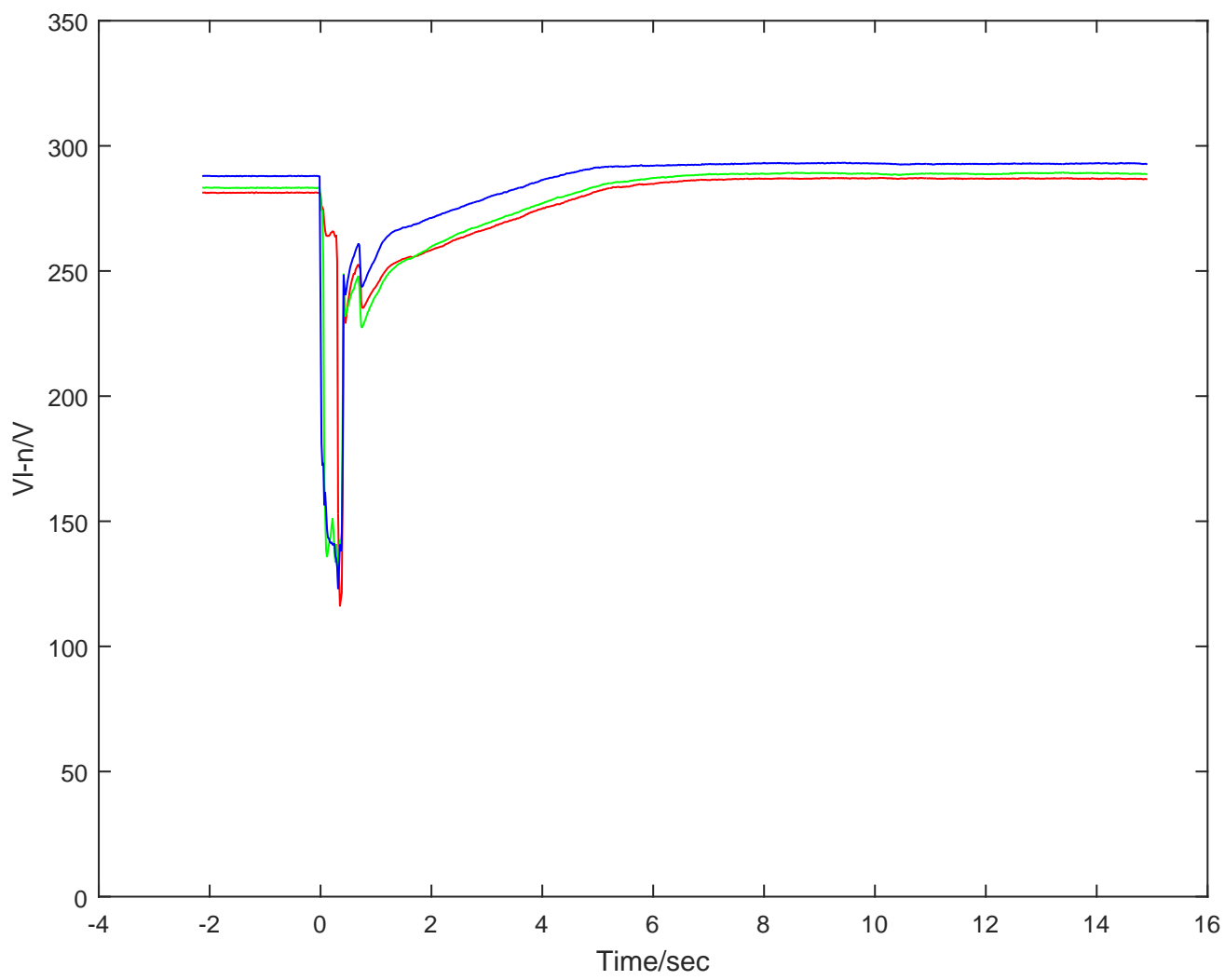


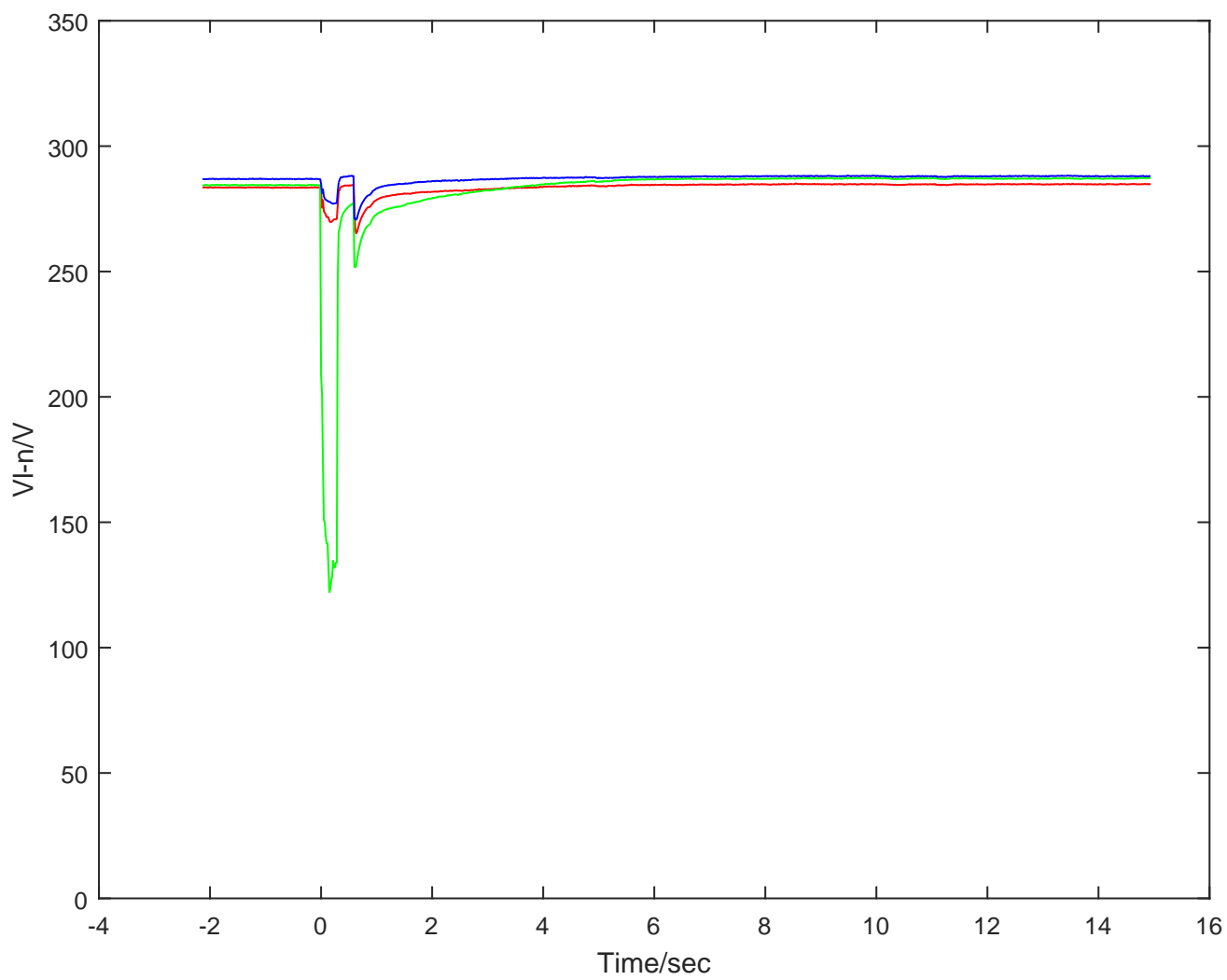




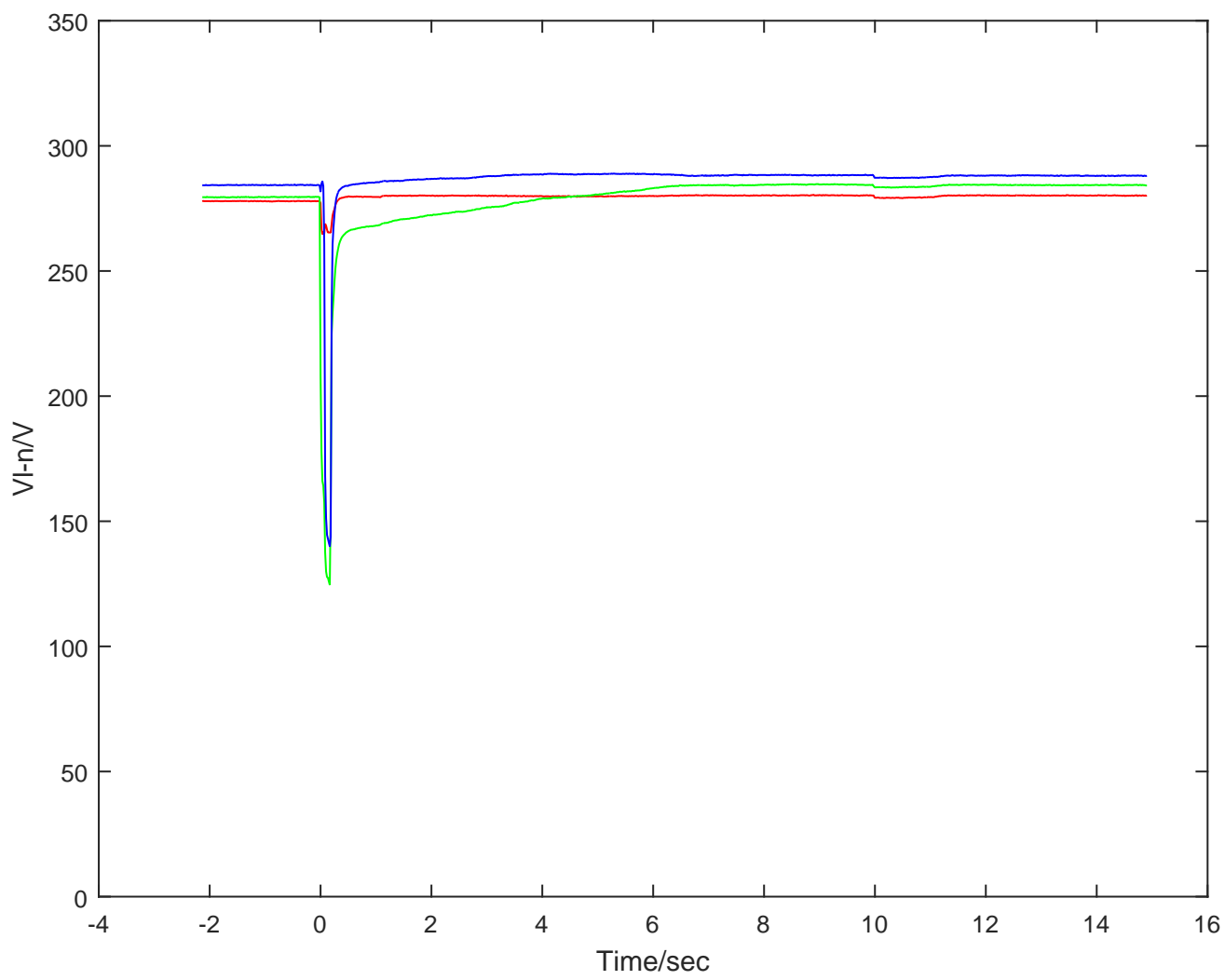


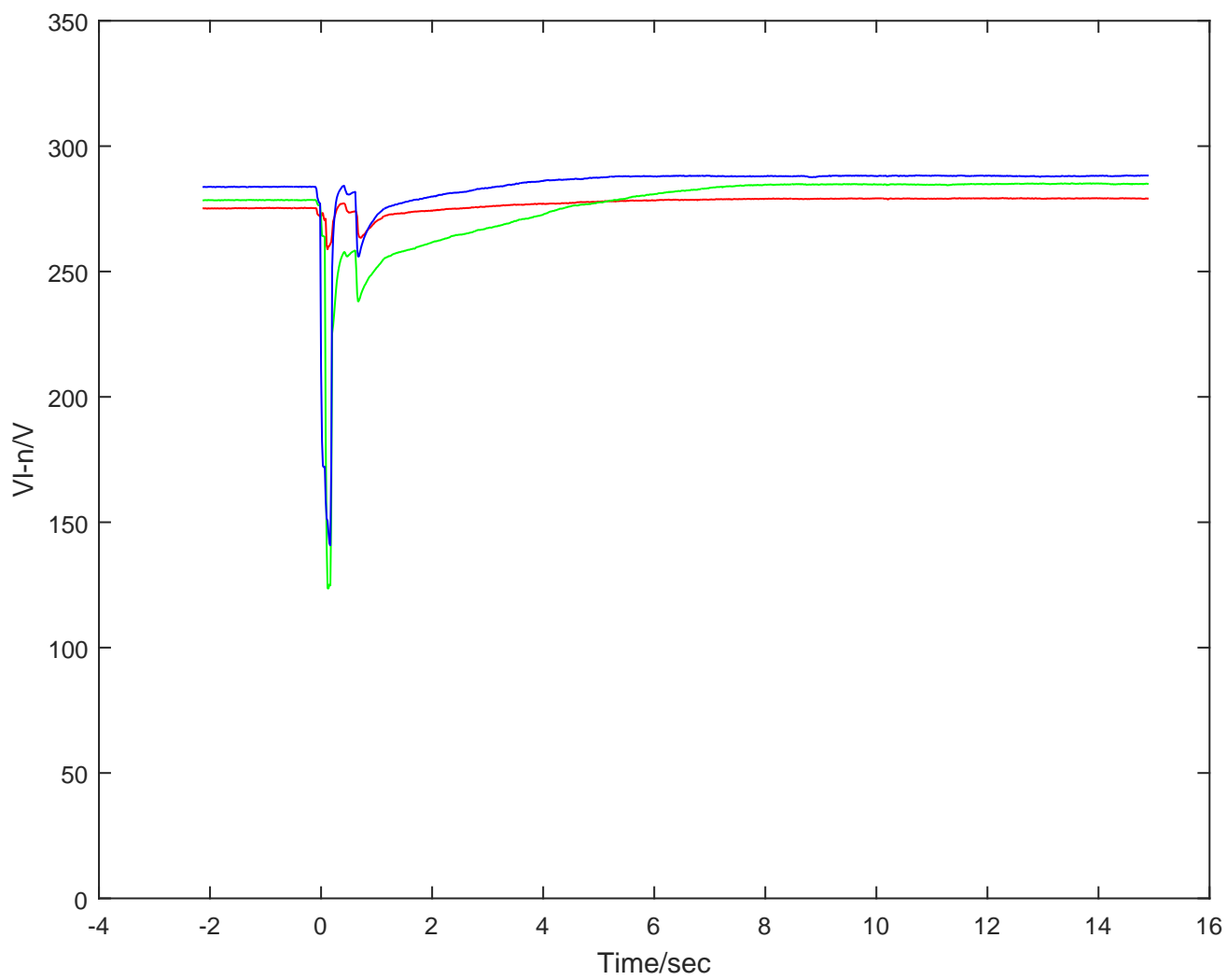


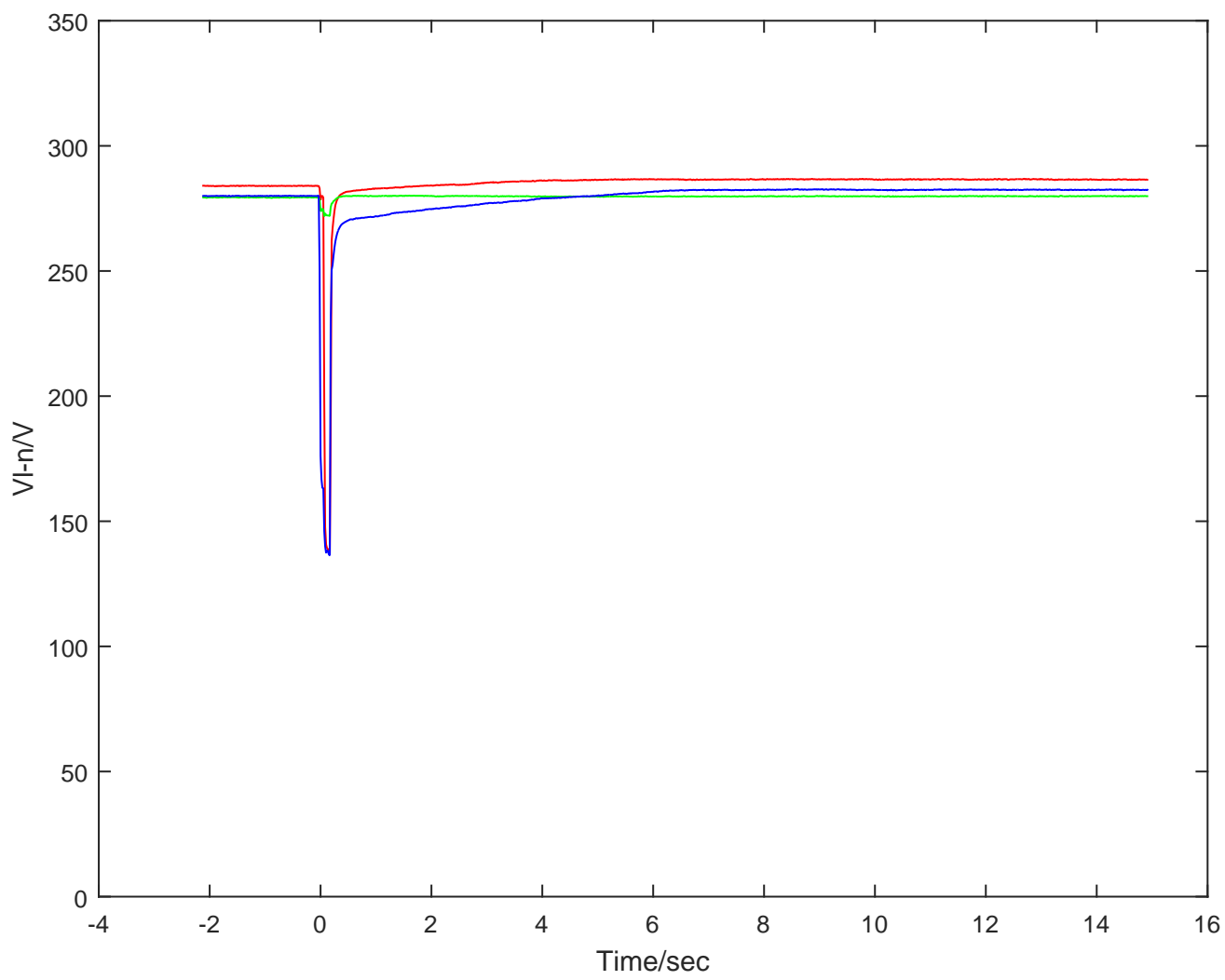


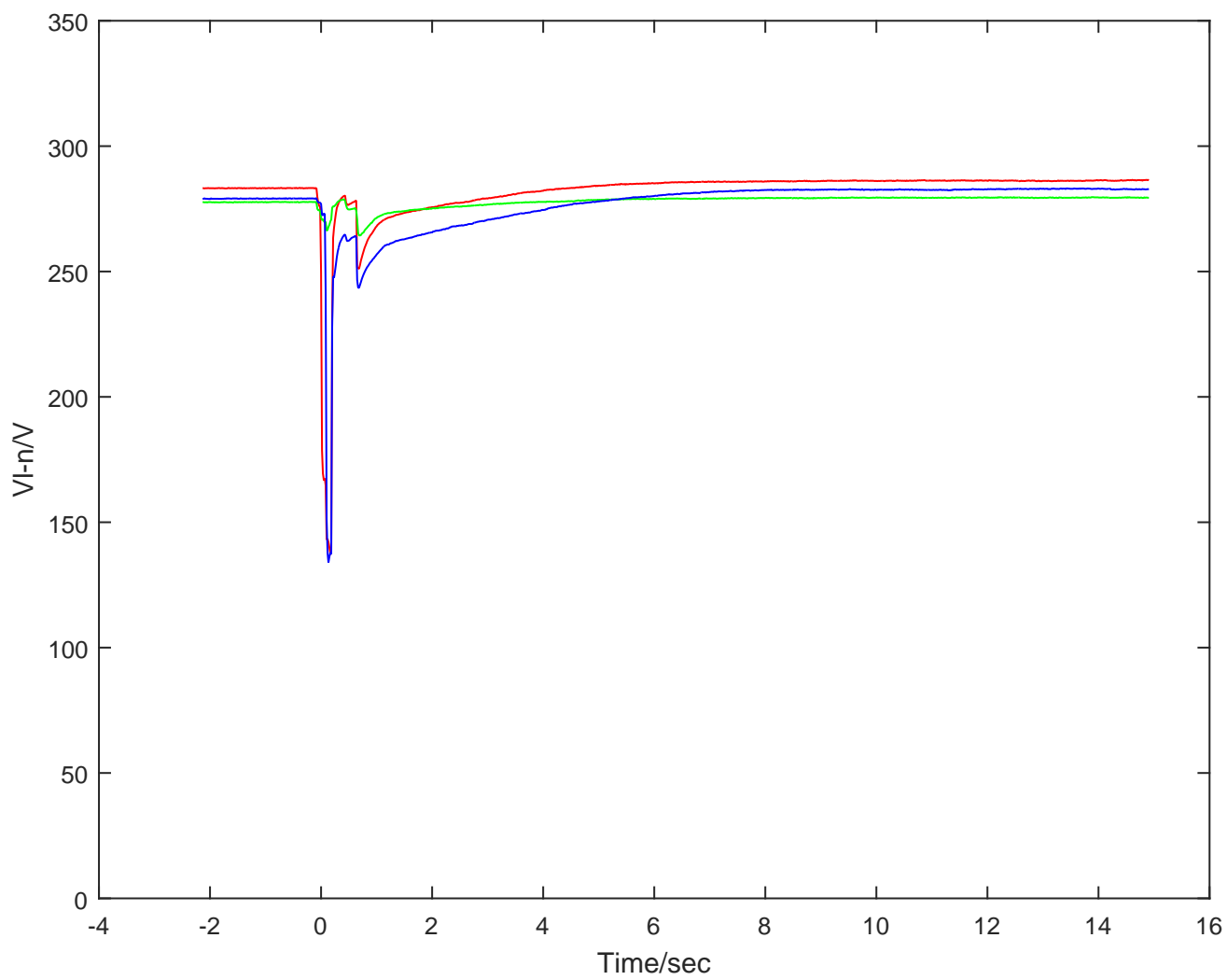


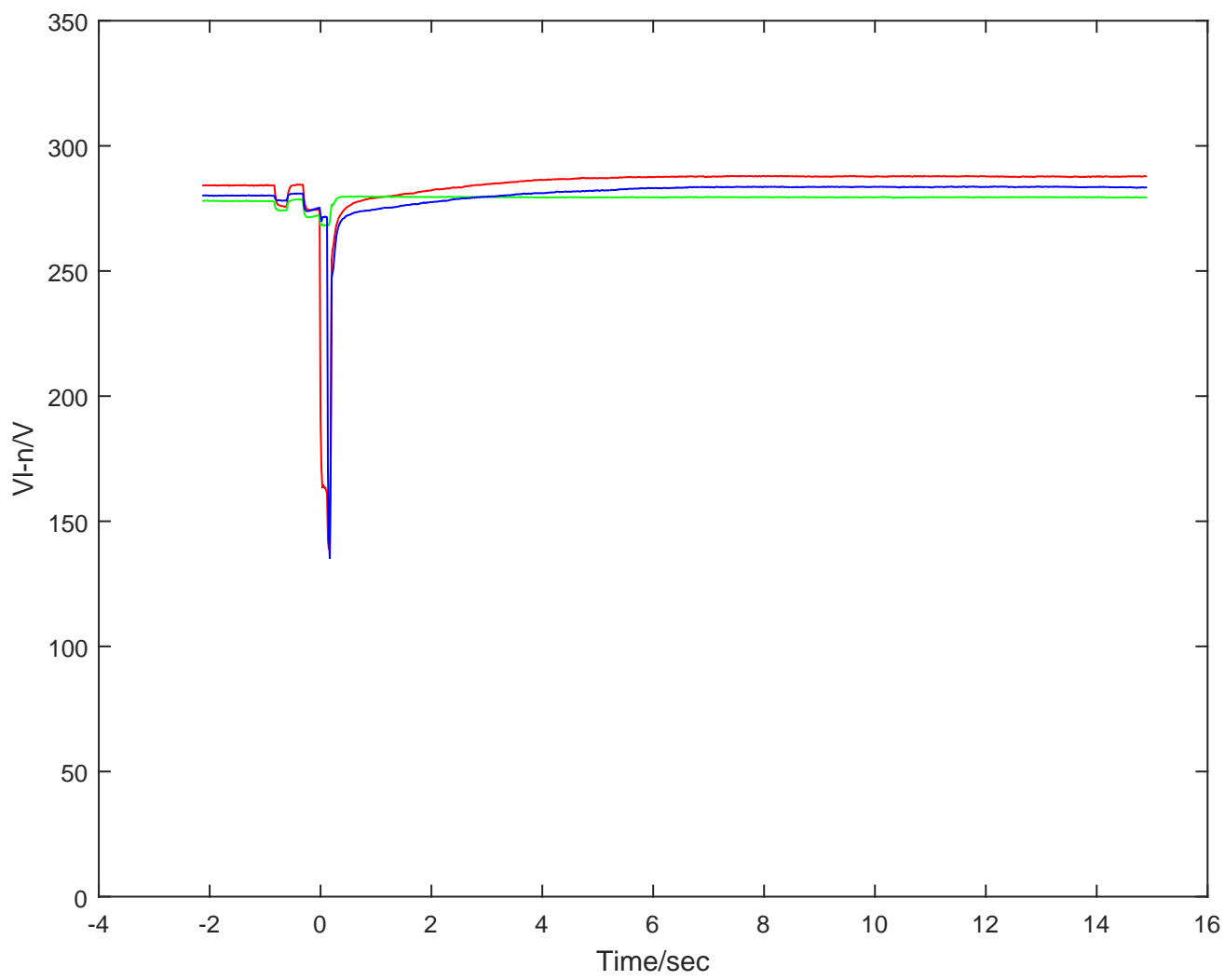


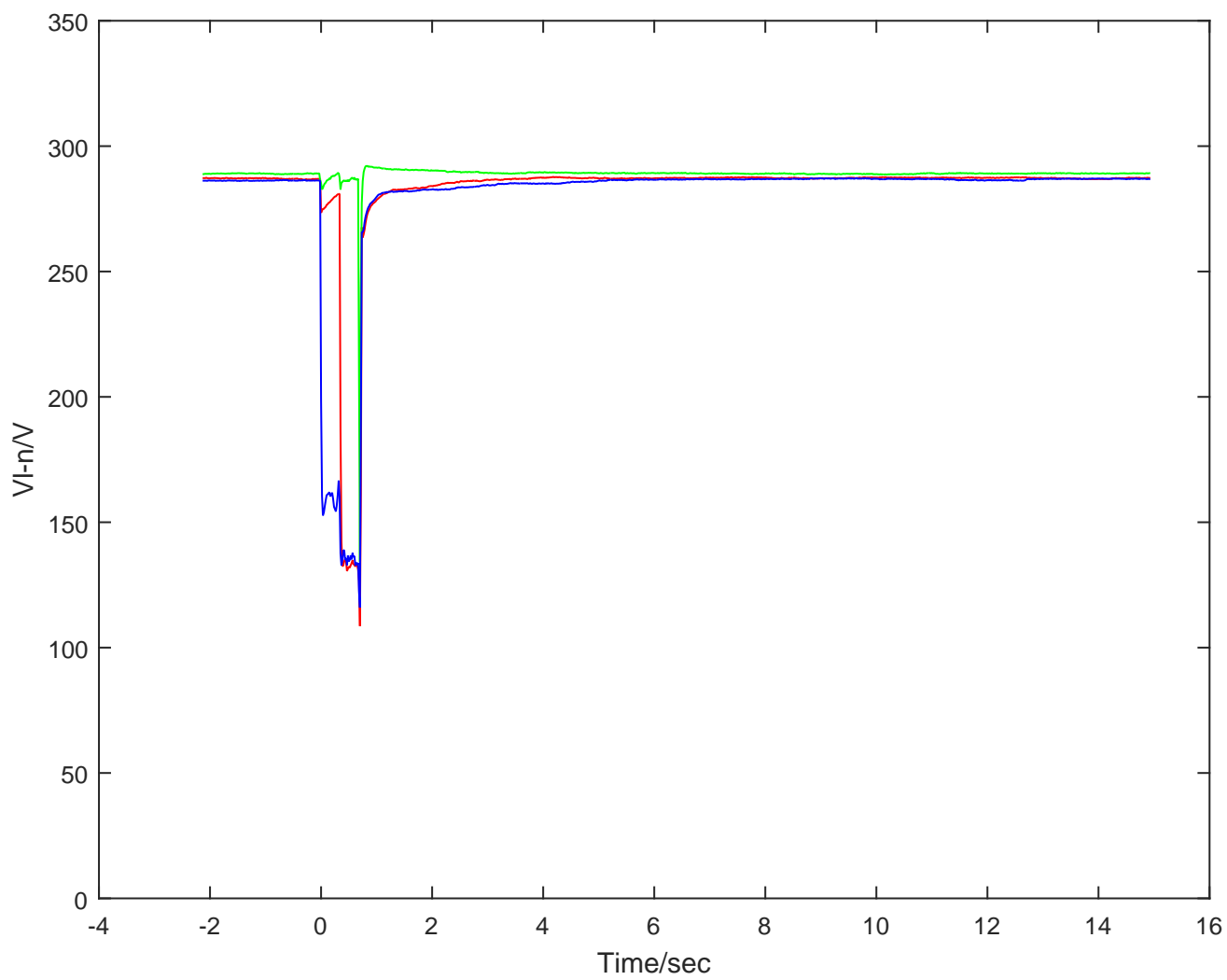


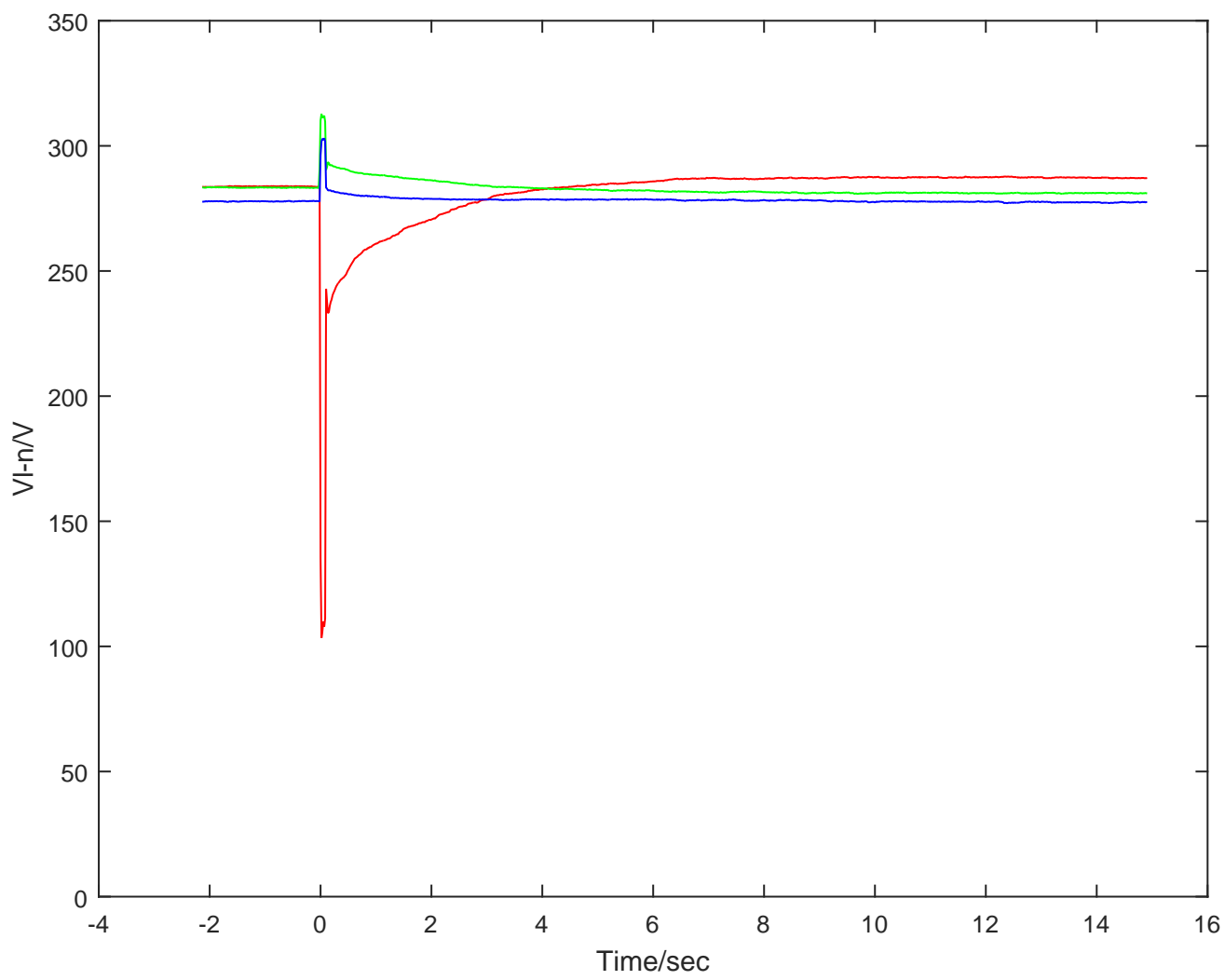


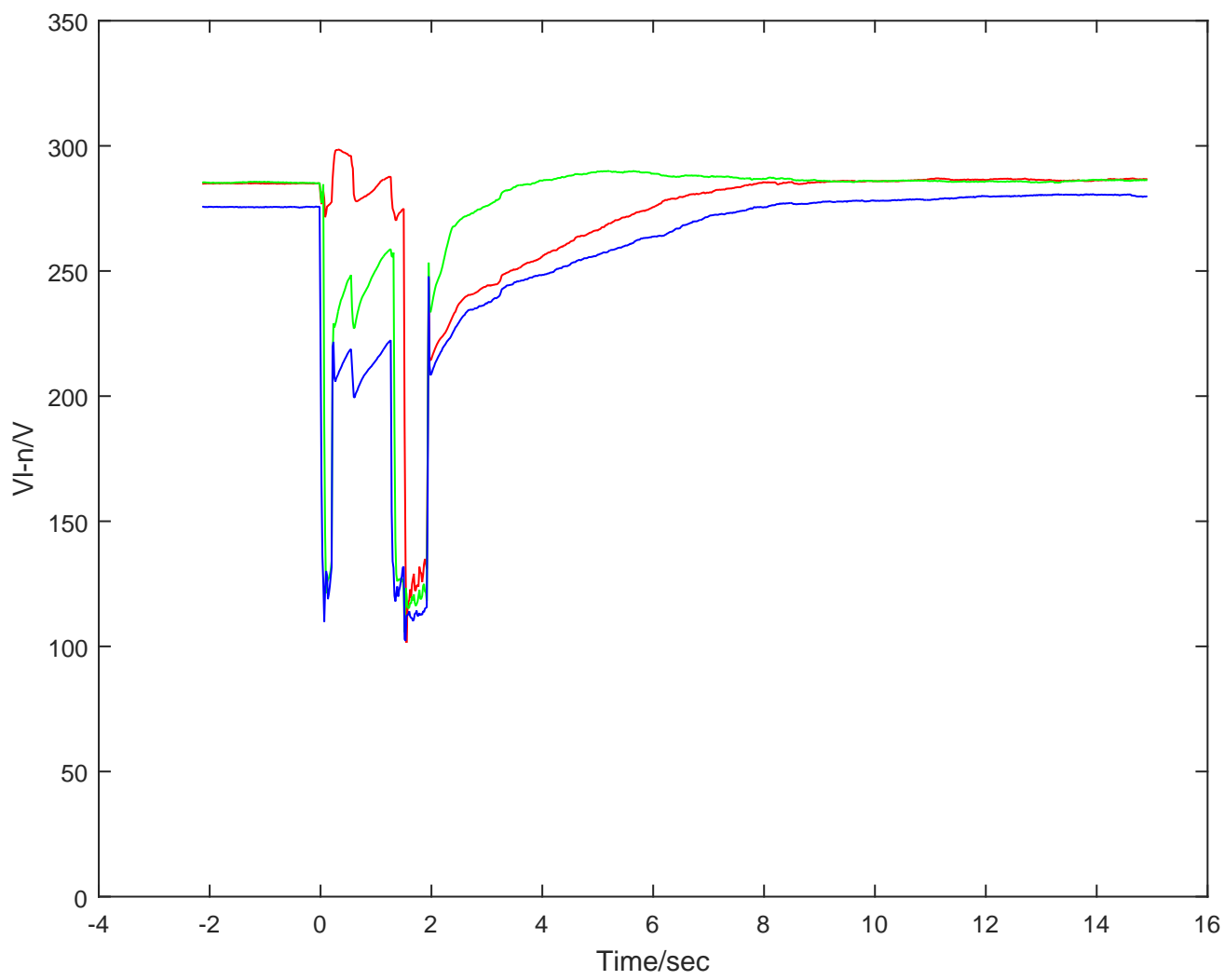




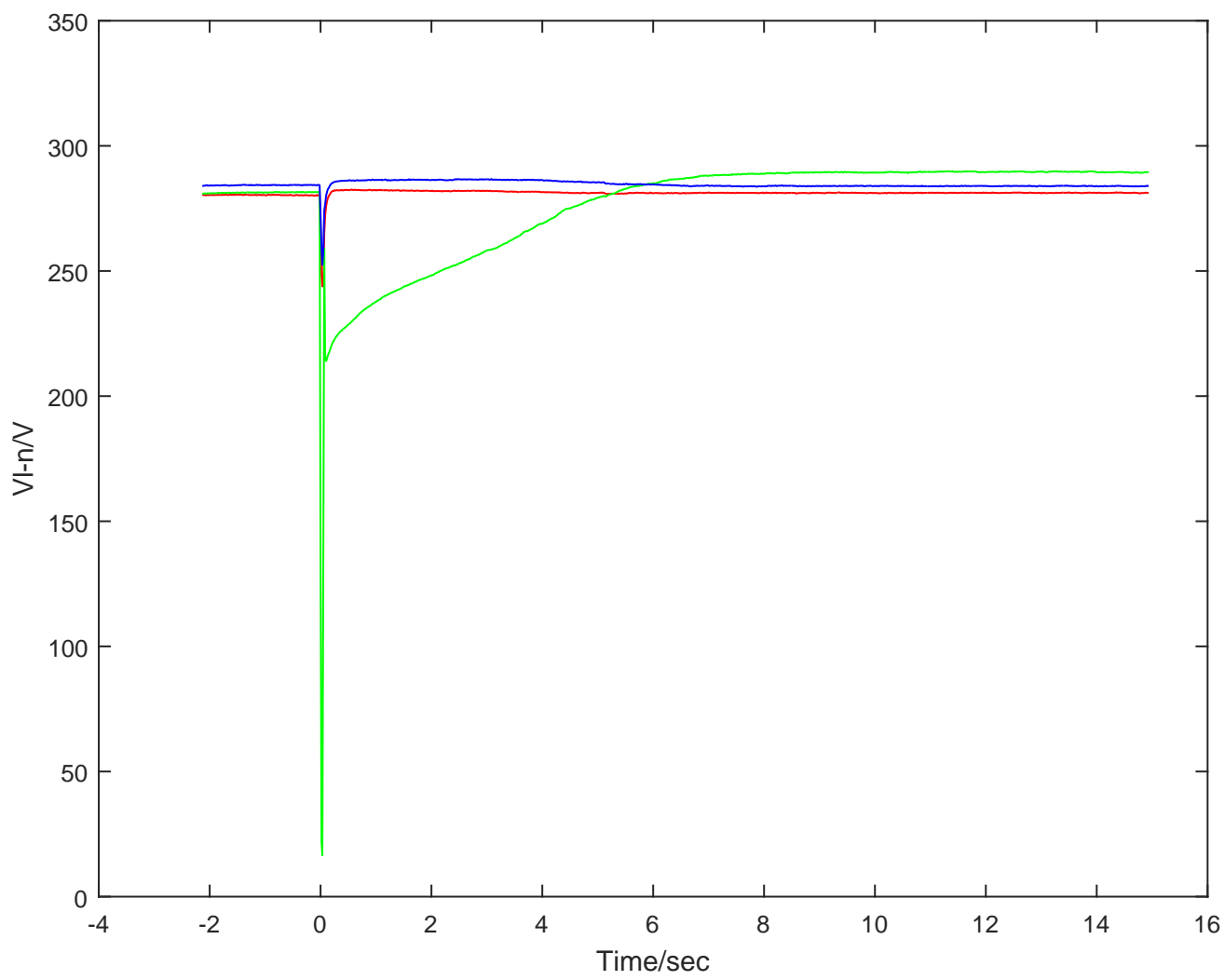


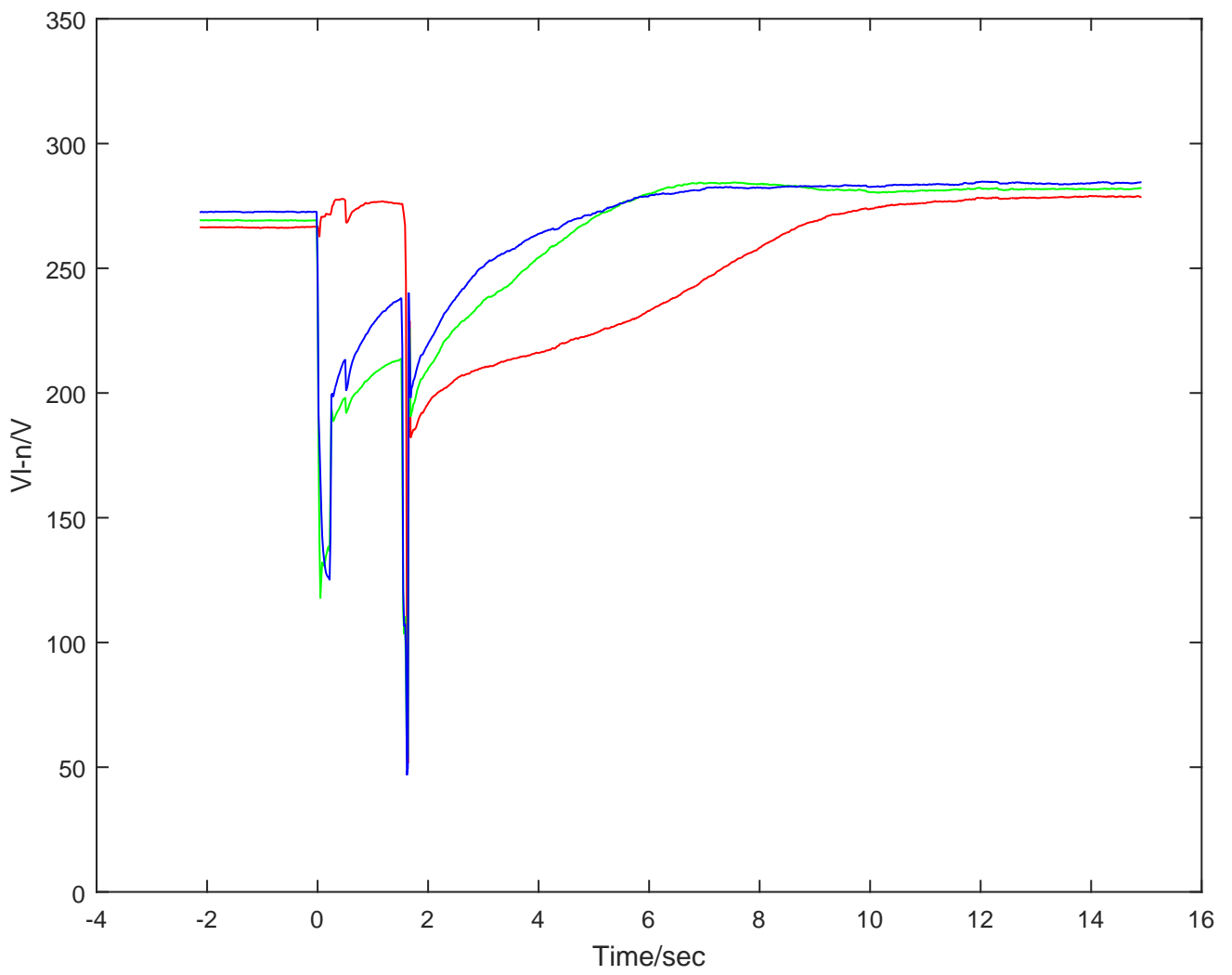


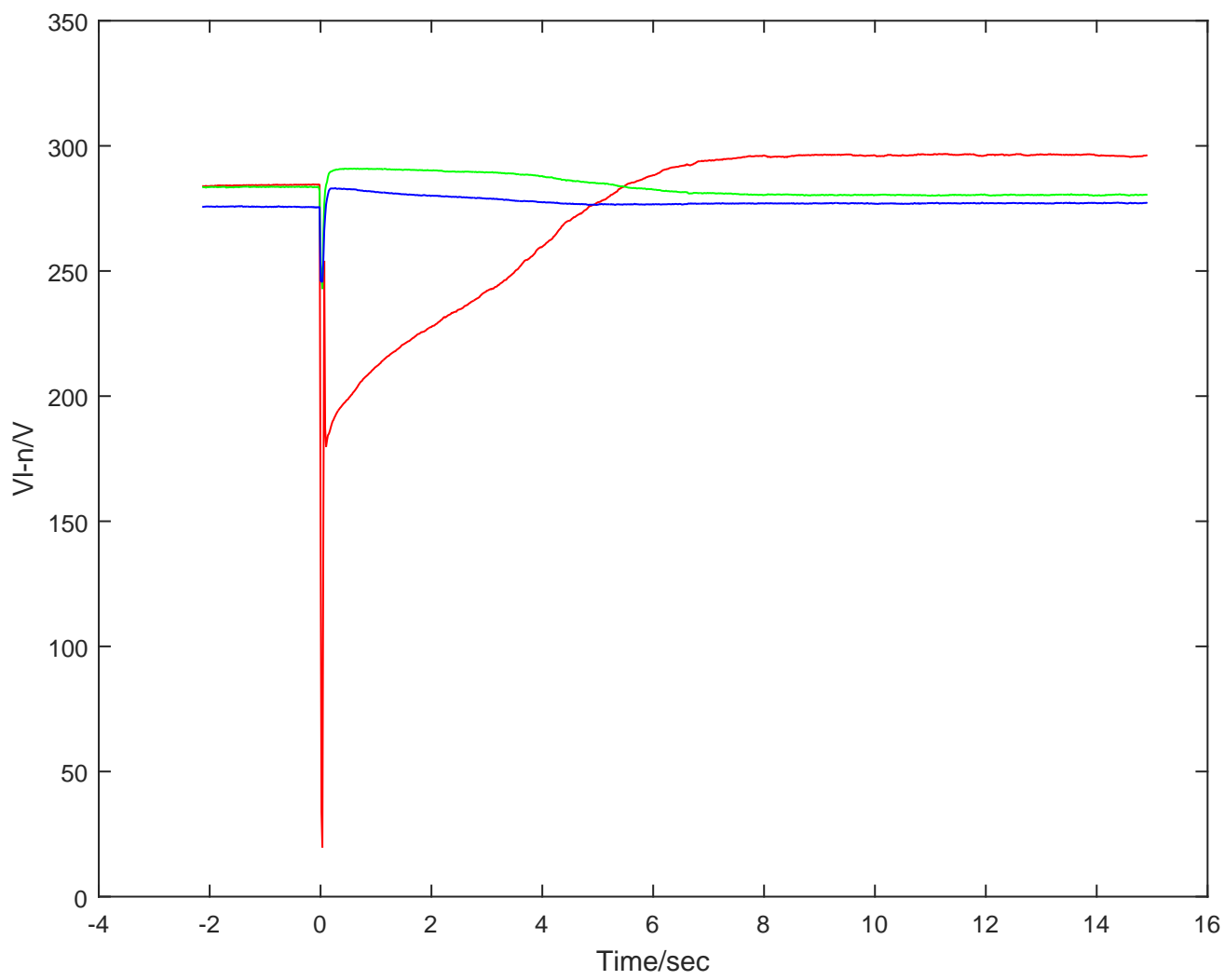


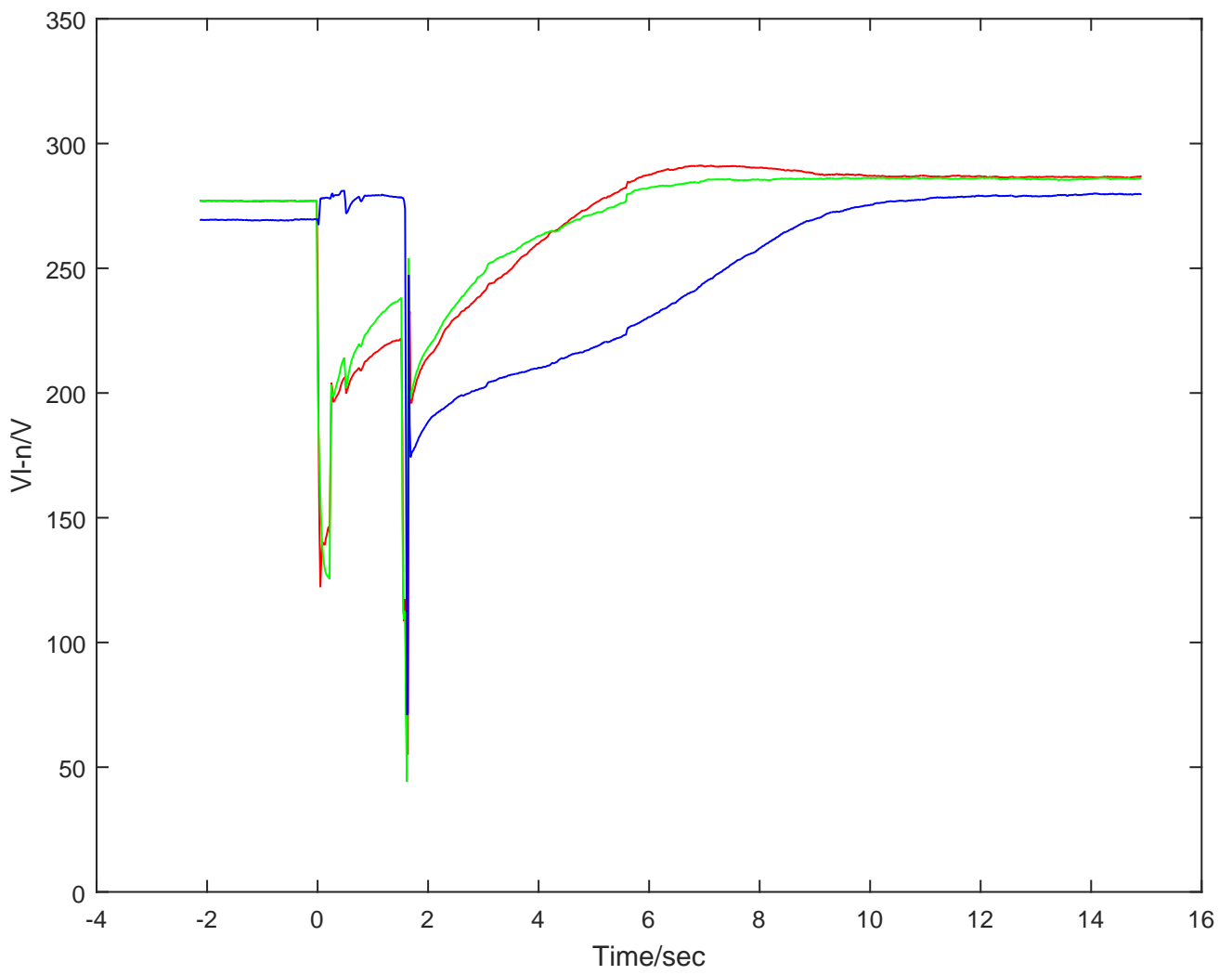


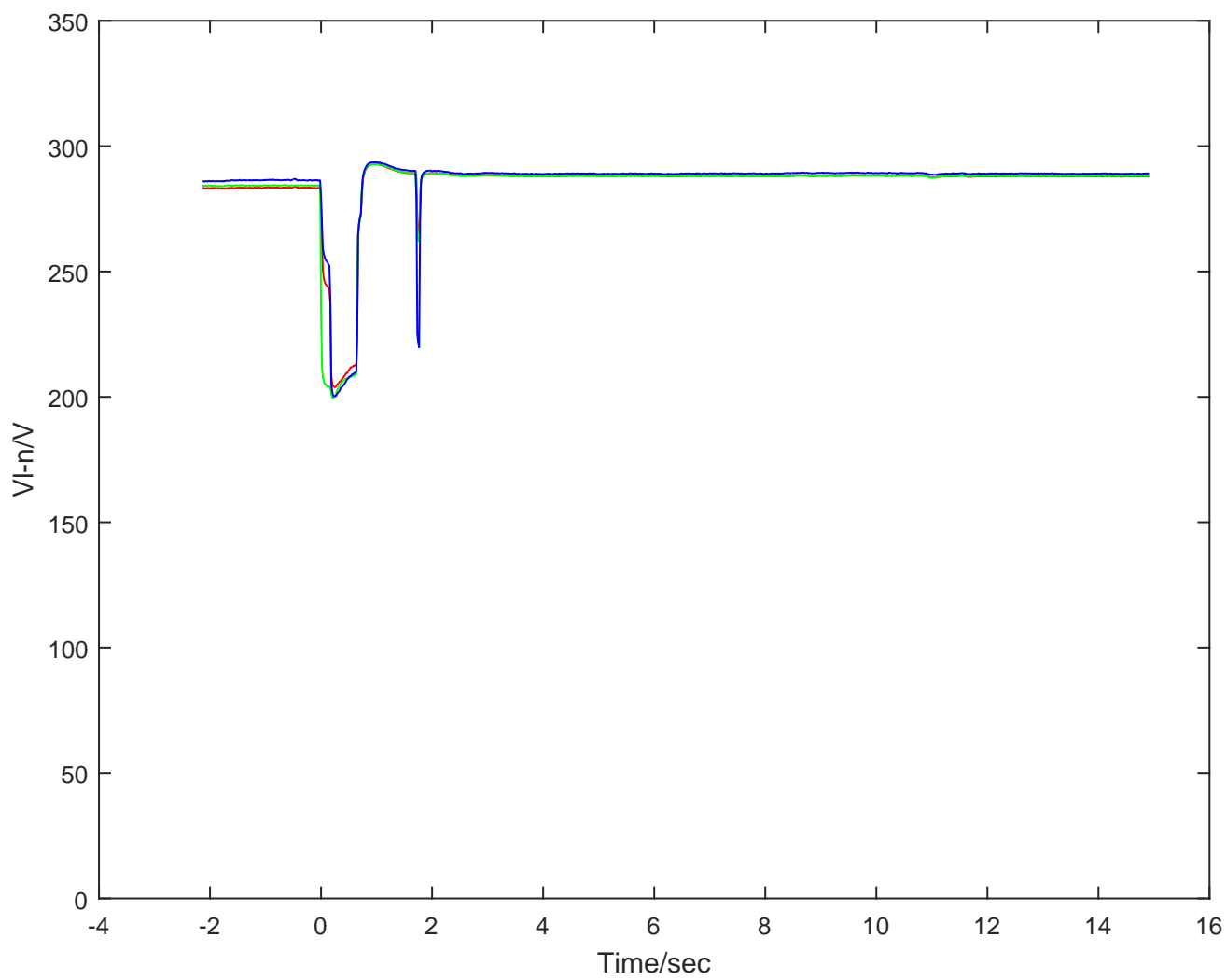


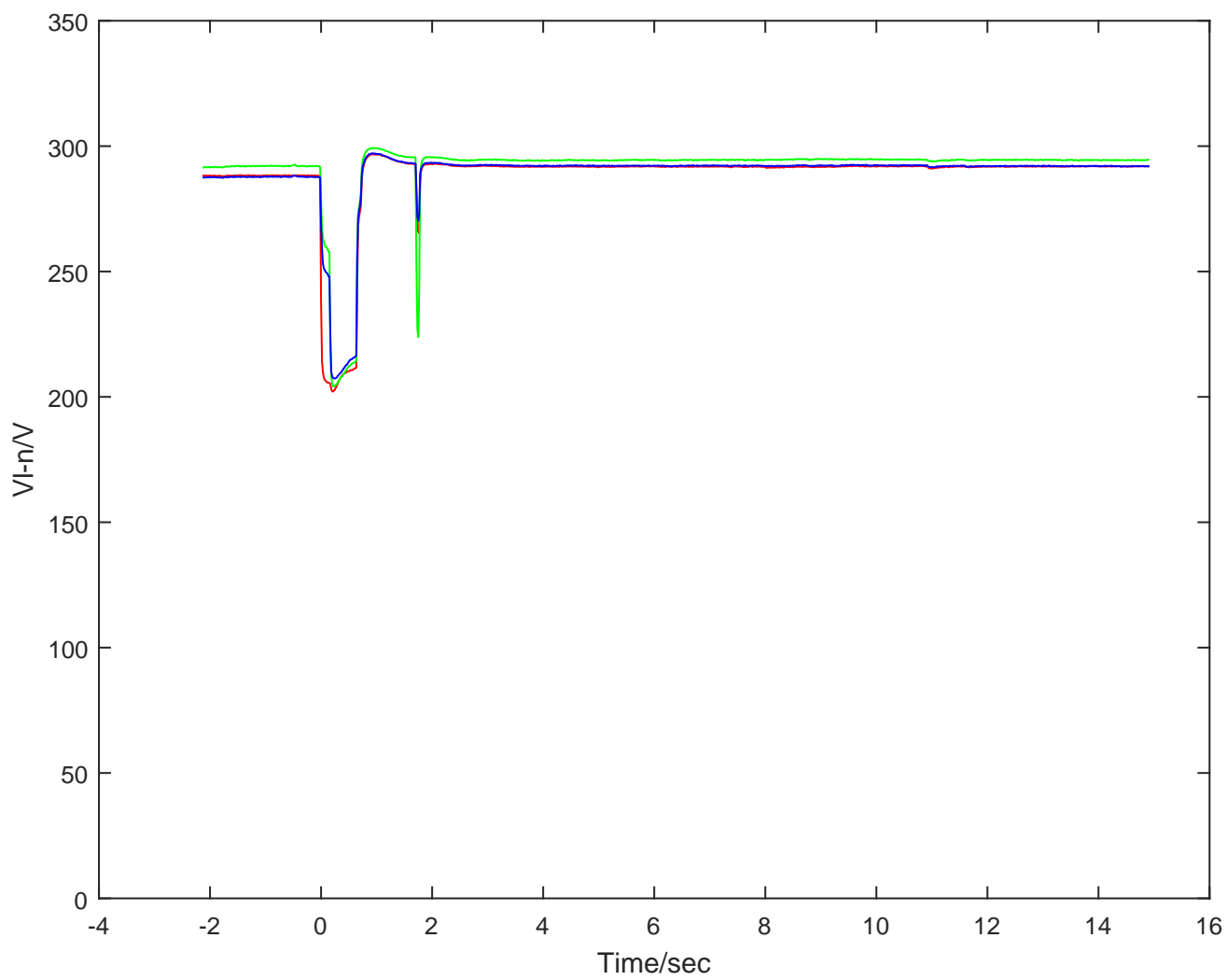


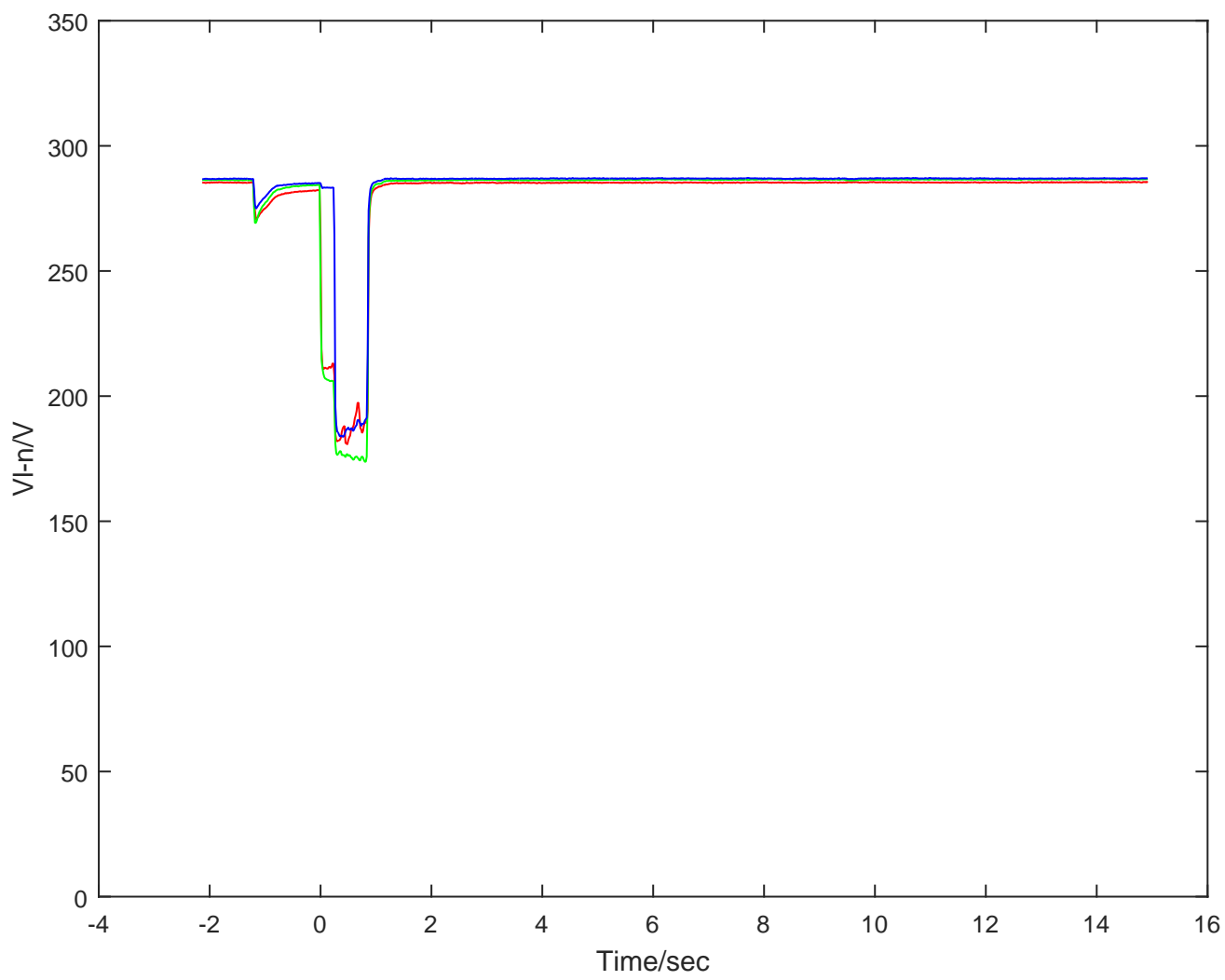


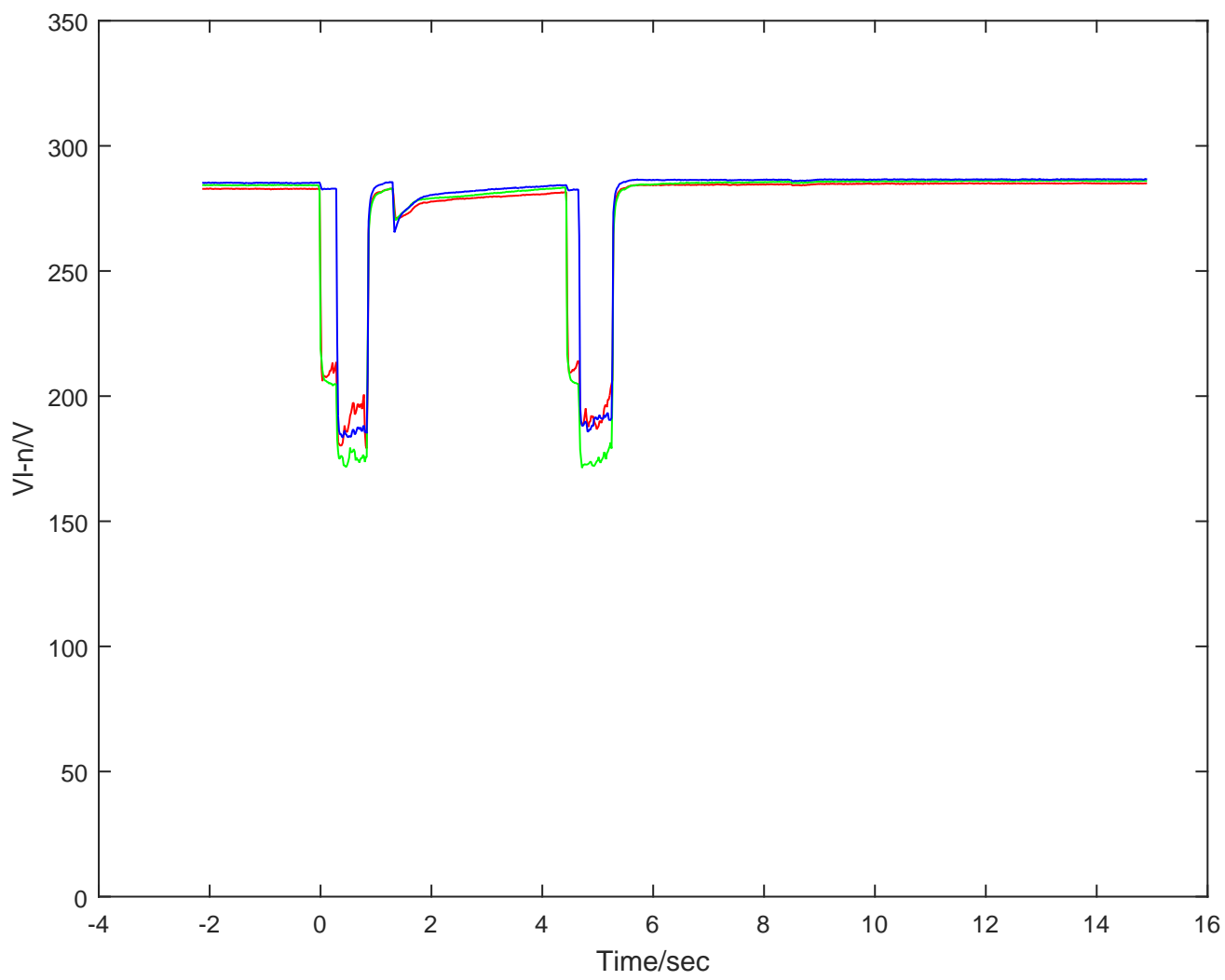




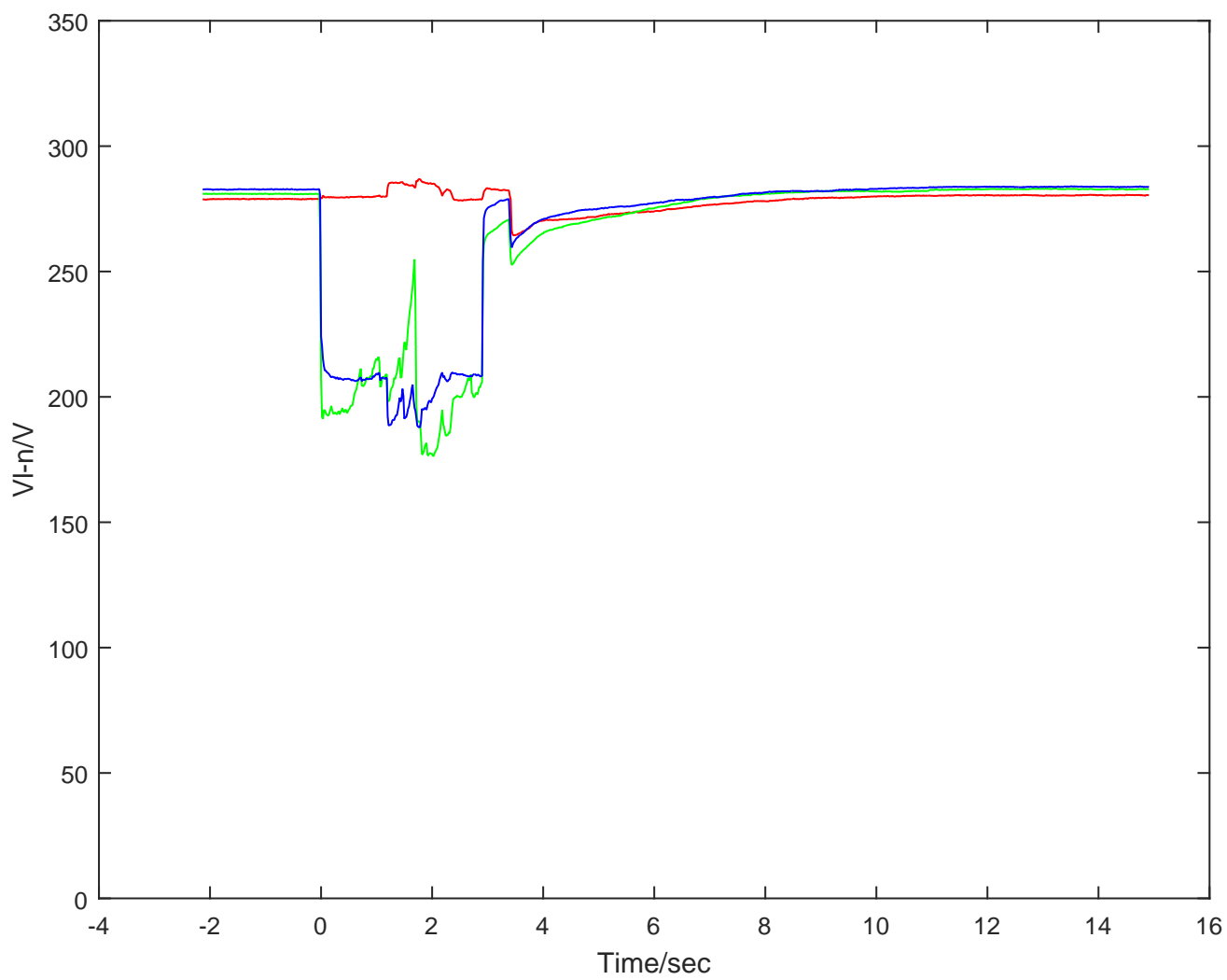


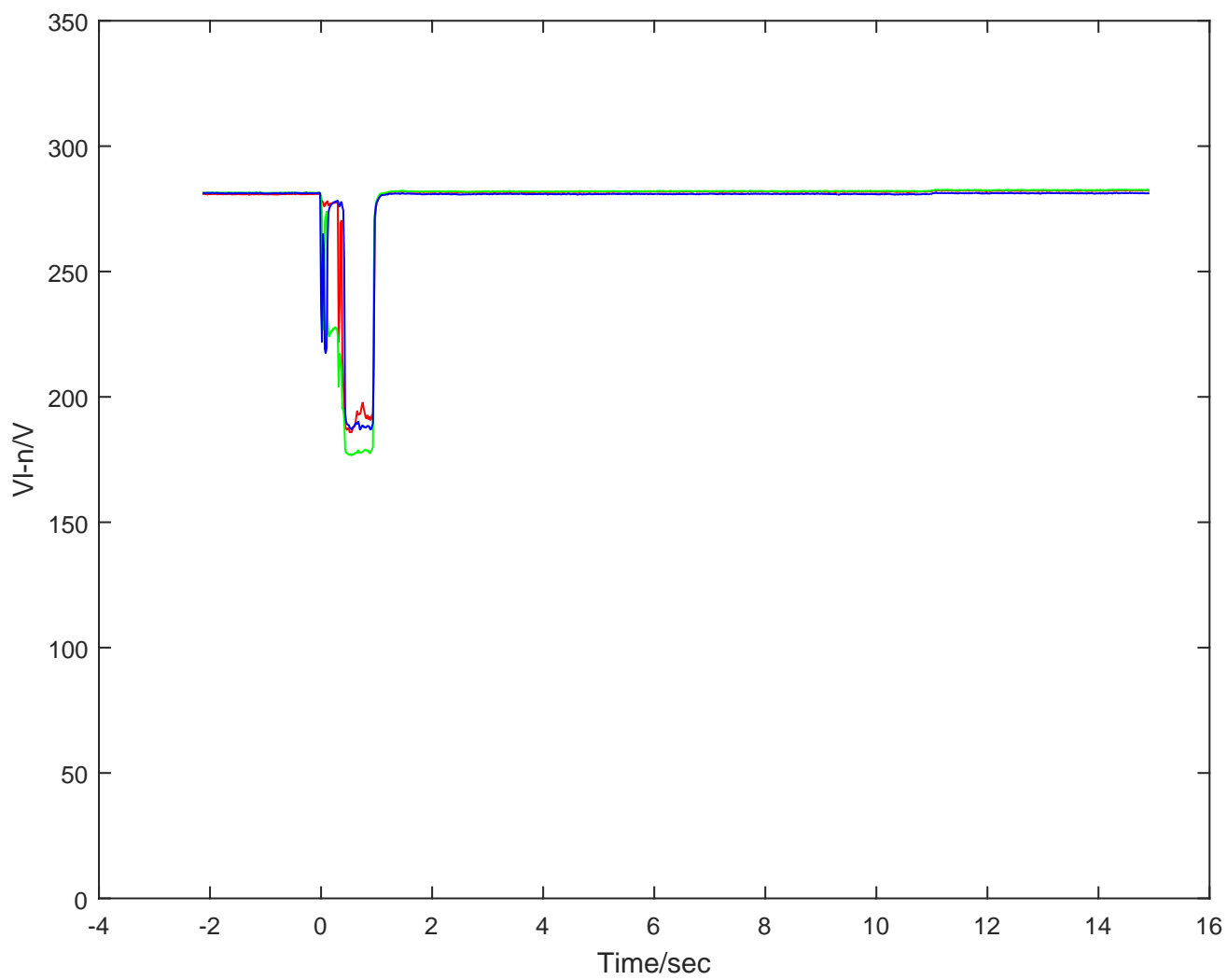


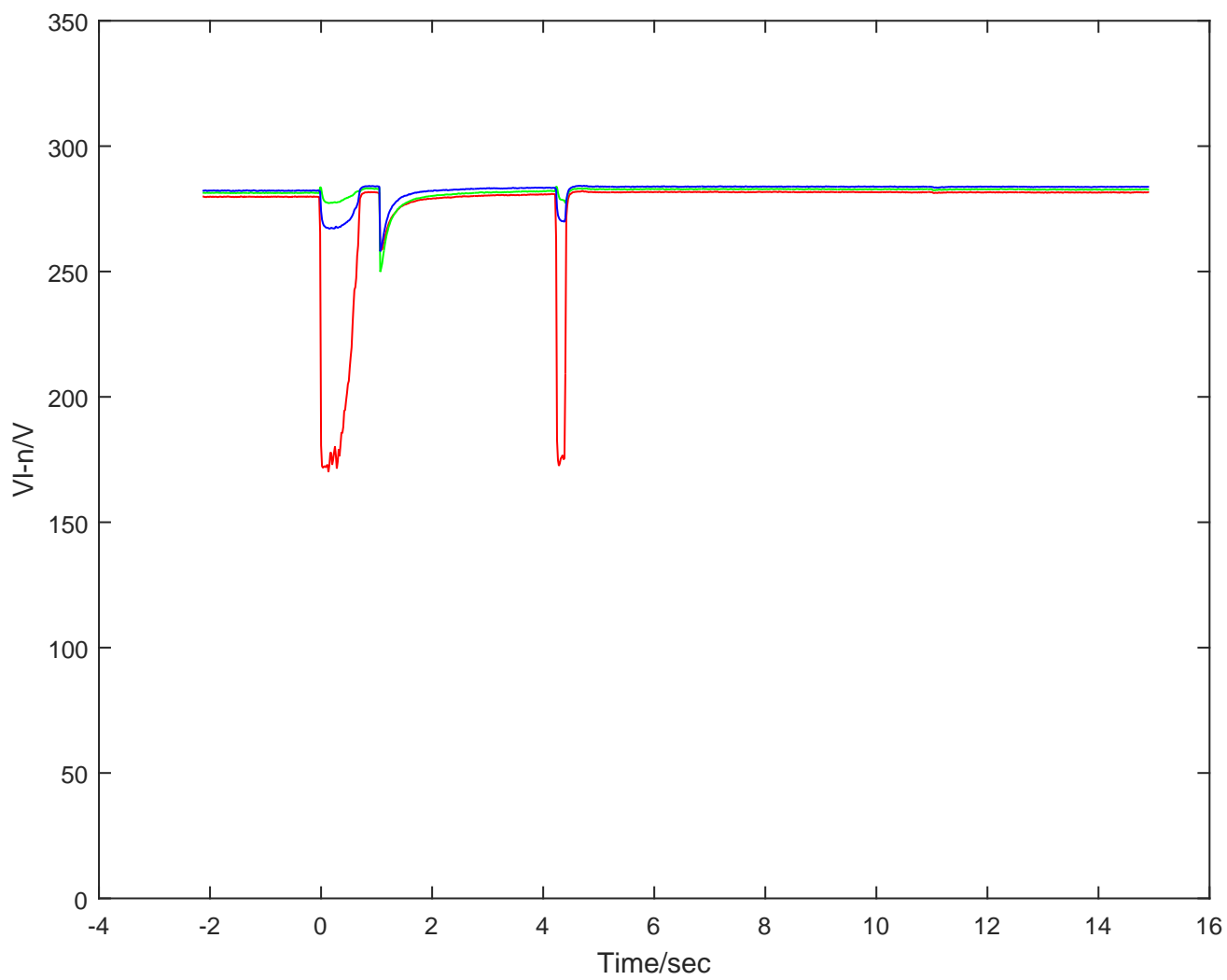


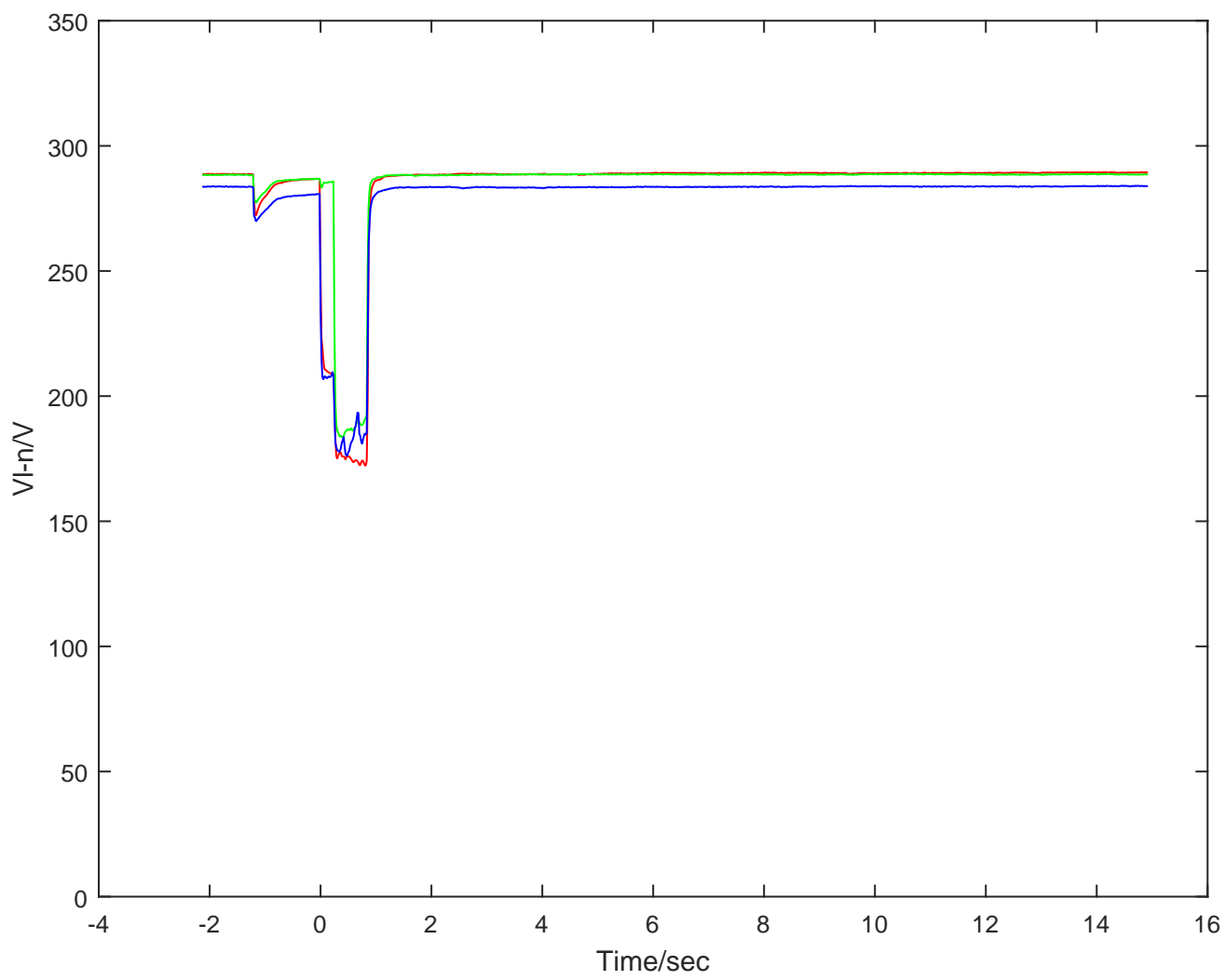


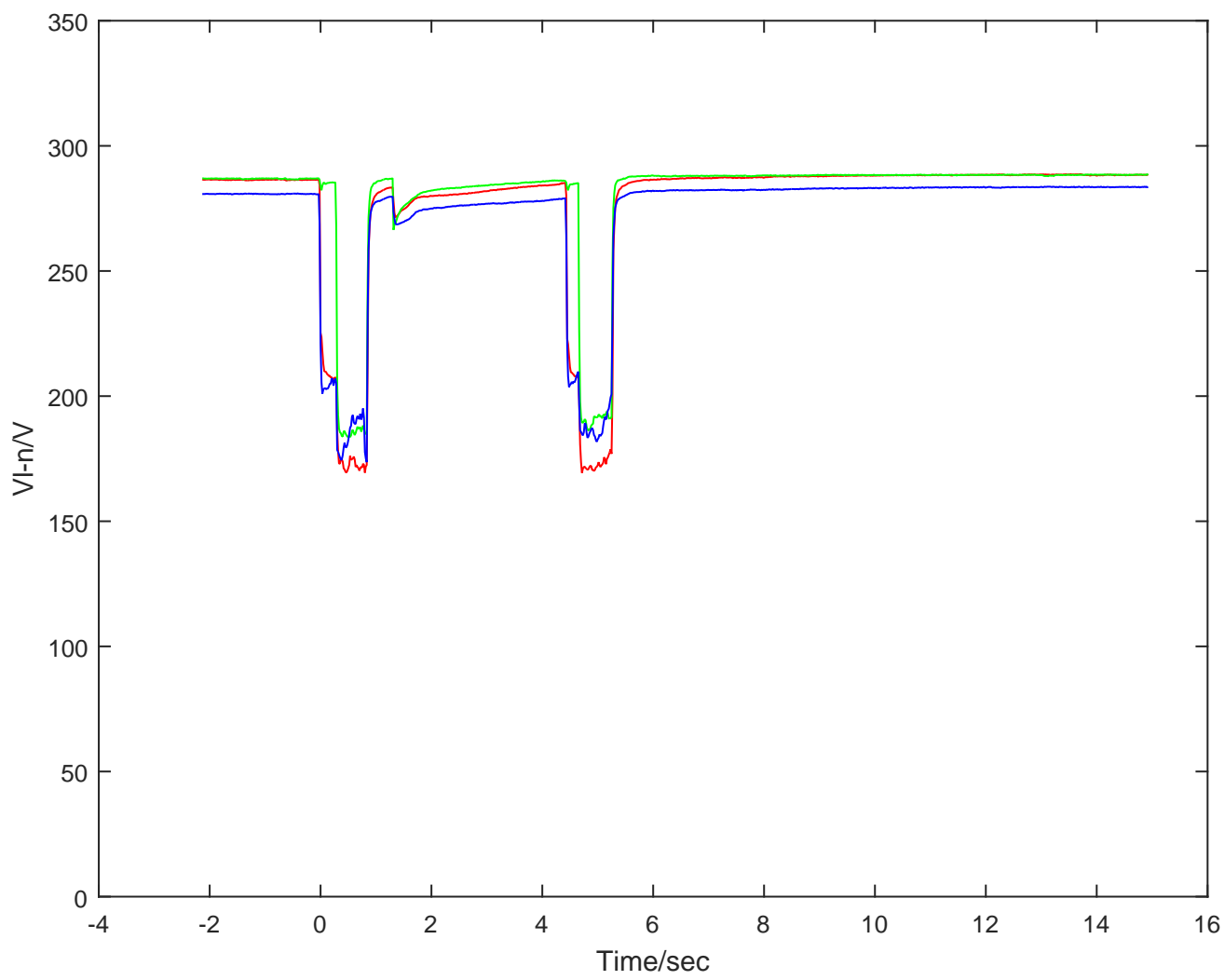


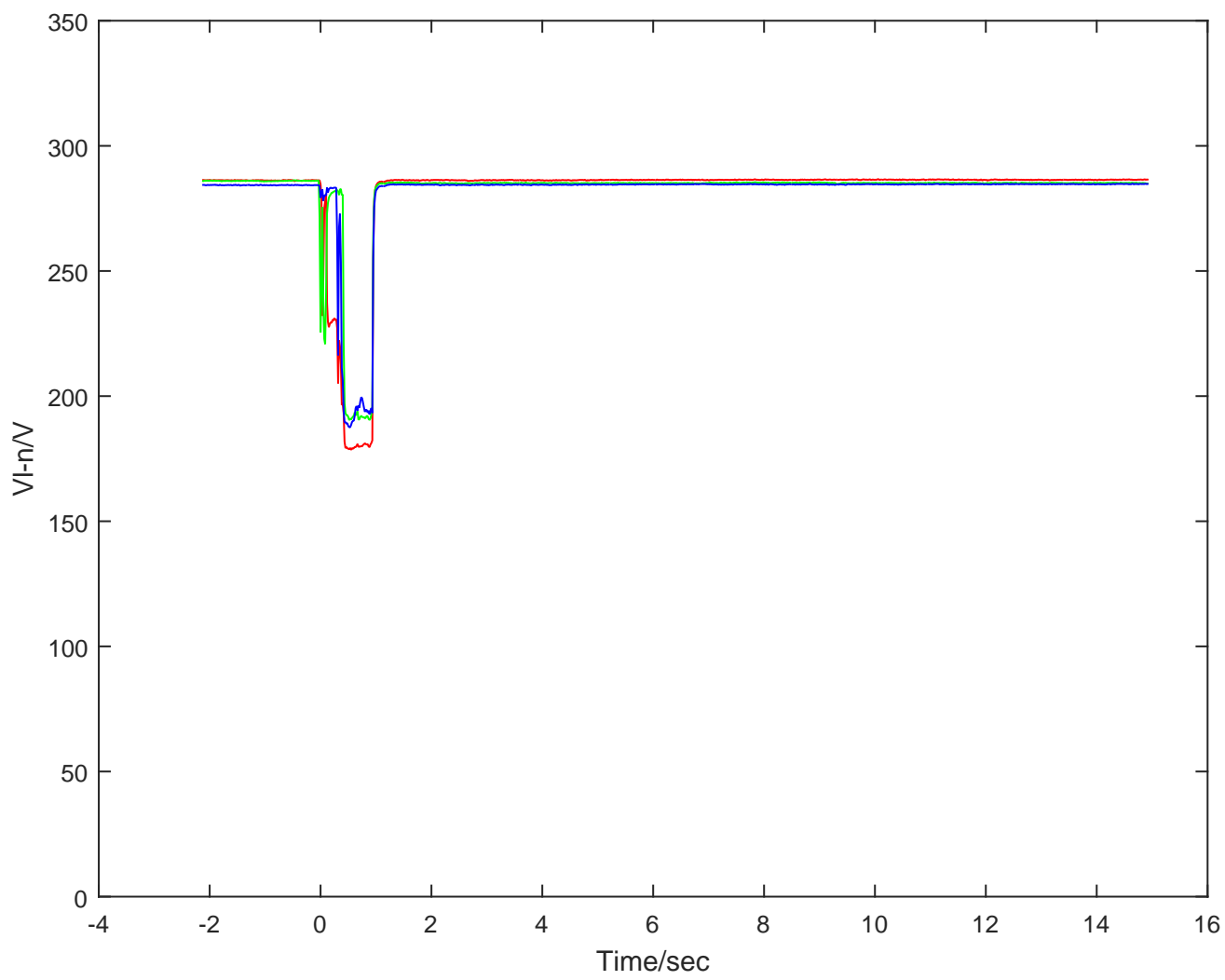


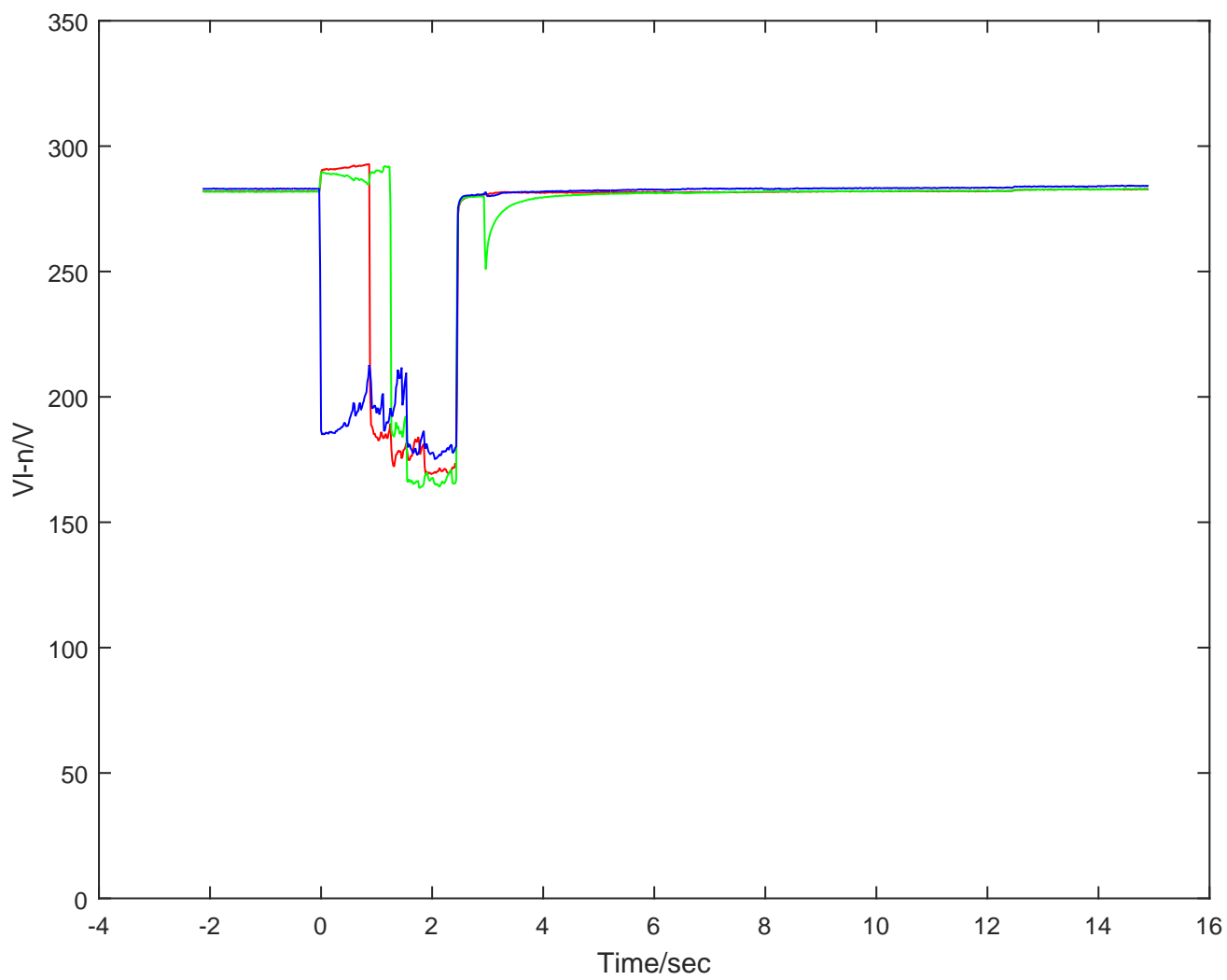


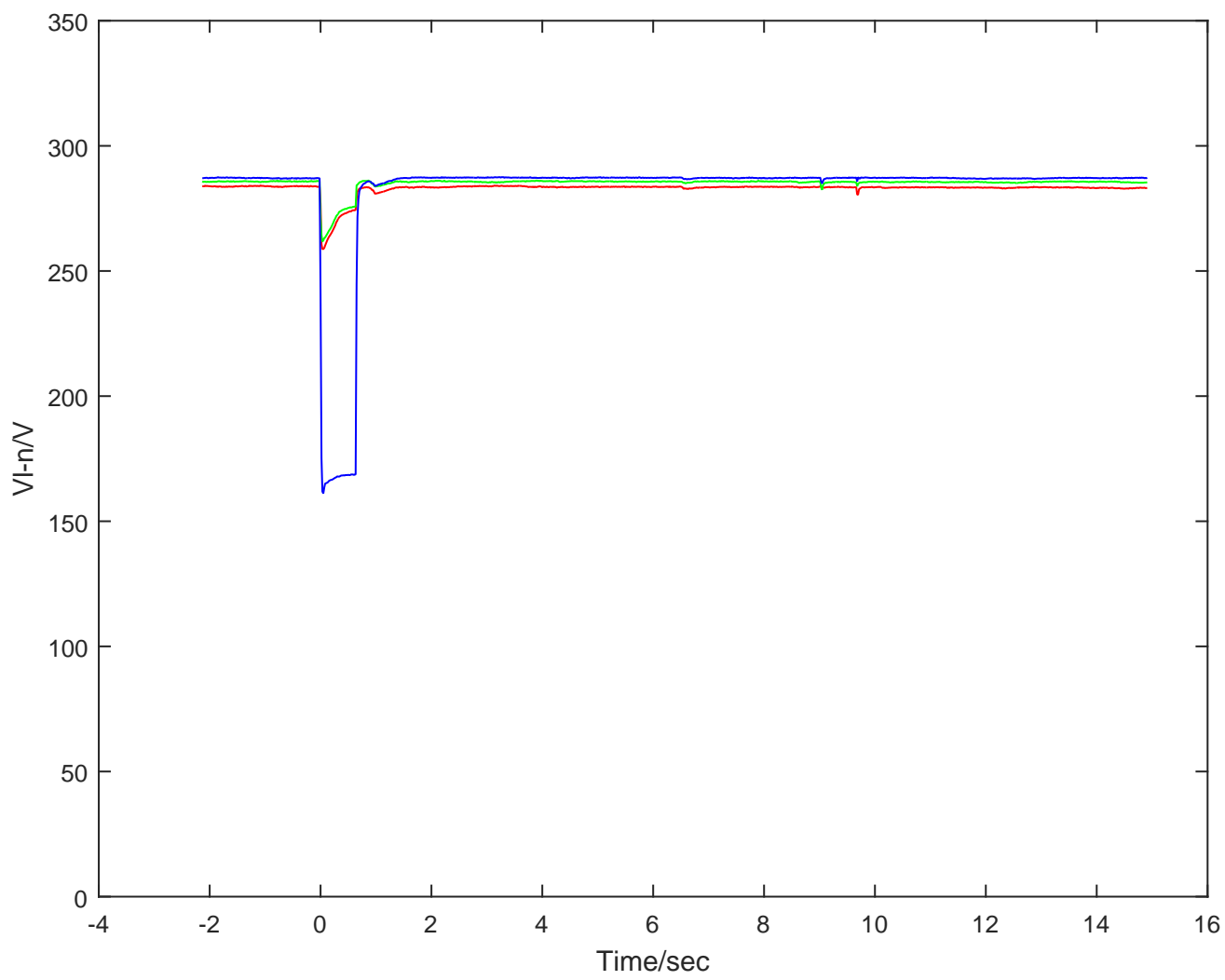




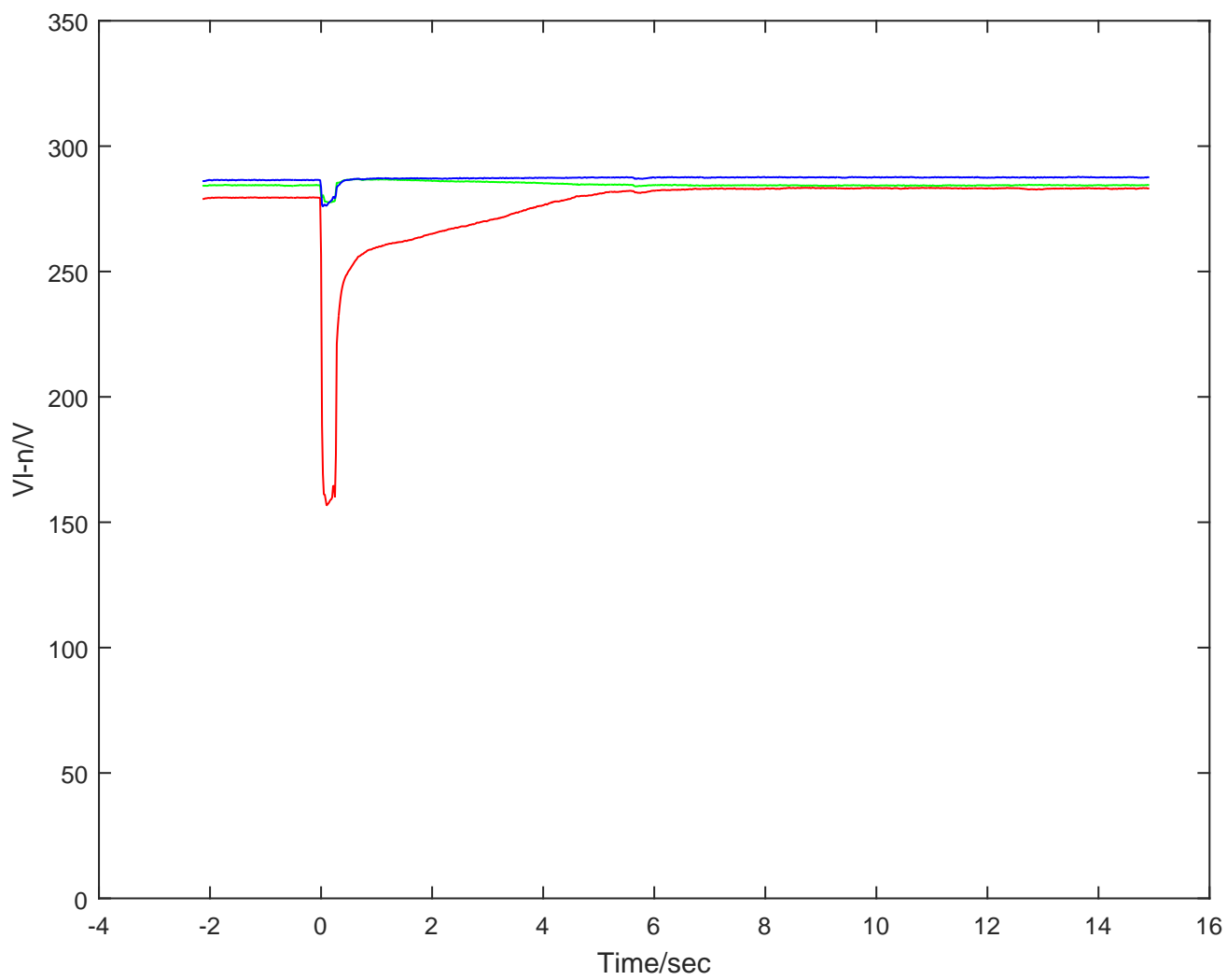


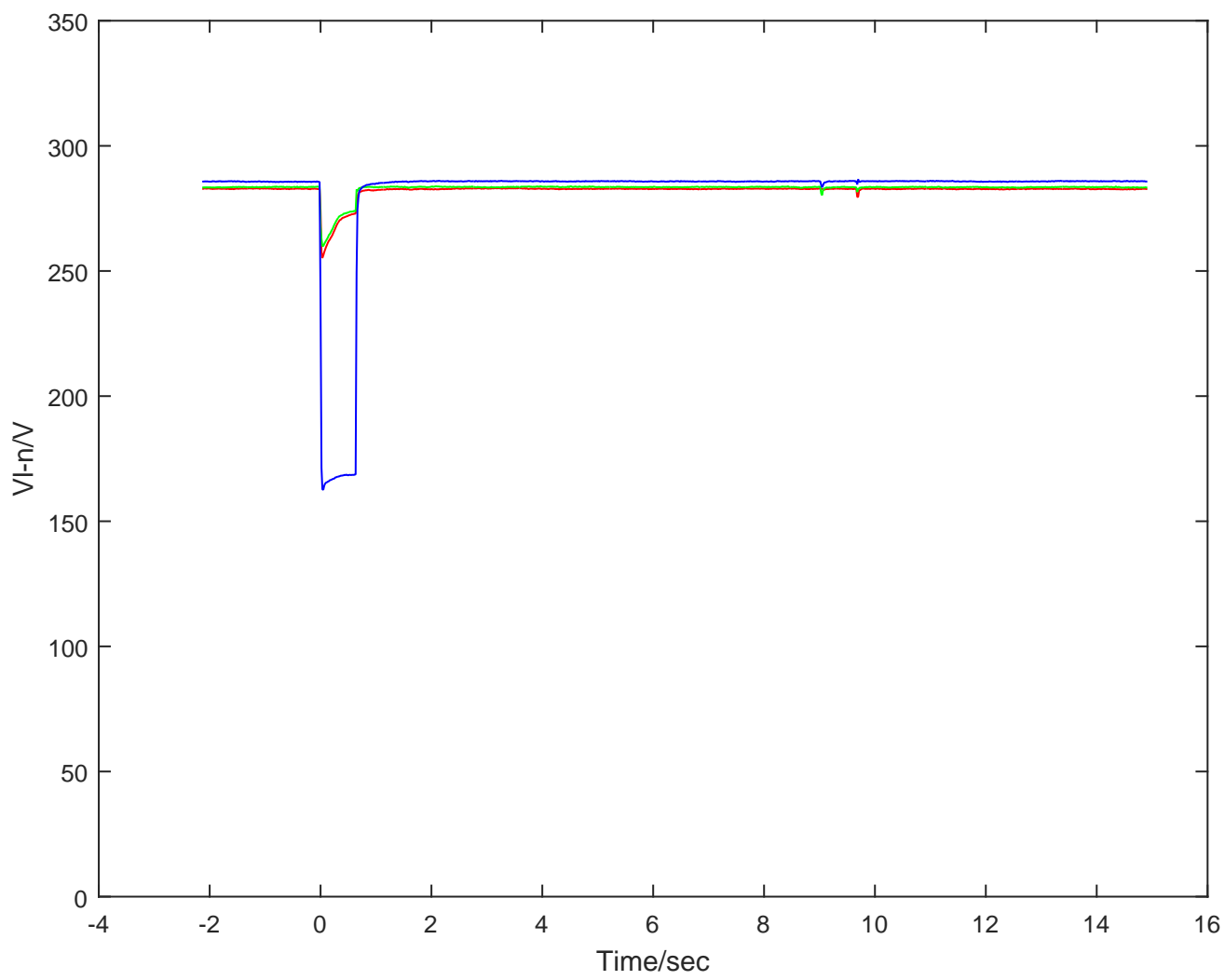


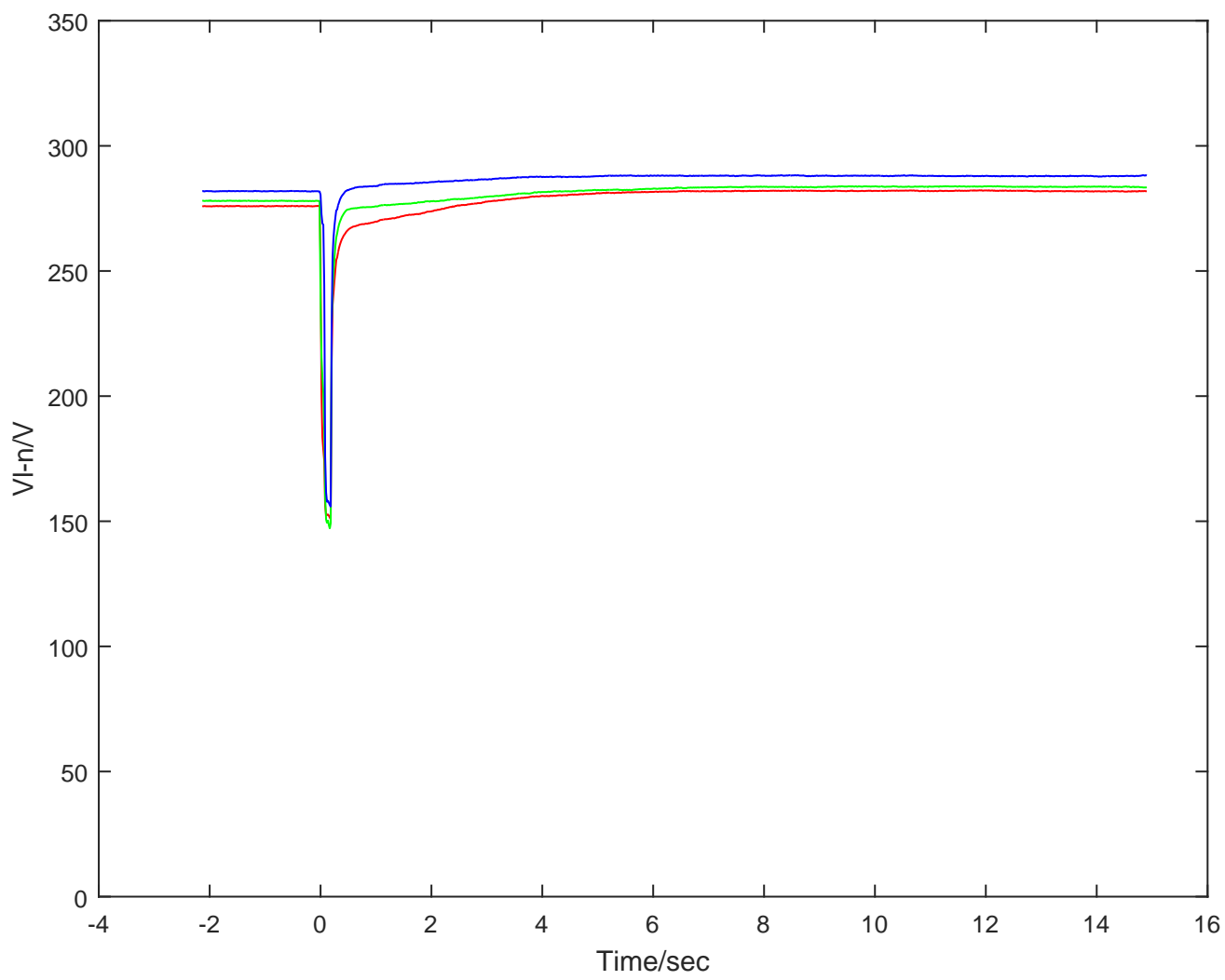


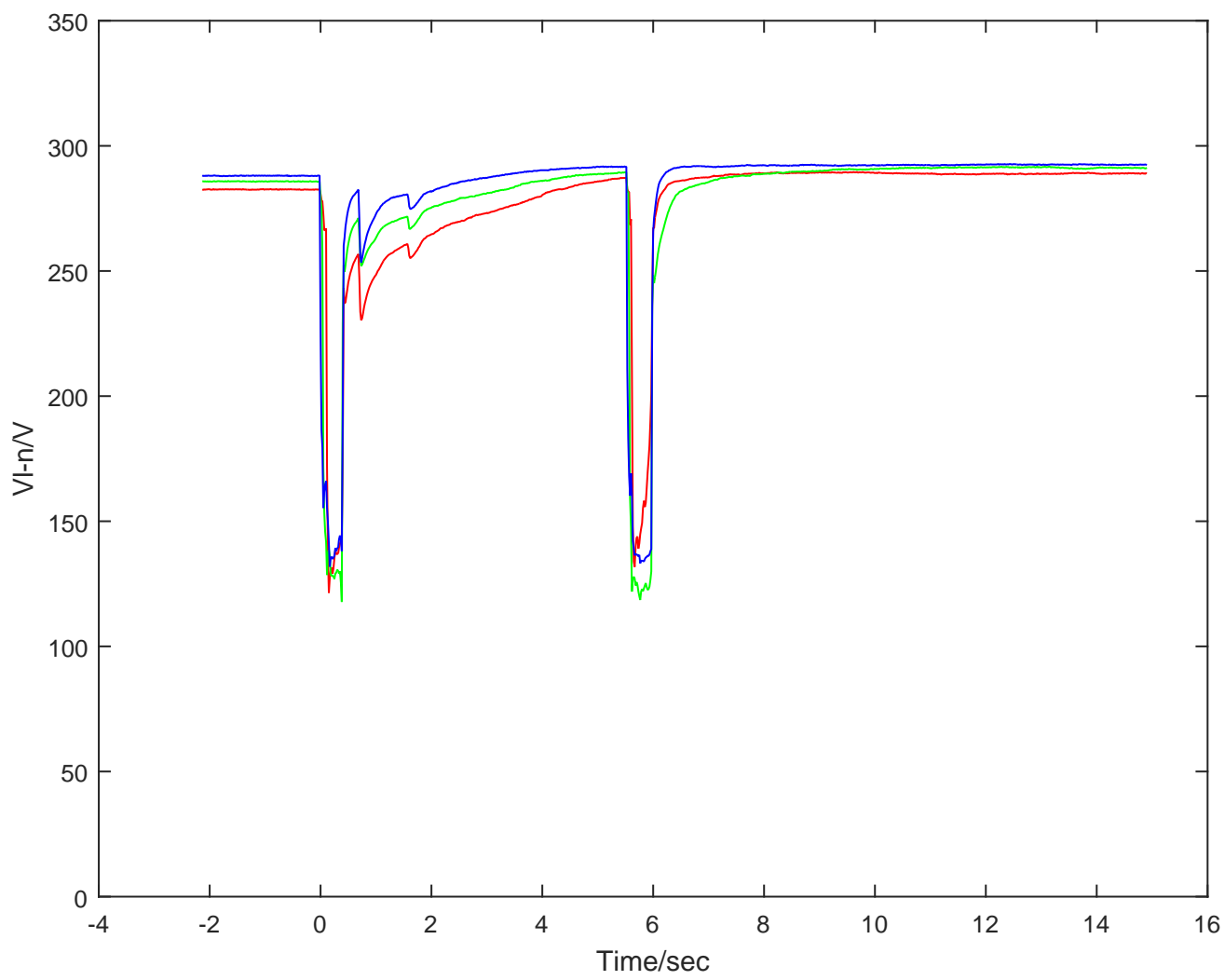


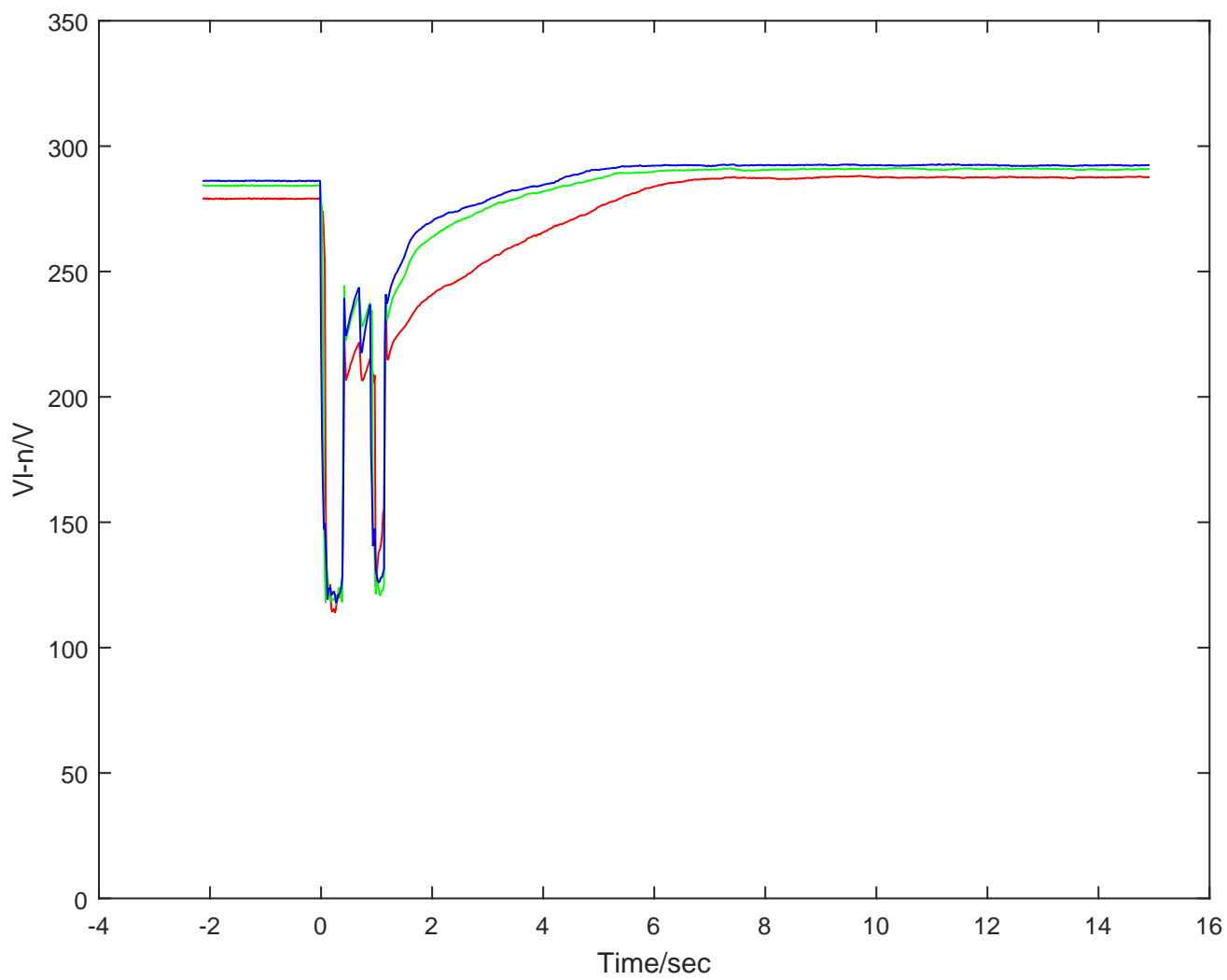


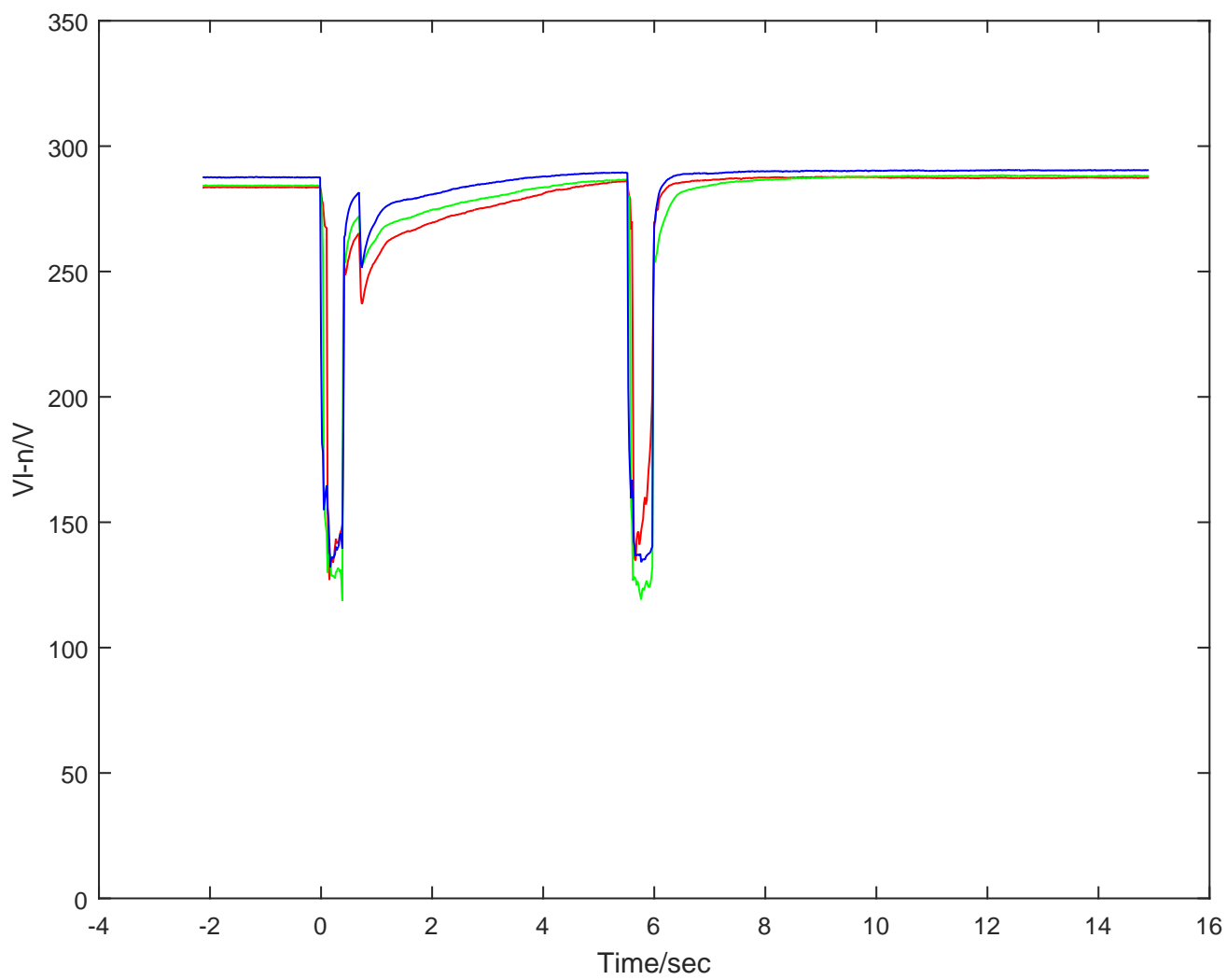


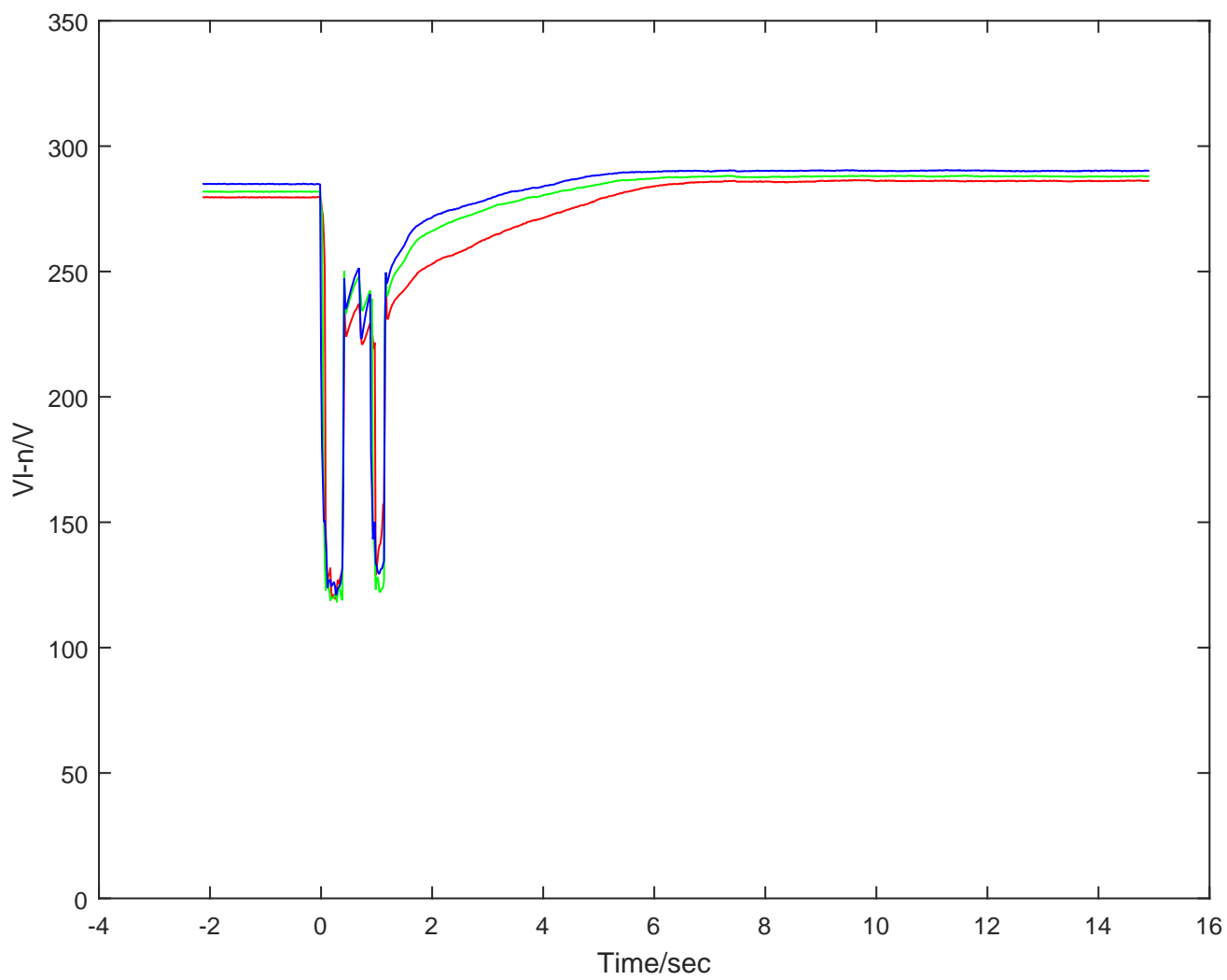


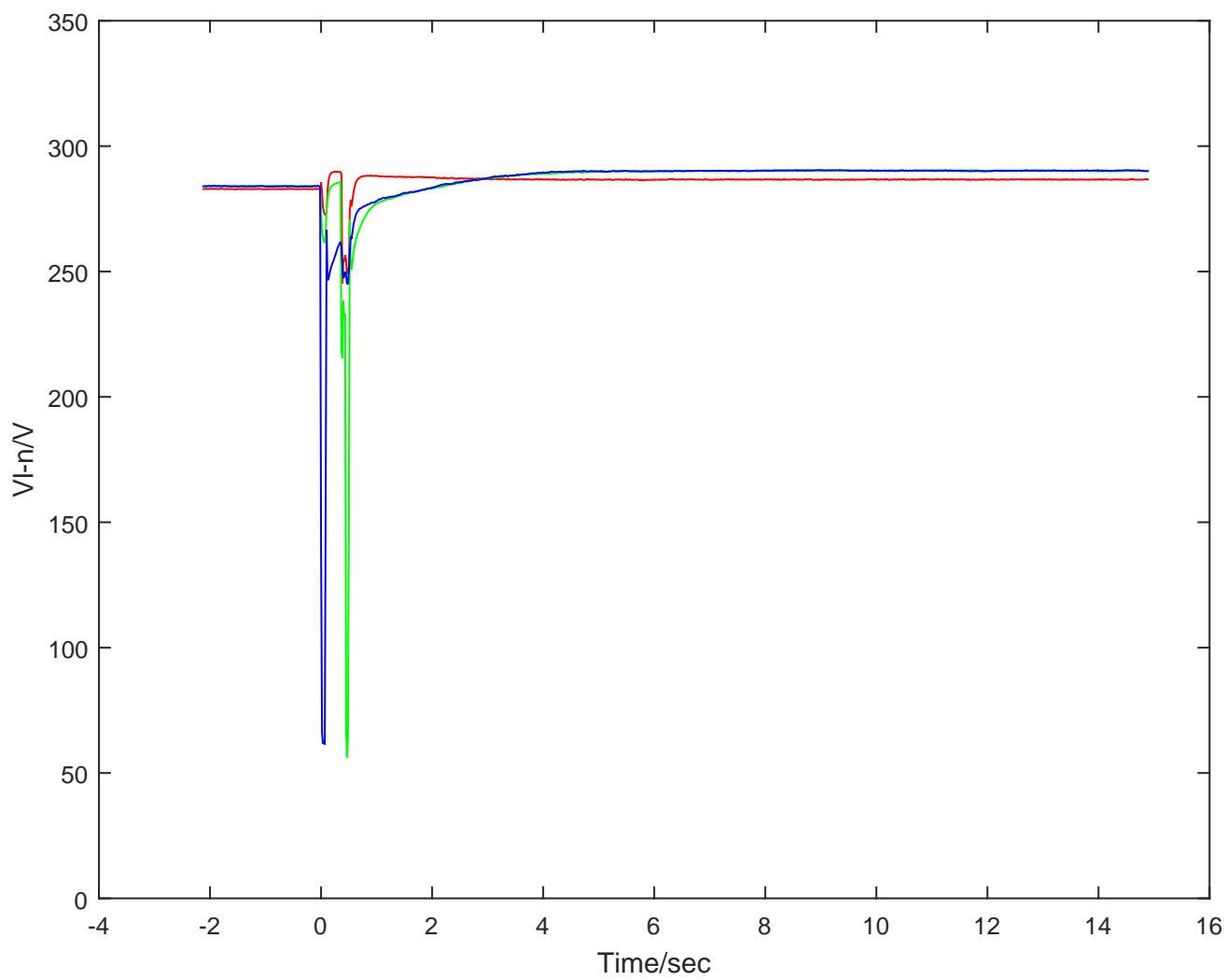




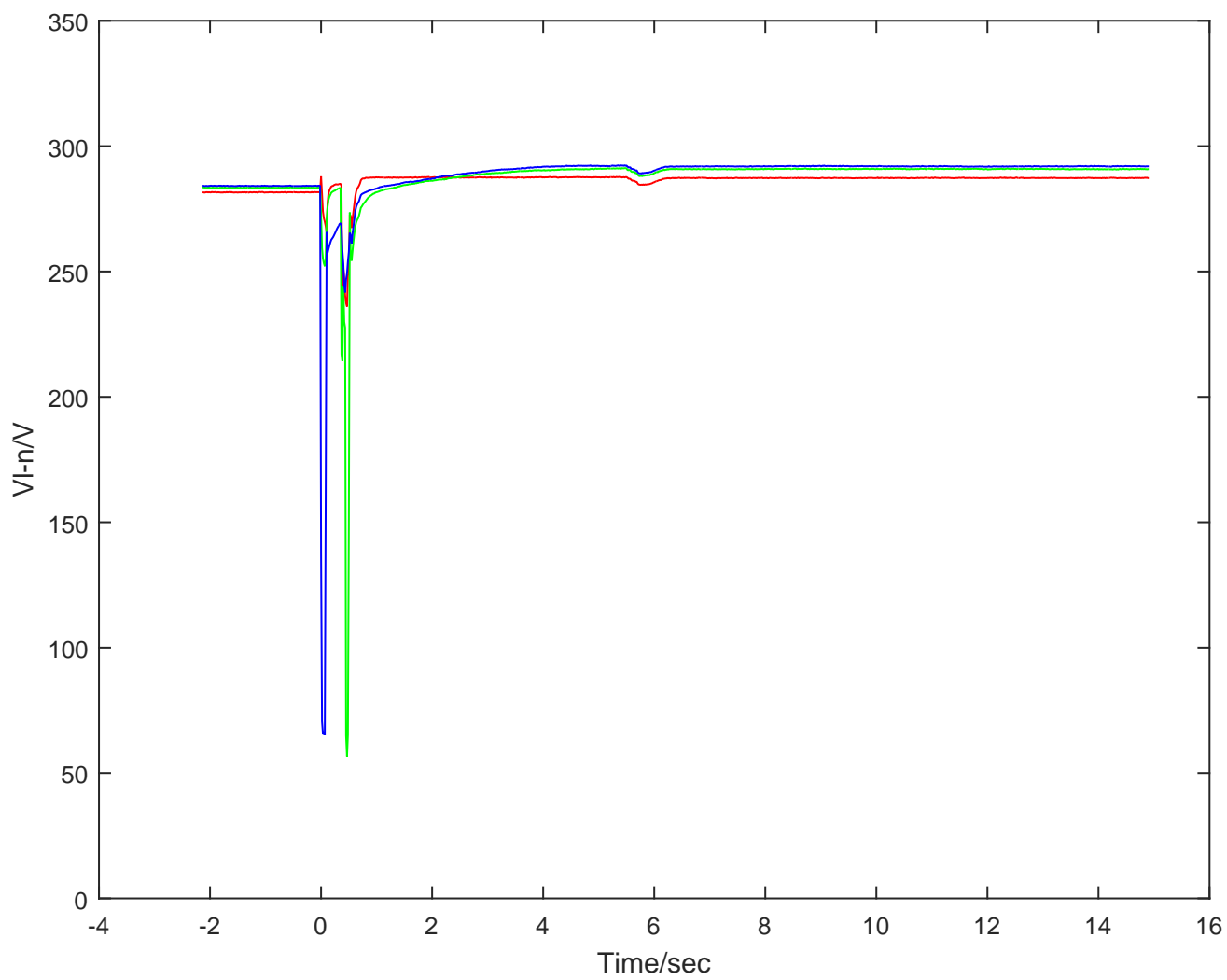


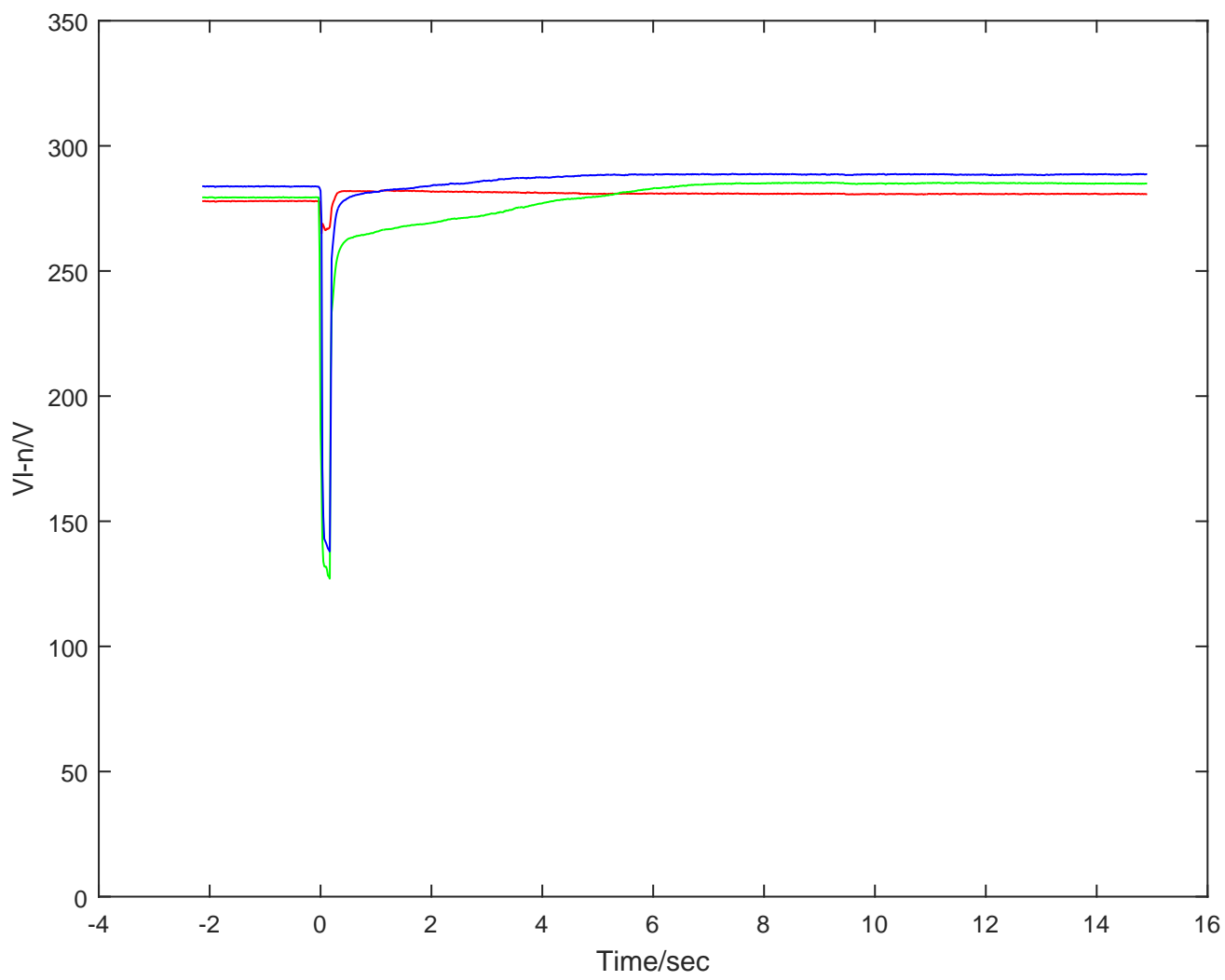


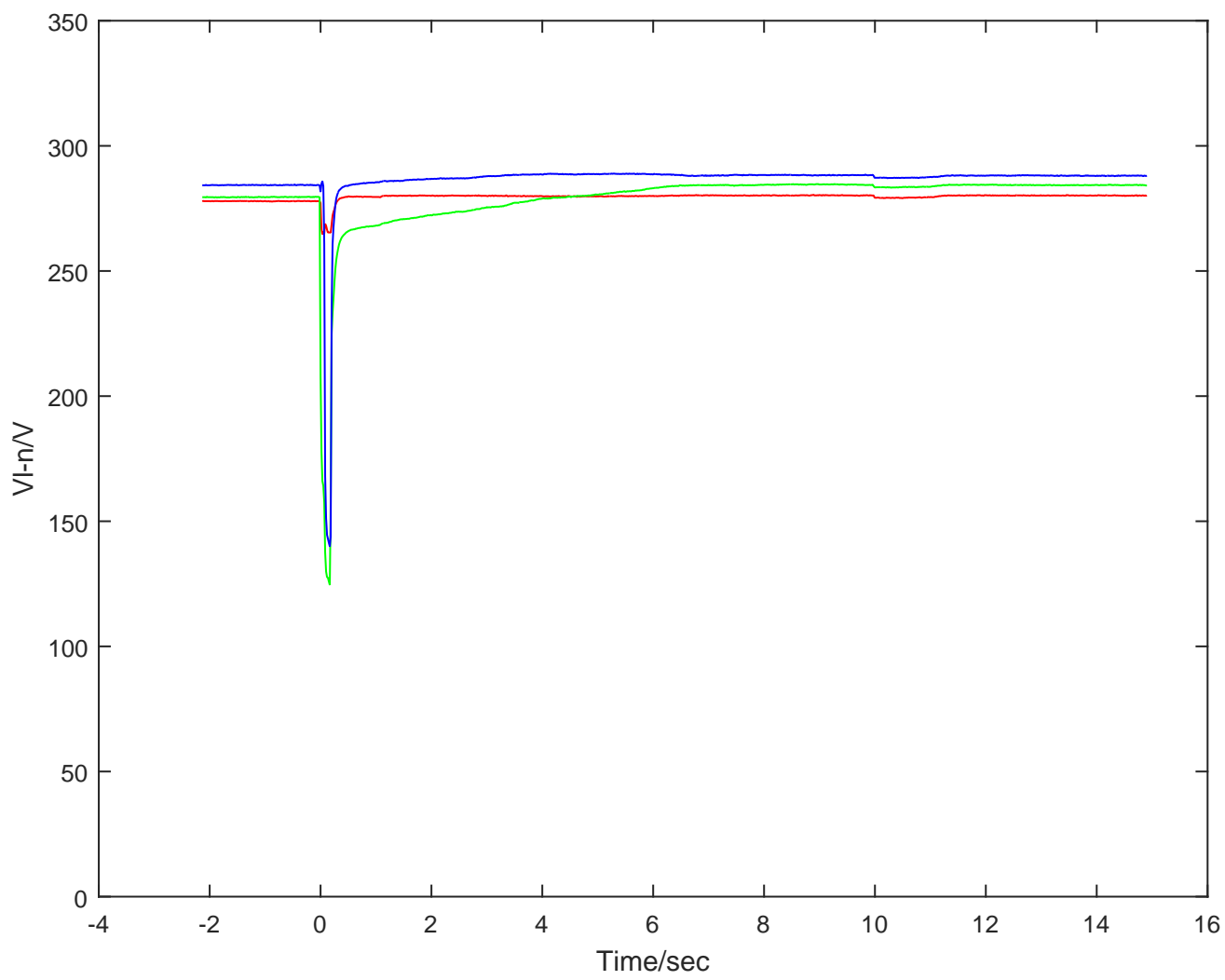


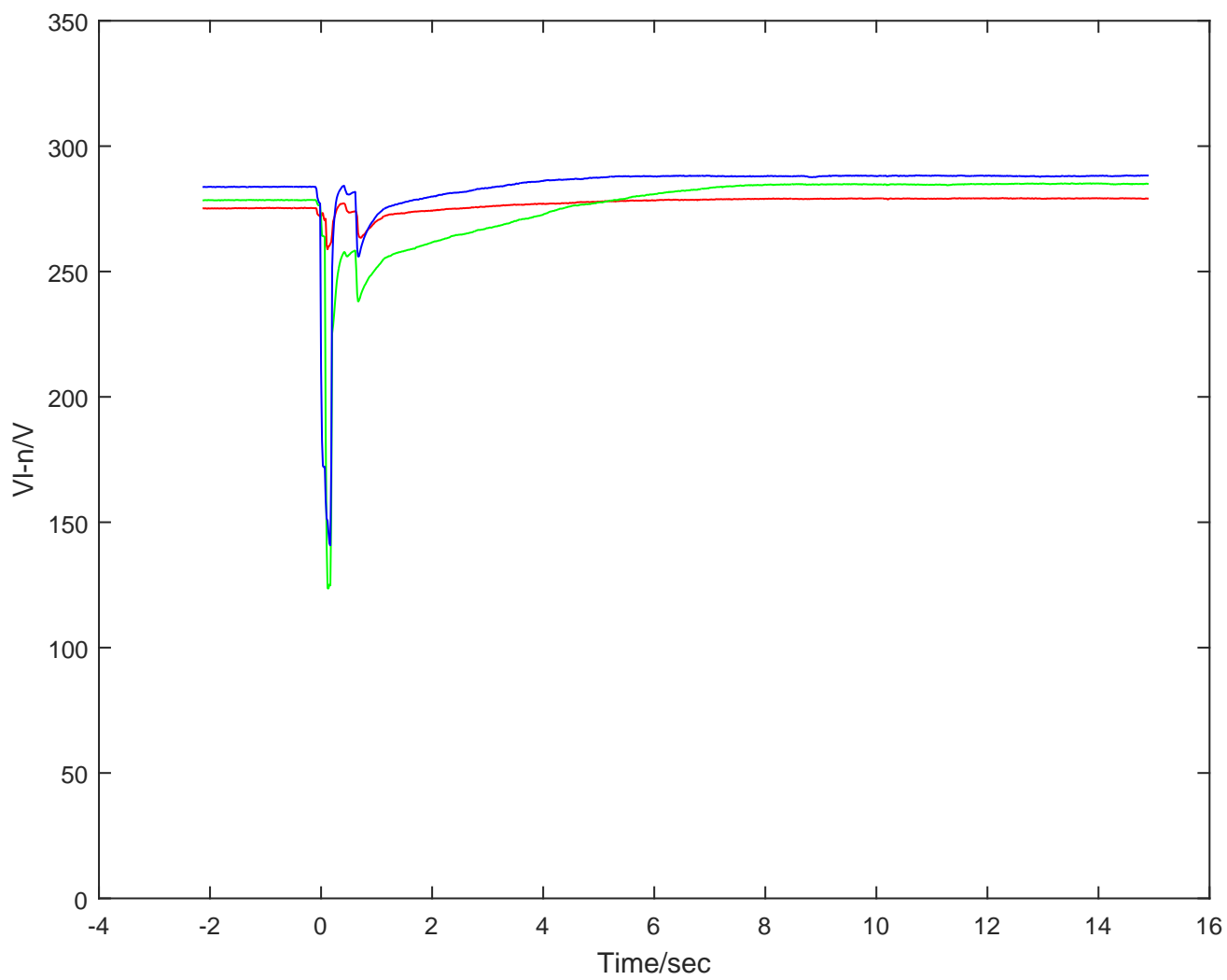


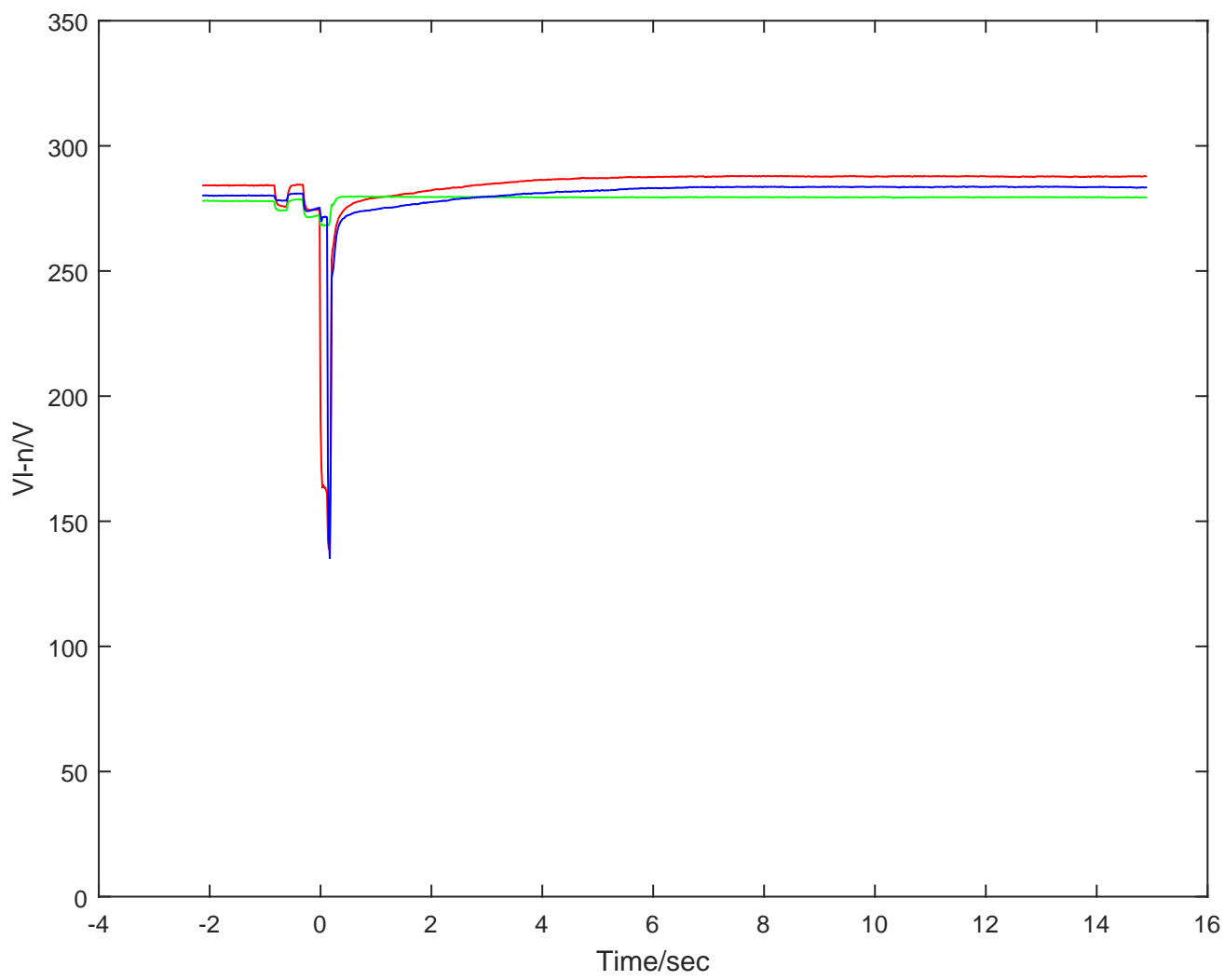


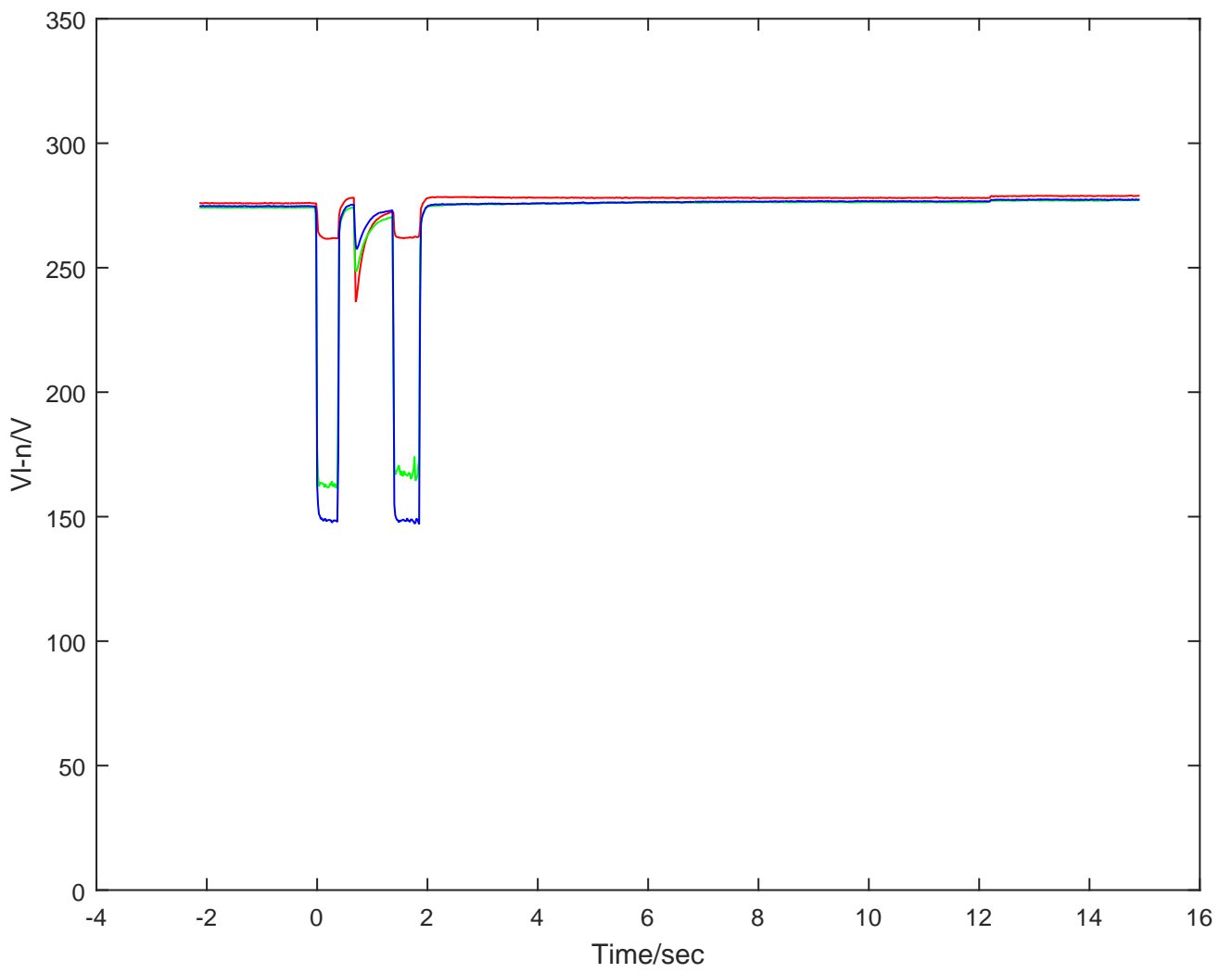


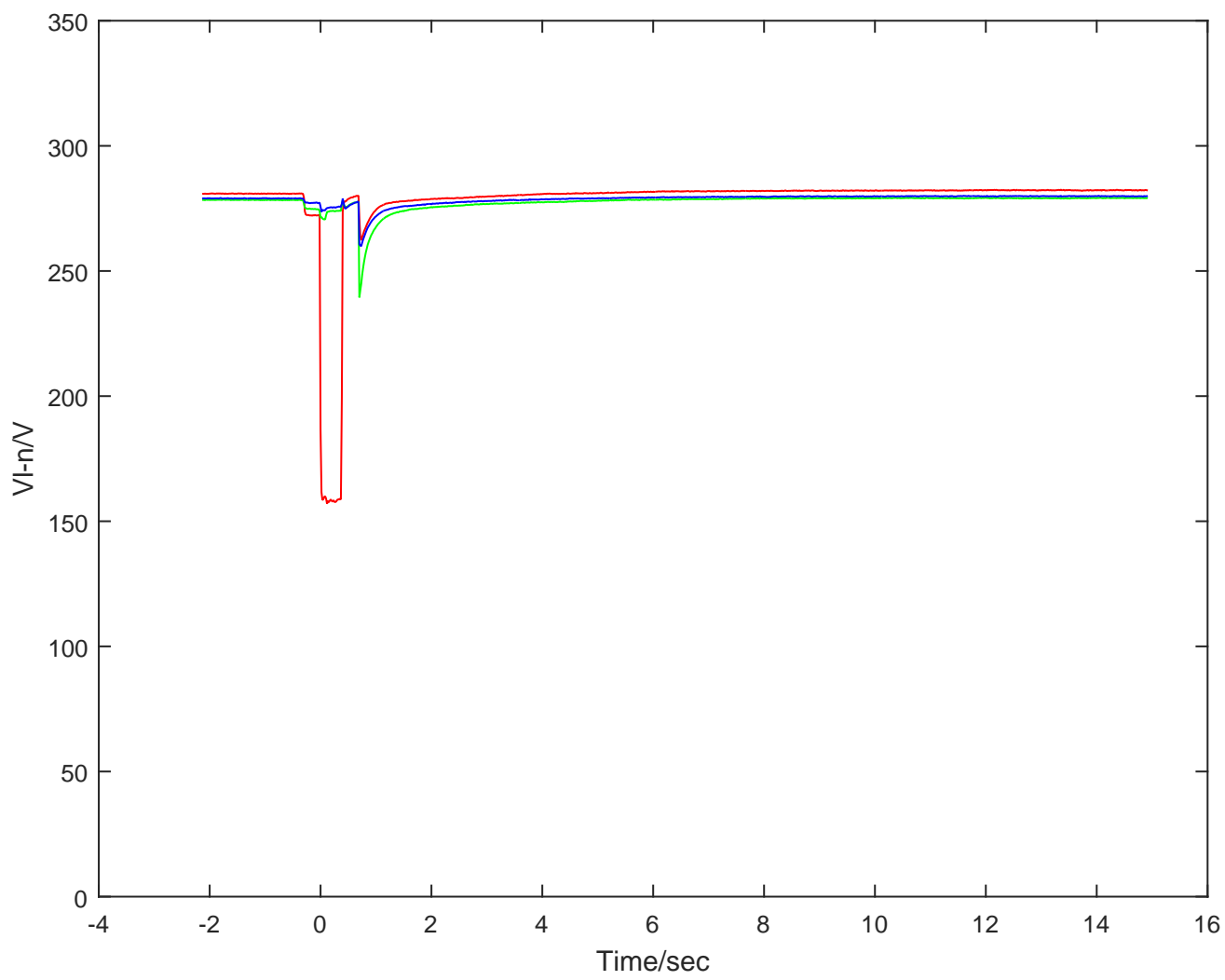


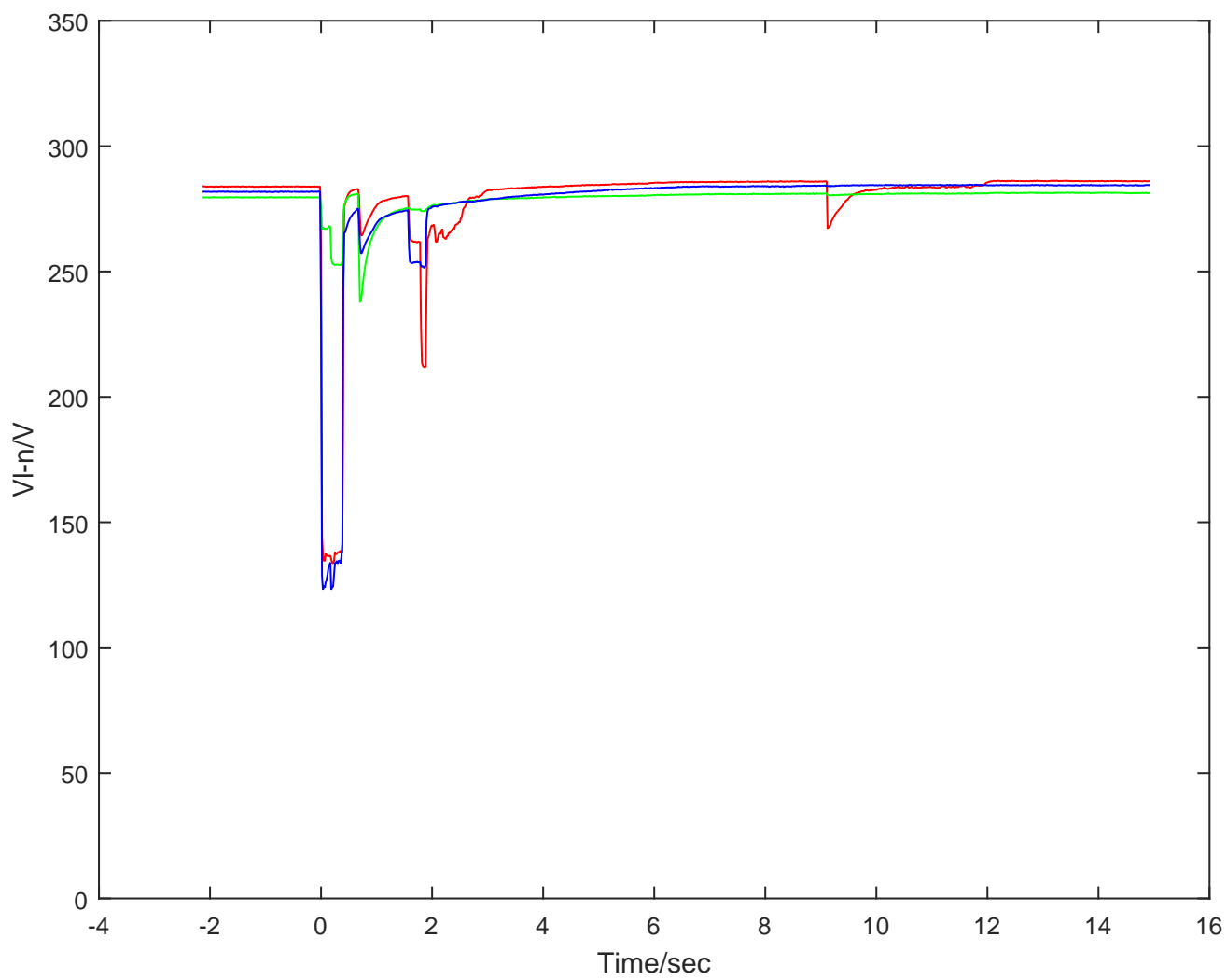




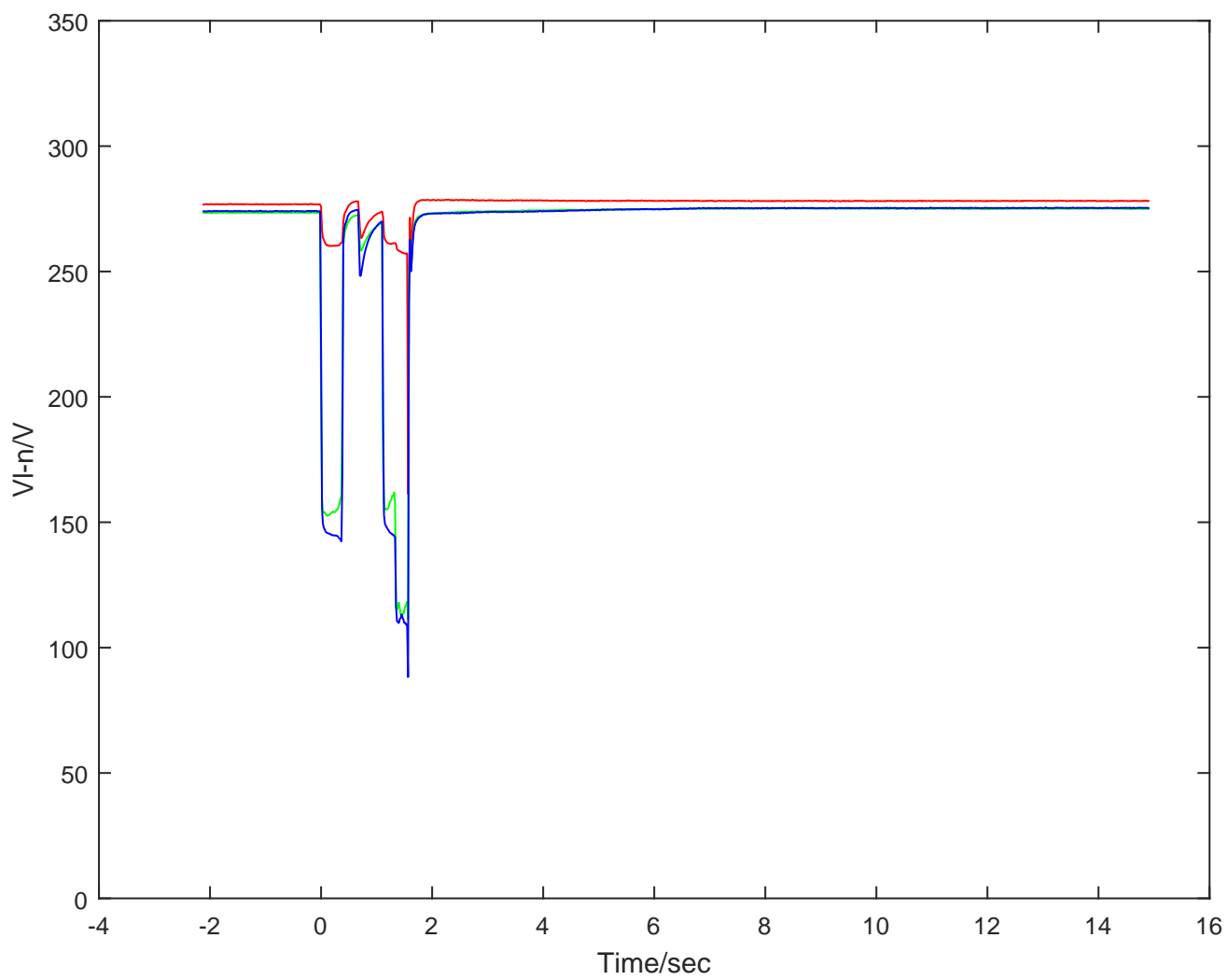


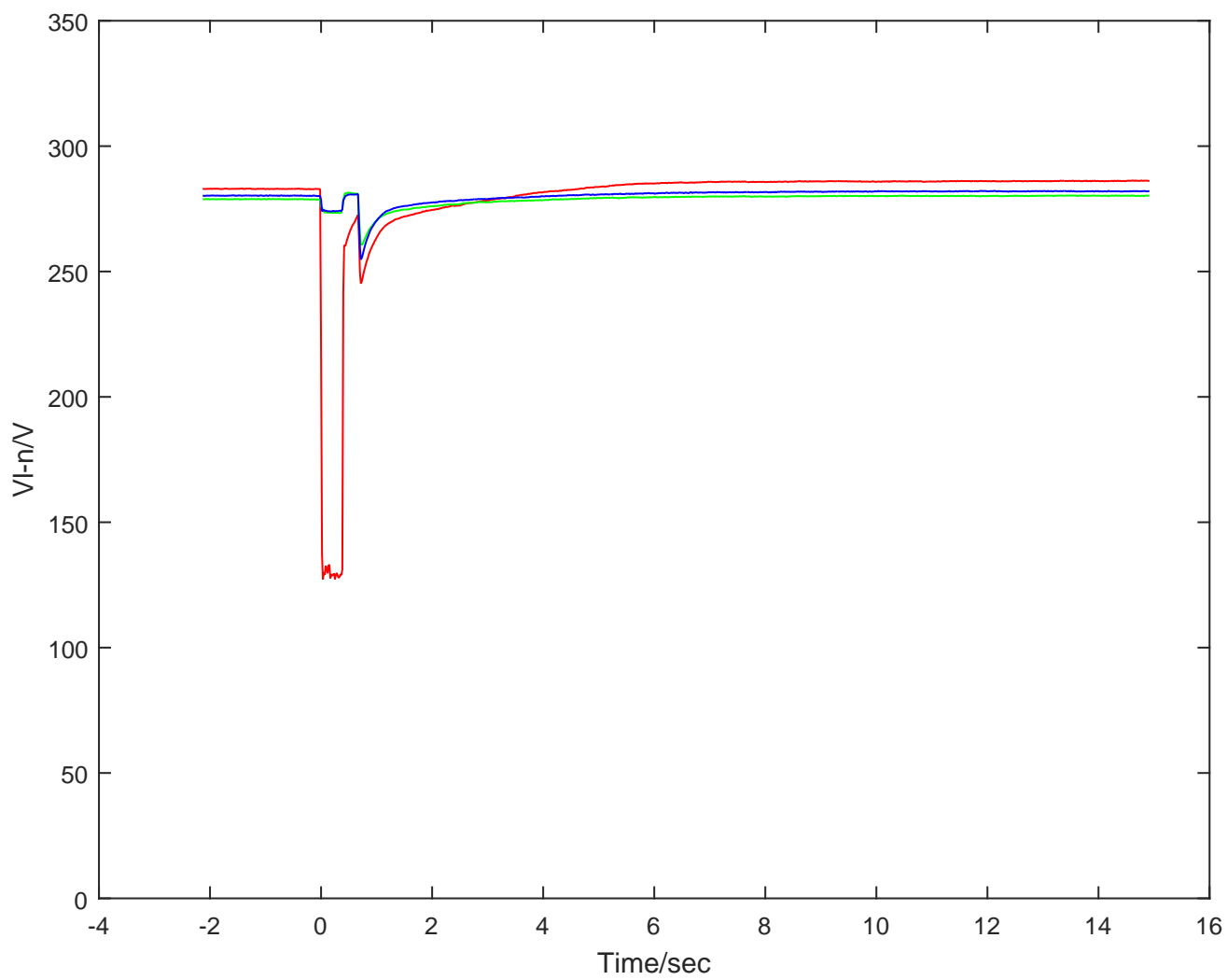


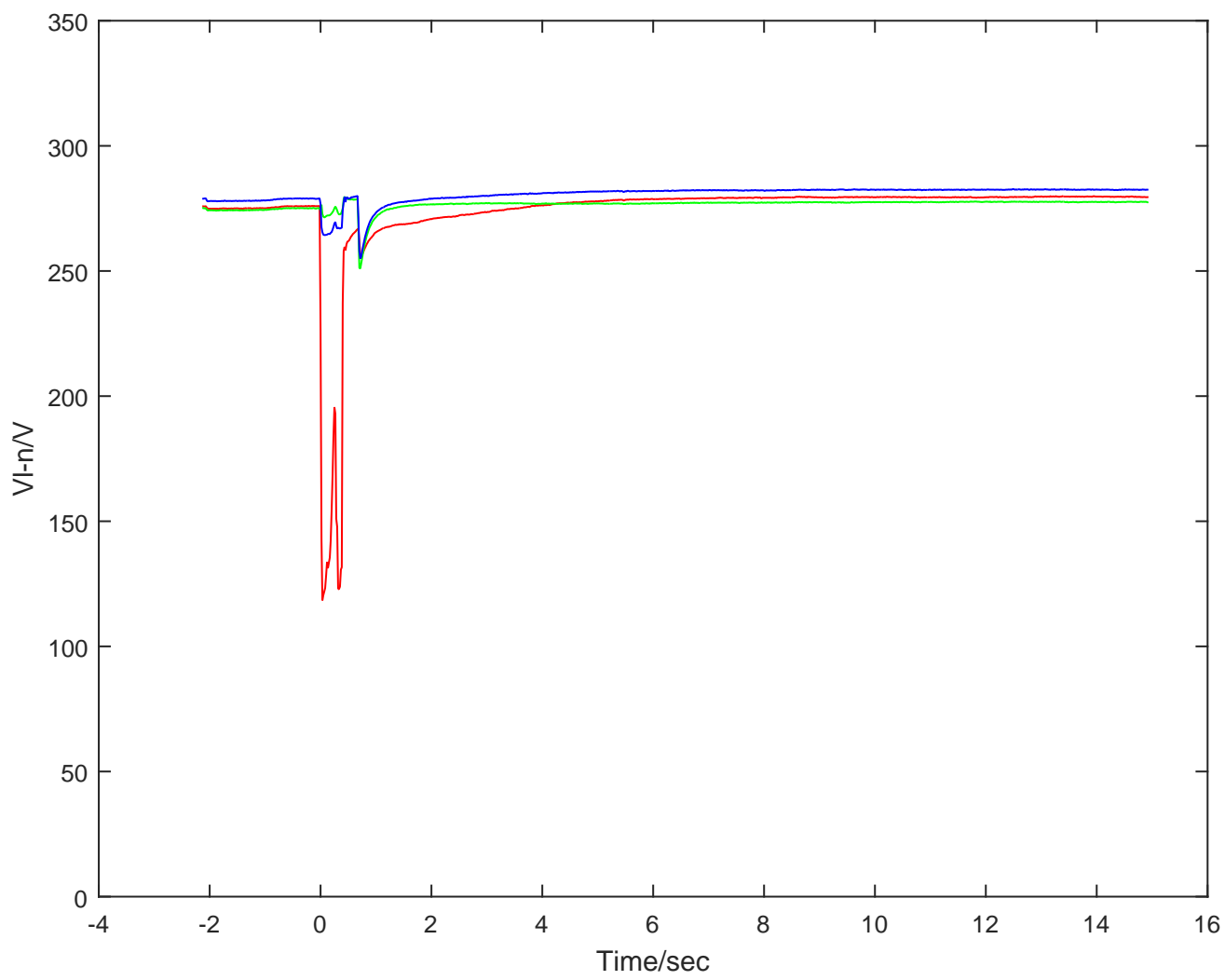


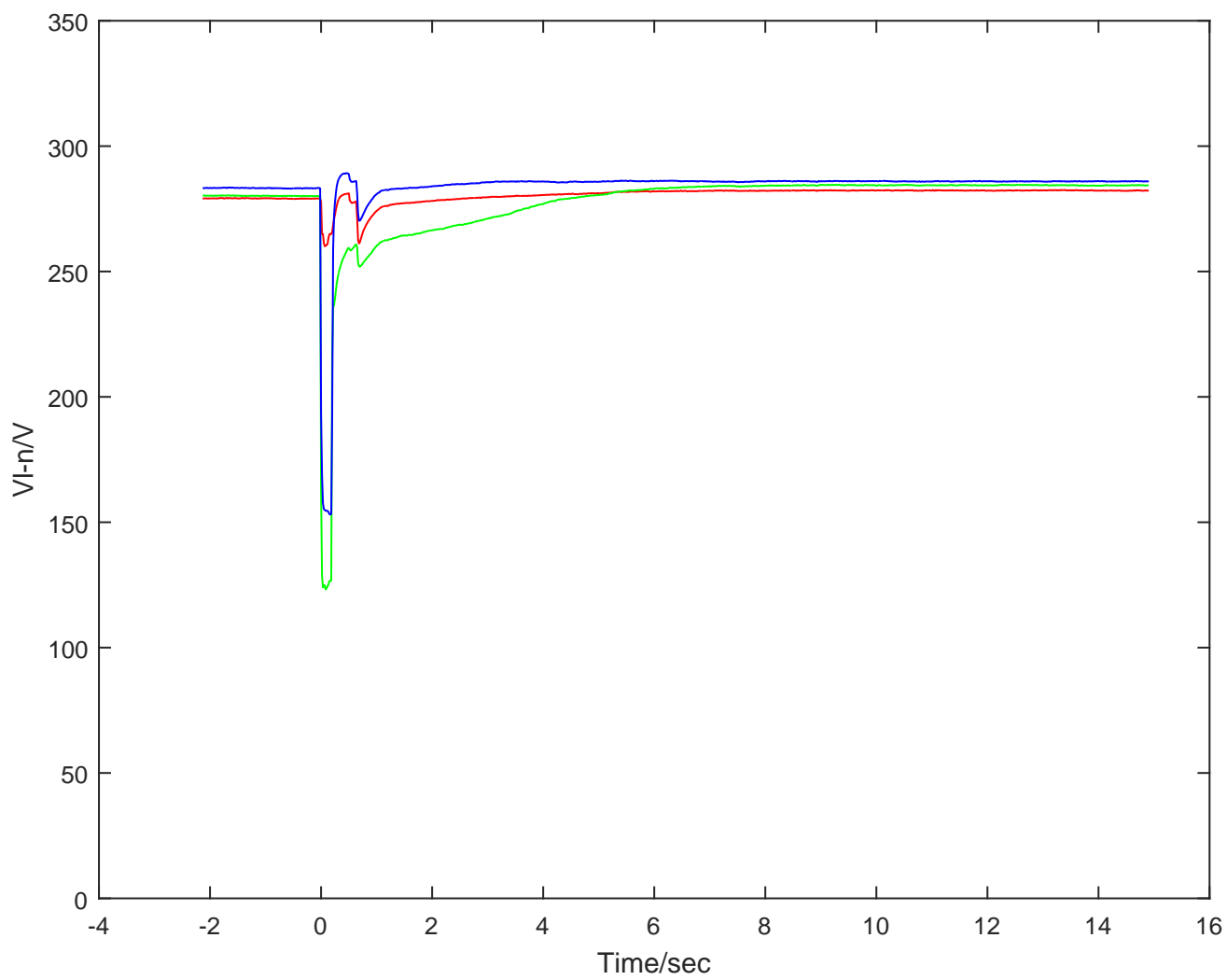


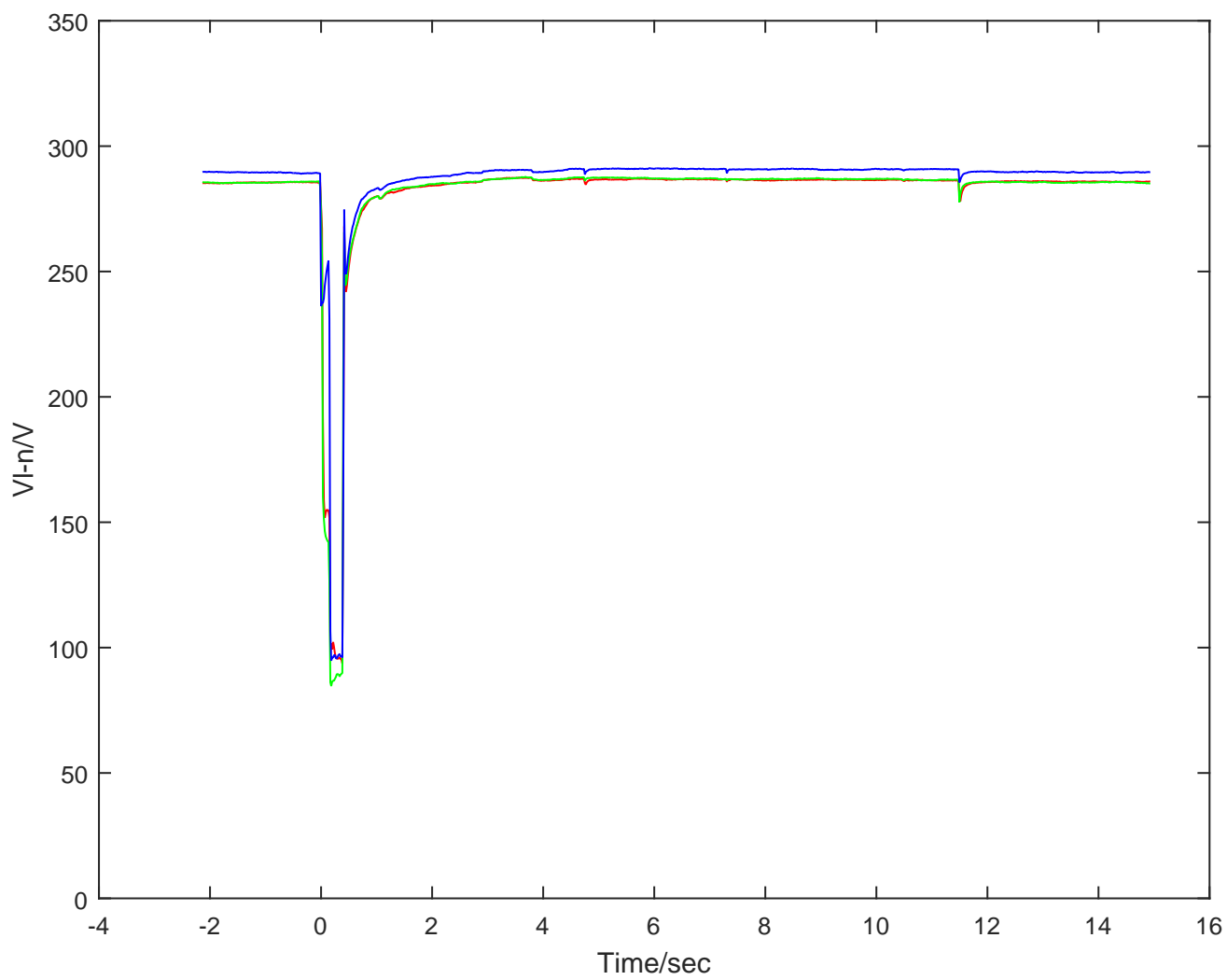


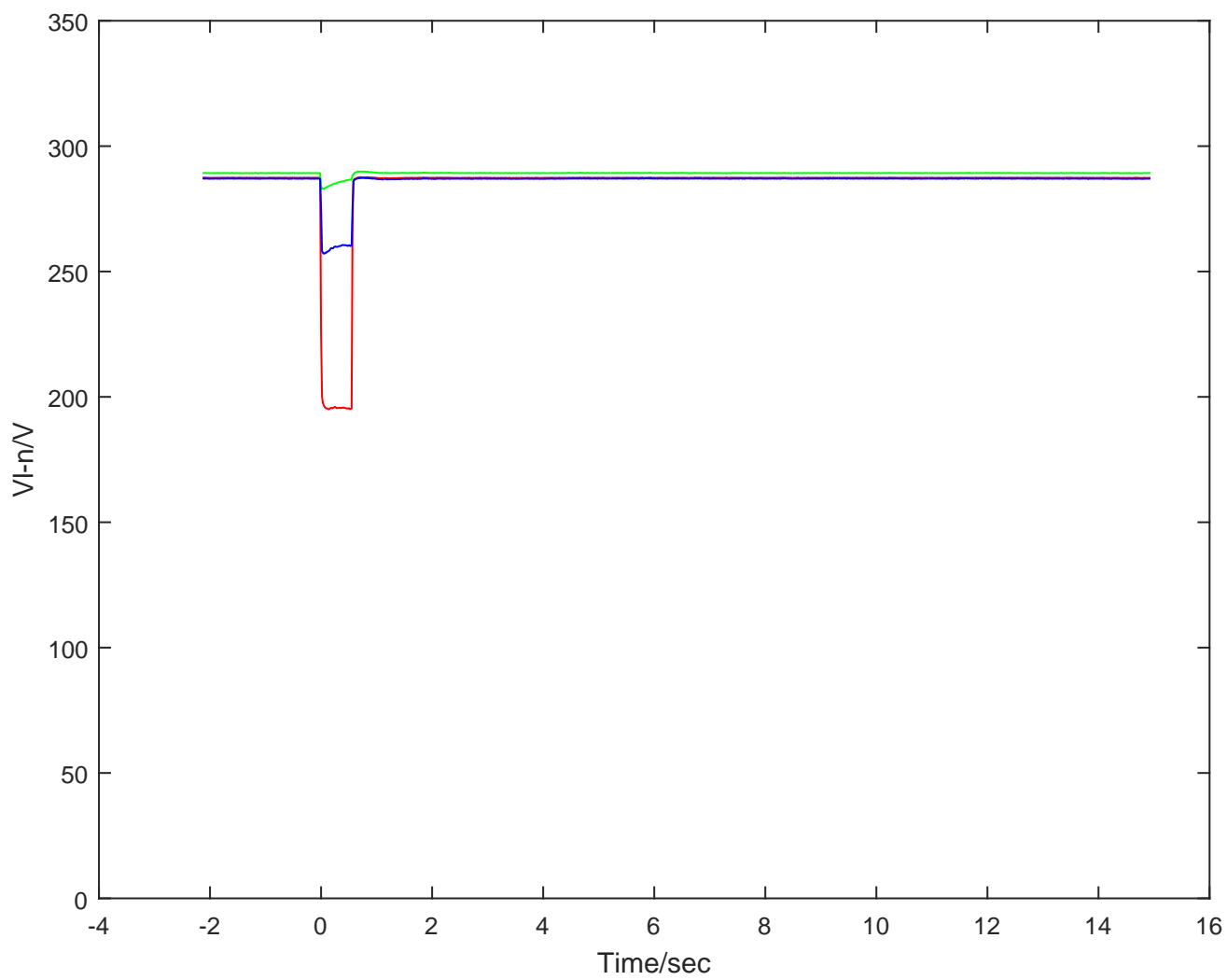


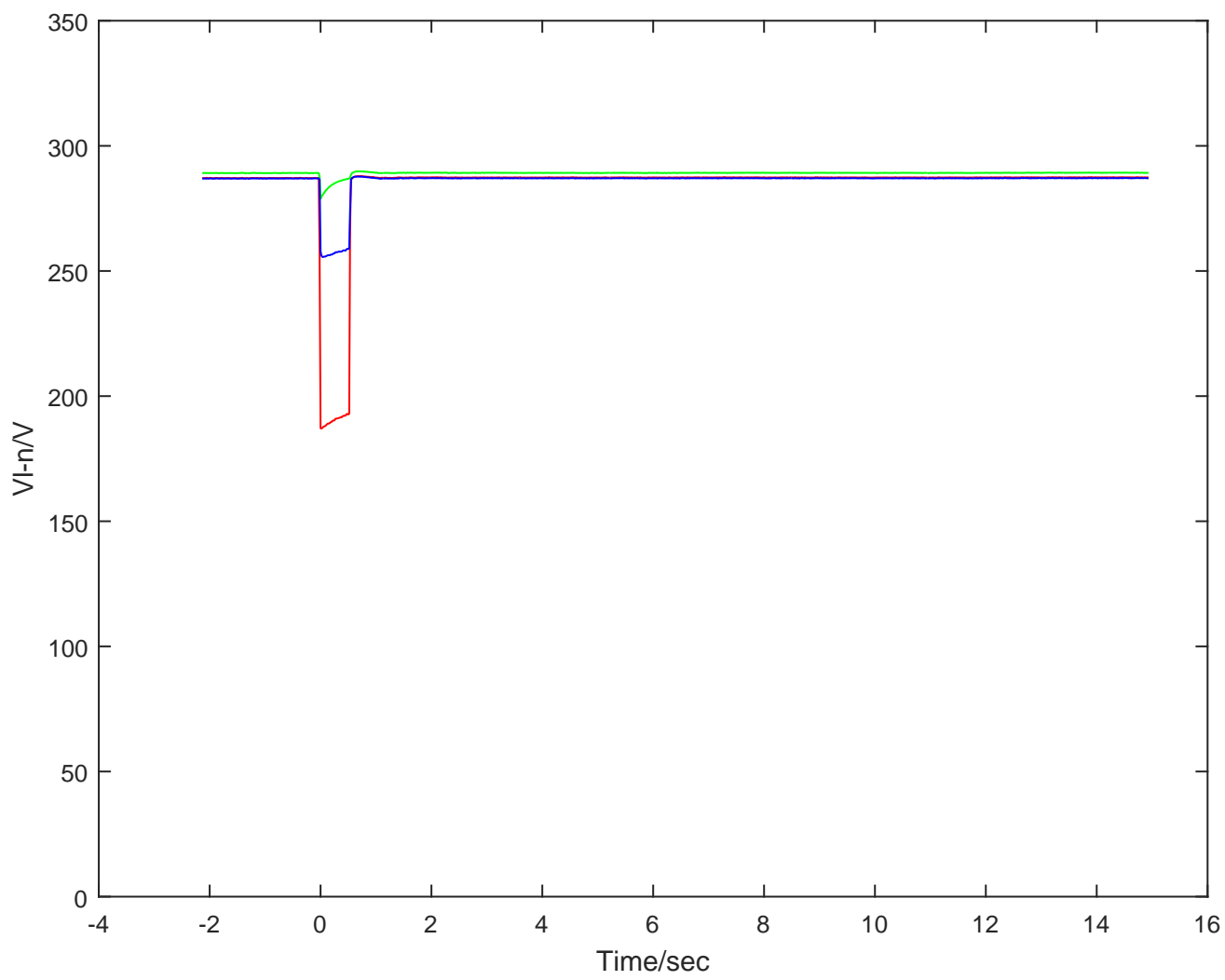


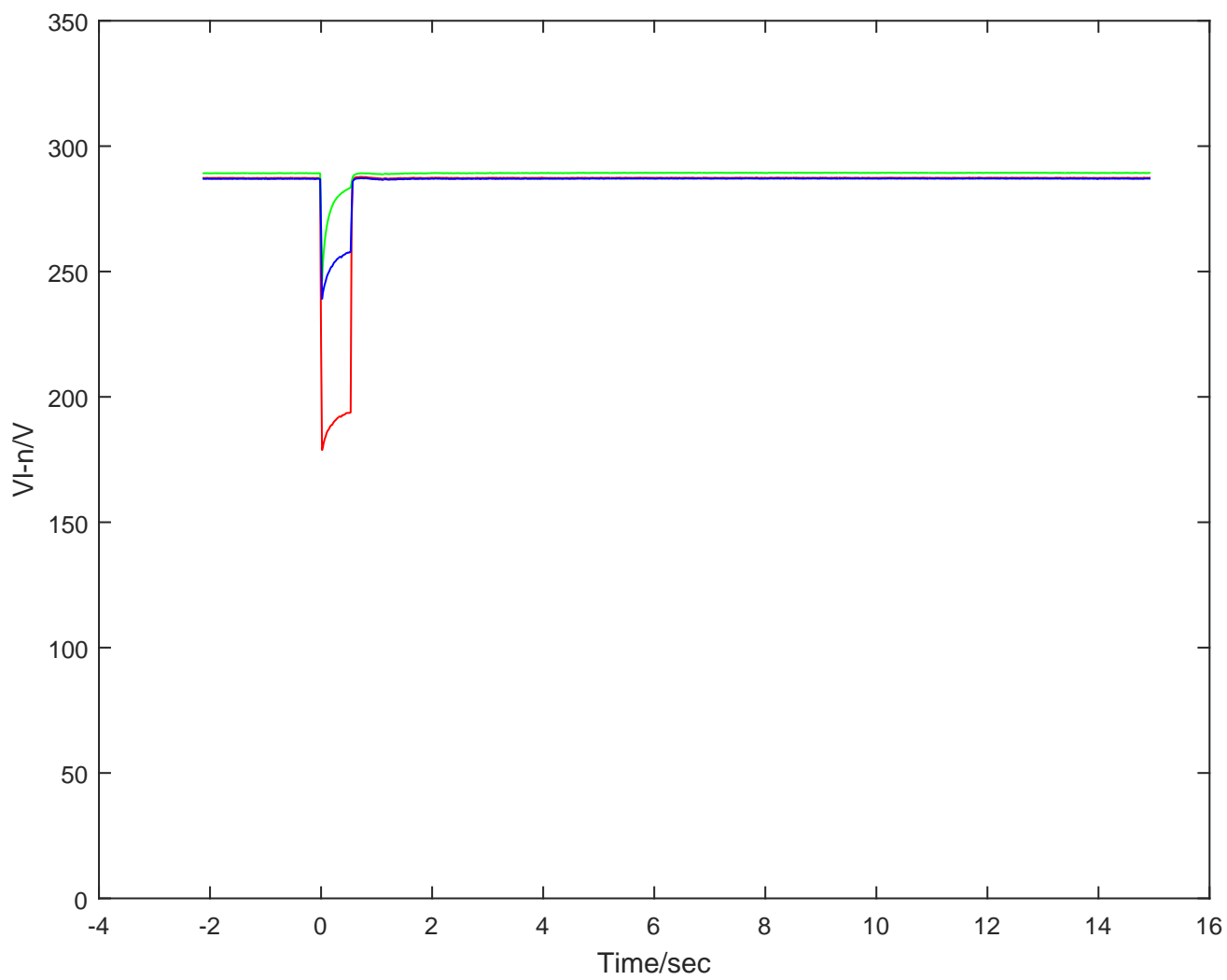




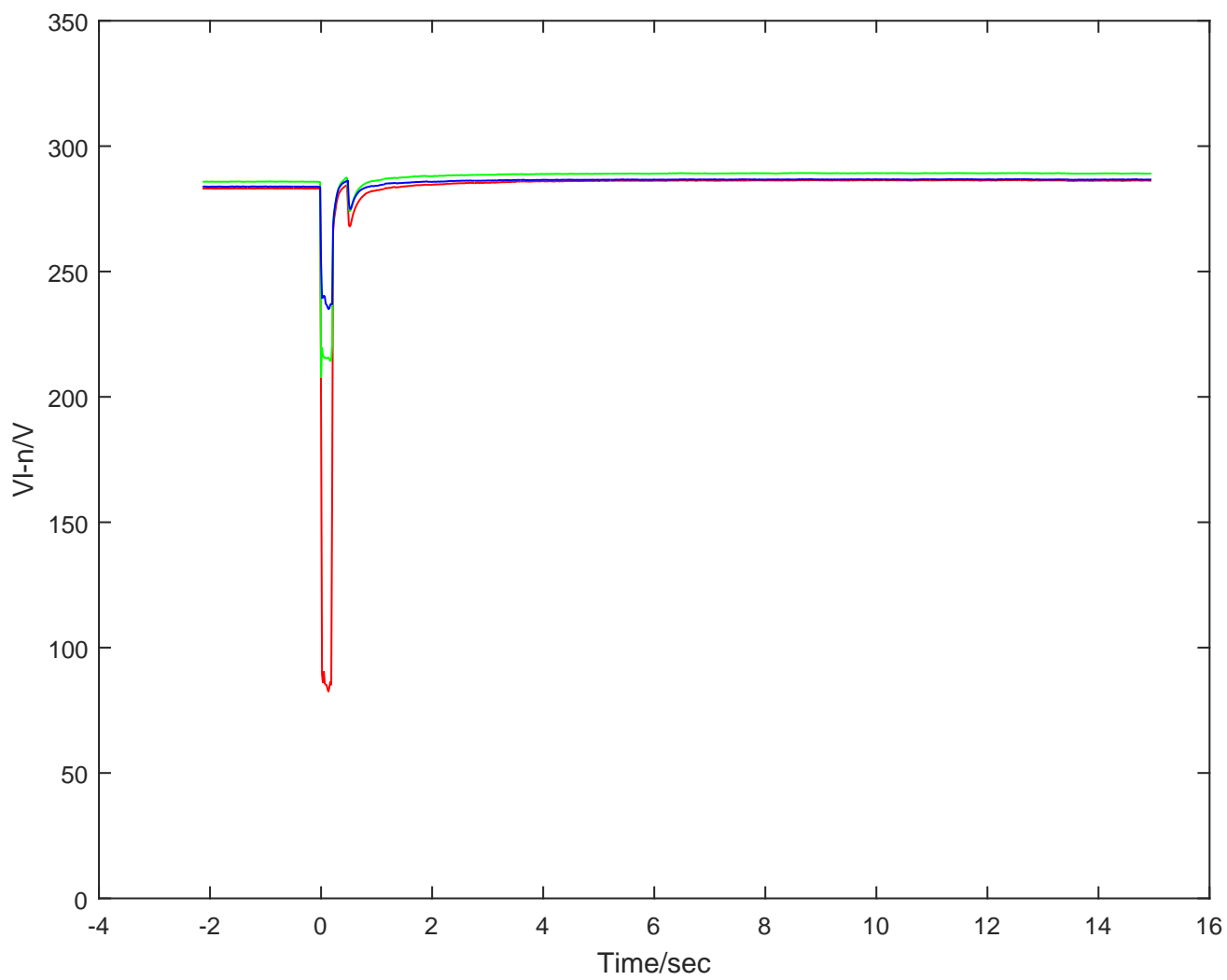


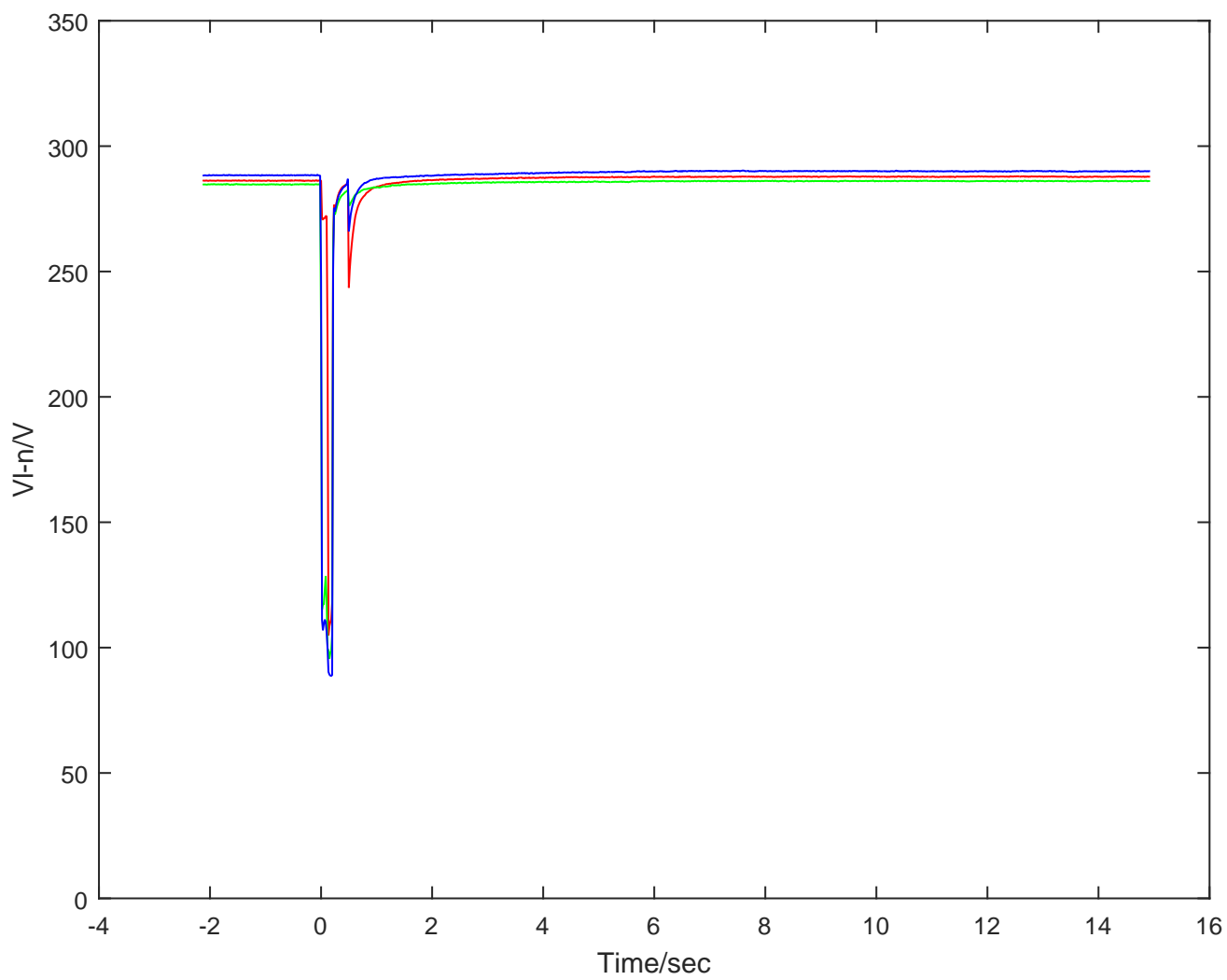


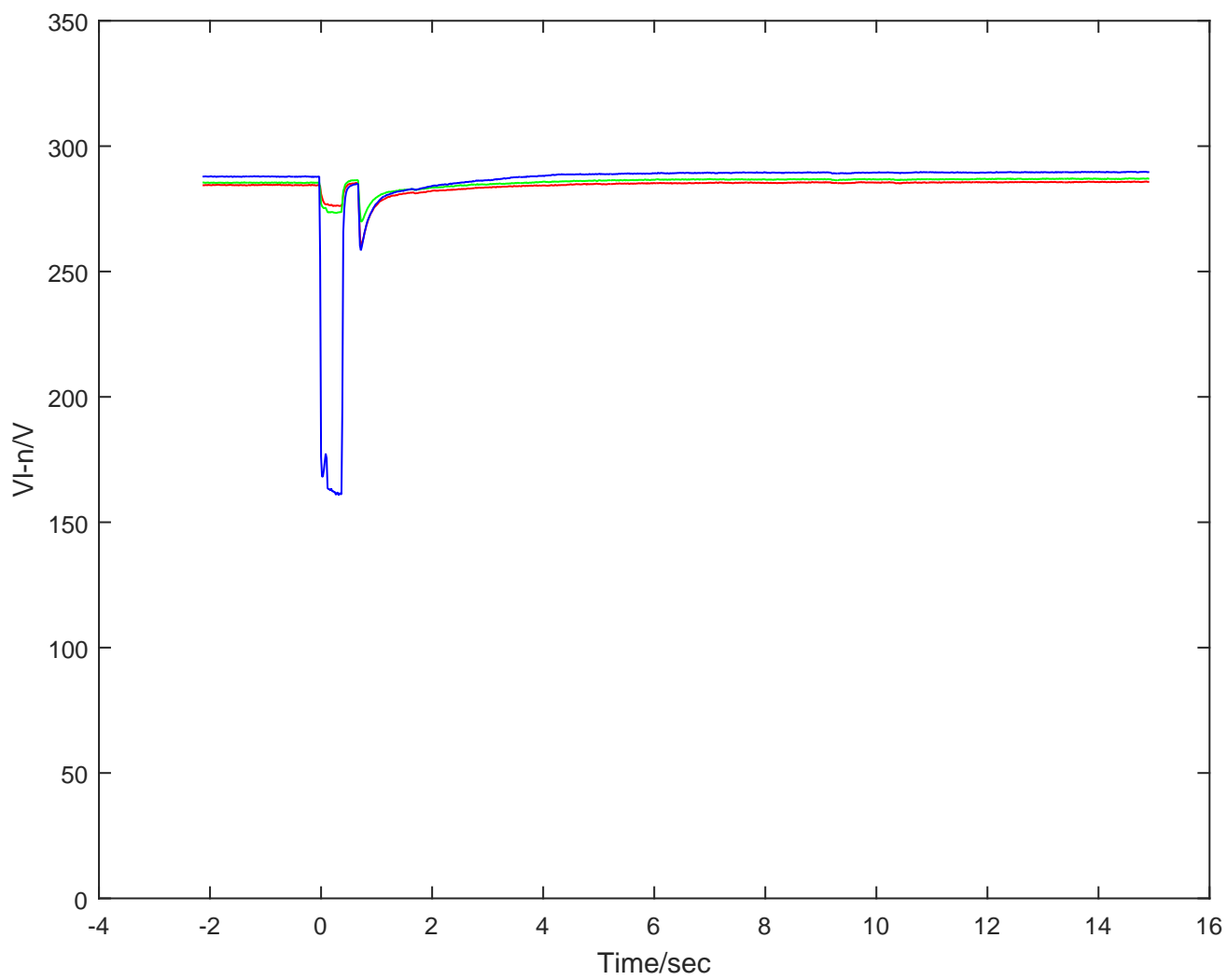


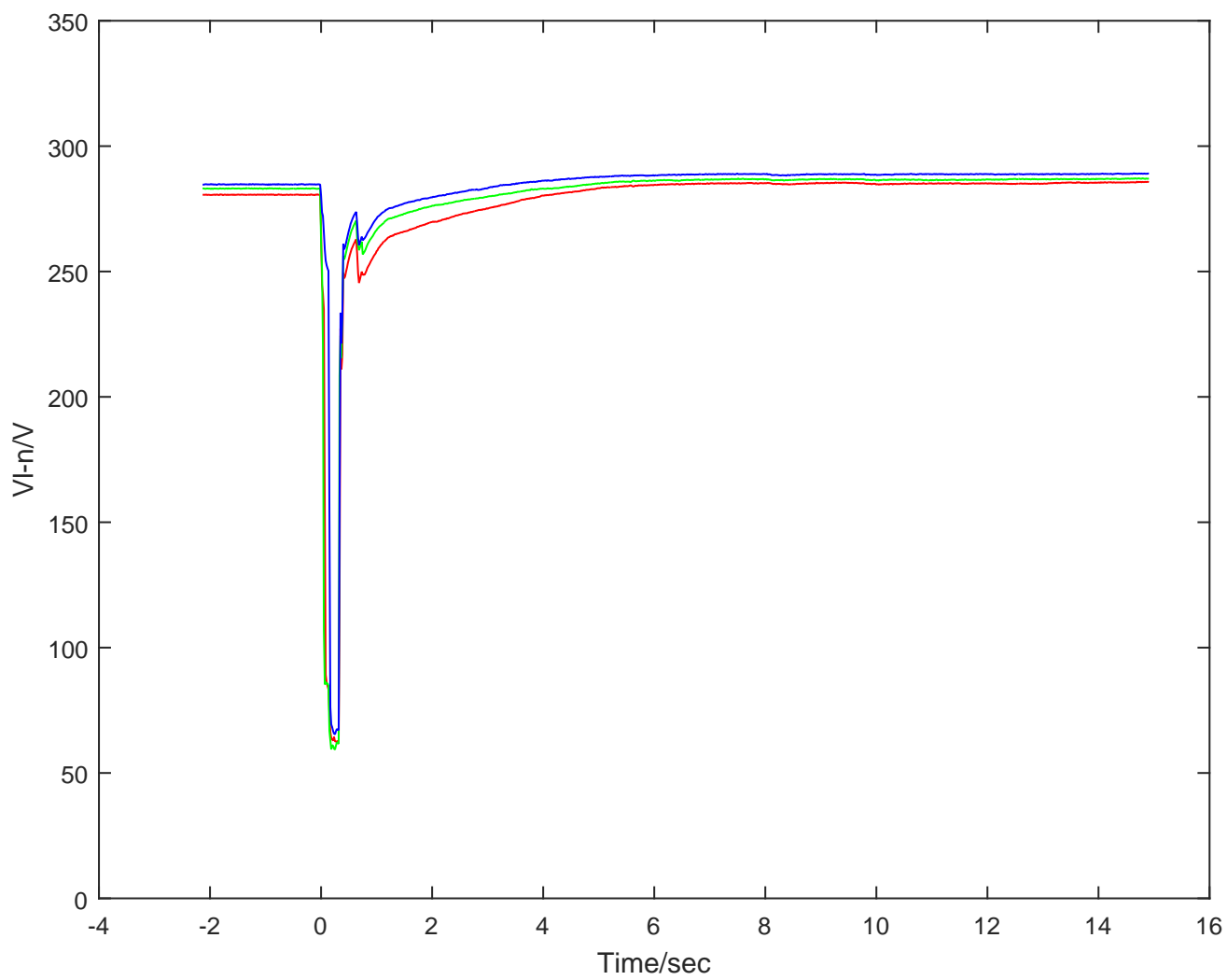


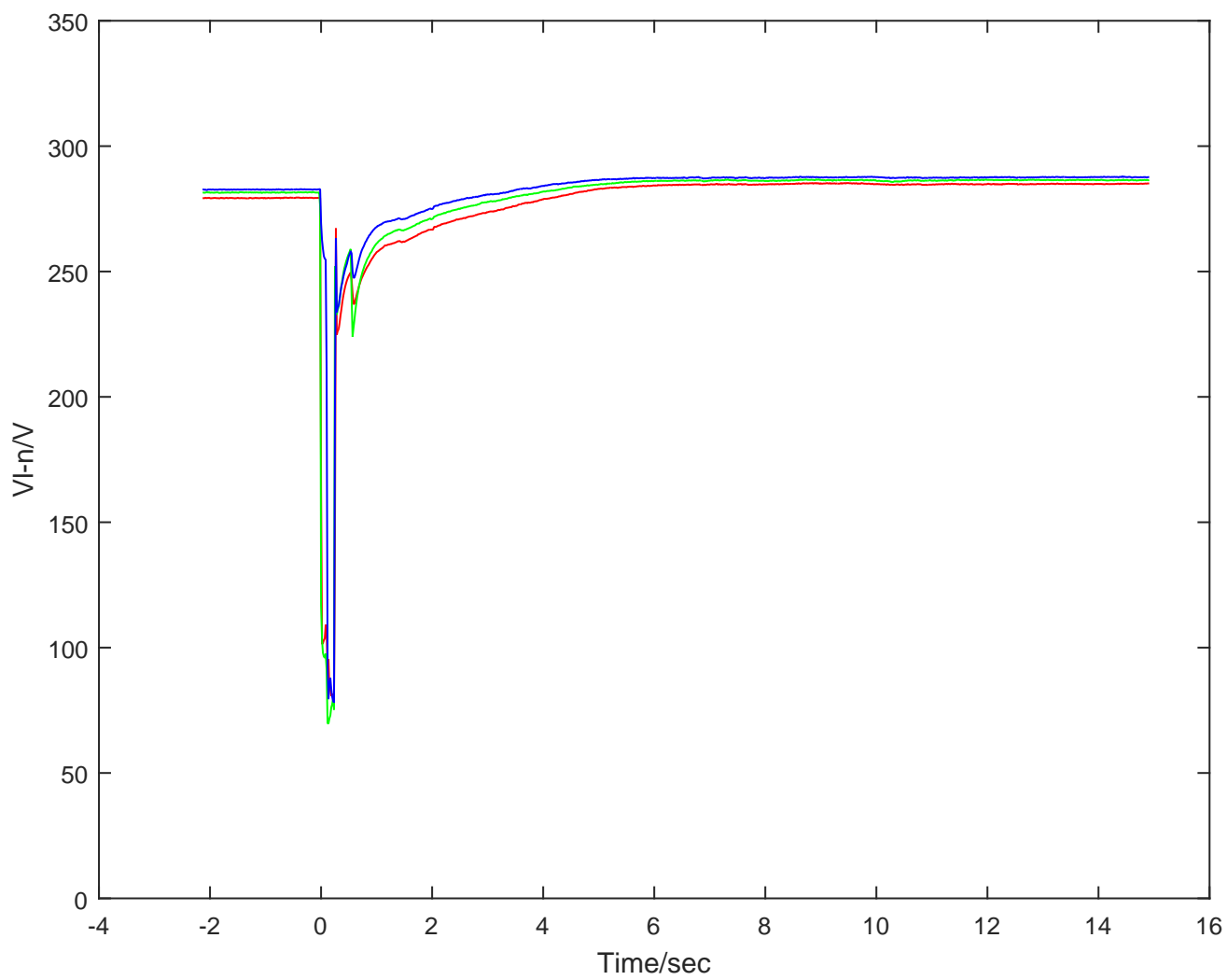


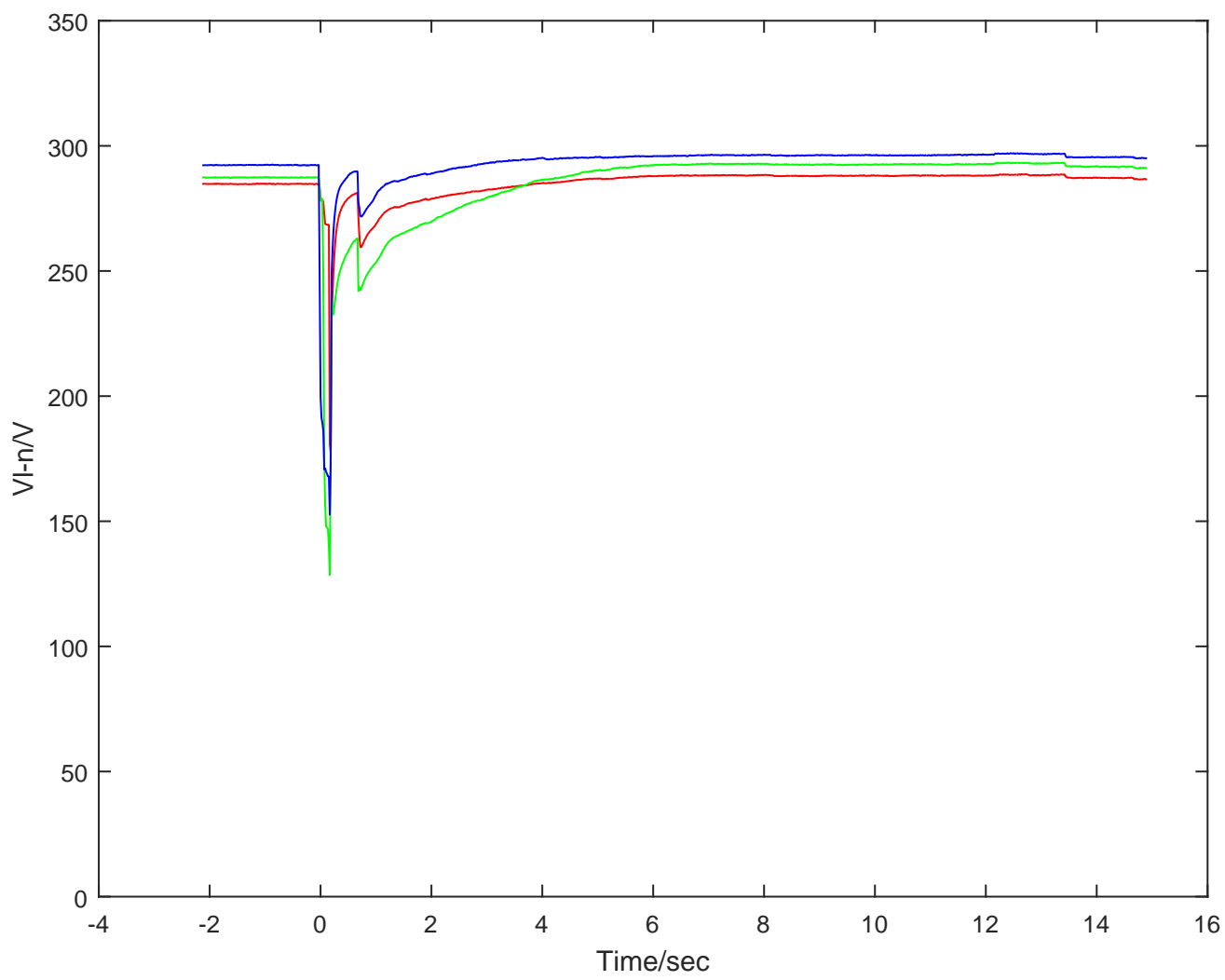


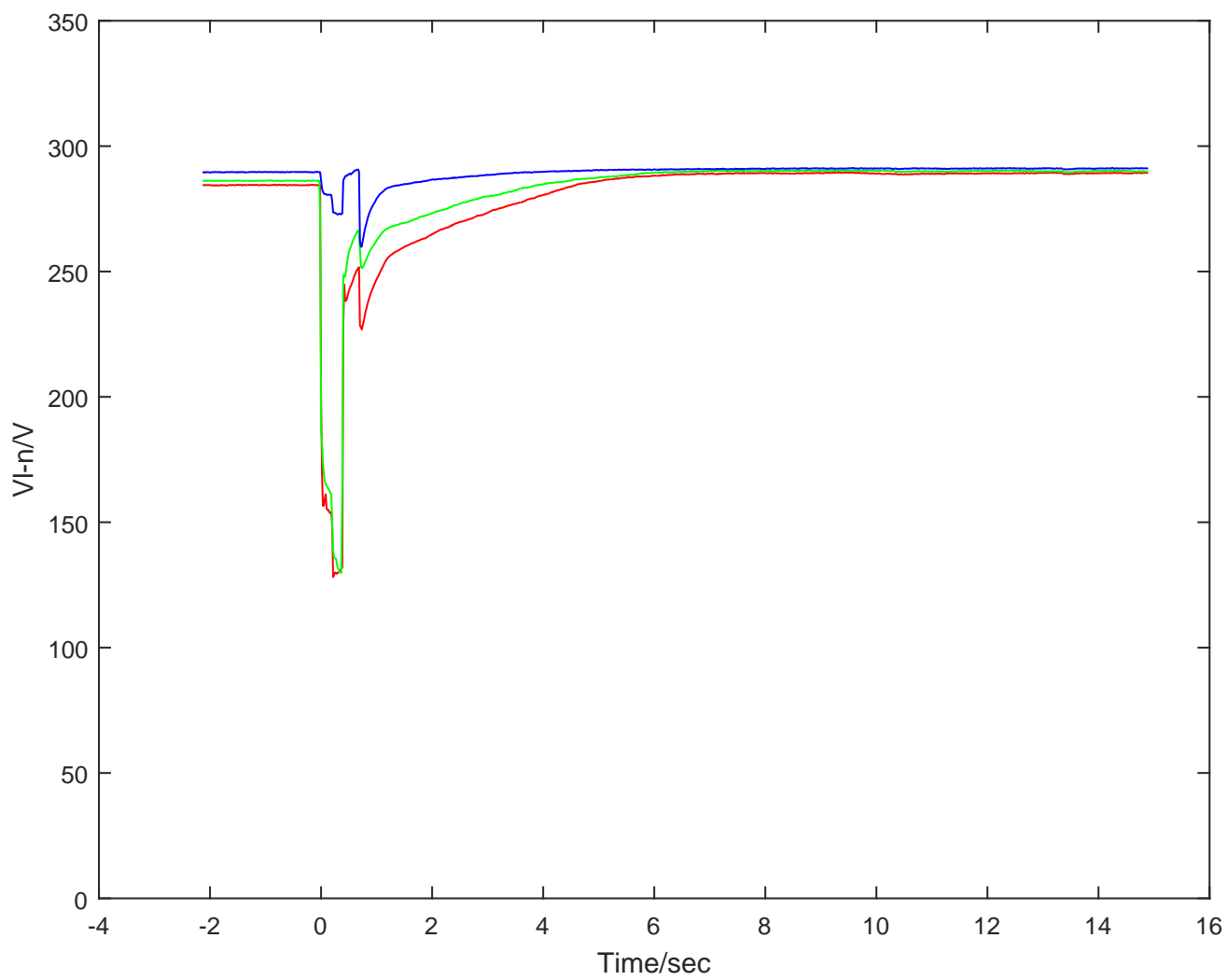


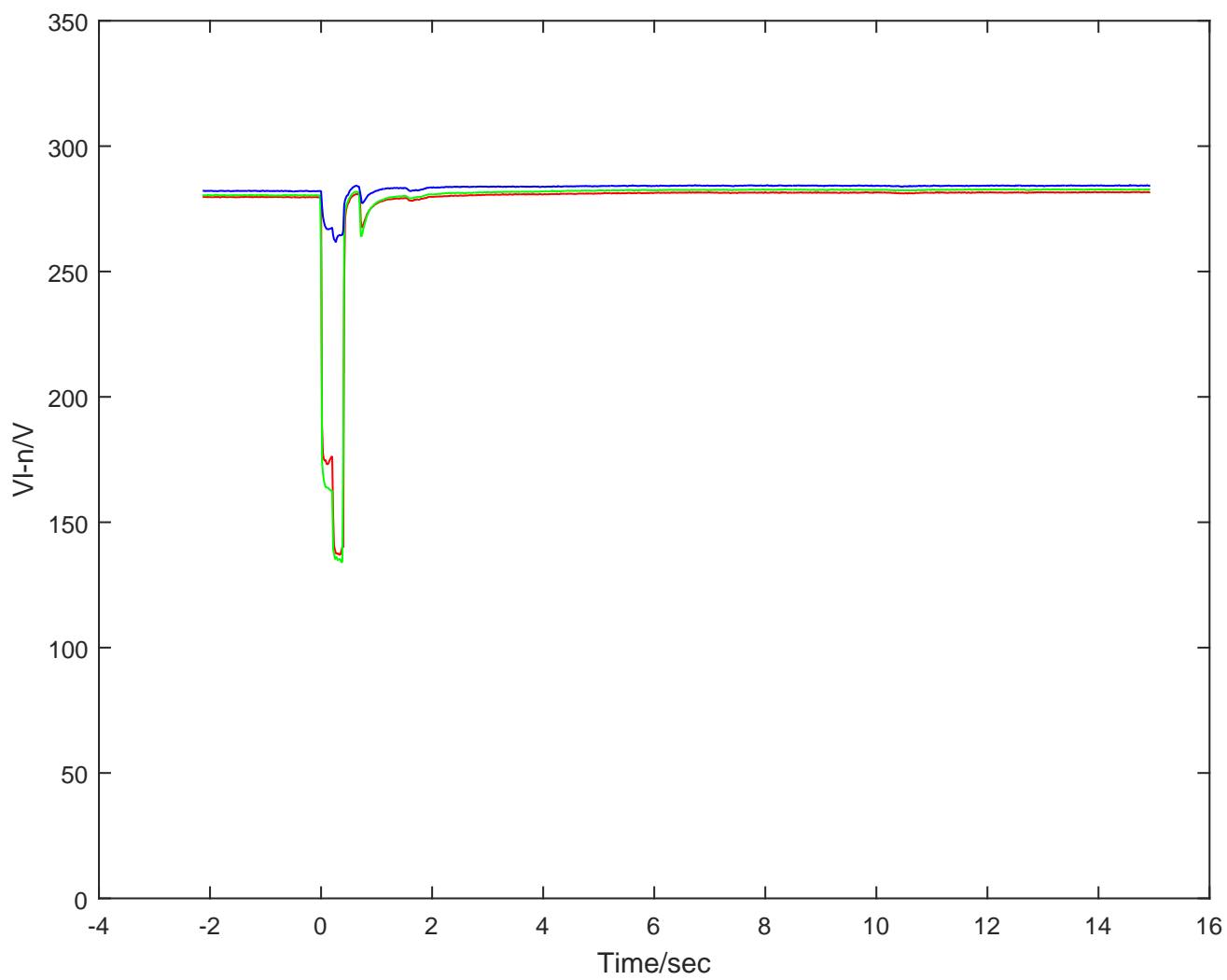




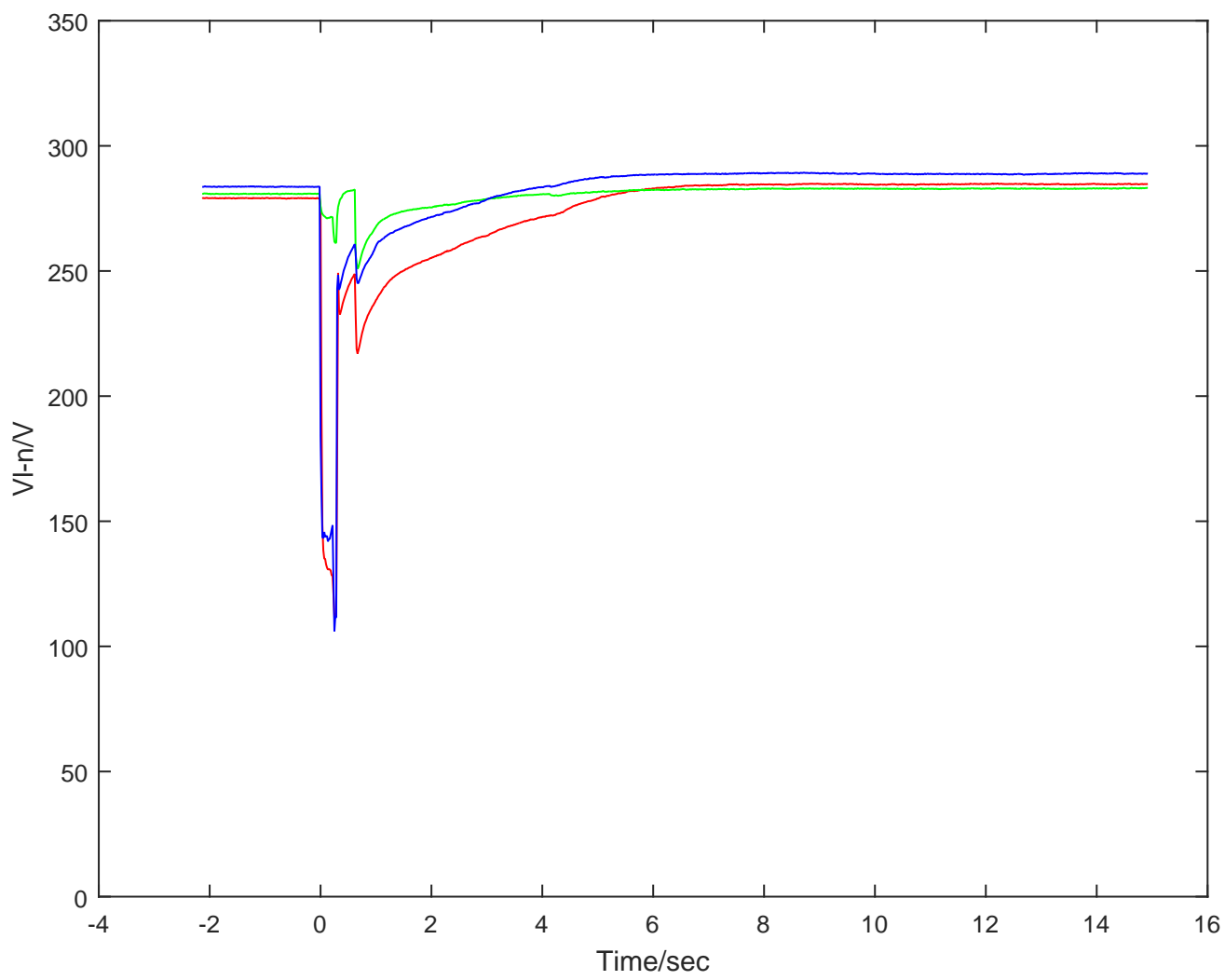


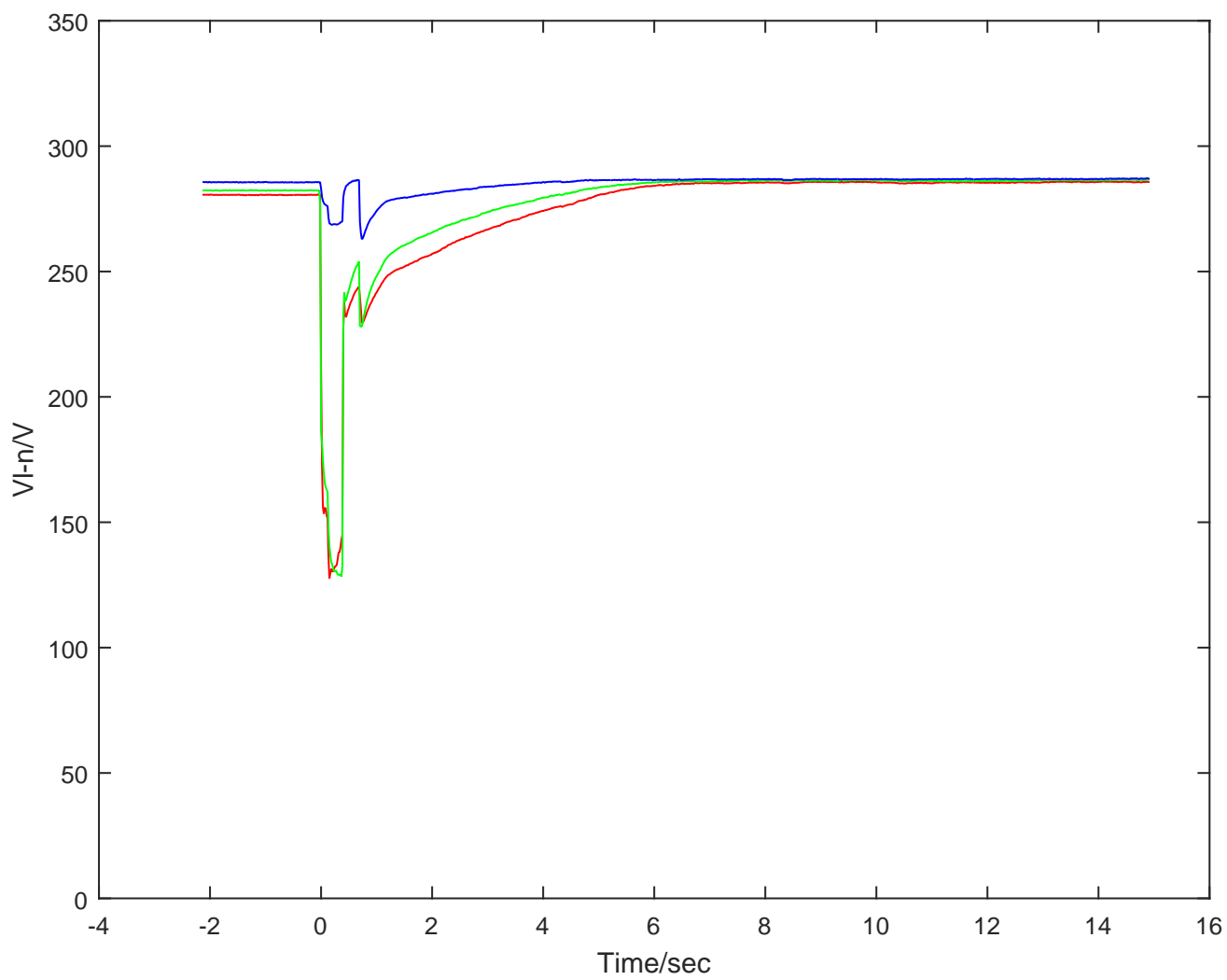


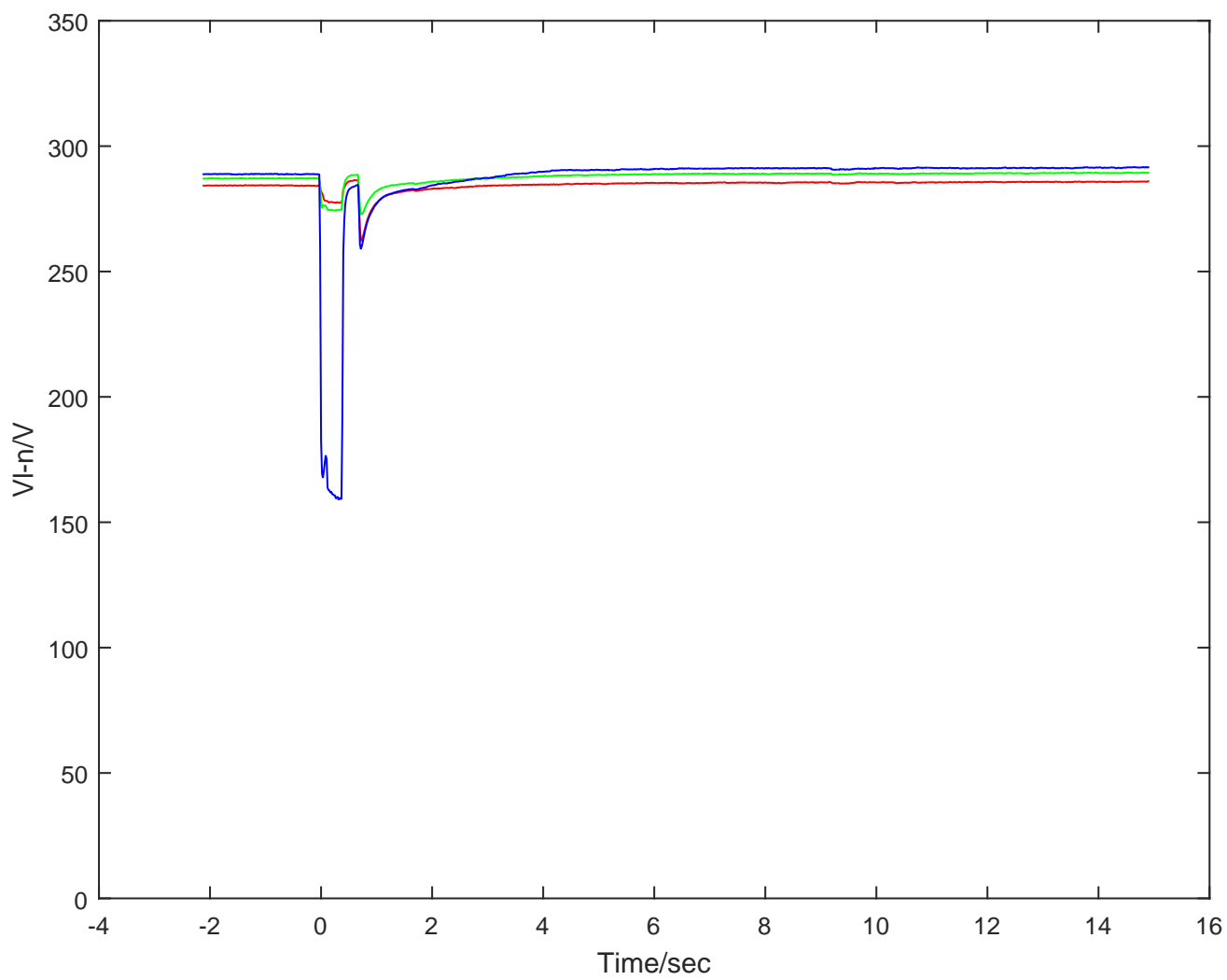


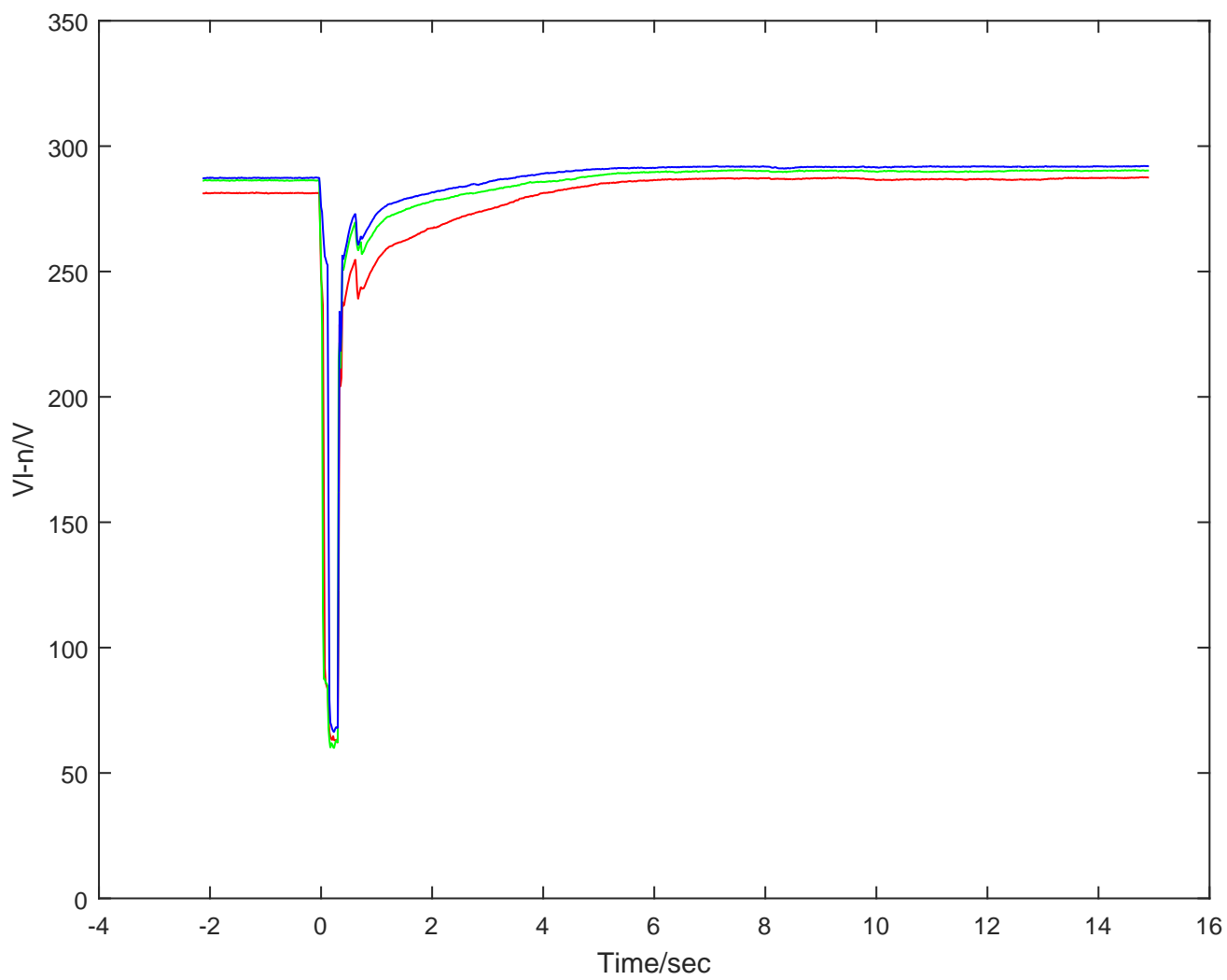


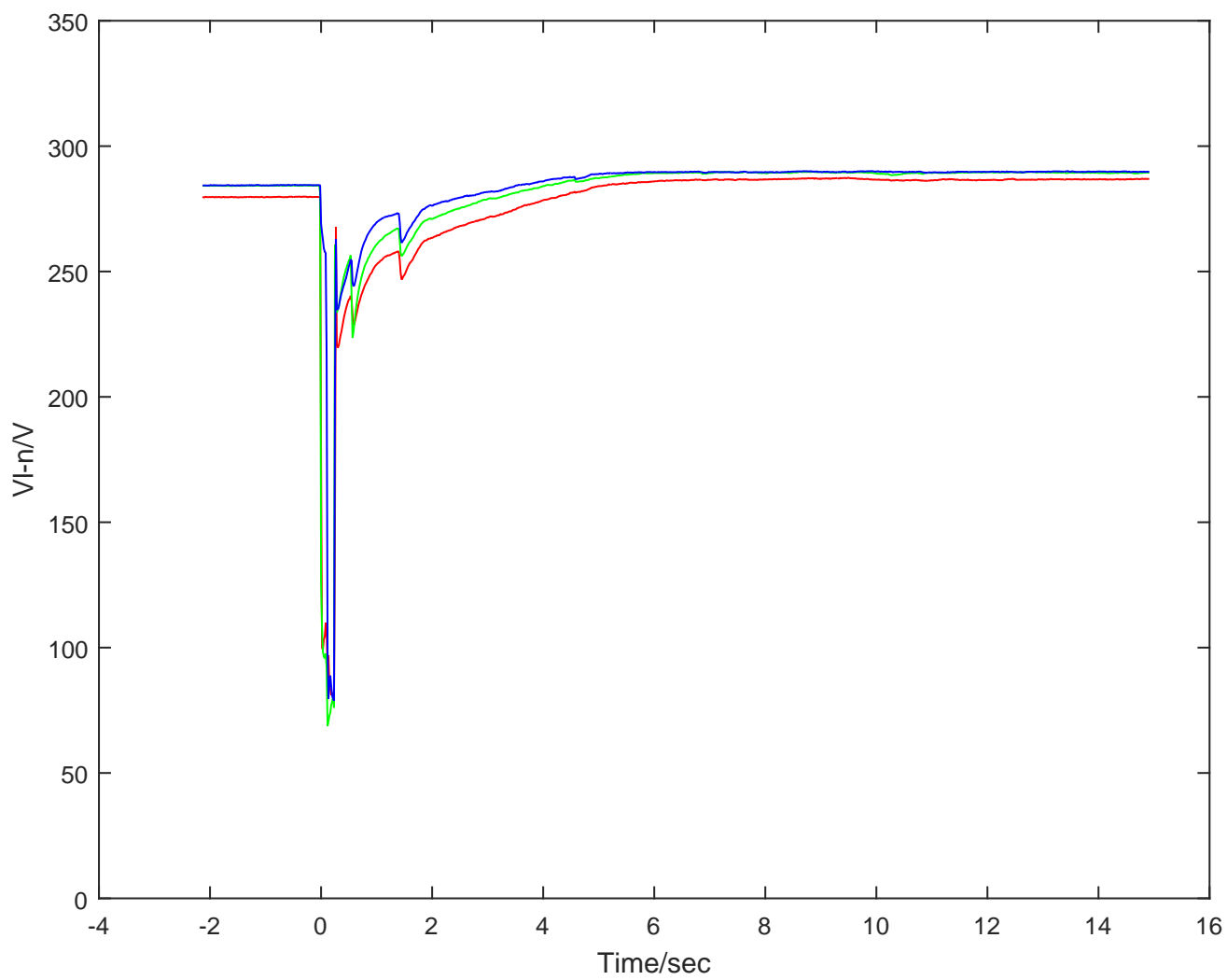


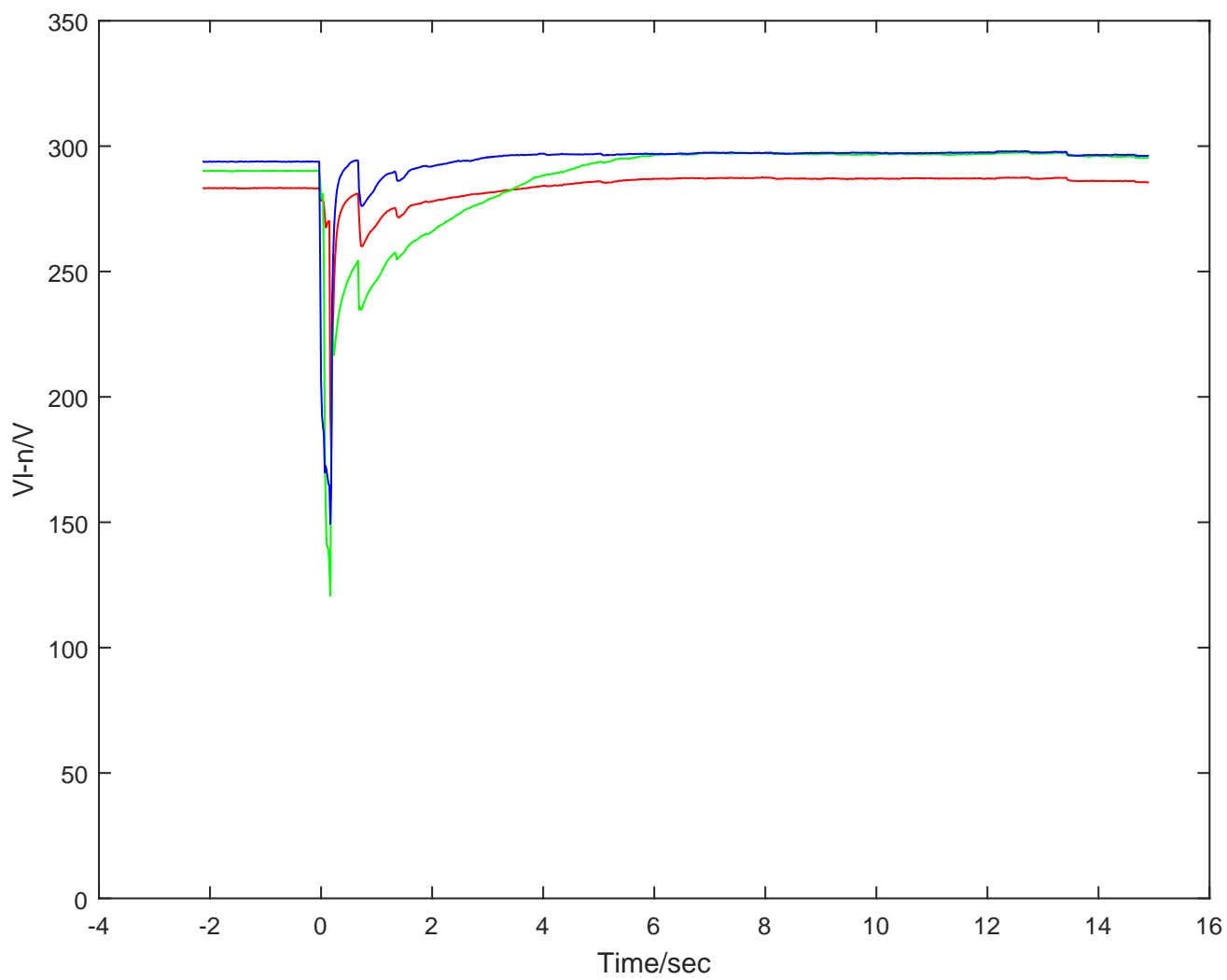


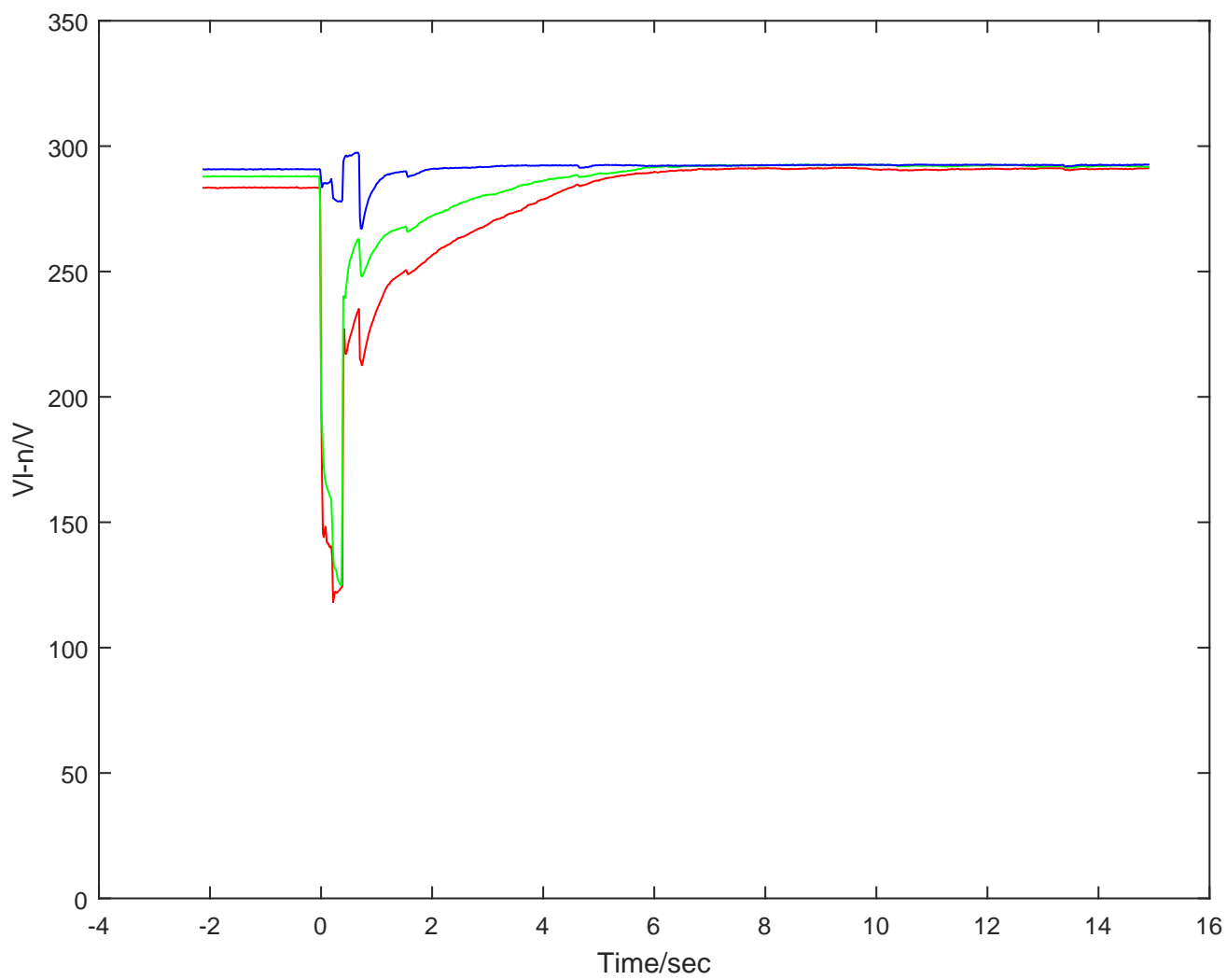


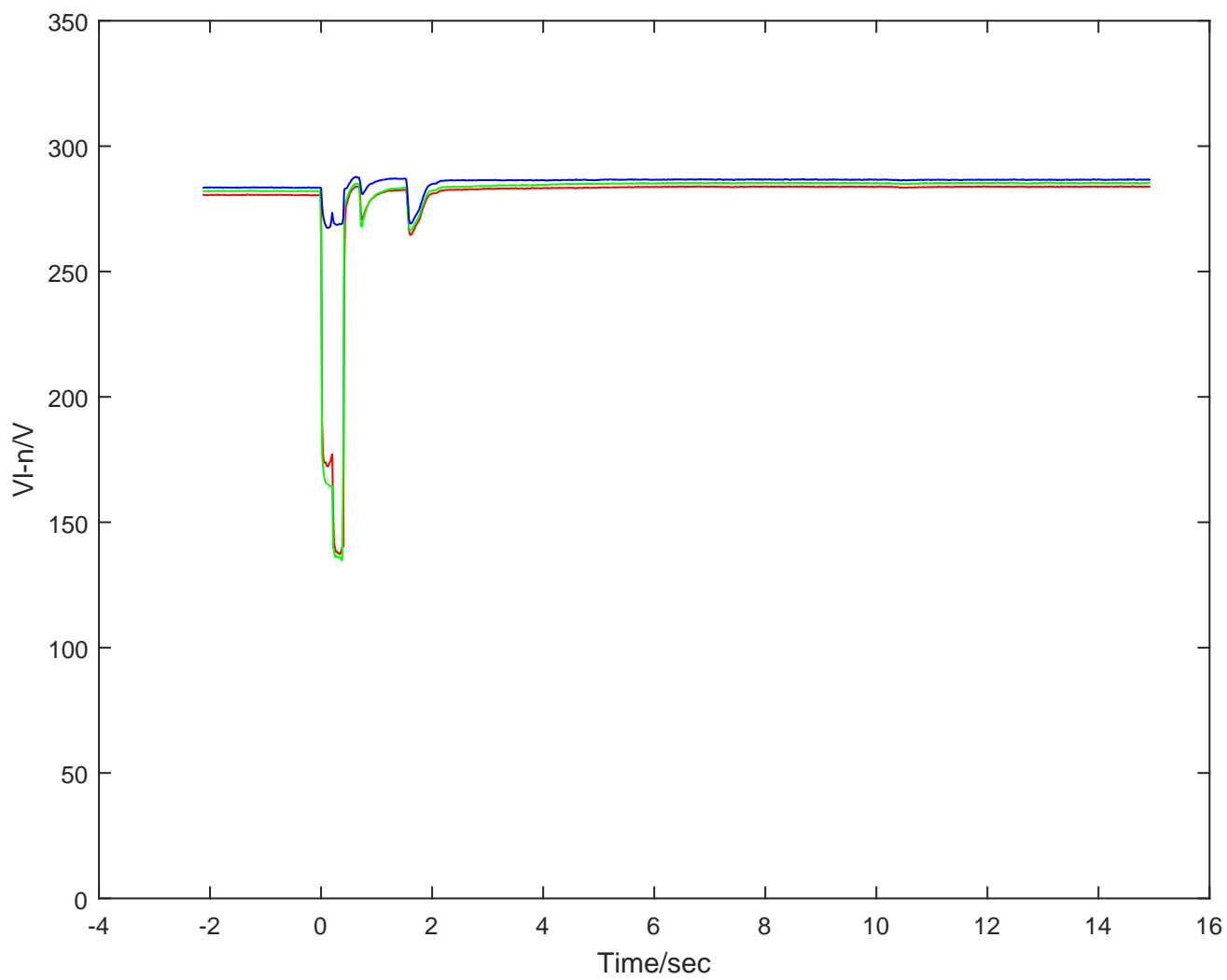




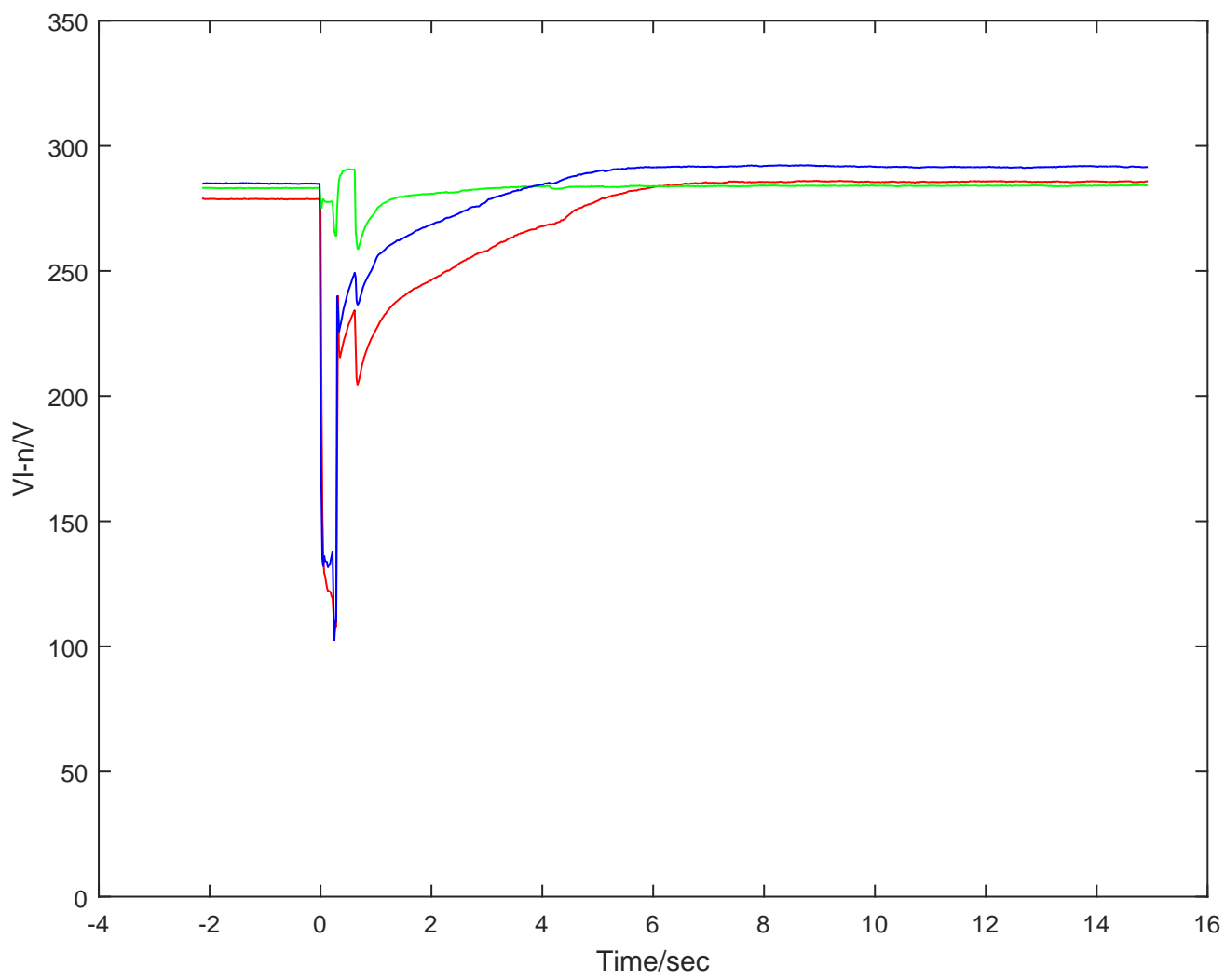


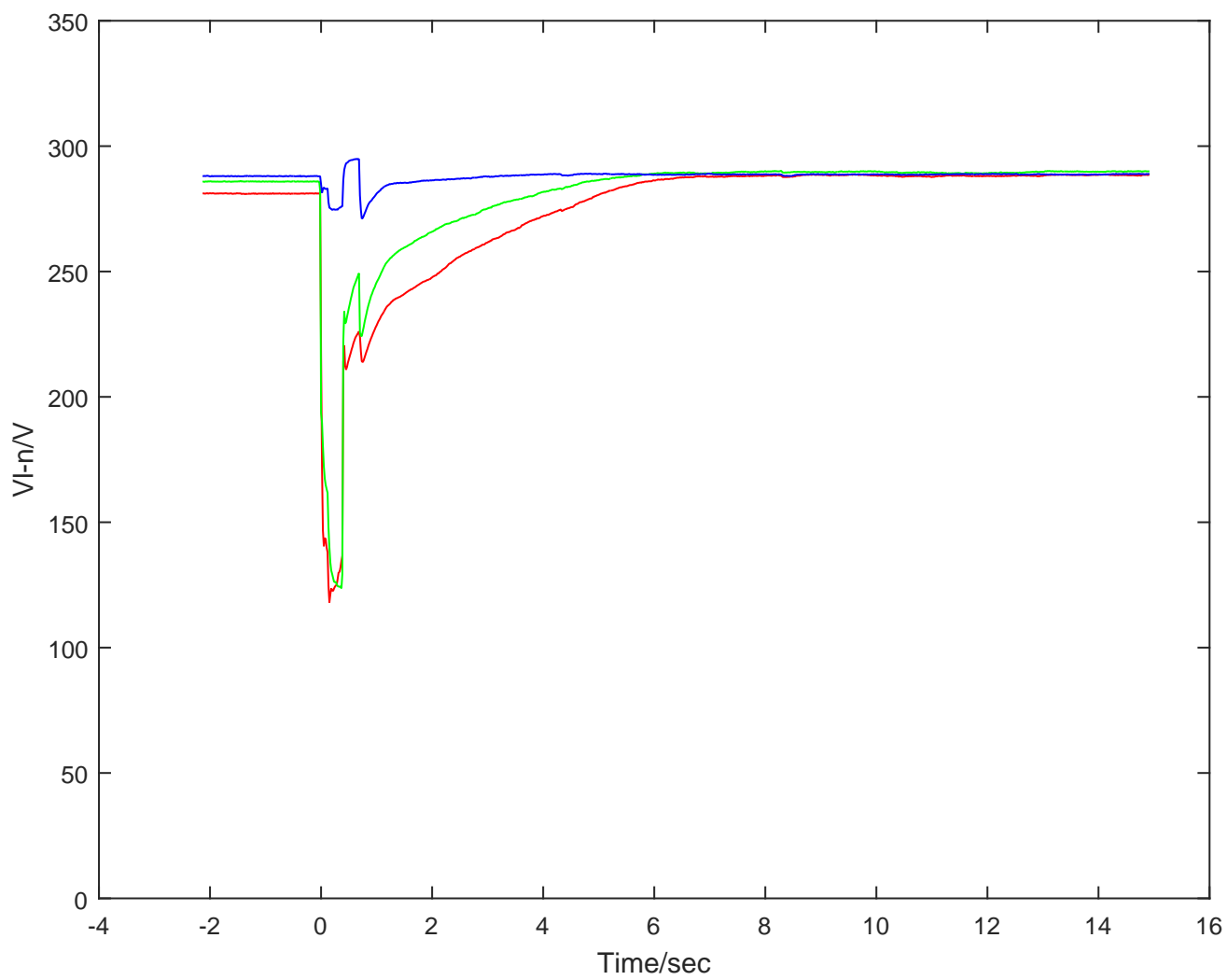


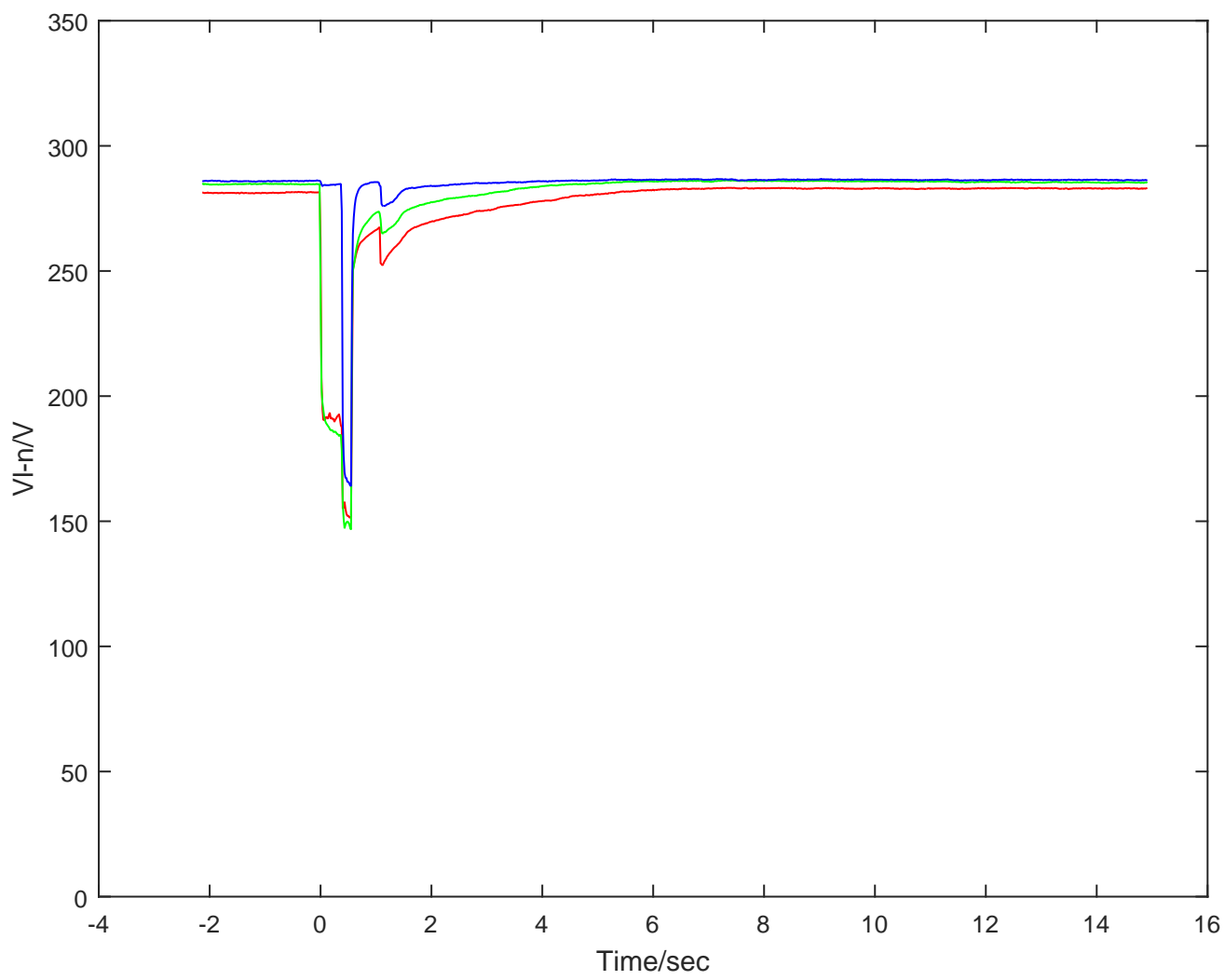


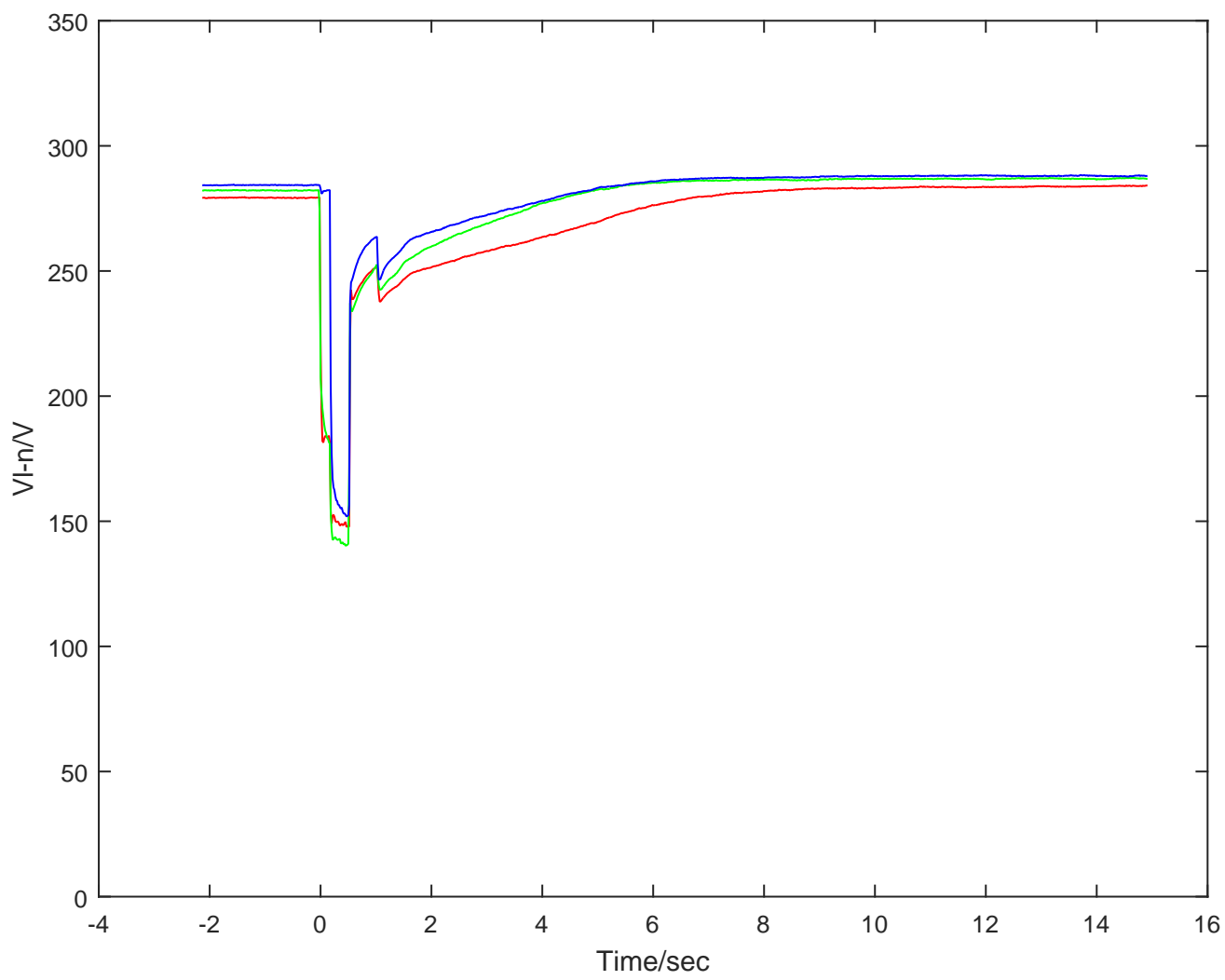


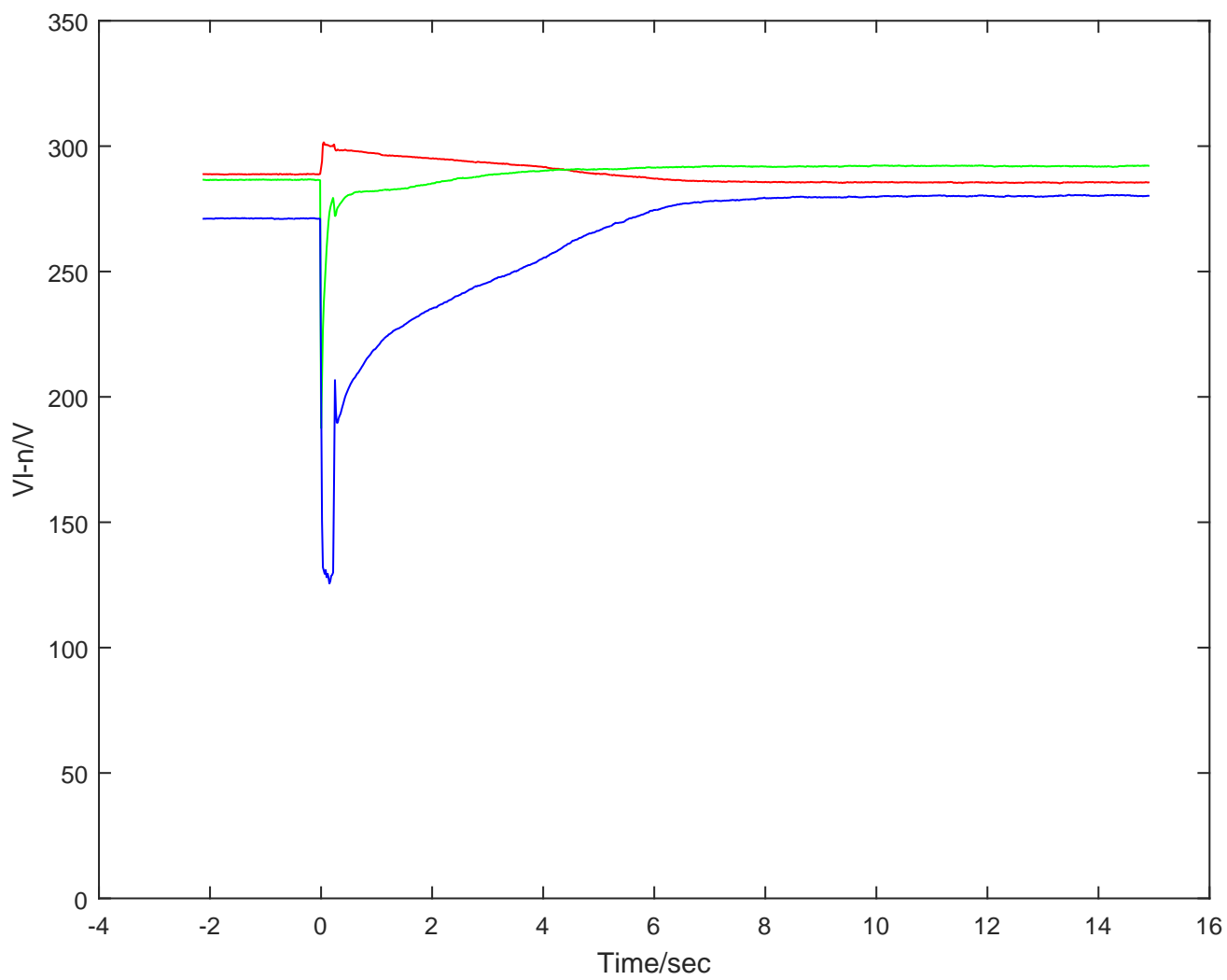


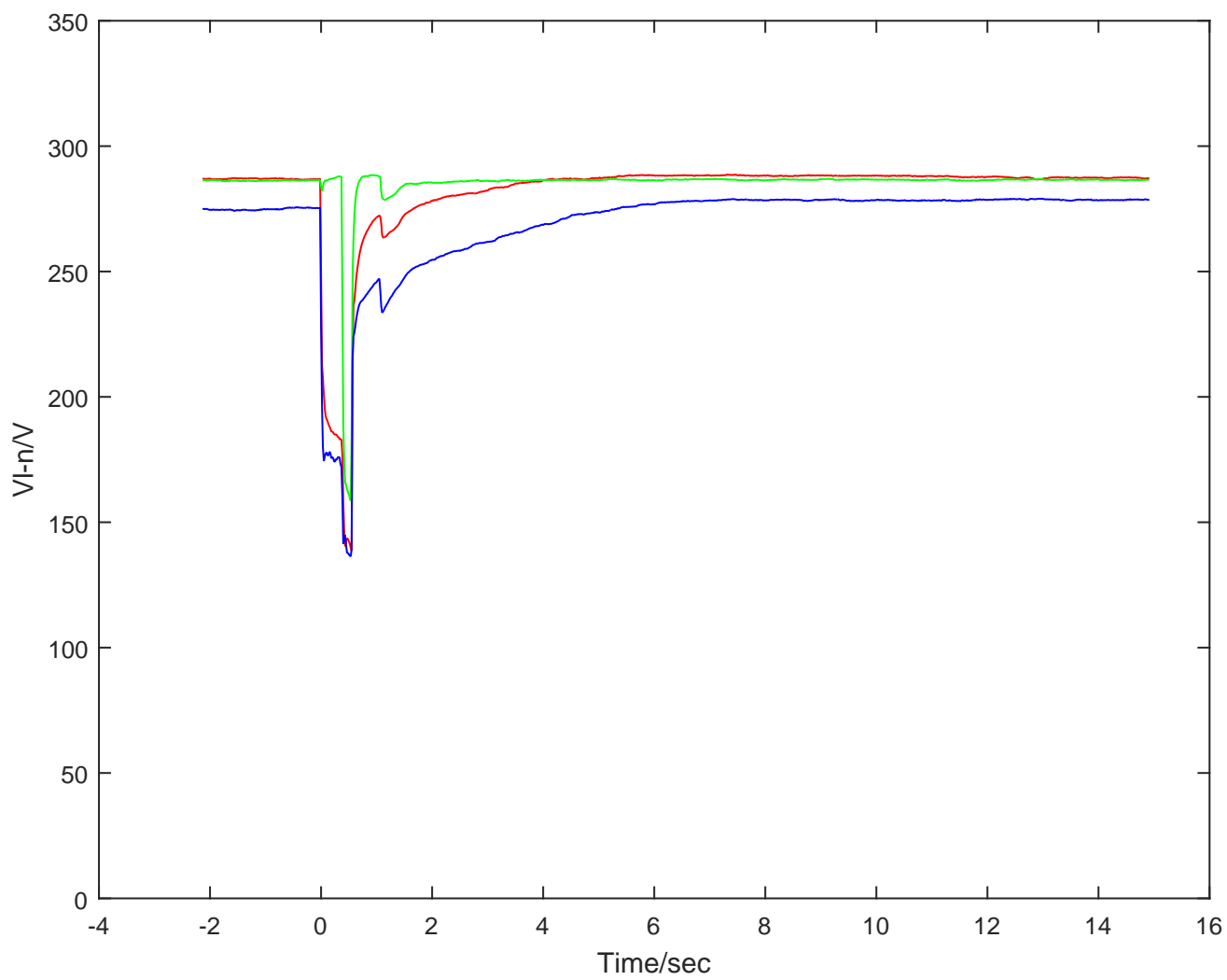


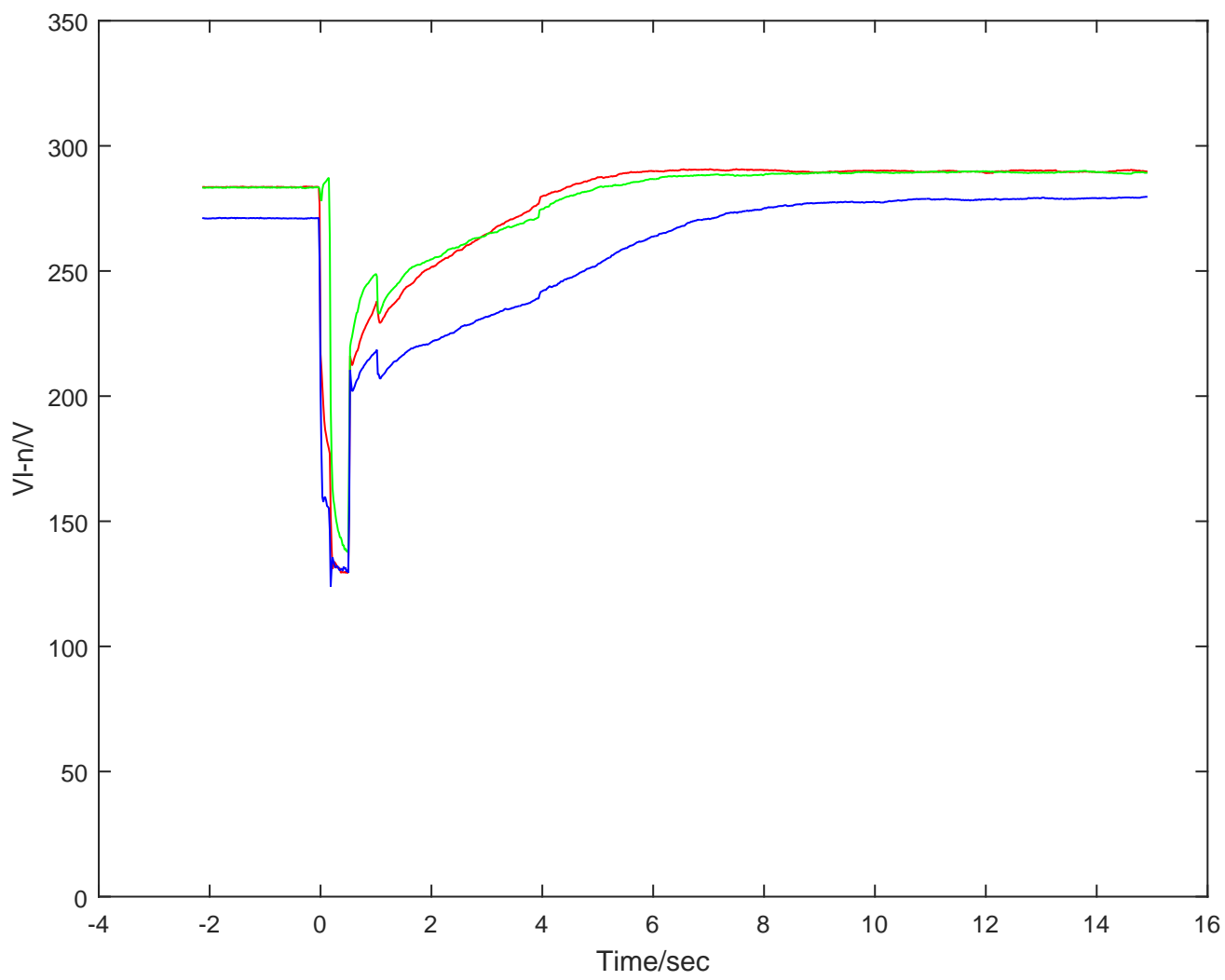












# **Composite Load Model Sensitivity Study**

***“An Analysis of the Sensitivity of WECC Grid Planning  
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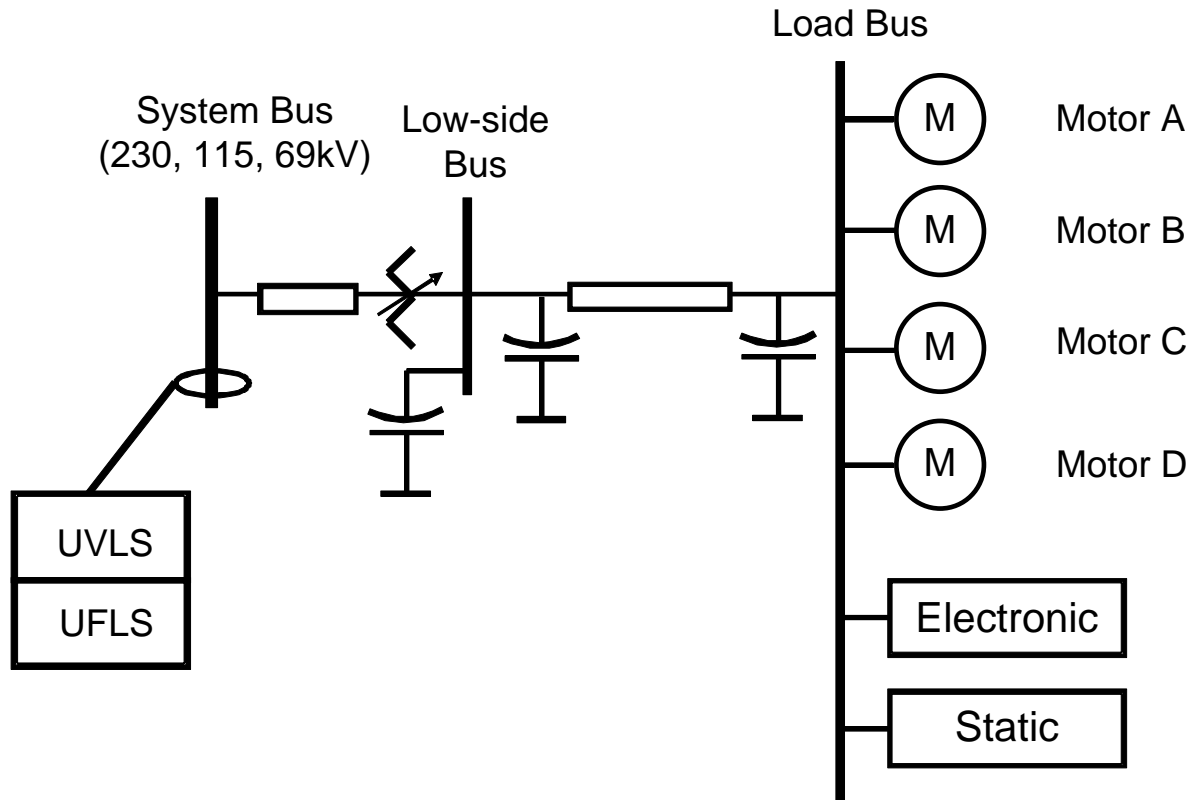
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# ***Background***

- **Objectives**
  - **Explore the sensitivity of WECC planning models to uncertainty in the composition and behavior of loads**
  - **Provide guidance for future planning studies and data collection**
- **Transmission Providers: PacifiCorp, PG&E, SCE, and SRP**
- **Tasks**
  - **Develop list of parametric simulations to be conducted**
  - **Investigate sensitivities of the parameter list**
    - **Run all contingencies for each transmission provider (TP)**
    - **Monitor all transmission bus voltages in each TP area**
    - **Monitor generation for loss of synchronism or excessive oscillation**
  - **Detailed analysis for specific parameters and cases**
    - **High-sensitivity parameters**
    - **Stressed base case**

# Composite Load Model in WECC



# Study Work

- **Sensitivity analysis procedure:**
  - **Phase 1 Base Case: No stalling**
  - **Phase 2 Base Case: Set  $T_{stall} = 0.033$  sec**
  - **Vary one parameter in the Phase 2 Base Case**
    - **Two new cases: parameter set to minimum and maximum values**
    - **Total load is unchanged (same power flow case)**
- **Presentation of results:**
  - **Identify study thresholds and flag observations**
  - **Compute sensitivities with respect to Phase 2 Base Case**
  - **Results summarized by parameter**

# ***Key Parameters (Motor D)***

- **Vstall** – Stall voltage, p.u.
- **Tstall** – Stall time delay, sec.
- **FmA** – Motor A fraction of load P
- **FmB** – Motor B fraction of load P
- **FmC** – Motor C fraction of load P
- **FmD** – Motor D fraction of load P
- **Fel** – Electronic load fraction of P
- **Vtr1** – First under voltage trip level, p.u.
- **Ttr1** – First under voltage trip delay time, sec.
- **Fuvr** – Fraction of load with under voltage relay protection
- **Frst** – Fraction of load that can restart after stalling
- **Vrst** – Voltage at which restart can occur, p.u.
- **Trst** – Restart time delay
- **Vc1off** – Contactor voltage at which tripping starts, p.u.
- **Vc2off** – Contactor voltage at which tripping is complete, p.u.
- **Vc1on** – Contactor voltage at which reconnection starts, p.u.
- **Vc2on** – Contactor voltage at which reconnection is complete, p.u.
- **Tth** – Motor D thermal time constant, sec.
- **Th1t** – Motor D thermal protection trip start level, p.u. temperature
- **Th2t** – Motor D thermal protection trip completion level, p.u. temperature

# ***Key Parameters (Motors A, B, C)***

- **Motor A, B, C parameters to be studied:**
  - **Ls, Synchronous reactance, p.u.**
  - **Tpo, Transient open-circuit time constant, sec.**
  - **Ftr1, First low voltage trip fraction**
  - **Vrc1, First low voltage reconnection level, p.u. V**
  - **Trc1, First low voltage reconnection delay time, sec.**
  - **Vtr2, Second low voltage trip level, p.u.**
  - **Ttr2, Second low voltage trip delay time, sec.**
  - **H, Inertia constant, sec.**

# Parameter Value Ranges

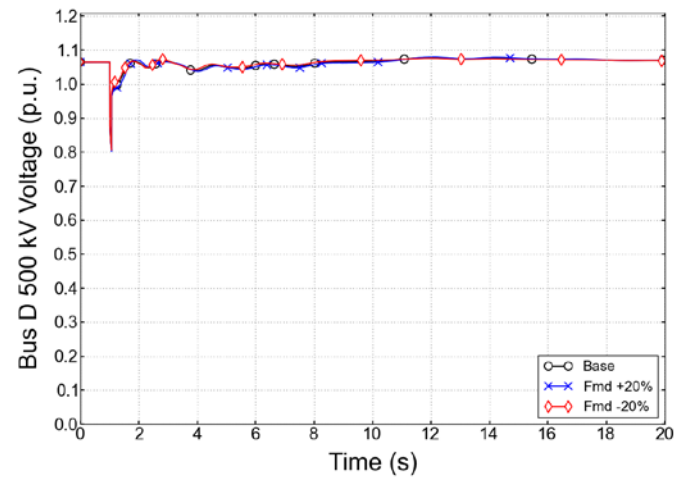
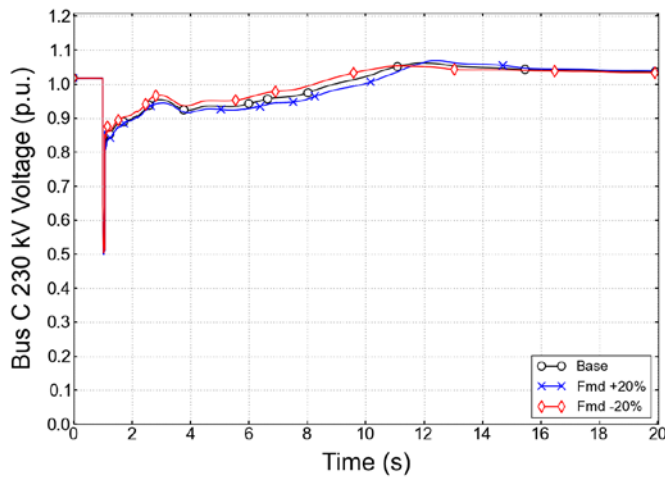
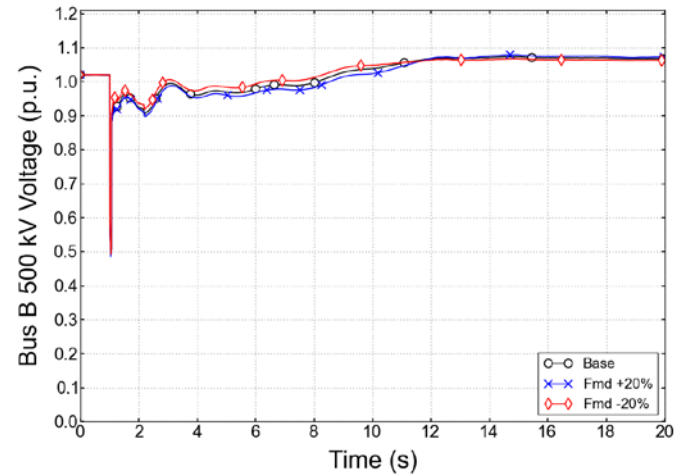
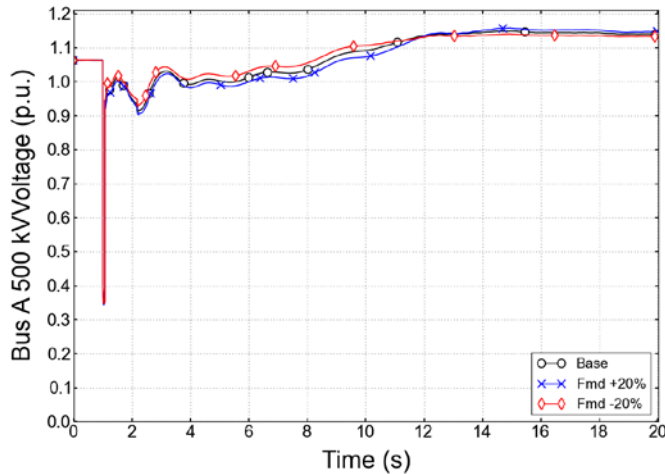
Ref. No.	Description of Parameter	Phase 1	Phase 2		
			Base Value as given in dyd/dyr	Minimum Value	Maximum Value
1	Vstall, Stall voltage, p.u.	0.5	0.5	0.3	0.8
2	Tstall, Stall time delay, sec.	9999	0.033	0.01667	0.25
3	Vc1off, Contactor voltage at which tripping starts, p.u.	0.5	0.5	0.3	0.7
4	Vc2off, Contactor voltage at which tripping is complete, p.u.	0.4	0.4	0.2	0.6
5	Vc1on, Contactor voltage at which reconnection is complete, p.u.	0.6	0.6	0.4	0.8
6	Vc2on, Contactor voltage at which reconnection starts, p.u.	0.5	0.5	0.3	0.7
7	Tth, Motor D thermal time constant, sec.	15	15	5	25
8	Th1t, Motor D thermal protection trip start level, p.u. temperature	0.7	0.7	0.4	0.9
9	Th2t, Motor D thermal protection trip completion level, p.u. temperature	1.2	1.2	1	3
10	FmA, Motor A fraction of load P	0.167	0.167	-20%	+20%
11	FmB, Motor B fraction of load P	0.135	0.135	-20%	+20%
12	FmC, Motor C fraction of load P	0.061	0.061	-20%	+20%
13	FmD, Motor D fraction of load P	0.113	0.113	-20%	+20%
14	Fel, Electronic load fraction of P	0.173	0.173	-20%	+20%
15	Vtr1, First under voltage trip level, p.u.	0.6	0.6	0.4	0.8
16	Ttr1, First under voltage trip delay time, sec.	0.02	0.02	0.01667	0.25
17	Fuvr, Fraction of load with under voltage relay protection	0.1	0.1	0	0.5
18	Frst, Fraction of load that can restart after stalling	0.2	0.2	0	1
19	Vrst, Voltage at which restart can occur, p.u.	0.95	0.95	0.5	1
20	Trst, Restart time delay	0.3	0.3	0.1	1

## Notes:

1. Contactor settings (Vc1off, Vc2off, Vc1on, Vc2on) are changed simultaneously.
2. Motor fraction (FmA, FmB, FmC, FmD) base values are examples. Load fractions vary from load to load in the base case.

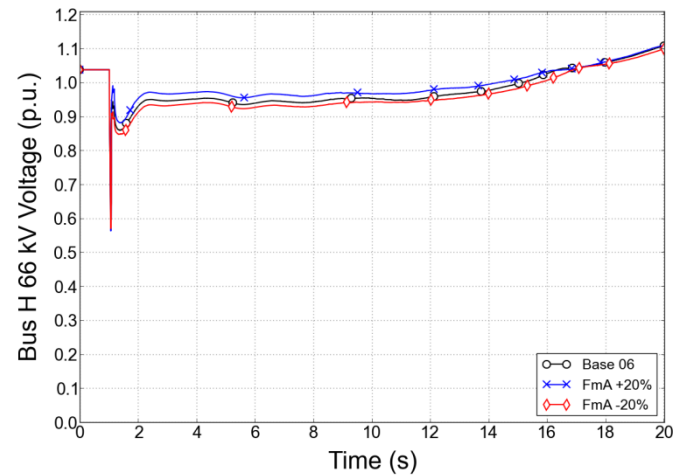
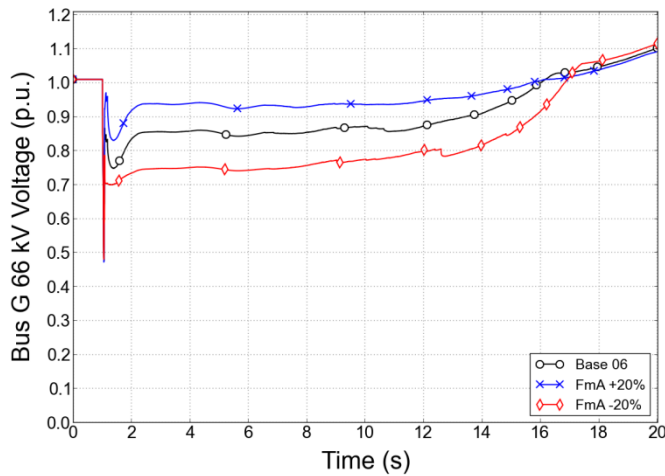
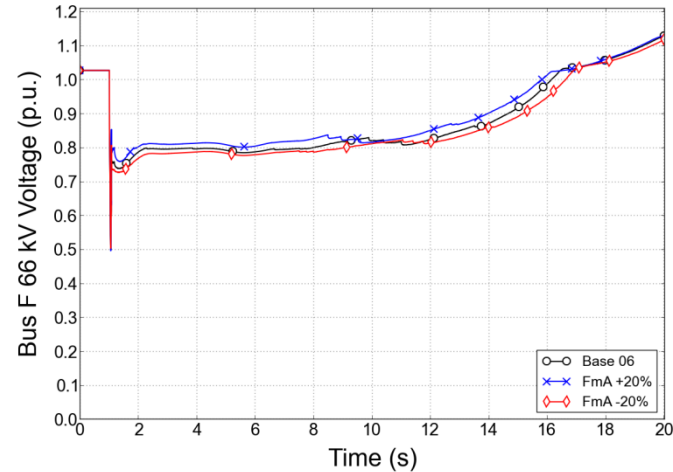
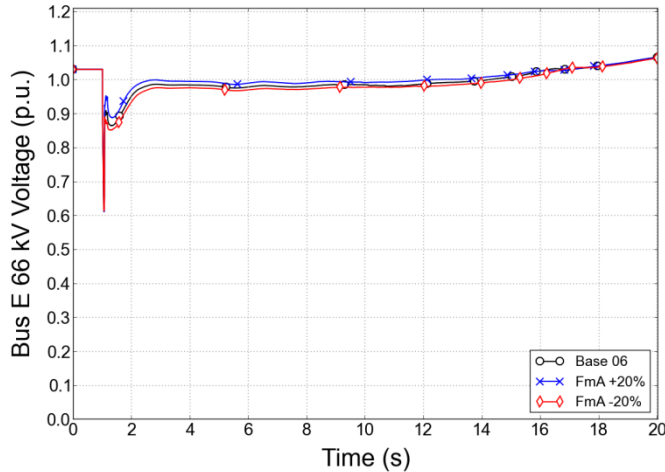
# FmD (Voltages)

Contingency 14: Fmd



# FmA (Voltages)

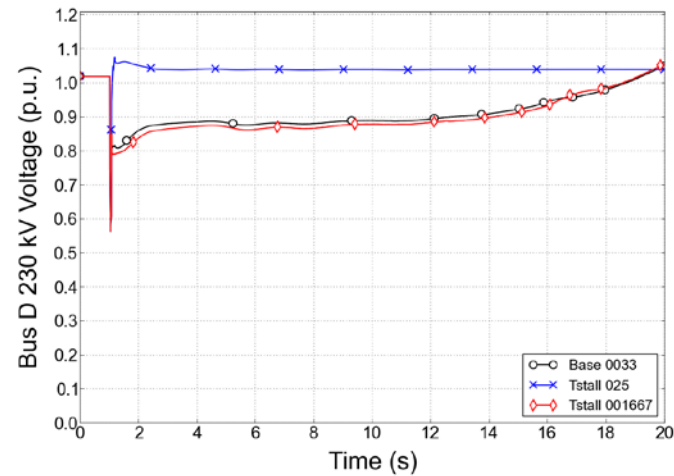
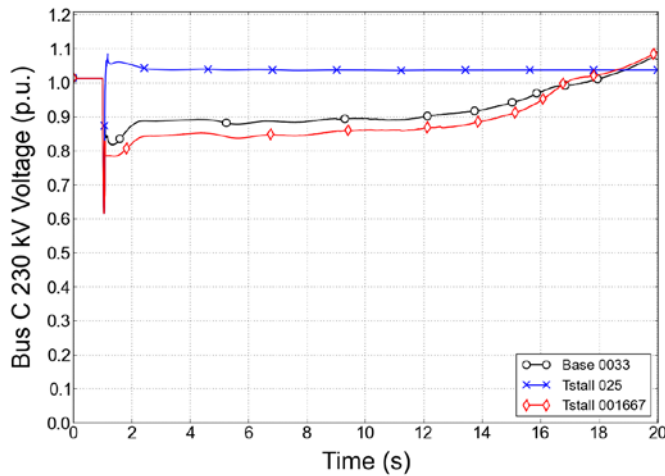
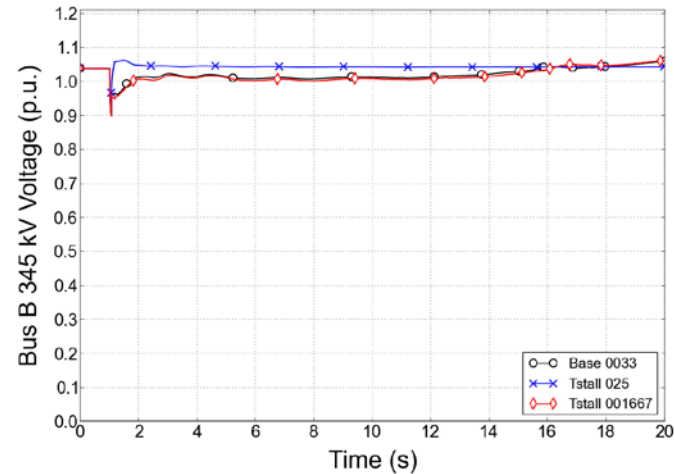
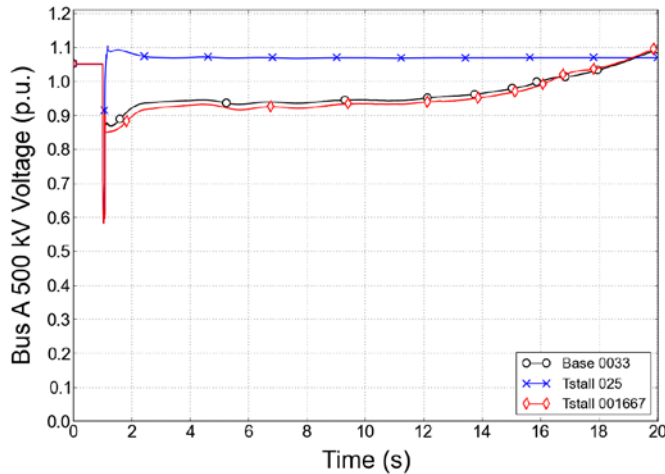
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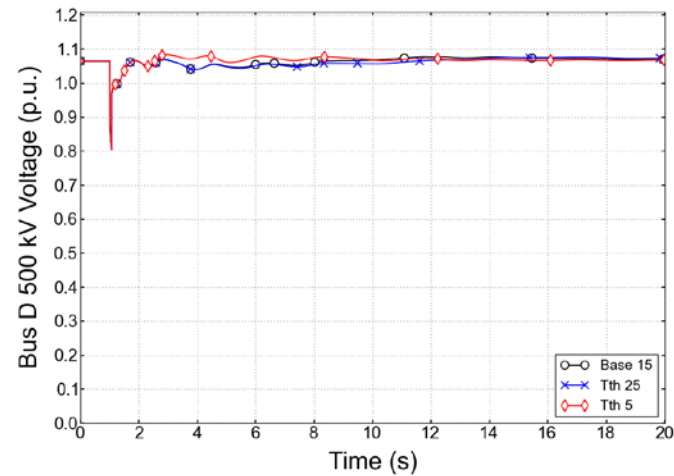
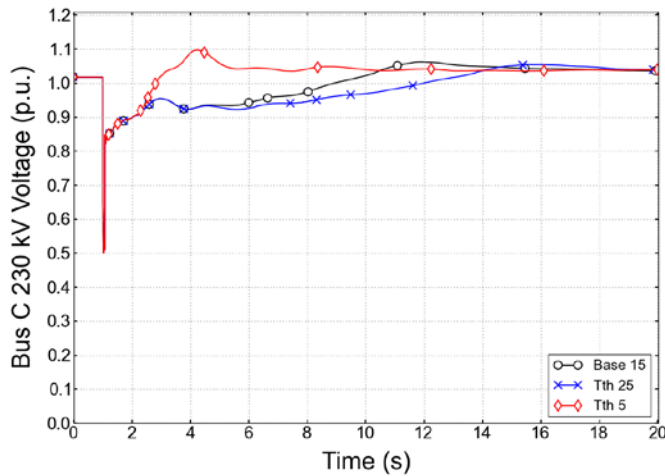
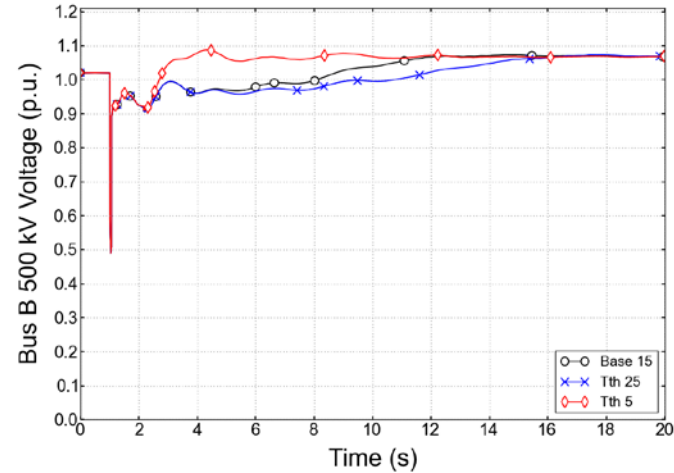
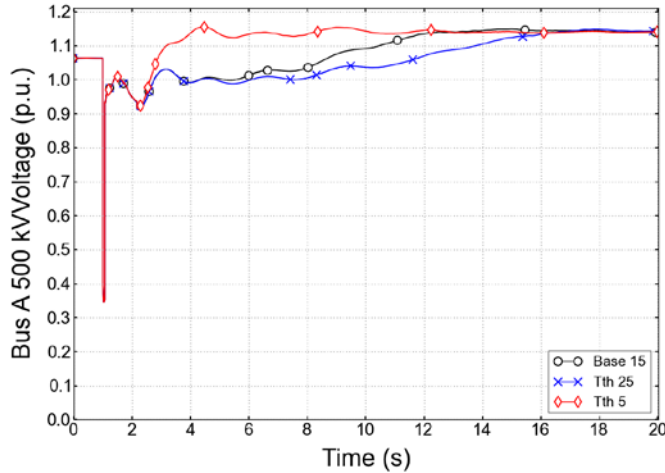
# T<sub>stall</sub> (Voltages)

Contingency 15: T<sub>stall</sub>



# Tth (Voltages)

Contingency 14: Tth



# ***Sensitivity Metrics***

- **Observations based on voltage recovery, generator stability**
  - **Flag bus voltages and generators based on study thresholds**
- **Compare the number of observations to the Phase 2 Base Case ( $T_{stall} = 0.033$ )**
- **Relative number and type of observations provides a sensitivity for each parameter**
  - **Voltage response (fast vs. slow)**
  - **Generator angles (transient stability, damping ratios)**
- **Compute overall sensitivities by aggregating all contingencies**

# ***Study Criteria (Thresholds)***

- **Transient voltage dips will be monitored and recorded for dips that exceed:**
  - **25% at load buses and 30% at non-load buses**
  - **20% for more than 20 cycles at load buses**
- **Frequency oscillations will be monitored and recorded for dips below 59.6 Hz for 6 cycles or more at load buses**
- **Post-transient voltage deviations exceeding 5% at any bus**
- **Voltage recovery to 70% in 1 second, 80% in 3 seconds, 90% in 5 seconds**
- **Power, angle, or voltage magnitude oscillations will be monitored and recorded for 5% damping from the first swing peak to the 3<sup>rd</sup> swing peak**
- **Voltage overshoot will be monitored**
  - **Voltage greater than 1.1 p.u, or greater than 1.05 p.u. for 5 seconds or longer.**
- **Any non-consequential load loss (total load loss to be calculated)**
- **Any generator that loses synchronism**
- **Damping ratio sensitivities (stressed cases)**

# Sensitivity Results – Utility A (1)

Ref. No.	Variable	Setting	Voltage < 70% in 1 second		Voltage < 80% in 3 seconds		Voltage < 90% in 5 seconds		Voltage overshoot over 1.1 p.u.	
			# of Buses	Delta (% change)	# of Buses	Delta (% change)	# of Buses	Delta (% change)	# of Buses	Delta (% change)
1	Phase 2	-	78	-	1011	-	4506	-	3194	-
2	Fel	-20%	22	-72%	946	-6%	4450	-1%	2503	-22%
3		+20%	164	110%	1035	2%	4715	5%	3634	14%
4	FmA	-20%	19	-76%	1255	24%	5150	14%	2153	-33%
5		+20%	211	171%	882	-13%	4151	-8%	4582	43%
6	FmB	-20%	20	-74%	1043	3%	4631	3%	2523	-21%
7		+20%	151	94%	1049	4%	4392	-3%	3480	9%
8	FmC	-20%	22	-72%	1076	6%	4552	1%	2811	-12%
9		+20%	101	29%	1005	-1%	4558	1%	3466	9%
10	FmD	-20%	19	-76%	415	-59%	2928	-35%	2015	-37%
11		+20%	219	181%	1623	61%	5504	22%	3829	20%
12	Frst	0	78	0%	1011	0%	4518	0%	3302	3%
13	(0.2)	1	78	0%	1011	0%	4518	0%	2930	-8%
14	Fuvr	0	78	0%	1472	46%	5637	25%	2571	-20%
15	(0.1)	0.5	78	0%	27	-97%	66	-99%	6428	101%
16	Th1t	0.4	78	0%	1011	0%	4432	-2%	3199	0%
17	(0.7)	0.9	78	0%	1011	0%	4506	0%	3142	-2%
18	Th2t	1	78	0%	1011	0%	4505	0%	5196	63%
19	(1.2)	3	78	0%	1011	0%	4506	0%	1406	-56%

**Notes:**

1. Phase 2 base case values are shown in parentheses under each parameter.

# Sensitivity Results – Utility A (2)

Ref. No.	Variable	Setting	Voltage < 70% in 1 second		Voltage < 80% in 3 seconds		Voltage < 90% in 5 seconds		Voltage overshoot over 1.1 p.u.	
			# of Buses	Delta (% change)	# of Buses	Delta (% change)	# of Buses	Delta (% change)	# of Buses	Delta (% change)
20	Trst (0.3)	0.1	78	0%	1011	0%	4518	0%	3176	-1%
21		1	78	0%	1011	0%	4518	0%	3265	2%
22	Tstall (0.033)	0.25	78	0%	27	-97%	62	-99%	8600	169%
23		0.01667	210	169%	5404	435%	13919	209%	8121	154%
24	Tth (15)	5	78	0%	1011	0%	4148	-8%	5948	86%
25		25	78	0%	1011	0%	4506	0%	2668	-16%
26	Ttr1 (0.02)	0.25	78	0%	1452	44%	5578	24%	2674	-16%
27		0.01667	78	0%	1020	1%	4501	0%	3292	3%
28	Vc1off (0.5)	0.7	18	-77%	133	-87%	3392	-25%	3599	13%
29		0.3	148	90%	2693	166%	7498	66%	3815	19%
30	Vrst (0.95)	1	78	0%	1011	0%	4518	0%	3276	3%
31		0.5	78	0%	340	-66%	3477	-23%	3049	-5%
32	Vstall (0.5)	0.3	78	0%	27	-97%	171	-96%	7688	141%
33		0.8	4822	6082%	32667	3131%	49106	990%	25291	692%
34	Vtr1 (0.6)	0.4	78	0%	1385	37%	5622	25%	2588	-19%
35		0.8	20	-74%	999	-1%	4763	6%	3179	0%

**Notes:**

1. Phase 2 base case values are shown in parentheses under each parameter.
2. Contactor settings (Vc1off, Vc2off, Vc1on, Vc2on) are changed simultaneously. (Ref. No. 28 and 29)

# Sensitivity Results – Utility B (1)

Ref. No.	Variable	Setting	Voltage < 70% in 1 second		Voltage < 80% in 3 seconds		Voltage < 90% in 5 seconds		Voltage overshoot over 1.1 p.u.	
			# of Buses	Delta (% change)	# of Buses	Delta (% change)	# of Buses	Delta (% change)	# of Buses	Delta (% change)
1	Phase 2	-	10770	-	17866	-	23250	-	6717	-
2	Fel	-20%	10327	-4%	16271	-9%	21092	-9%	6160	-8%
3		+20%	10938	2%	19003	6%	24204	4%	7974	19%
4	FmA	-20%	11351	5%	16923	-5%	21160	-9%	4150	-38%
5		+20%	9818	-9%	18353	3%	24147	4%	9589	43%
6	FmB	-20%	9493	-12%	14016	-22%	17921	-23%	5018	-25%
7		+20%	11067	3%	19909	11%	25915	11%	8243	23%
8	FmC	-20%	10485	-3%	16572	-7%	21099	-9%	5838	-13%
9		+20%	10845	1%	18707	5%	23906	3%	7813	16%
10	FmD	-20%	8219	-24%	12982	-27%	17528	-25%	14550	117%
11		+20%	11259	5%	17608	-1%	23858	3%	1741	-74%
12	Frst	0	10770	0%	17910	0%	23220	0%	6478	-4%
13	(0.2)	1	10770	0%	17870	0%	23182	0%	7928	18%
14	Fuvr	0	12235	14%	22019	23%	26668	15%	2533	-62%
15	(0.1)	0.5	2899	-73%	3916	-78%	7354	-68%	15373	129%
16	Th1t	0.4	10770	0%	17884	0%	23243	0%	21466	220%
17	(0.7)	0.9	10770	0%	17851	0%	23183	0%	1062	-84%
18	Th2t	1	10770	0%	17880	0%	23254	0%	31083	363%
19	(1.2)	3	10770	0%	17862	0%	23252	0%	185	-97%

**Notes:**

1. Phase 2 base case values are shown in parentheses under each parameter.

# Sensitivity Results – Utility B (2)

Ref. No.	Variable	Setting	Voltage < 70% in 1 second		Voltage < 80% in 3 seconds		Voltage < 90% in 5 seconds		Voltage overshoot over 1.1 p.u.	
			# of Buses	Delta (% change)	# of Buses	Delta (% change)	# of Buses	Delta (% change)	# of Buses	Delta (% change)
20	Trst (0.3)	0.1	10770	0%	17851	0%	23234	0%	6961	4%
21		1	10550	-2%	17634	-1%	23148	0%	6818	2%
22	Tstall (0.033)	0.25	3439	-68%	24	-100%	30	-100%	9206	37%
23		0.01667	14448	34%	25039	40%	30774	32%	12215	82%
24	Tth (15)	5	10769	0%	17852	0%	23181	0%	29807	344%
25		25	10770	0%	17829	0%	23246	0%	185	-97%
26	Ttr1 (0.02)	0.25	12235	14%	21227	19%	26173	13%	9984	49%
27		0.01667	10896	1%	18238	2%	23555	1%	7056	5%
28	Vc1off (0.5)	0.7	2791	-74%	3248	-82%	9387	-60%	13917	107%
29		0.3	17262	60%	29810	67%	33771	45%	1764	-74%
30	Vrst (0.95)	1	10770	0%	17870	0%	23253	0%	6565	-2%
31		0.5	10770	0%	17939	0%	23667	2%	14915	122%
32	Vstall (0.5)	0.3	5474	-49%	2532	-86%	3466	-85%	2915	-57%
33		0.8	19832	84%	33328	87%	39705	71%	38333	471%
34	Vtr1 (0.6)	0.4	12042	12%	21813	22%	26404	14%	3602	-46%
35		0.8	10636	-1%	14462	-19%	19165	-18%	4893	-27%

**Notes:**

1. Phase 2 base case values are shown in parentheses under each parameter.
2. Contactor settings (Vc1off, Vc2off, Vc1on, Vc2on) are changed simultaneously. (Ref. No. 28 and 29)



# Sensitivity Results – Utility C (1)

Ref. No.	Variable	Setting	Voltage < 70% in 1 second		Voltage < 80% in 3 seconds		Voltage < 90% in 5 seconds		Voltage overshoot over 1.1 p.u.	
			# of Buses	Delta (% change)	# of Buses	Delta (% change)	# of Buses	Delta (% change)	# of Buses	Delta (% change)
1	Phase 2	-	2127	-	2025	-	3092	-	2680	-
2	Fel	-20%	2097	-1%	2087	3%	3050	-1%	2370	-12%
3		+20%	2132	0%	2170	7%	3289	6%	2875	7%
4	FmA	-20%	2322	9%	2256	11%	3554	15%	2657	-1%
5		+20%	1925	-9%	1959	-3%	3021	-2%	2946	10%
6	FmB	-20%	2066	-3%	1990	-2%	2993	-3%	2373	-11%
7		+20%	2150	1%	2246	11%	3362	9%	2934	9%
8	FmC	-20%	2106	-1%	2016	0%	3059	-1%	2493	-7%
9		+20%	2096	-1%	2100	4%	3232	5%	2793	4%
10	FmD	-20%	1960	-8%	1524	-25%	2616	-15%	1846	-31%
11		+20%	2137	0%	2297	13%	3311	7%	2485	-7%
12	Frst (0.2)	0	2127	0%	2020	0%	3104	0%	2733	2%
13		1	2127	0%	2019	0%	3088	0%	2670	0%
14	Fuvr (0.1)	0	2433	14%	2738	35%	4075	32%	2655	-1%
15		0.5	1332	-37%	359	-82%	920	-70%	4248	59%
16	Th1t (0.7)	0.4	2128	0%	2018	0%	3058	-1%	2778	4%
17		0.9	2128	0%	2019	0%	3094	0%	1825	-32%
18	Th2t (1.2)	1	2127	0%	2019	0%	3096	0%	5426	102%
19		3	2128	0%	2019	0%	3094	0%	174	-94%

**Notes:**

1. Phase 2 base case values are shown in parentheses under each parameter.

# Sensitivity Results – Utility C (2)

Ref. No.	Variable	Setting	Voltage < 70% in 1 second		Voltage < 80% in 3 seconds		Voltage < 90% in 5 seconds		Voltage overshoot over 1.1 p.u.	
			# of Buses	Delta (% change)	# of Buses	Delta (% change)	# of Buses	Delta (% change)	# of Buses	Delta (% change)
20	Trst (0.3)	0.1	2127	0%	2019	0%	3096	0%	2624	-2%
21		1	2127	0%	2019	0%	3096	0%	2736	2%
22	Tstall (0.033)	0.25	1264	-41%	106	-95%	59	-98%	5079	90%
23		0.01667	2882	35%	3104	53%	5100	65%	4877	82%
24	Tth (15)	5	2127	0%	2010	-1%	2905	-6%	5361	100%
25		25	2127	0%	2019	0%	3097	0%	204	-92%
26	Ttr1 (0.02)	0.25	2432	14%	2676	32%	3985	29%	3308	23%
27		0.01667	2158	1%	2065	2%	3097	0%	2679	0%
28	Vc1off (0.5)	0.7	1101	-48%	559	-72%	1291	-58%	2992	12%
29		0.3	3165	49%	3663	81%	5533	79%	3580	34%
30	Vrst (0.95)	1	2127	0%	2019	0%	3096	0%	2722	2%
31		0.5	2125	0%	1898	-6%	3042	-2%	2156	-20%
32	Vstall (0.5)	0.3	1748	-18%	264	-87%	418	-86%	3578	34%
33		0.8	4271	101%	6946	243%	10086	226%	8070	201%
34	Vtr1 (0.6)	0.4	2415	14%	2726	35%	4126	33%	2804	5%
35		0.8	2369	11%	2140	6%	3500	13%	3152	18%

**Notes:**

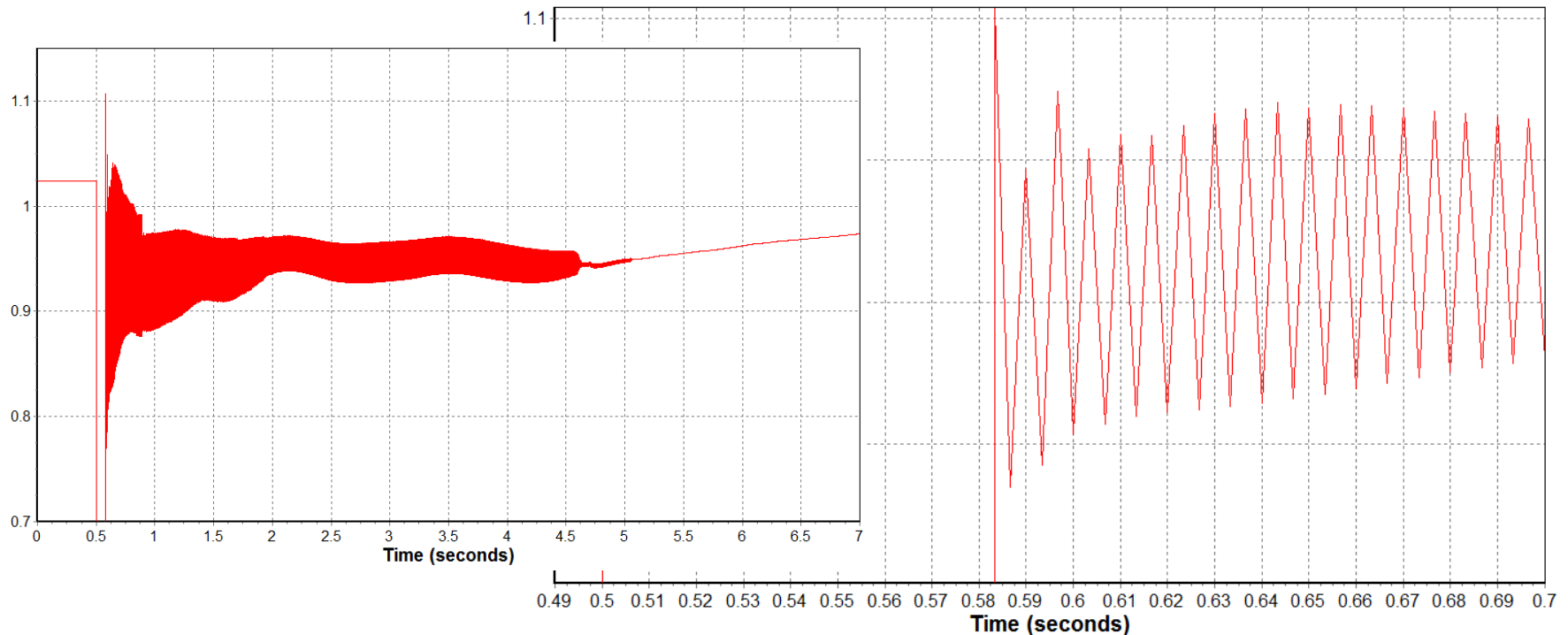
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# ***Overall Summary***

- **Observed similar results for all sets of data (SRP, SCE, PG&E, PacifiCorp)**
- **Important parameters across all four utilities studied:**
  - **Tstall and Vstall**
  - **Vc1on/Vc2on and Vc1off/Vc2off (Motor D contactor)**
  - **FmD**
  - **Tth**
  - **Th1t**
  - **Th2t**
  - **Fuvr**
  - **Vrst**

# Other Observations

- Switching behavior can cause “hunting”
  - Example: Motor D contactors:



# ***Next Steps***

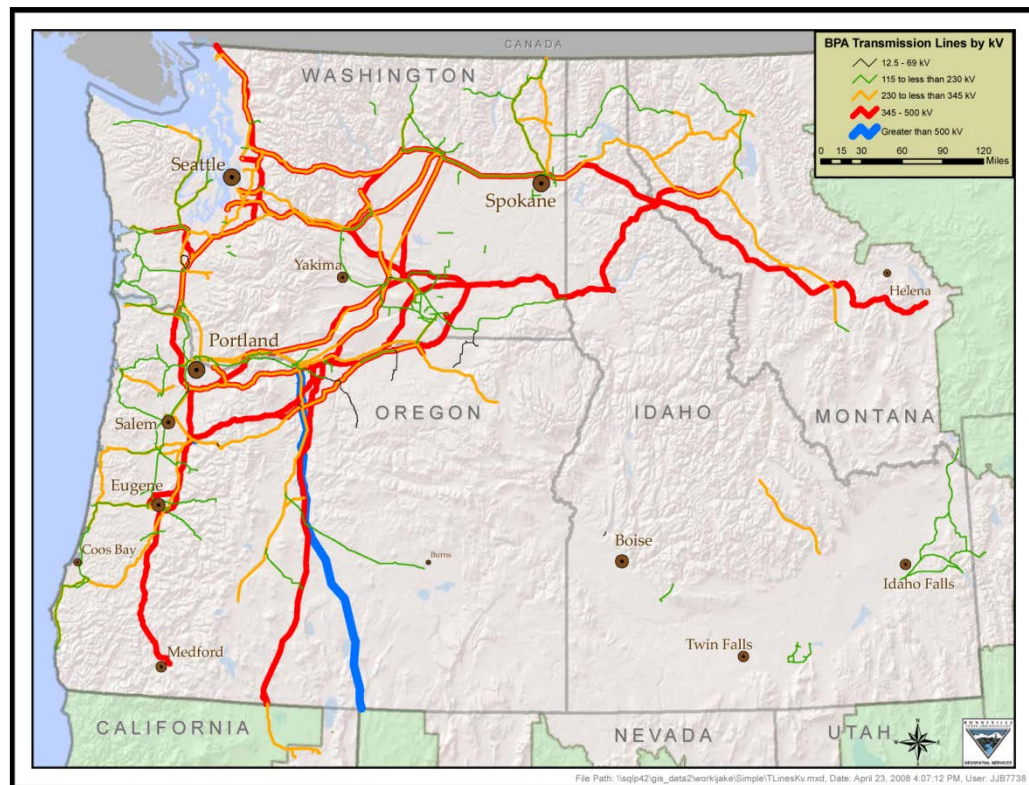
- **Discuss results with each Transmission Provider**
  - **Summary of results and sensitivity tables**
  - **Detailed results for each contingency can be provided**
  - **Select contingencies for more detailed analysis**
    - **Criteria for selecting contingencies to be documented**
  
- **Next stage of the study**
  - **Examine stressed case provided**
  - **Perform more in-depth sensitivity study on Motor D parameters**
  - **Sensitivity analysis on additional model parameters**
  - **Study results to be presented at November WECC LMTF meeting in Salt Lake City, UT**

# **BPA Studies Using Composite Load Model – Portland Metro Area**

2015 NERC-DOE FIDVR Conference

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# BPA Overview



- Bonneville Power Administration (BPA) is a federal Power Marketing Agency in Pacific Northwest
- BPA markets power from 31 Federal dams and the Columbia Generating Station Nuclear Plant
- BPA operates more than 15,000 miles of transmission, including 4,735 miles of 500-kV lines

- BPA operates several large paths in the Western Interconnection – California Oregon AC Intertie (4,800 MW), Pacific HVDC Intertie (3,100 MW), Northern Intertie (3,100 MW), and Montana Intertie (2,200 MW)

# Portland Area Study

The study has multiple objectives:

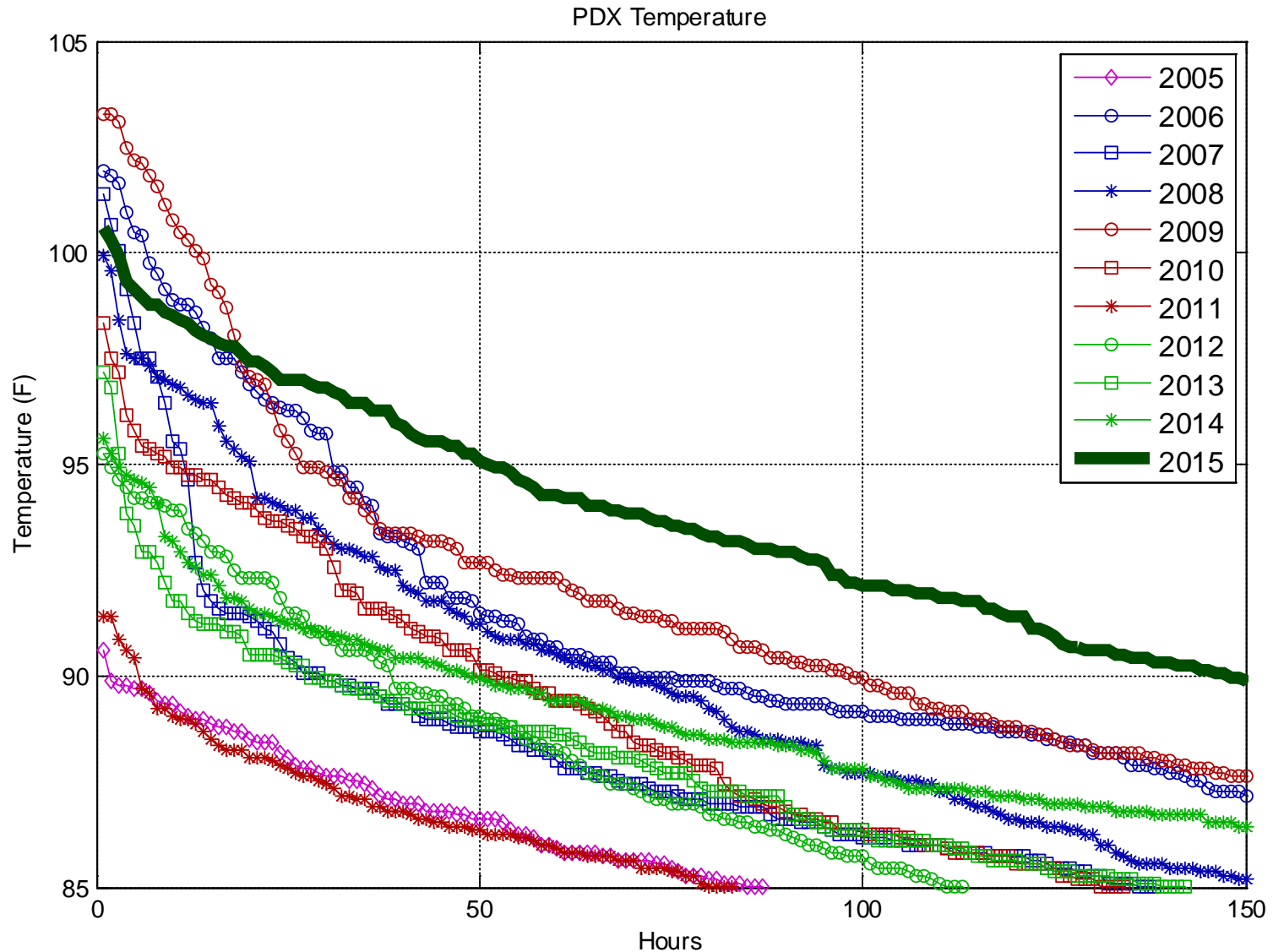
- Modeling
  - One of the first large scale studies using phase 2 load models (air-conditioner stalling is enabled)
- Reliability Assessment
  - What types of faults and under what conditions can cause load-induced voltage instability or delayed voltage recovery in Portland Metro area?
  - Should a wide-spread load-induced voltage instability or delayed voltage recovery occur in Portland Metro area, what are the risks of it cascading in other parts of the system?
  - What solutions can be used to mitigate FIDVR phenomenon and limit its propagation?
- Regulatory Support (NERC TPL-001-4 Standards R5)



# It does get hot in Portland



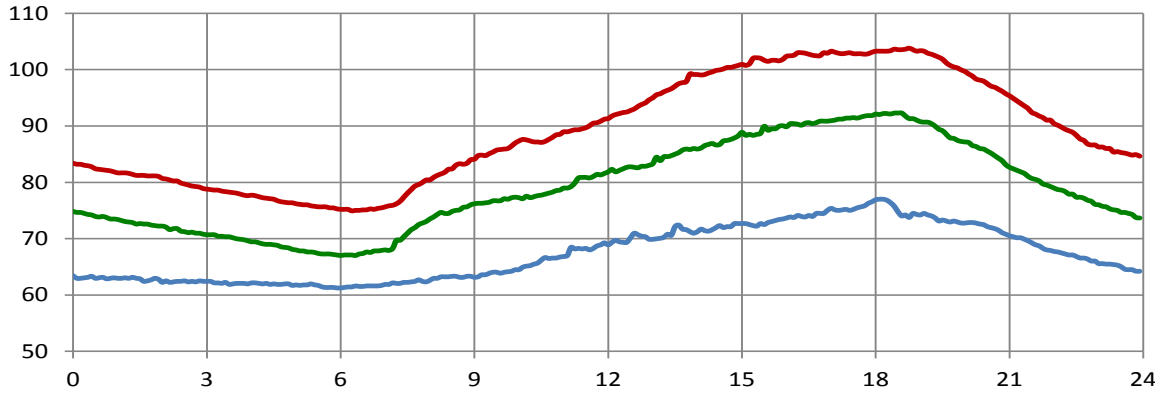
# ... but not very often



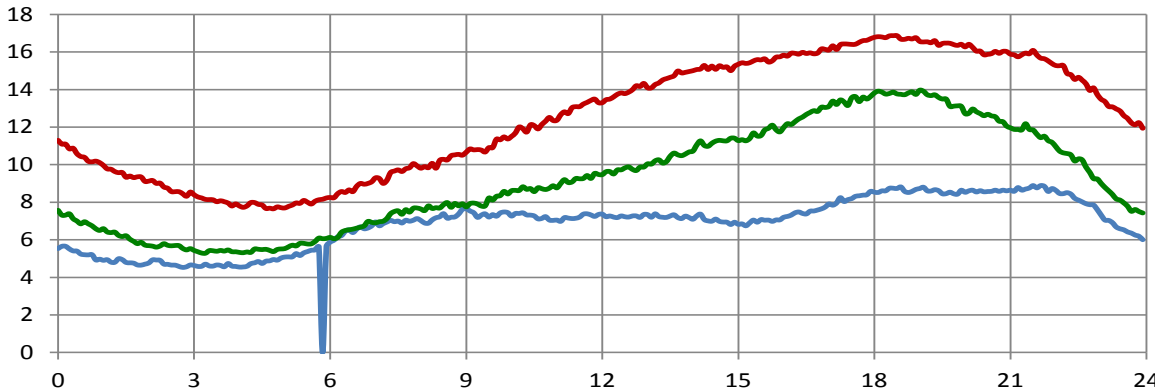
# Sub-urban residential neighborhood (newer construction)

Air-conditioning load accounts for 40 to 60% of total summer load

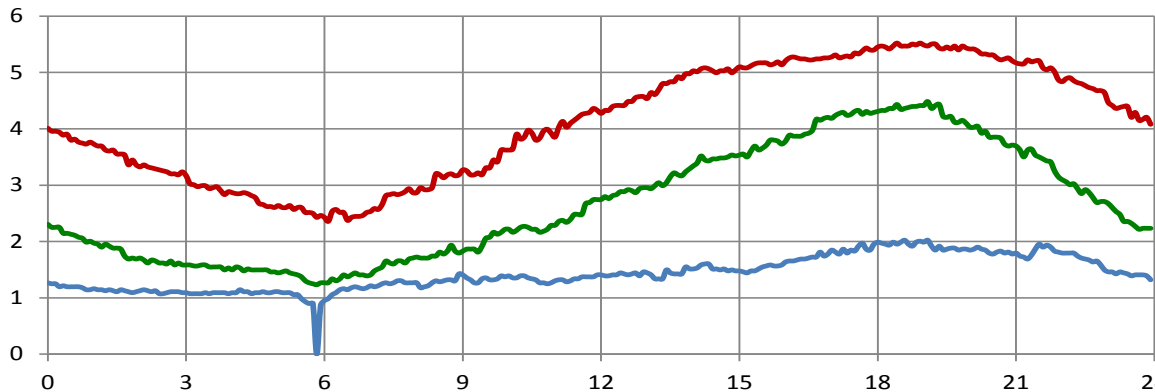
### Temperature



### VanDyke - Active Power

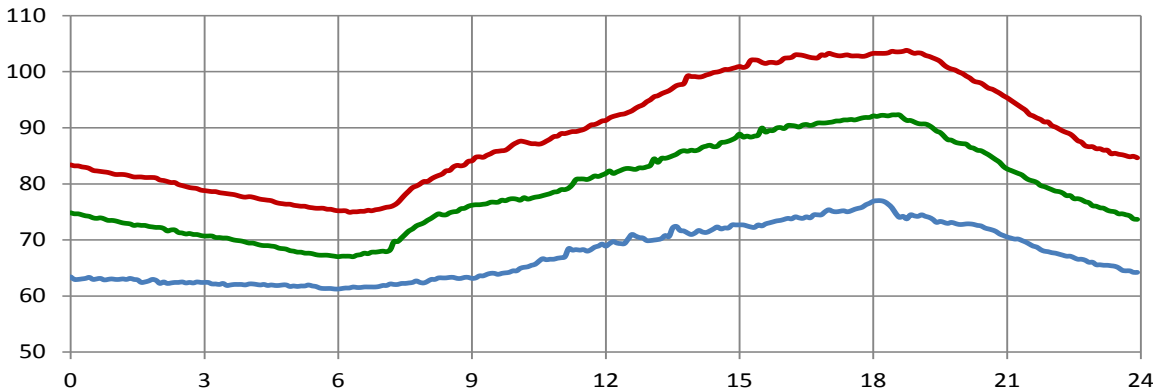


### VanDyke - Reactive Power

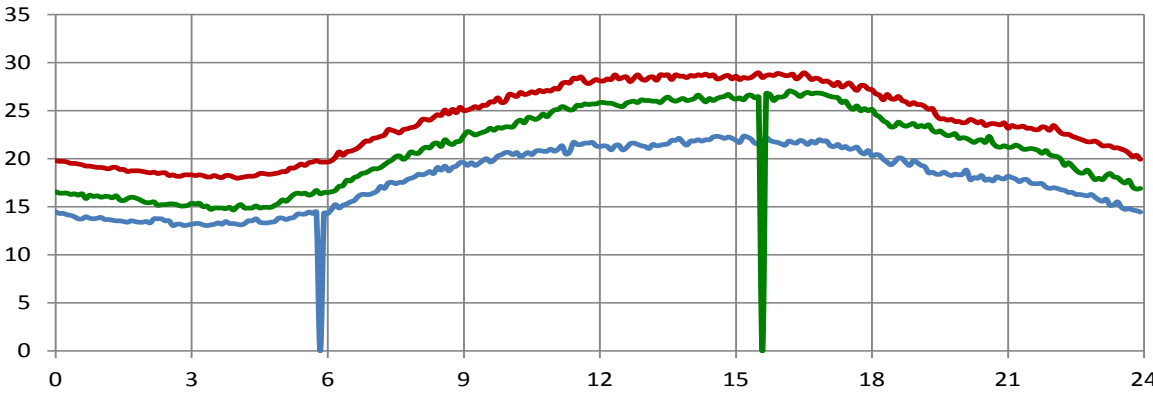


# Downtown commercial

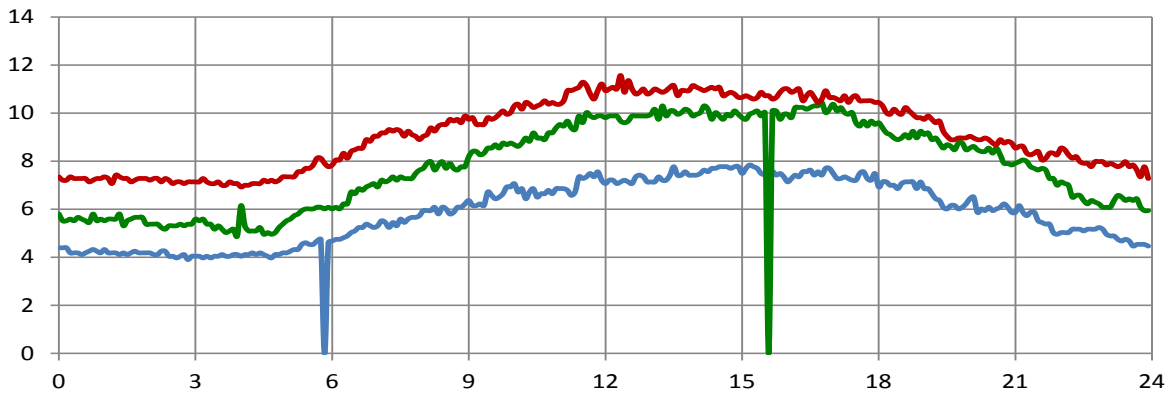
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### E-Substation - Active Power



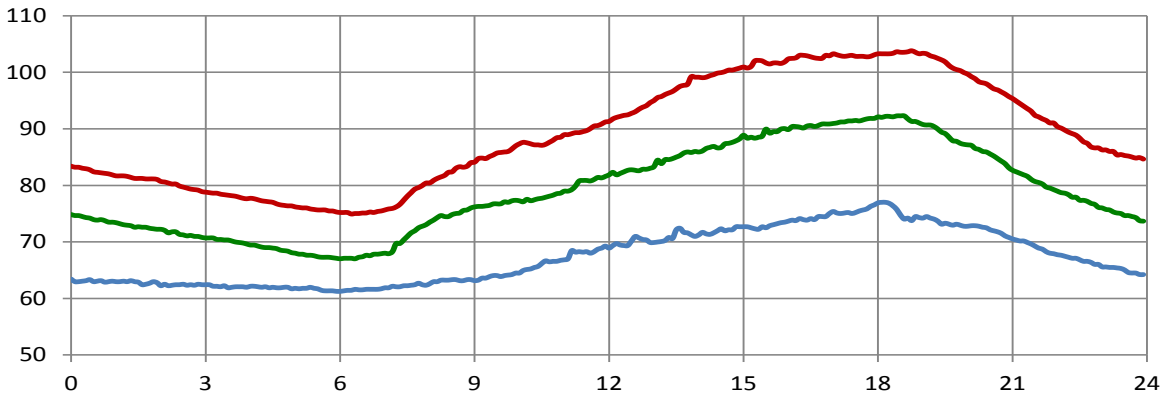
### E-substation - Reactive Power



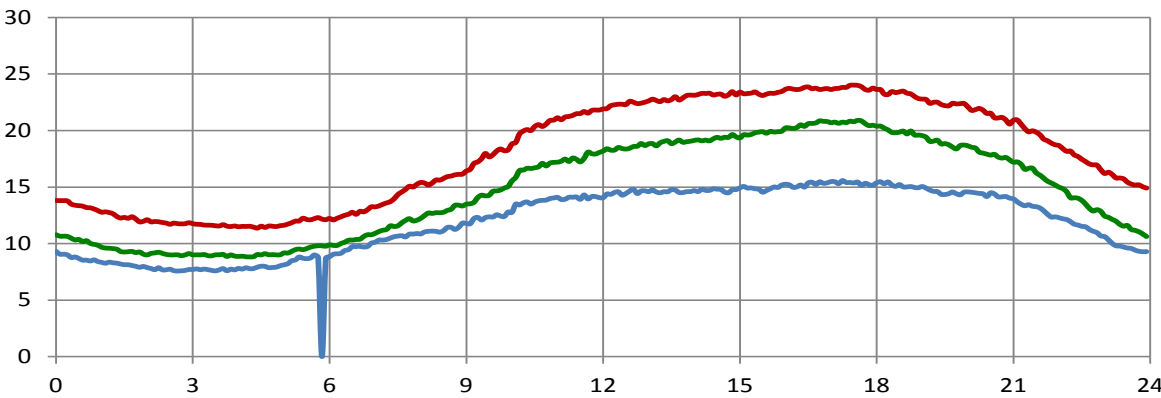
Commercial loads show less temperature sensitivity

# Mixed Loads

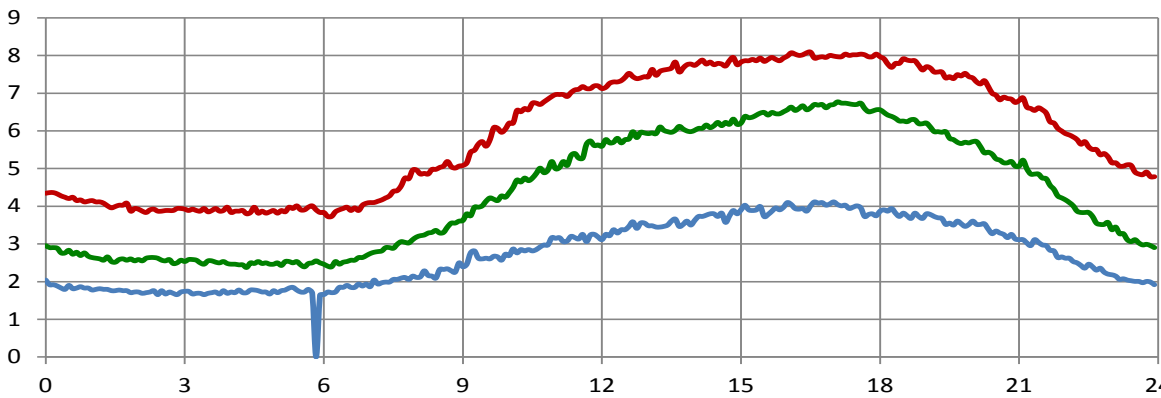
### Temperature



### Walnut Grove- Active Power



### Walnut Grove - Reactive Power



# Portland Area Study

High-volume of transient simulations is performed:

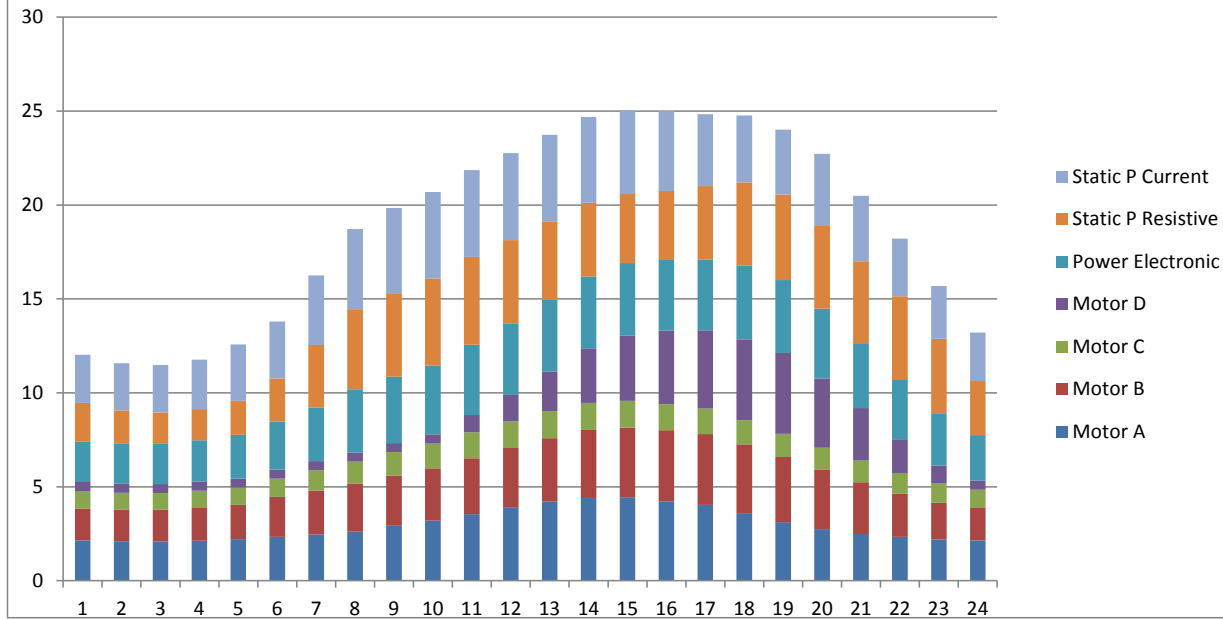
- Base Case scenarios = 3
- Hours (14:00 to 18:00) = 5
- Contingencies = 132
- Temperature sensitivities = 2
- Total Runs = 3,960

In addition to composite load model, we modeled shunt capacitors and reactor relays (Ryan Quint), and line distance relays

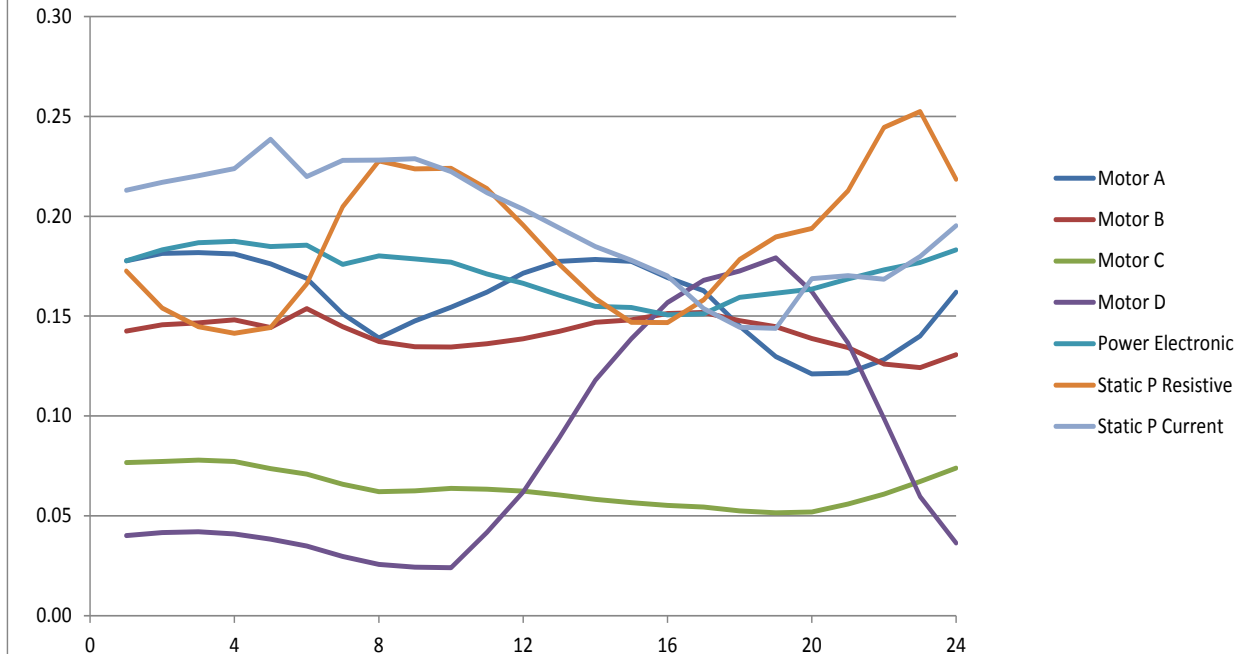
We also run scenarios of generation tripping during a contingency

# WECC Load Composition Model

## Load Profile



## Load Model Fractions



# Modeling Assumptions (for HE 17:00)

## Normal Summer

Load	MA	MB	MC	MD	Electronic	Static - R	Static - I
Mixed	<b>0.16</b>	0.15	0.05	<b>0.17</b>	0.15	0.16	0.15
Residential	<b>0.08</b>	0.13	0.03	<b>0.31</b>	0.13	0.23	0.09
Commercial	<b>0.21</b>	0.14	0.03	<b>0.12</b>	0.19	0.12	0.19

AC stalls if voltage drop below 54% for 3 cycles

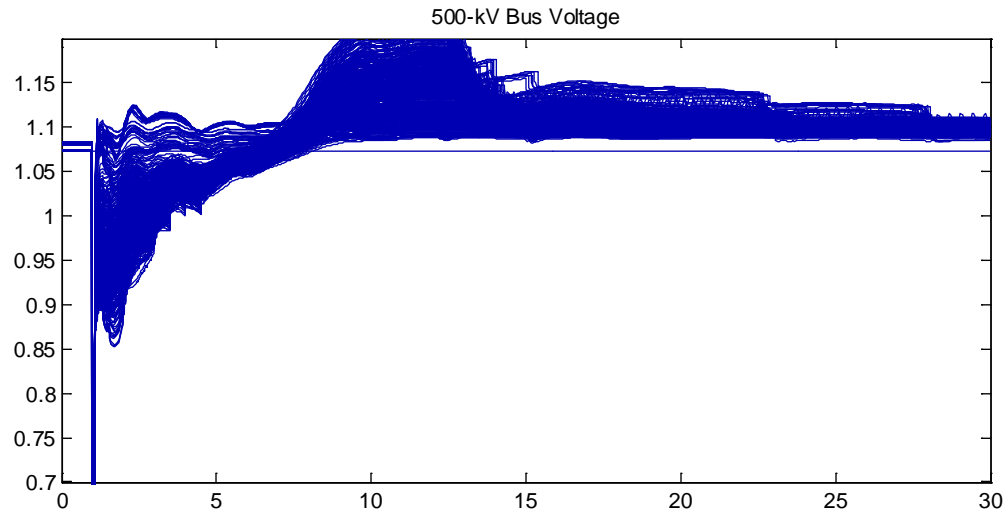
## Hot Summer (95+ F)

Load	MA	MB	MC	MD	Electronic	Static - R	Static - I
Mixed	<b>0.17</b>	0.15	0.05	<b>0.24</b>	0.13	0.13	0.13
Residential	<b>0.06</b>	0.15	0.02	<b>0.42</b>	0.10	0.20	0.05
Commercial	<b>0.25</b>	0.15	0.04	<b>0.13</b>	0.14	0.09	0.20

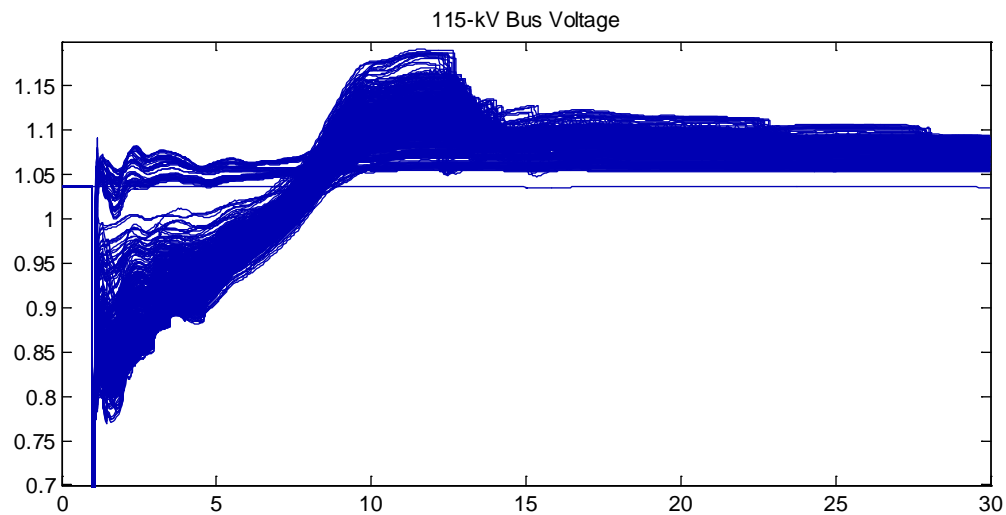
AC stalls if voltage drop below 60% for 3 cycles



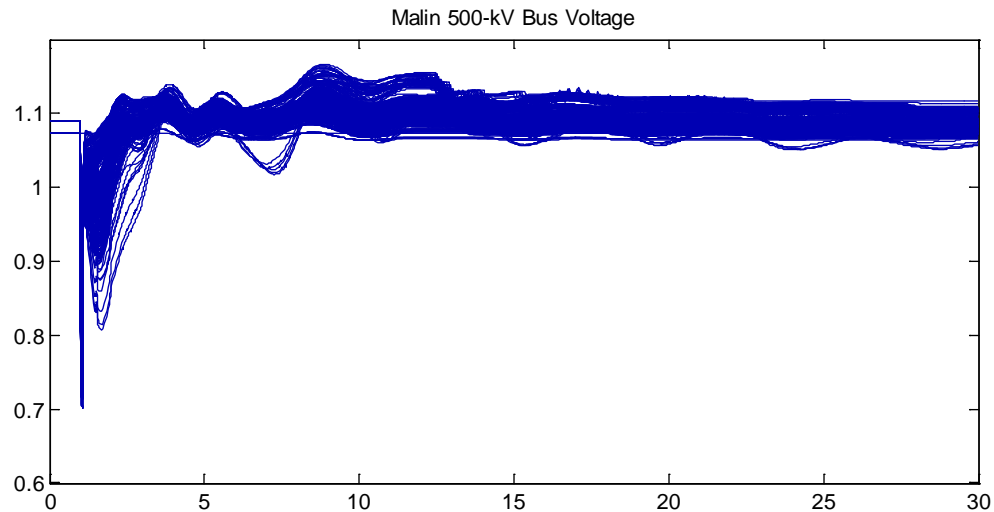
# Portland Area Voltages



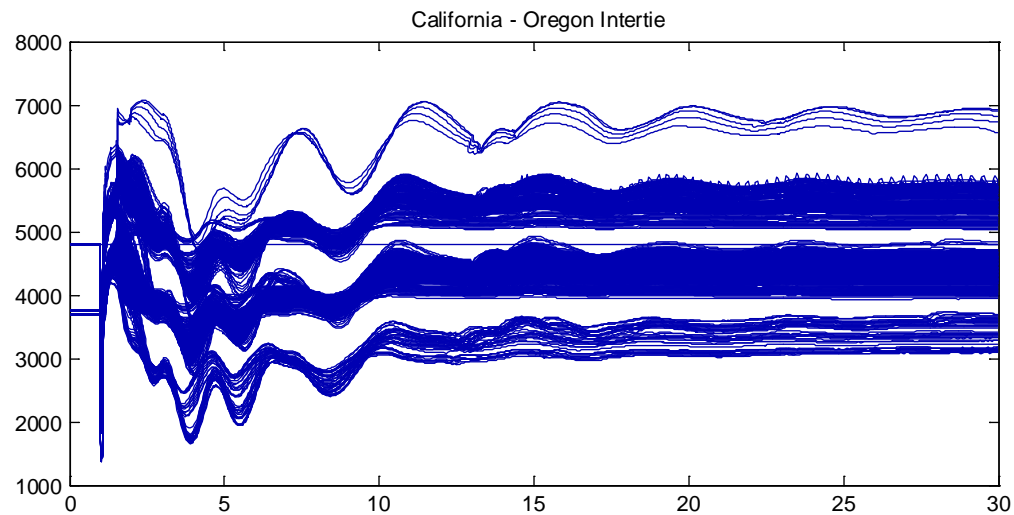
3-phase faults  
500-kV and 230-kV  
normal clearing



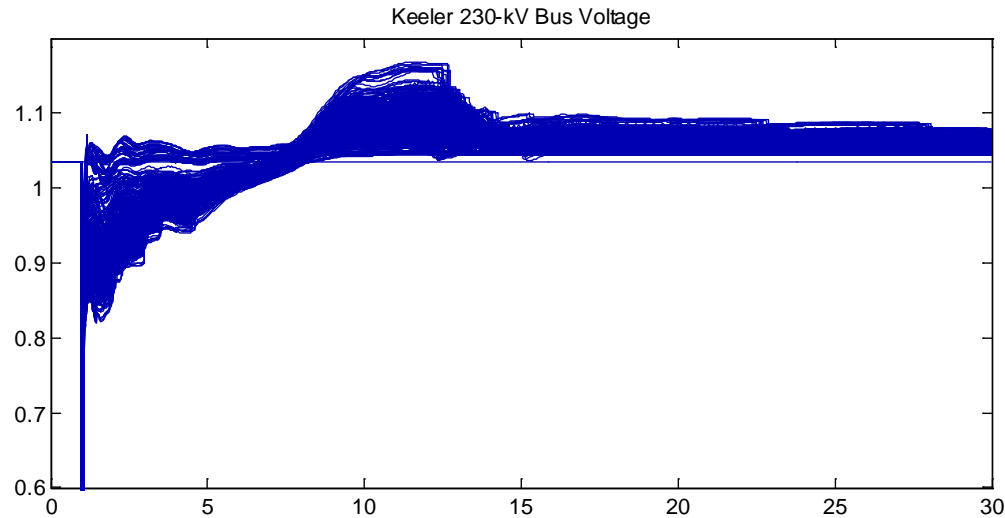
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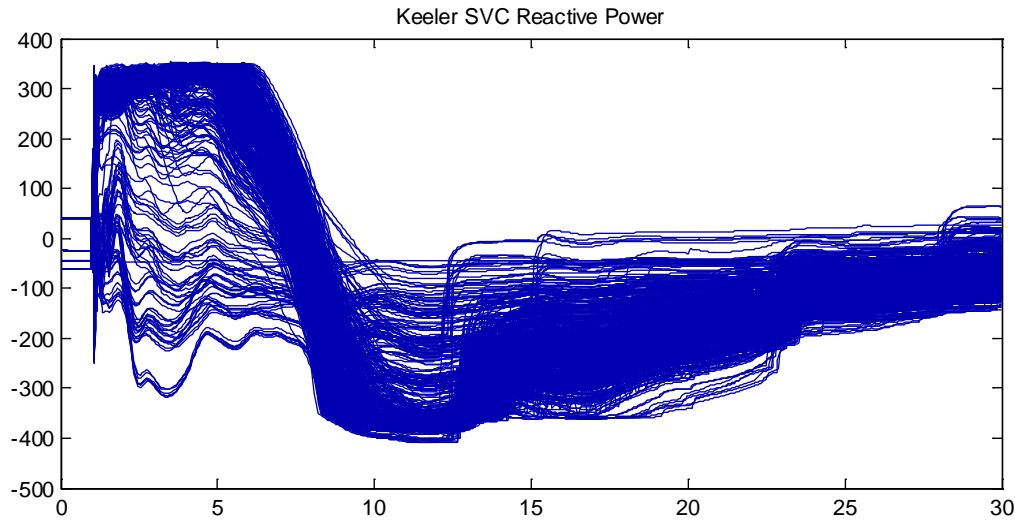
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normal clearing



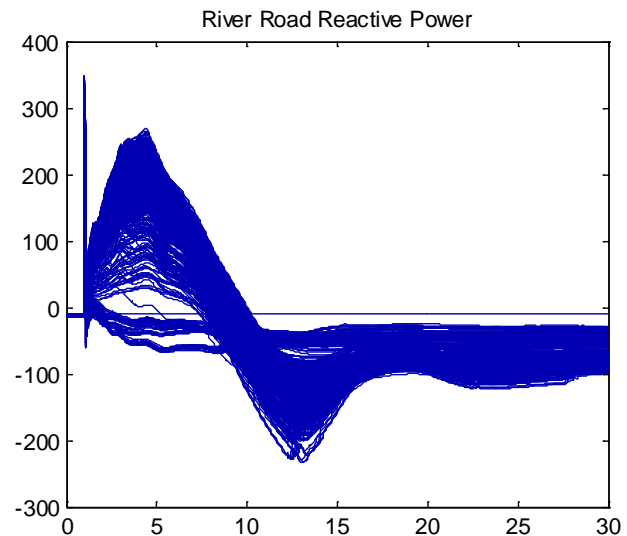
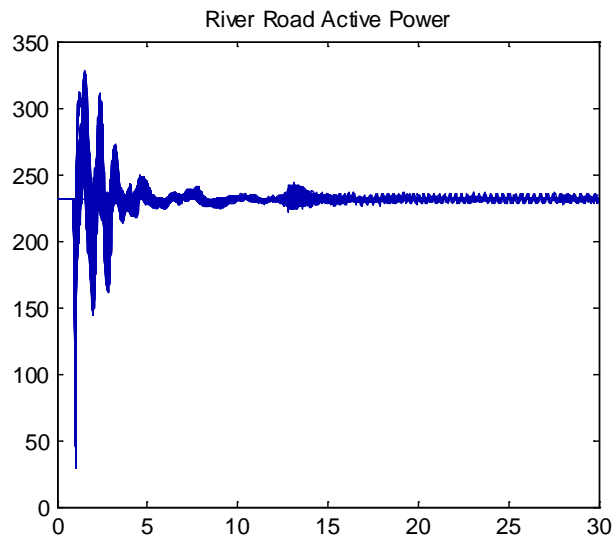
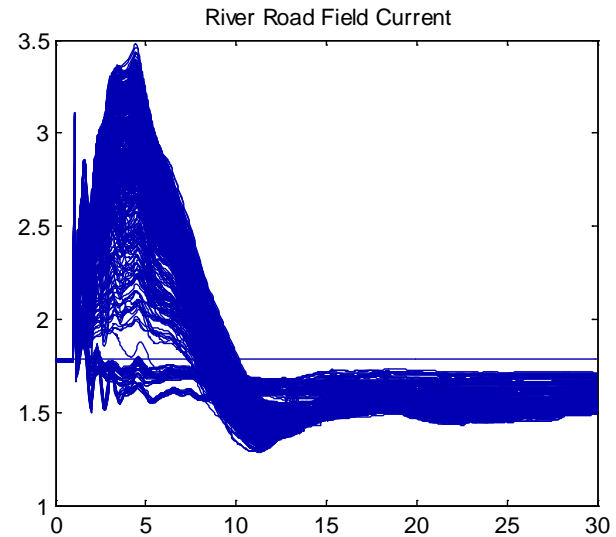
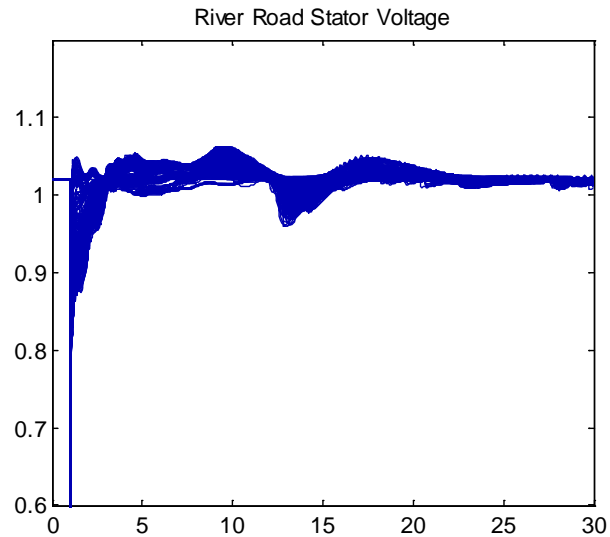
# Portland Area SVC



3-phase faults  
500-kV and 230-kV  
normal clearing

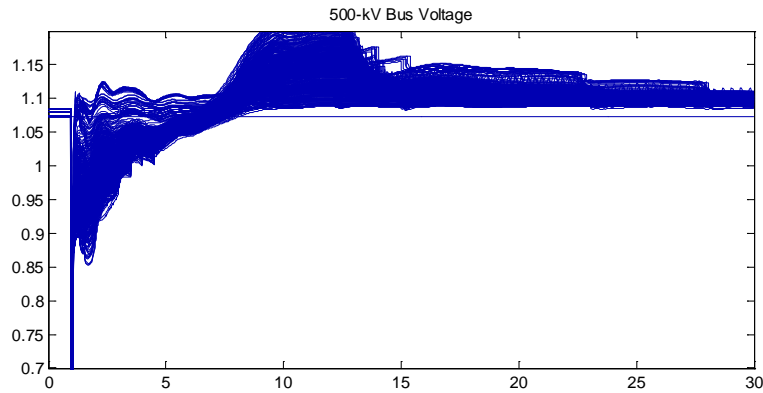


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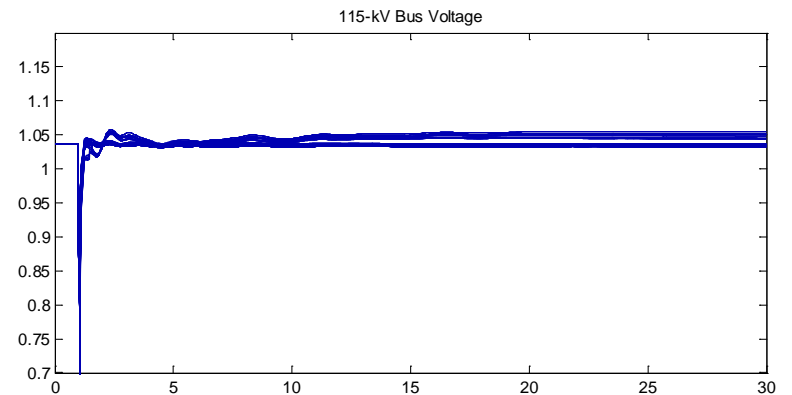
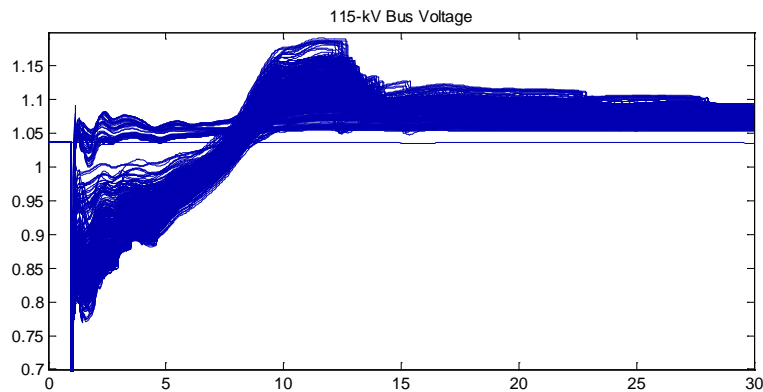
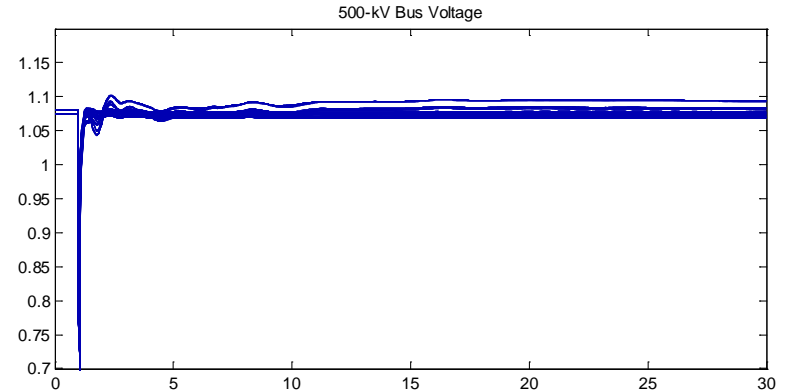


# Fault Type Matters

3-phase fault, normal clearing



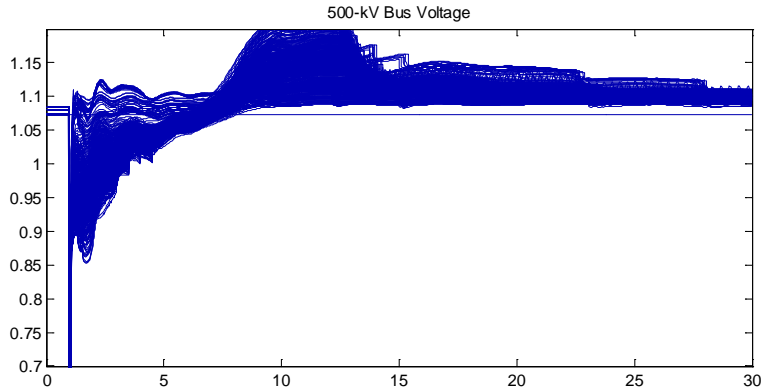
1-phase fault, normal clearing



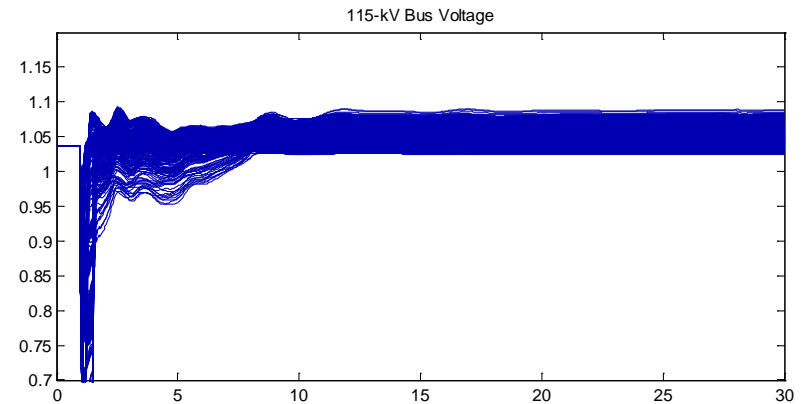
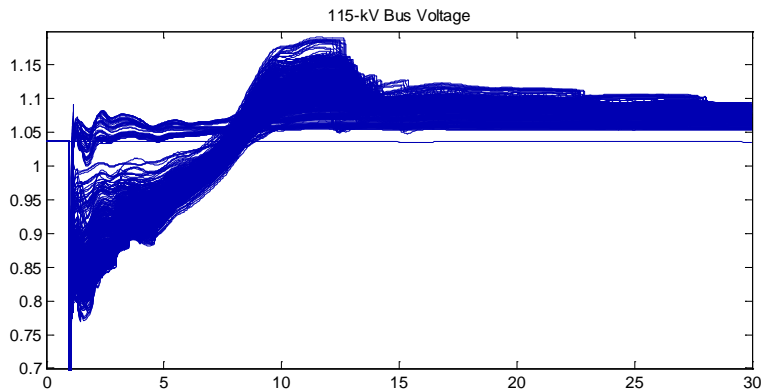
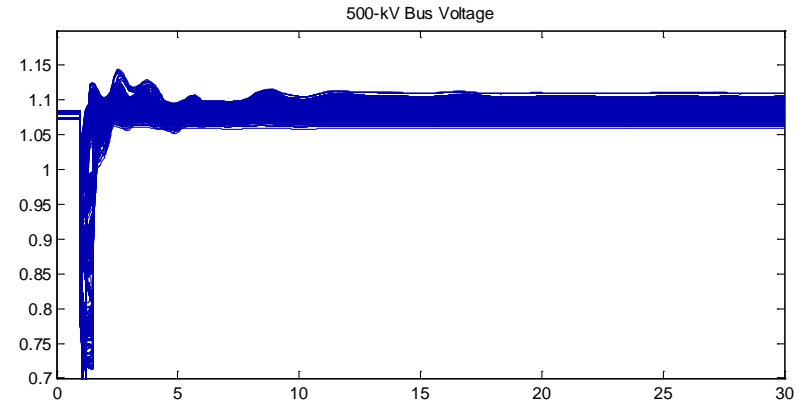
Portland area voltages

# Fault Type Matters

3-phase fault, normal clearing



1-phase fault, delayed clearing



Portland area voltages

# Observations

## Modeling:

- Phase 2 Composite Load Modeled performed well numerically in 4,000 runs, results look credible
- Further review of high voltages is required
  - Whether transformer saturation needs to be modeled (Carson Taylor)
  - Whether restart of air-conditioners needs to be modeled (Richard Bravo)
- Generators step-up transformers must be modeled, cannot have generators connected at 115-kV level
- Shunt reactor and capacitor relays need to be modeled
- Generator OEL and UEL need to be modeled

# Observations

## System Performance:

- 3-phase faults are likely to cause FIDVR in Portland area under hot temperatures
- 1-phase faults are not likely to result in FIDVR
- Should a FIDVR event occur, it does not cascade outside Portland area
- High voltages are possible after FIDVR due to loss of load
- High voltages are aggravated by shunt capacitor switching, many of the switching occur during voltage recovery



# Next Steps – Portland Area Studies

- Monitoring
  - BPA has good PMU coverage of 500-kV grid and main 230-kV substations in the area
  - Continue expansion of synchronized measurements down to sub-transmission and distribution levels (work with LSEs)
- Model Improvements
  - Re-run the studies after the revised AC model is implemented – results are expected to get better
  - Continue risk-based scenario planning to ensure robustness with respect to unexpected generator control actions and trips during FIDVR

**Thank You**

# National Grid Experience with PSS/E Composite Load Model

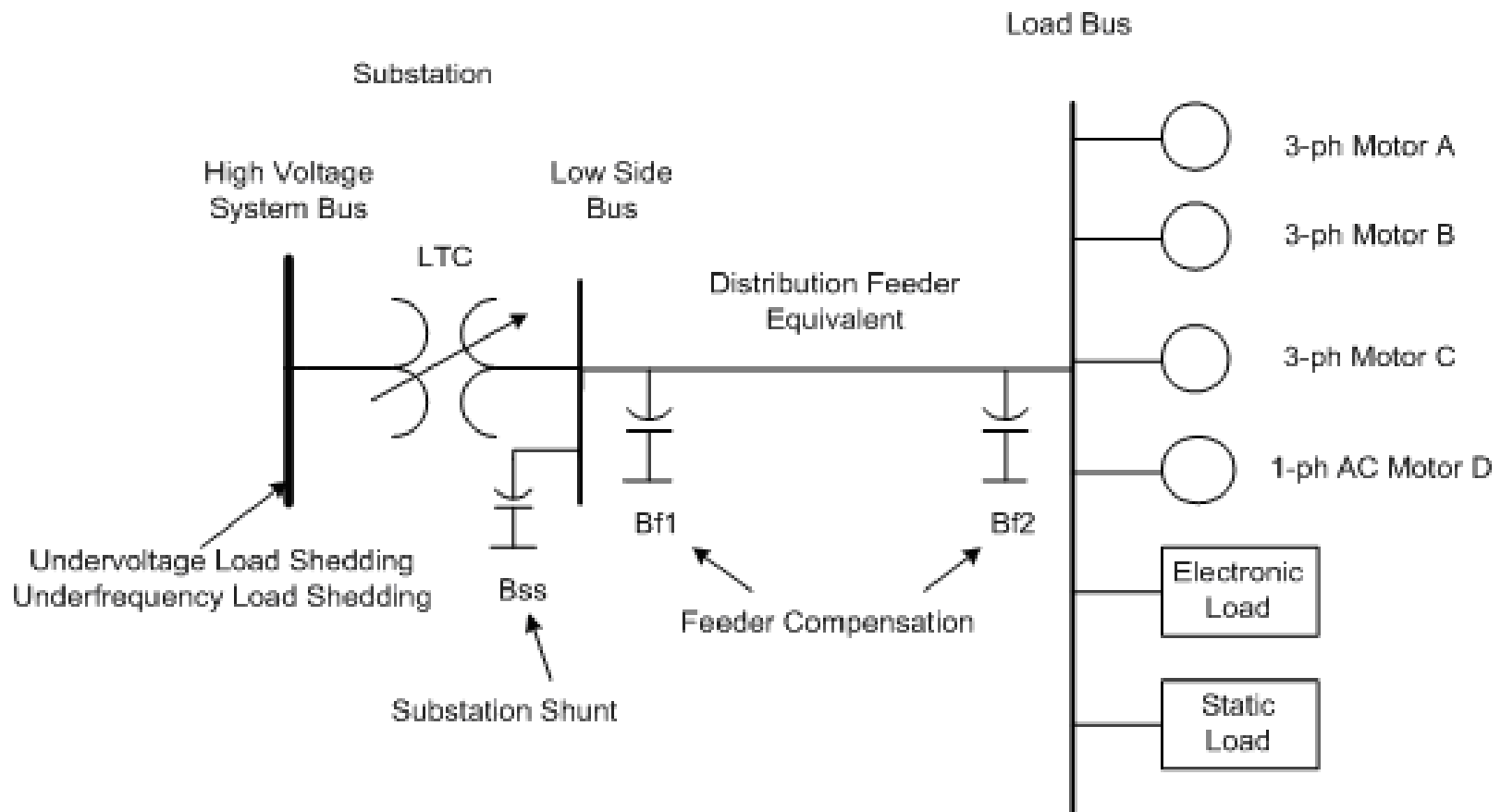


NERC FIDVR Workshop - Panel Session – October 1, 2015

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- National Grid has Service Territories in New England and New York
  - The Composite Load Model (CMLD) Dynamic Load model was tested on the New England system.
  - PSS/E Rev 32.2.4 was used conduct simulations

# CMLD Model



## Baseline CMLD Parameters - Load Breakdown

- Load Survey conducted for New England in 2013
- Summer Peak Load Breakdown:

New England Region	Electronics	Motor A	Motor B	Motor C	Motor D	Constant Current	Constant Impedance
Connecticut	18%	14%	12%	6%	25%	12%	13%
Massachusetts – East	16%	18%	12%	7%	23%	12%	13%
Massachusetts - West/Central	14%	15%	13%	8%	25%	10%	14%
Maine	16%	15%	12%	9%	19%	12%	17%
New Hampshire	16%	16%	12%	8%	18%	13%	17%
Rhode Island	14%	15%	13%	7%	26%	11%	14%
Vermont	15%	17%	11%	10%	19%	12%	16%
<b>New England</b>	<b>16%</b>	<b>16%</b>	<b>12%</b>	<b>7%</b>	<b>23%</b>	<b>12%</b>	<b>14%</b>

## Baseline CMLD Parameters – Motor A

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Motor A: Commercial 3-phase Air Conditioners (Motor A < 250 HP)

- Vtr1 - U/V Trip1 Voltage: 0.70 pu
- Ttr1 - U/V Trip1 Time: 0.033 sec (2 cycles)
- Ftr1 - U/V Trip1 fraction: 0.20
- Vrc1 - U/V Trip1 reclose Voltage: 1.0 pu
- Trc1 - U/V Trip1 reclose Time: 999 sec (no restart)
- Vtr2 - U/V Trip2 Voltage: 0.50 pu
- Ttr2 - U/V Trip2 Time: 0.033 sec (2 cycles)
- Ftr2 - U/V Trip2 fraction: 0.70
- Vrc2 - U/V reclose Voltage: 0.70 pu
- Trc2 - U/V reclose Time: 0.033 sec

## Baseline CMLD Parameters – Motor B

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### Motor B: Commercial 3-phase Pumps

- Vtr1 - U/V Trip1 Voltage: 0.50 pu
- Ttr1 - U/V Trip1 Time: 0.033 sec (2 cycles)
- Ftr1 - U/V Trip1 fraction: 0.50
- Vrc1 - U/V Trip1 reclose Voltage: 0.70 pu
- Trc1 - U/V Trip1 reclose Time: 0.033 sec
- Vtr2 - U/V Trip2 Voltage: 0.50 pu
- Ttr2 - U/V Trip2 Time: 0.033 sec (2 cycles)
- Ftr2 - U/V Trip2 fraction: 0.50
- Vrc2 - U/V reclose Voltage: 0.95 pu
- Trc2 - U/V reclose Time: 999 sec (no reclose)



## Baseline CMLD Parameters – Motor C

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### Motor C: Commercial 3-phase Fans

- Vtr1 - U/V Trip1 Voltage: 0.70 pu
- Ttr1 - U/V Trip1 Time: 0.033 sec (2 cycles)
- Ftr1 - U/V Trip1 fraction: 0.20
- Vrc1 - U/V Trip1 reclose Voltage: 1.0 pu
- Trc1 - U/V Trip1 reclose Time: 999 sec (no restart)
- Vtr2 - U/V Trip2 Voltage: 0.50 pu
- Ttr2 - U/V Trip2 Time: 0.033 sec (2 cycles)
- Ftr2 - U/V Trip2 fraction: 0.70
- Vrc2 - U/V reclose Voltage: 0.70 pu
- Trc2 - U/V reclose Time: 0.033 sec

## Baseline CMLD Parameters – Motor D

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### Motor D: Single Phase Air Conditioners

- Stall Voltage: 40%
- Under-voltage contactor dropout:
  - VC1off: 50% drop out at 0.45 pu voltage,
  - VC2off: 50% drop out at 0.35 pu voltage.
- Contactor Reclose:
  - VC1on: 50% close back in at 0.70 pu voltage
  - VC2on: 50% close back in at 0.65 pu voltage.
  - Stall time: 2 cycle (0.033 sec) after stall voltage is encountered.
  - Fraction of Motors that restart: 20%
- Restart Voltage: 0.90 pu (assumed)
- Restart Time: 0.033 sec

## Baseline CMLD Parameters – Motor D (continued)

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### Motor D: Single Phase Air Conditioners

- Thermal Relay – Compressor motor heating time constant: 15 sec
- Thermal Relay – Temp. at which compressor motors begin tripping: 0.7 pu
- Thermal Relay – Temp. at which all motors are tripped: 1.9 pu
- Under-voltage relay - Fraction of motors with U/V relays: 0%
- Under-voltage relay - First U/V pickup level: N/A
- Under-voltage relay - Second U/V pickup level: N/A
- Under-voltage relay - First definite time for U/V trip: N/A
- Under-voltage relay - Second definite time for U/V trip: N/A

# Sensitivity to Motor D V<sub>stall</sub> and Undervoltage Dropout Voltages

## Sensitivity Testing: Motor D (1-phase Air Conditioner)

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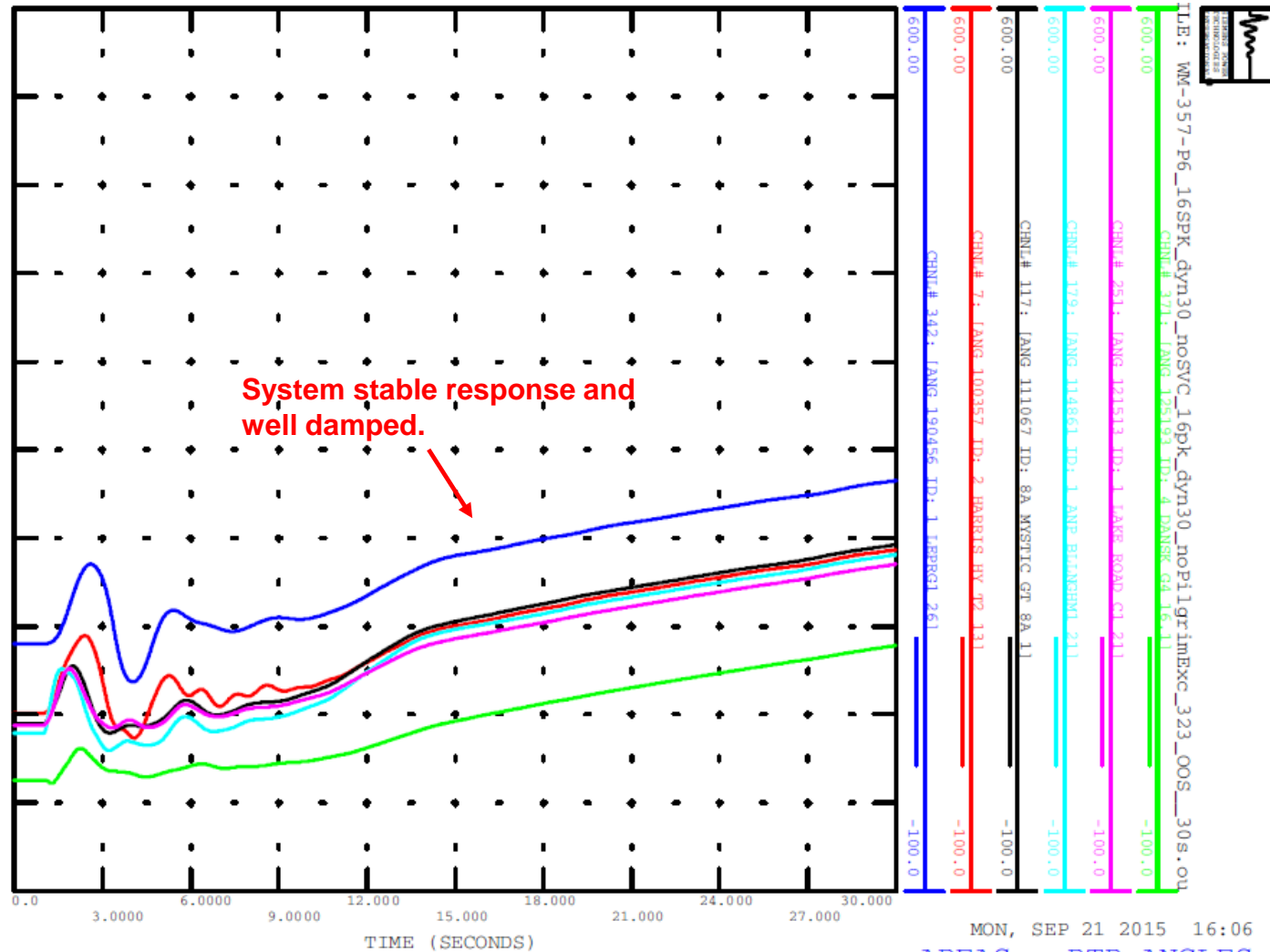
- Varied stall voltage ( $V_{stall}$ ):
  - Baseline:  $V_{stall} = 0.40$  pu
  - Sensitivity 1:  $V_{stall} = 0.35$  pu
  - Sensitivity 2:  $V_{stall} = 0.30$  pu
  
- Varied contactor dropout voltages ( $VC1_{off}$  and  $VC2_{off}$ ):
  - Baseline:  $VC1_{off} = 0.45$  pu,  $VC2_{off} = 0.35$  pu
  - Sensitivity 1:  $VC1_{off} = 0.40$  pu,  $VC2_{off} = 0.30$  pu
  - Sensitivity 2:  $VC1_{off} = 0.35$  pu,  $VC2_{off} = 0.25$  pu

# Test Fault

**Normally Cleared 3ph Fault  
on 345 kV Line (4.5 cycles) in  
Southern New England**

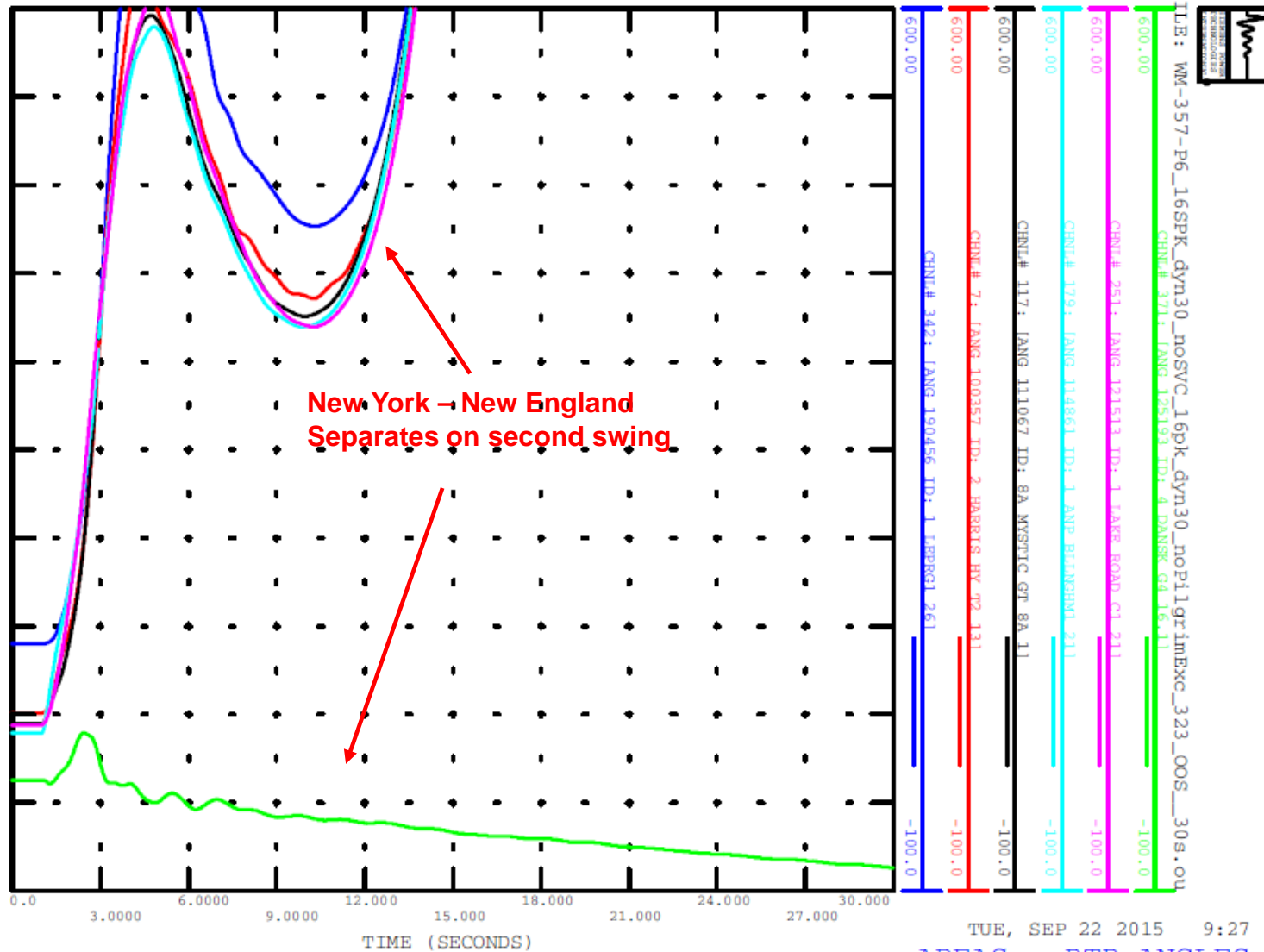


# Results using Baseline assumptions for Motor D: V<sub>stall</sub> = 40%, VC1<sub>off</sub> = 0.45 pu, VC2<sub>off</sub> = 0.35 pu



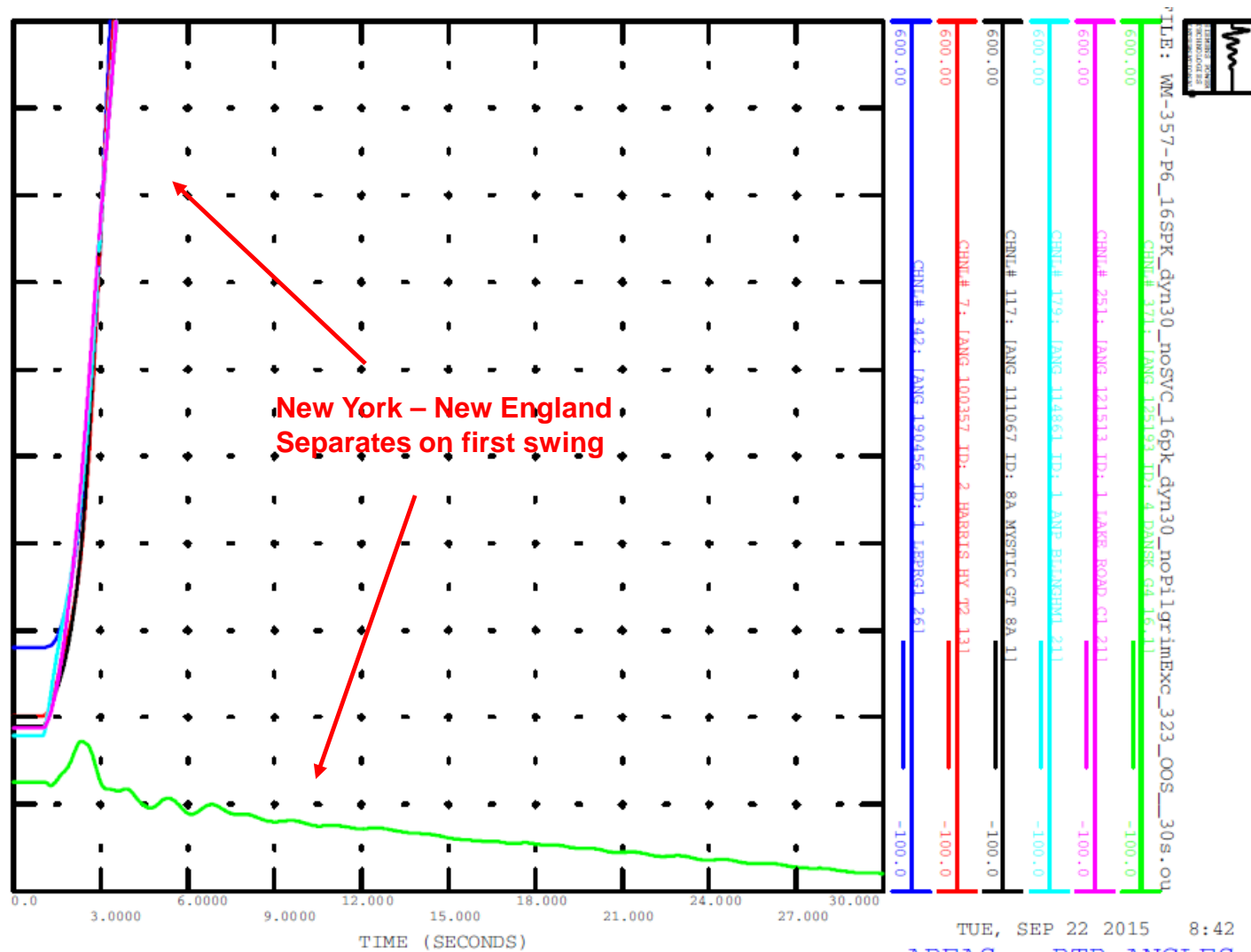
# Results for lowering VC1off and VC2off for Motor D:

**Vstall = 40%, VC1off = 0.40 pu, VC2off = 0.30 pu**

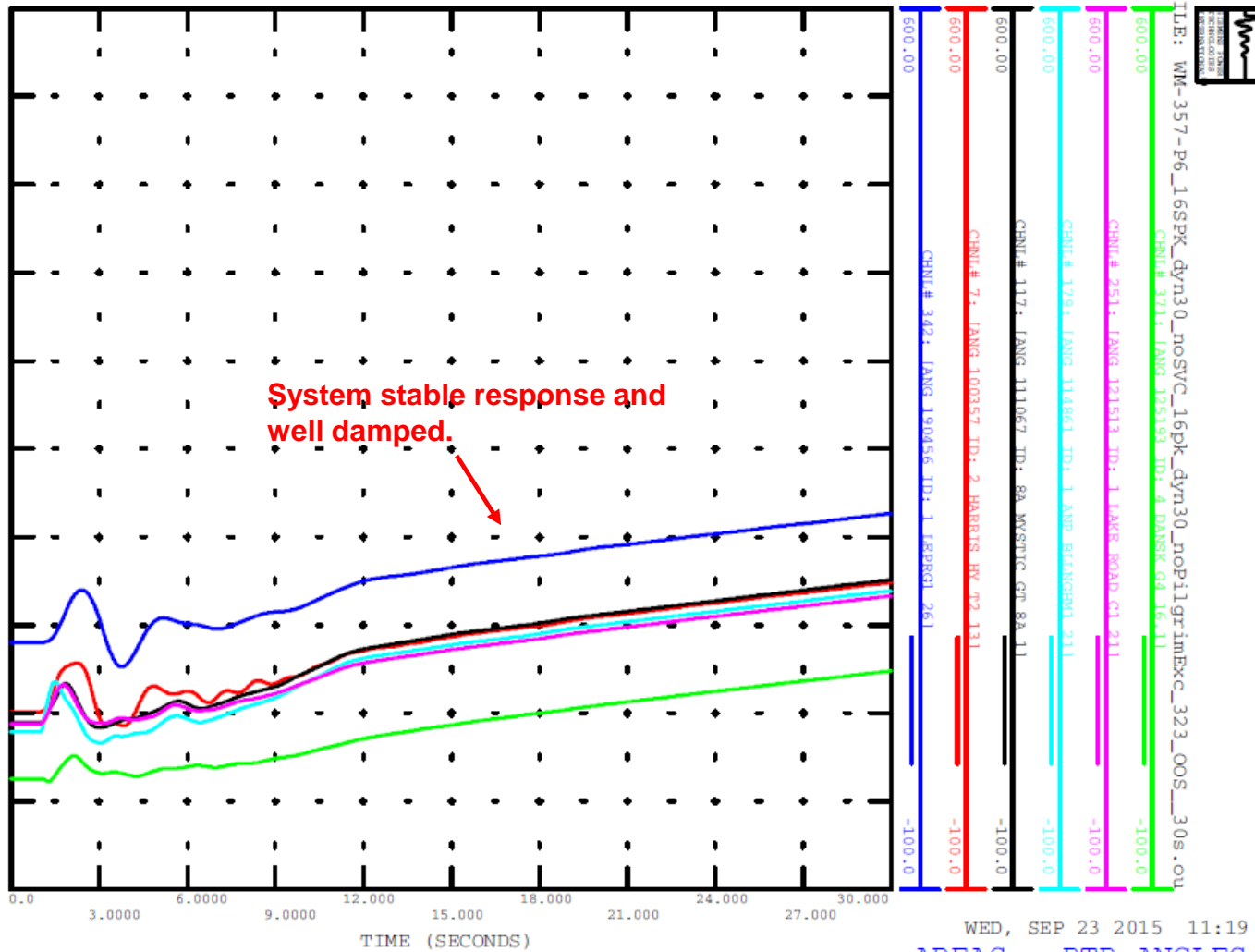




**Results for lowering VC1off and VC2off for Motor D:**  
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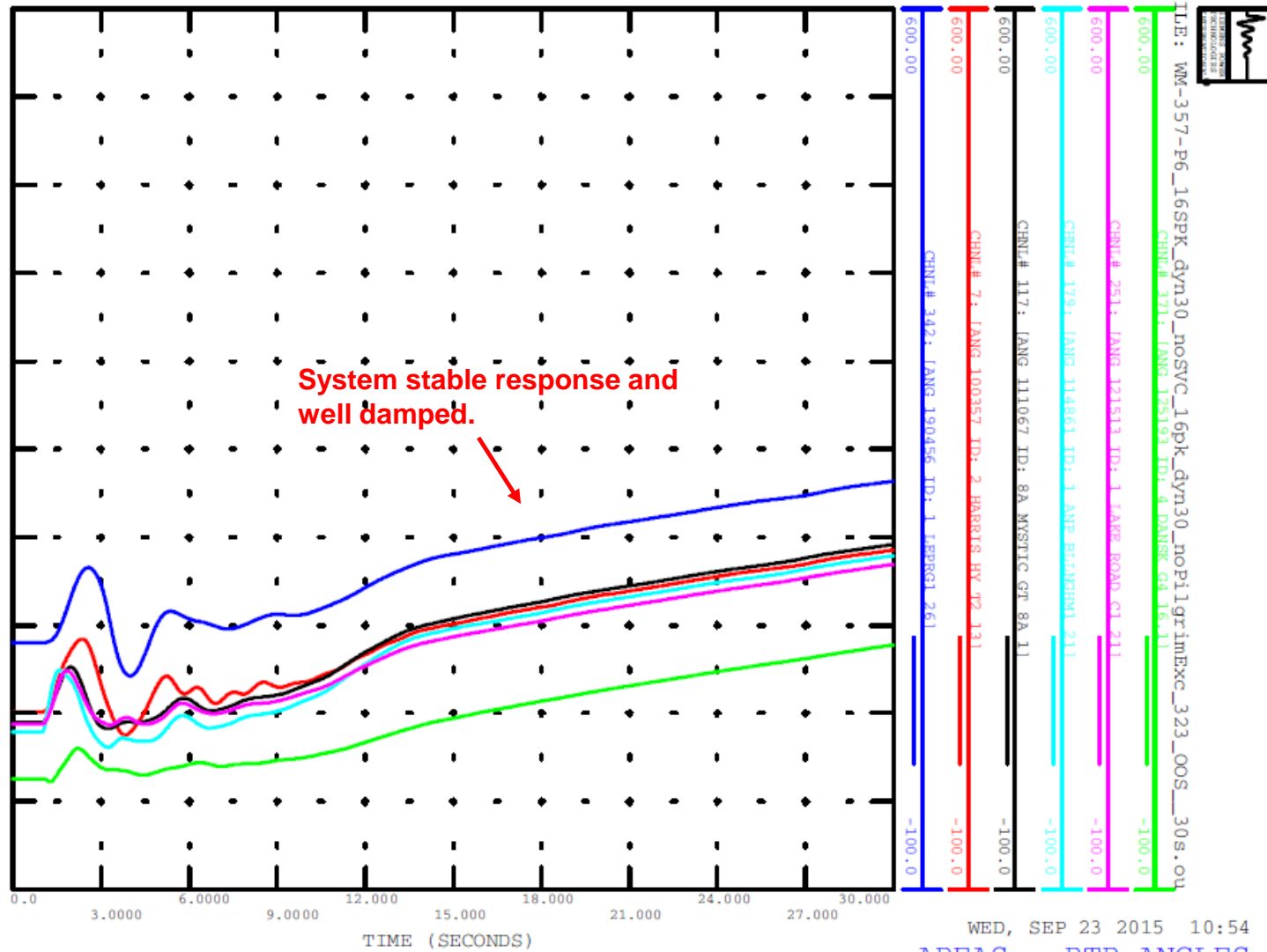


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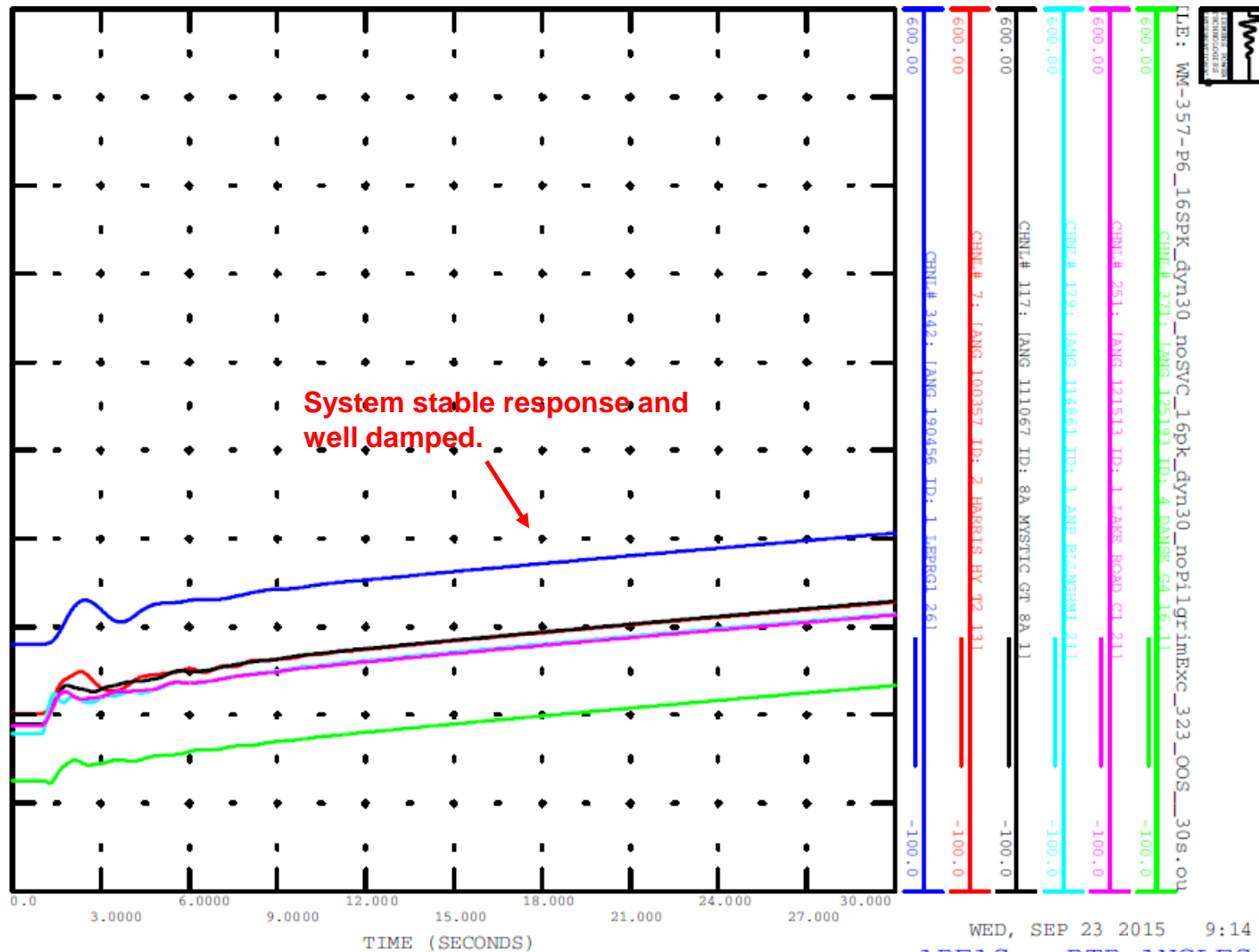
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# Results using Baseline assumptions for Motor D: V<sub>stall</sub> = 35%, VC1<sub>off</sub> = 0.40 pu, VC2<sub>off</sub> = 0.30 pu

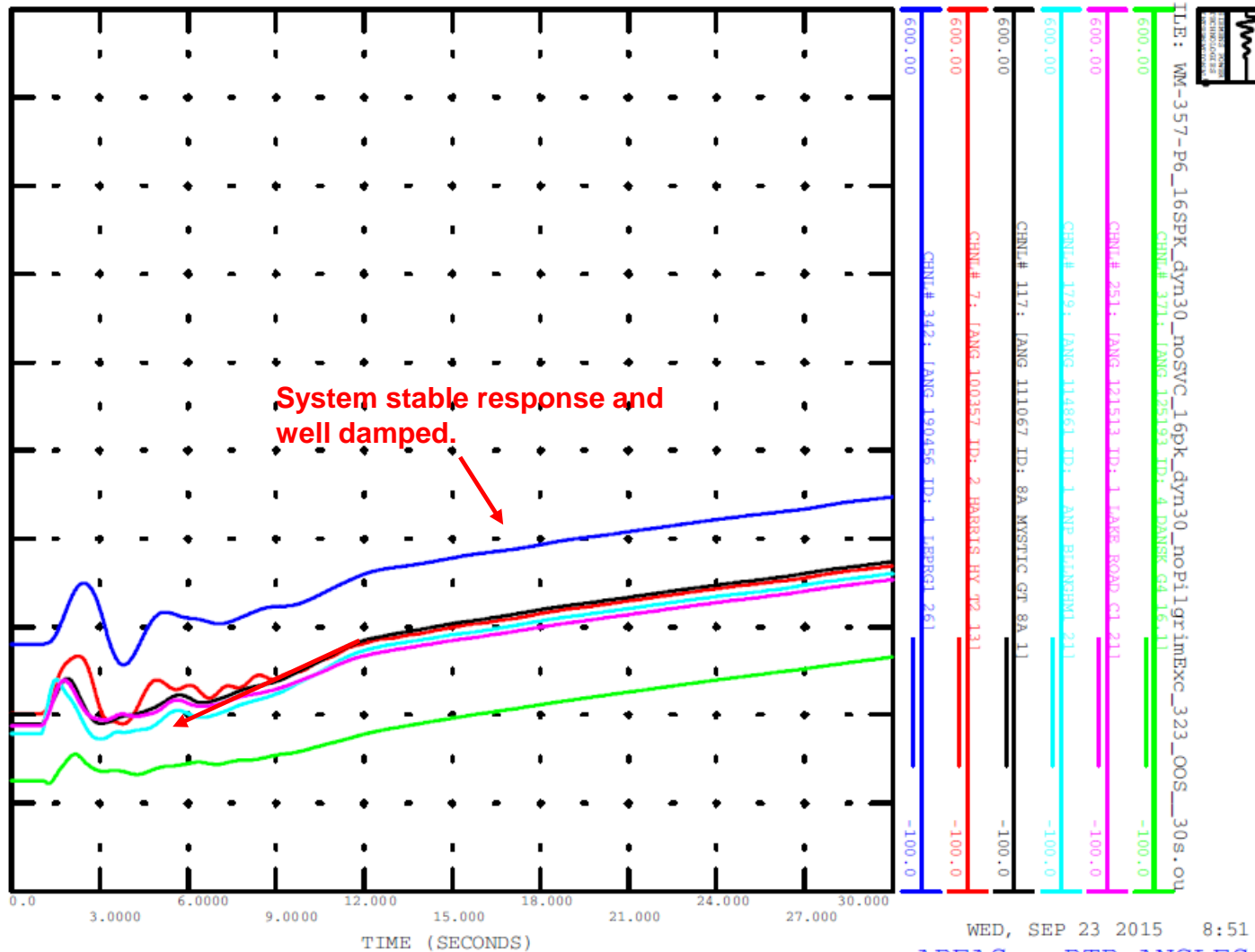




# Results using Baseline assumptions for Motor D: Vstall = 30%, VC1off = 0.40 pu, VC2off = 0.30 pu



# Results using Baseline assumptions for Motor D: Vstall = 30%, VC1off = 0.35 pu, VC2off = 0.25 pu



# Sensitivity to Motor A, B, & C

## Under-voltage Contactor Dropout Voltages

# Sensitivity Testing: Motor A, B, C U/V Trip Parameters

## Baseline assumptions (Kosterev)

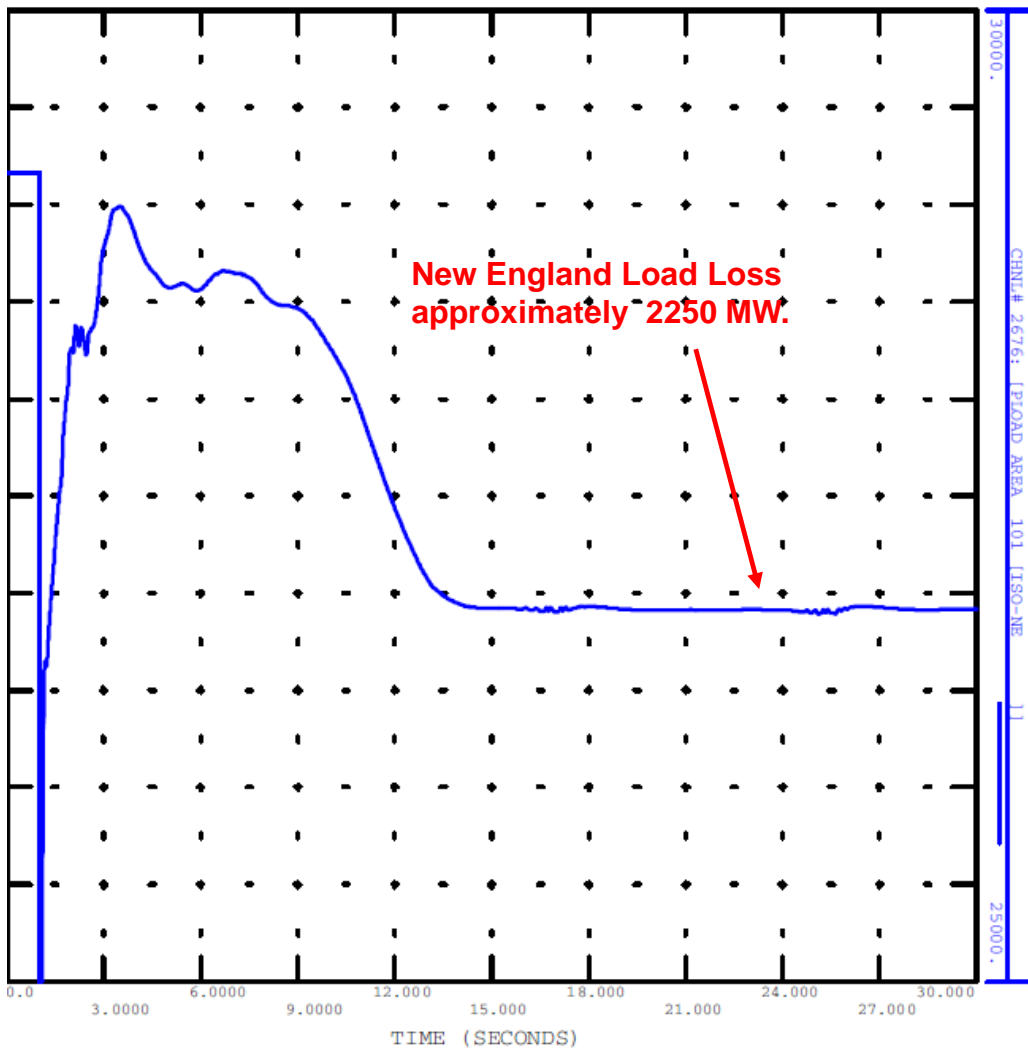
	Motor A	Motor B	Motor C
■ Vtr1 - U/V Trip1 V (pu)	0.70 pu	0.50 pu	0.70 pu
■ Ftr1 - U/V Trip1 fraction	0.20	0.50	0.20
■ Vrc1 - U/V Trip1 reclose V (pu)	no reclose	0.70 pu	no reclose
■ Vtr2 - U/V Trip2 V (pu)	0.50 pu	0.50 pu	0.50 pu
■ Ftr2 - U/V Trip2 fraction	0.70	0.50	0.70
■ Vrc2 - U/V Reclose V (pu)	0.70 pu	no reclose	0.70 pu

## Sensitivity parameters

■ Vtr1 - U/V Trip1 V (pu)	0.70 pu	0.70 pu	0.70 pu
■ Ftr1 - U/V Trip1 fraction	0.50	0.50	0.50
■ Vrc1 - U/V Trip1 reclose V (pu)	no reclose	no reclose	no reclose
■ Vtr2 - U/V Trip2 V (pu)	0.50 pu	0.50 pu	0.50 pu
■ Ftr2 - U/V Trip2 fraction	0.50	0.50	0.50
■ Vrc2 - U/V Reclose V (pu)	0.95 pu	0.95 pu	0.95 pu



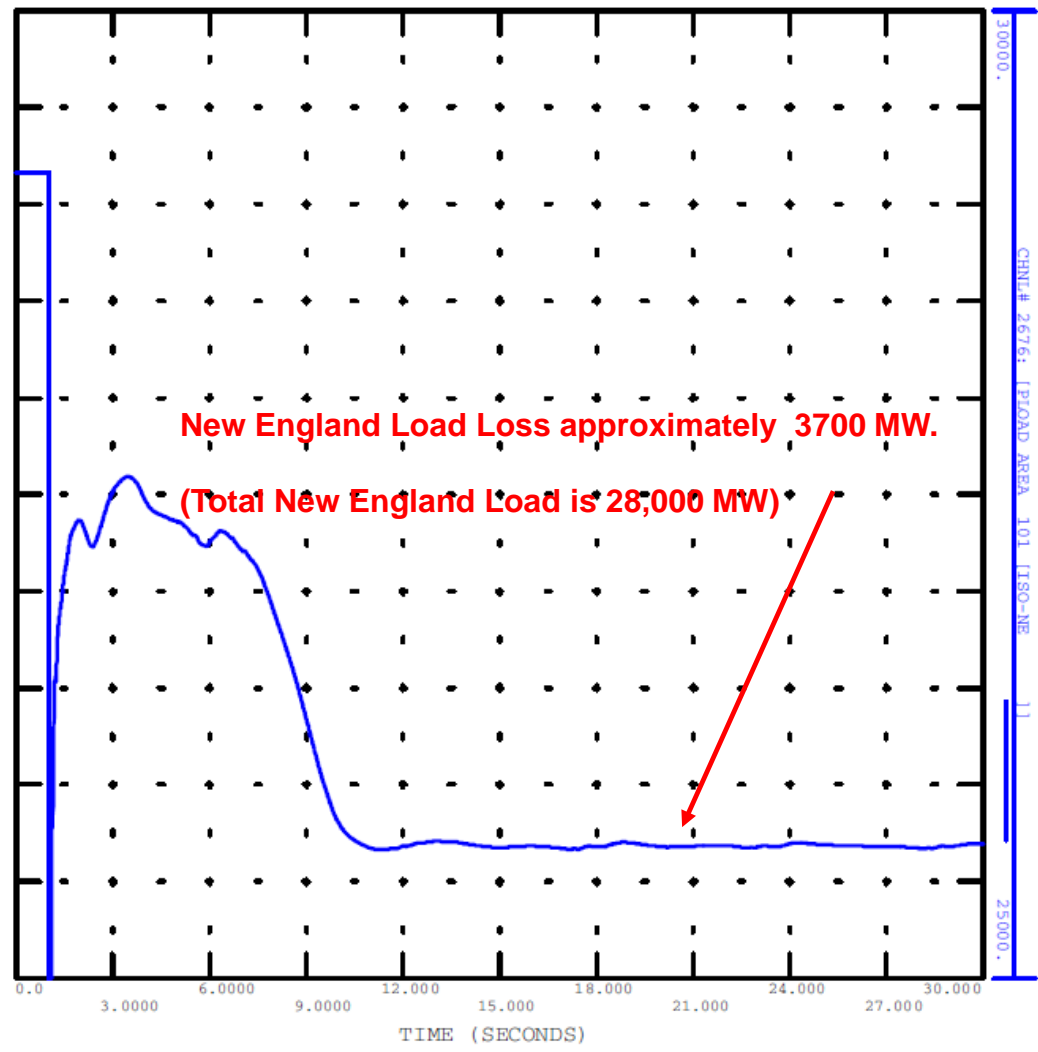
# Load loss using Baseline Assumptions



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# Load loss using with Motor A, B, C U/V Tripping Sensitivity Parameters

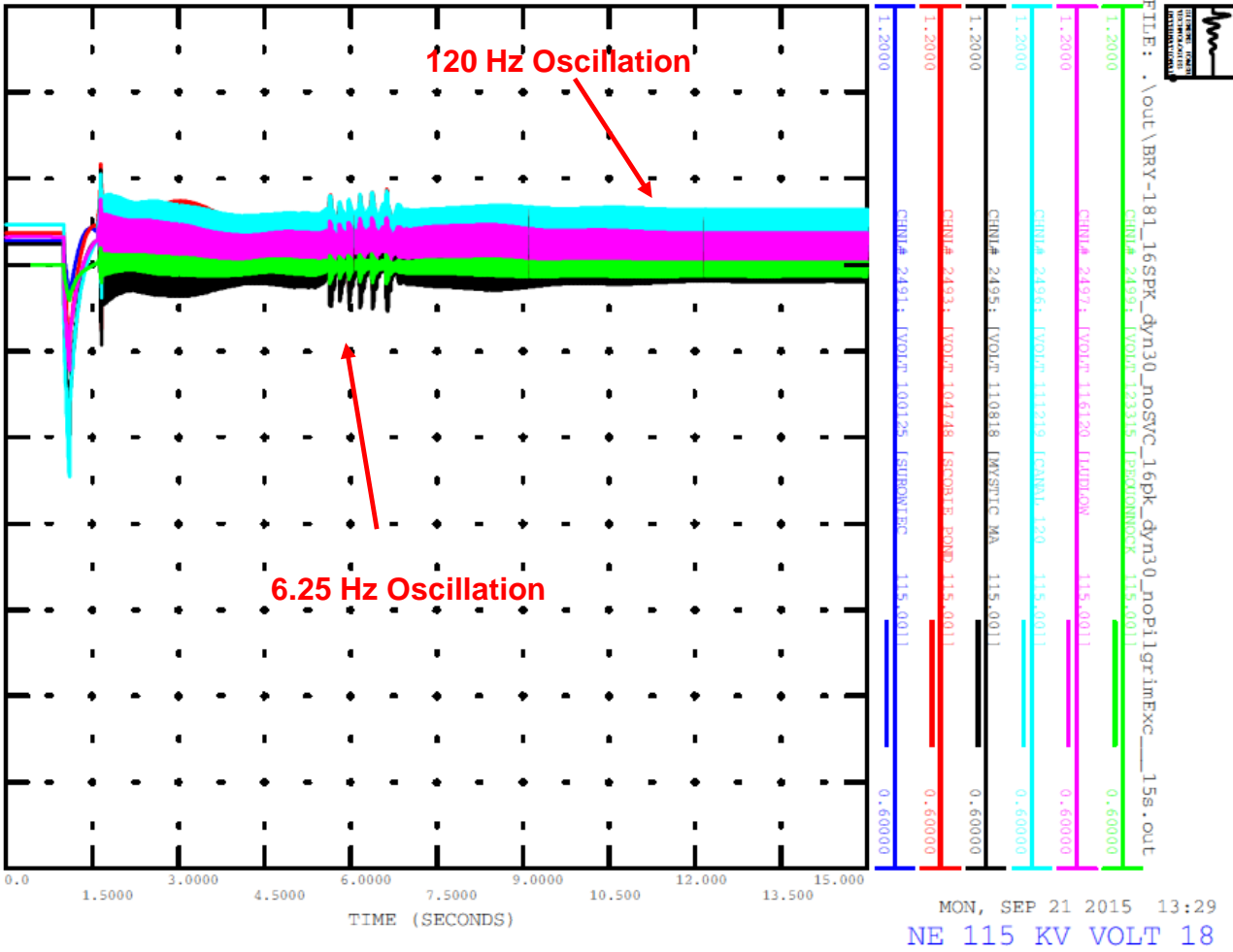


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# Numerical Problems With CMPL Model in PSSE

# 120 Hz oscillations found to certain 3ph fault



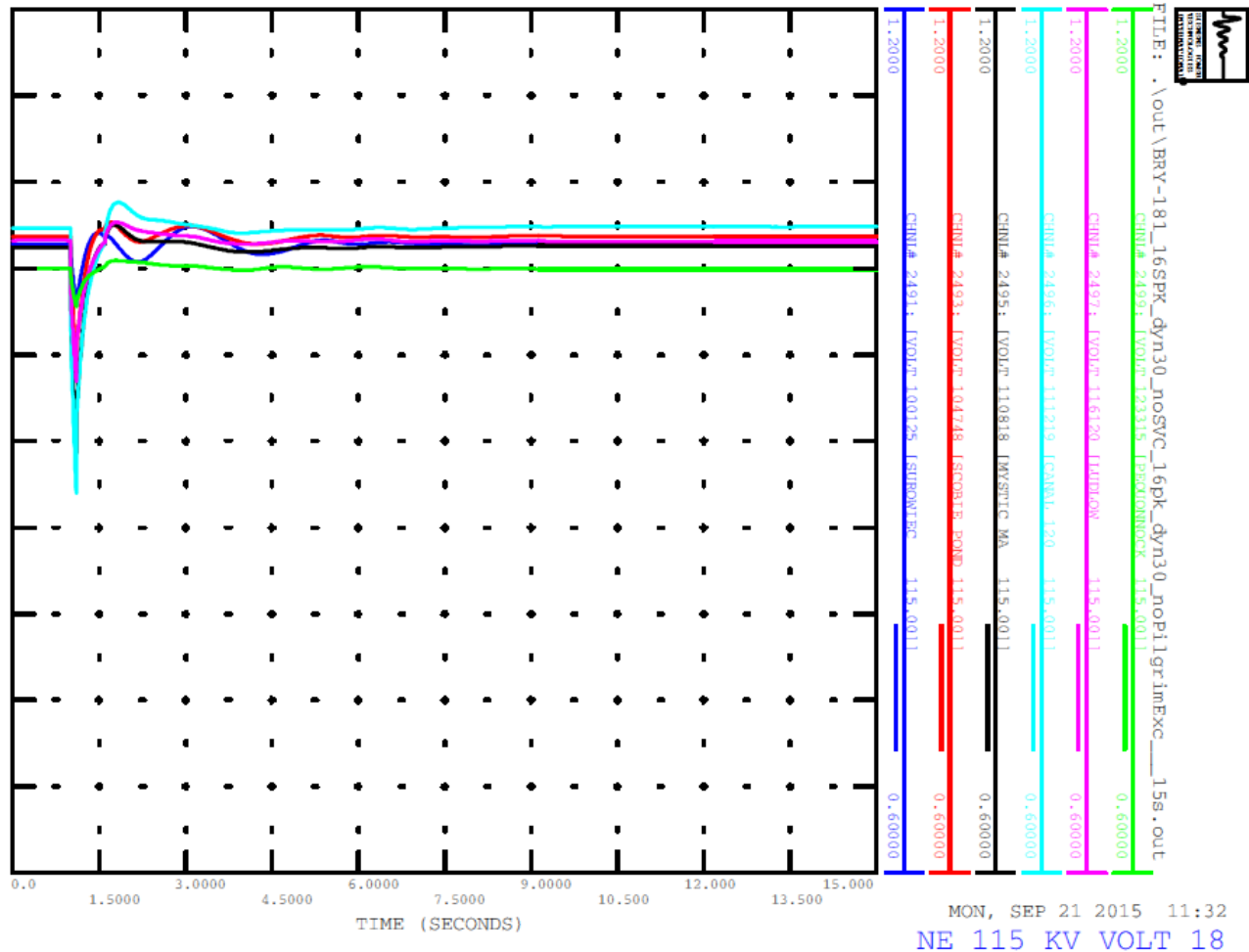
## Changed Motor A parameter LPPA from 0.104 pu to 0.12 pu

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### Original Motor A Parameters:

■ LfMA - Loading factor	0.75
■ RaA - Stator resistance	0.04 pu
■ LsA - Synchronous reactance	1.80 pu
■ LpA - Transient reactance	0.12 pu
■ LppA - Sub-transient reactance	changed 0.104 pu to 0.120 pu
■ TpoA - Transient open circuit time constant	0.095 sec
■ TppoA - Sub-transient open circuit time constant	0.0021 sec
■ HA - Inertia constant	0.05
■ etrqA - Torque speed exponent	0.00

## Results after increasing LppA of Motor A to 0.12 pu



## Changed Network Solution Iterations to 200

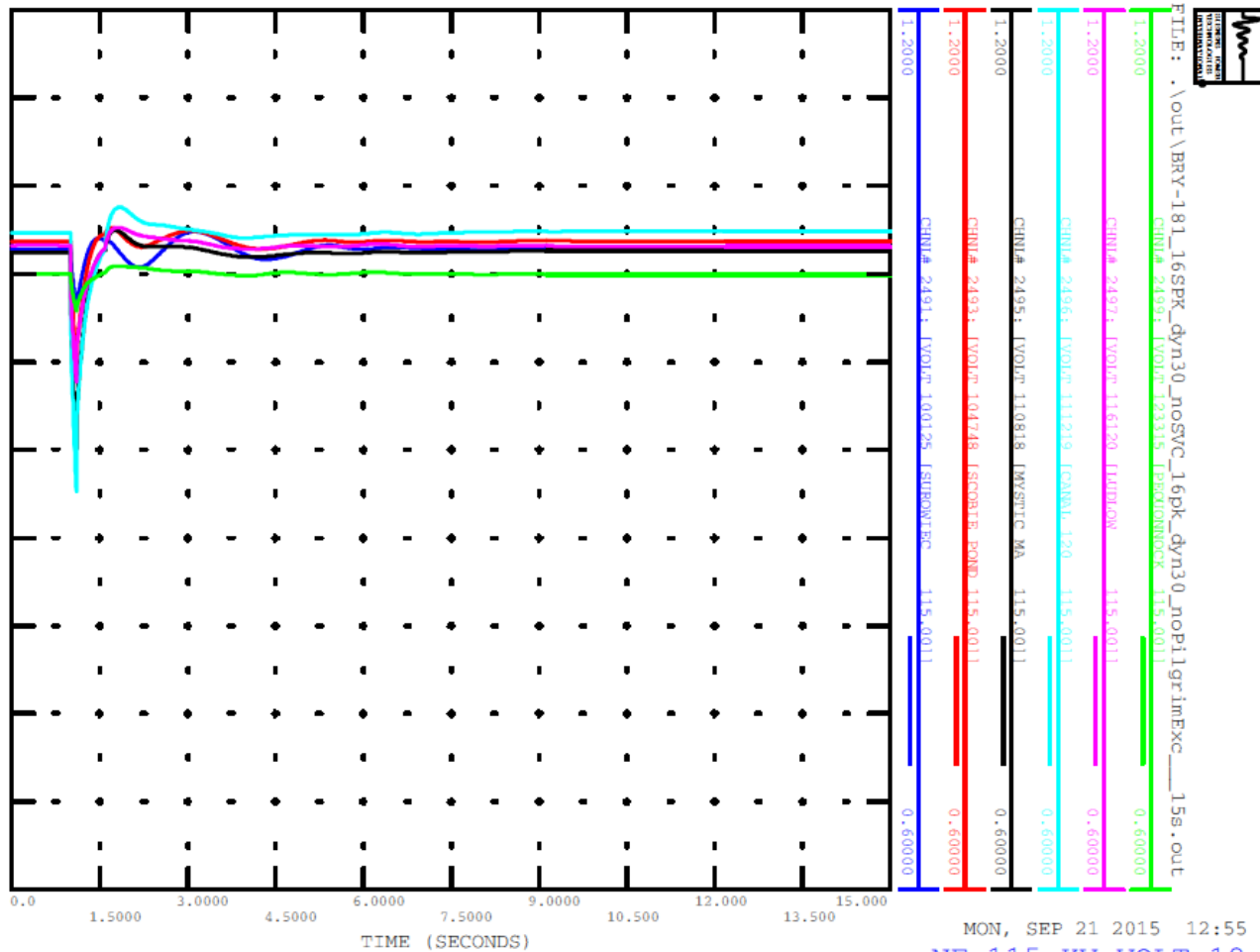
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Original Network Solution Iterations: 60

Increased Network Solution Iterations to 200

Left Motor LppA - Sub-transient reactance at original value of 0.104 pu

# Results after increasing Network Solution Iterations to 200 (Motor A LppA= 0.104 pu)





Questions?

# Experience with CMLD in a Practical SOL Application

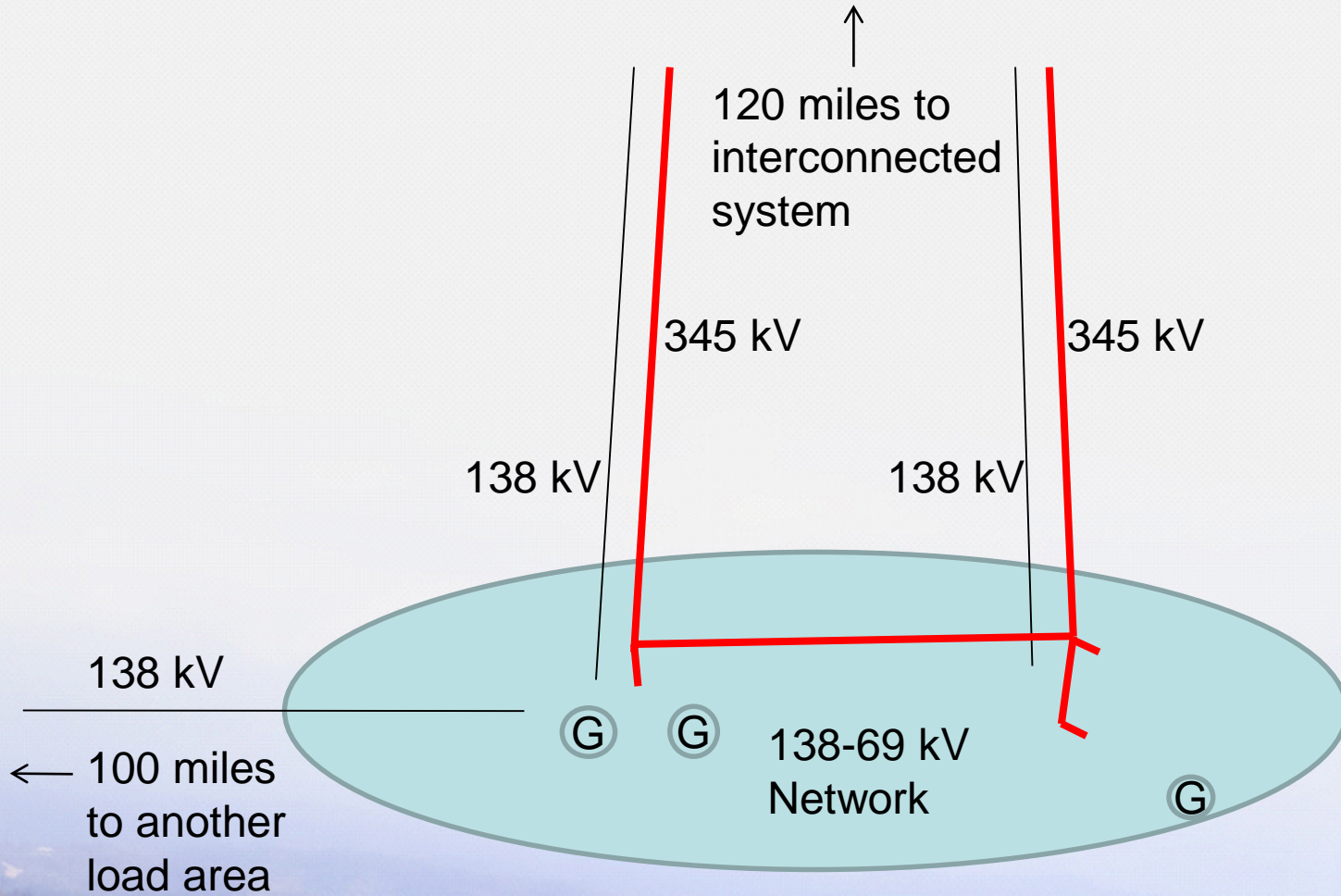
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# Load Area Overview



# Single-Phase A/C Component Sensitivity

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**5% increase in D-component shows following effects on area import limits:**

**Non-fault initiated generating plant trip**

**150 mw decrease in limit based on avoiding voltage collapse**

**345 kV transmission line fault and trip**

**200 mw decrease in limit based on avoiding UVLS operations**

**500 mw decrease in limit based on avoiding transient instability**

# CMLD Issues

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- 1. Question about effect of D-component  $T_{stall}$  value as voltage decreases below  $V_{stall}$**
- 2. Question about tripping of stalled A, B, and C components as their speed reaches zero**
- 3. Question on representation of D-component stalling and associated FIDVR effect**

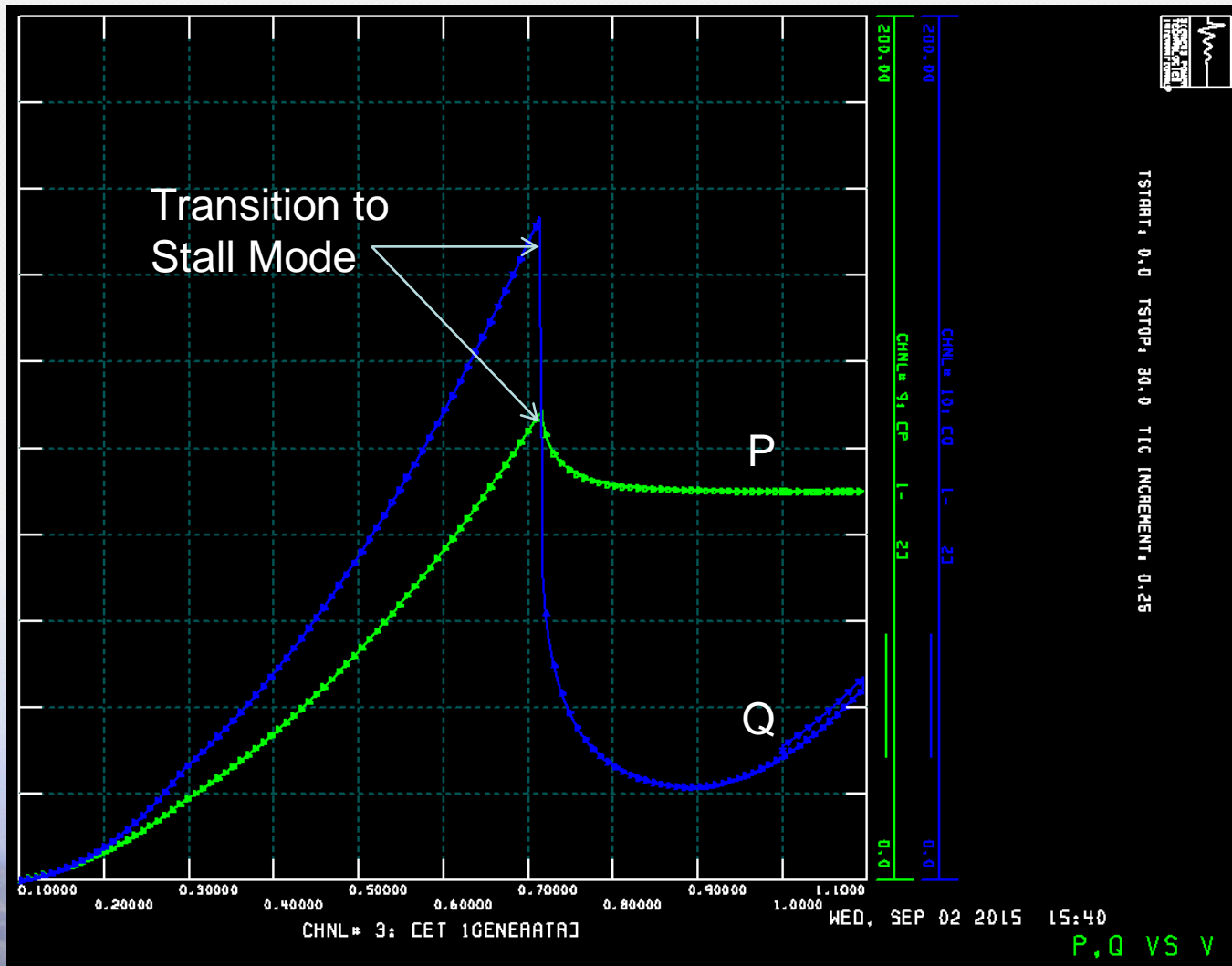
**These issues encountered in attempt to calculate stability import limits for load area**

# 2-Bus Test Case

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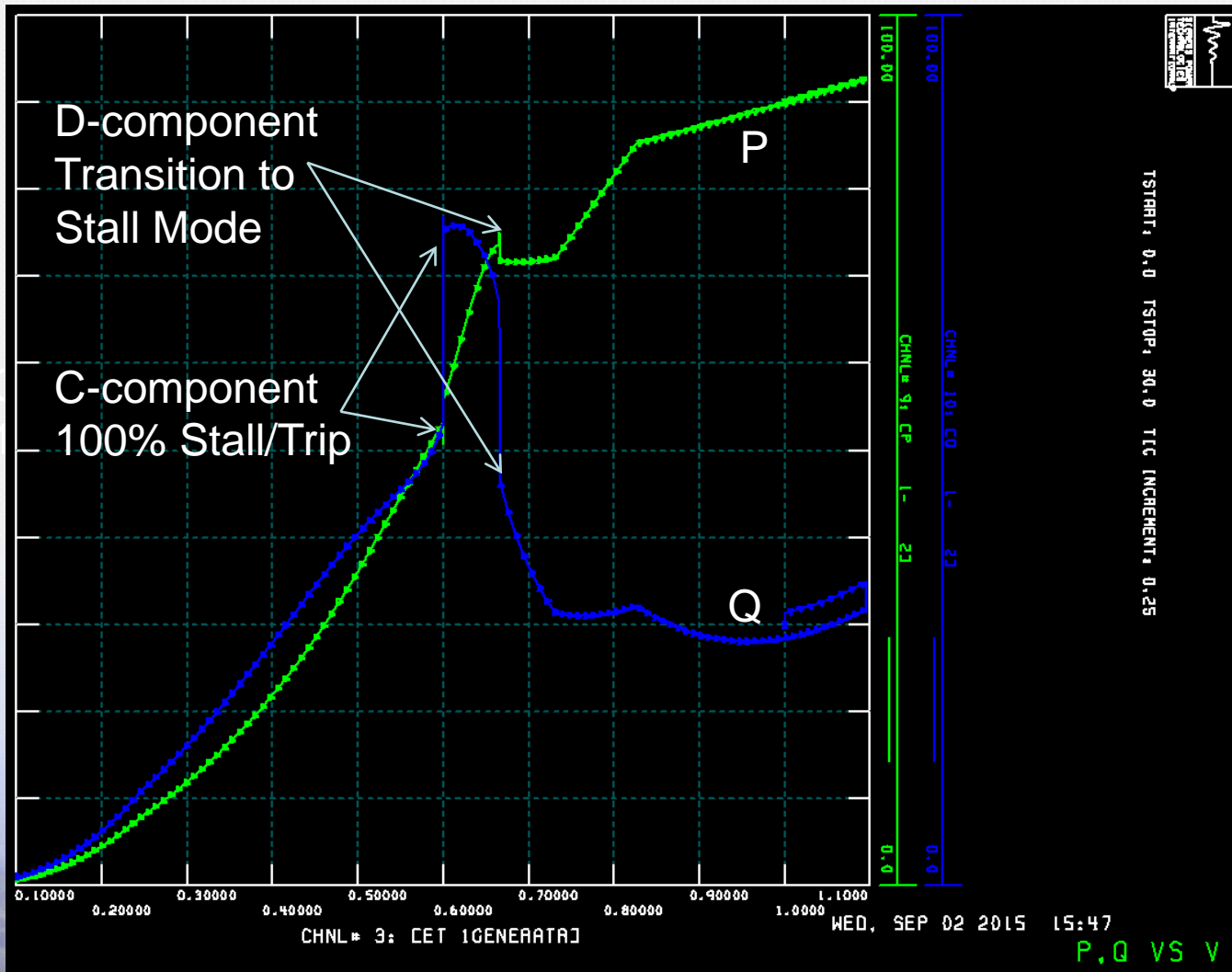
- **Set controllable voltage source on bus 1; CMLD on bus 2**
- **Ramp voltage source down / up or apply fault**
- **View CMLD P&Q vs V or T**

# EPRI CMLD Data, D-Component = 100% Steady-State P,Q vs V Characteristics



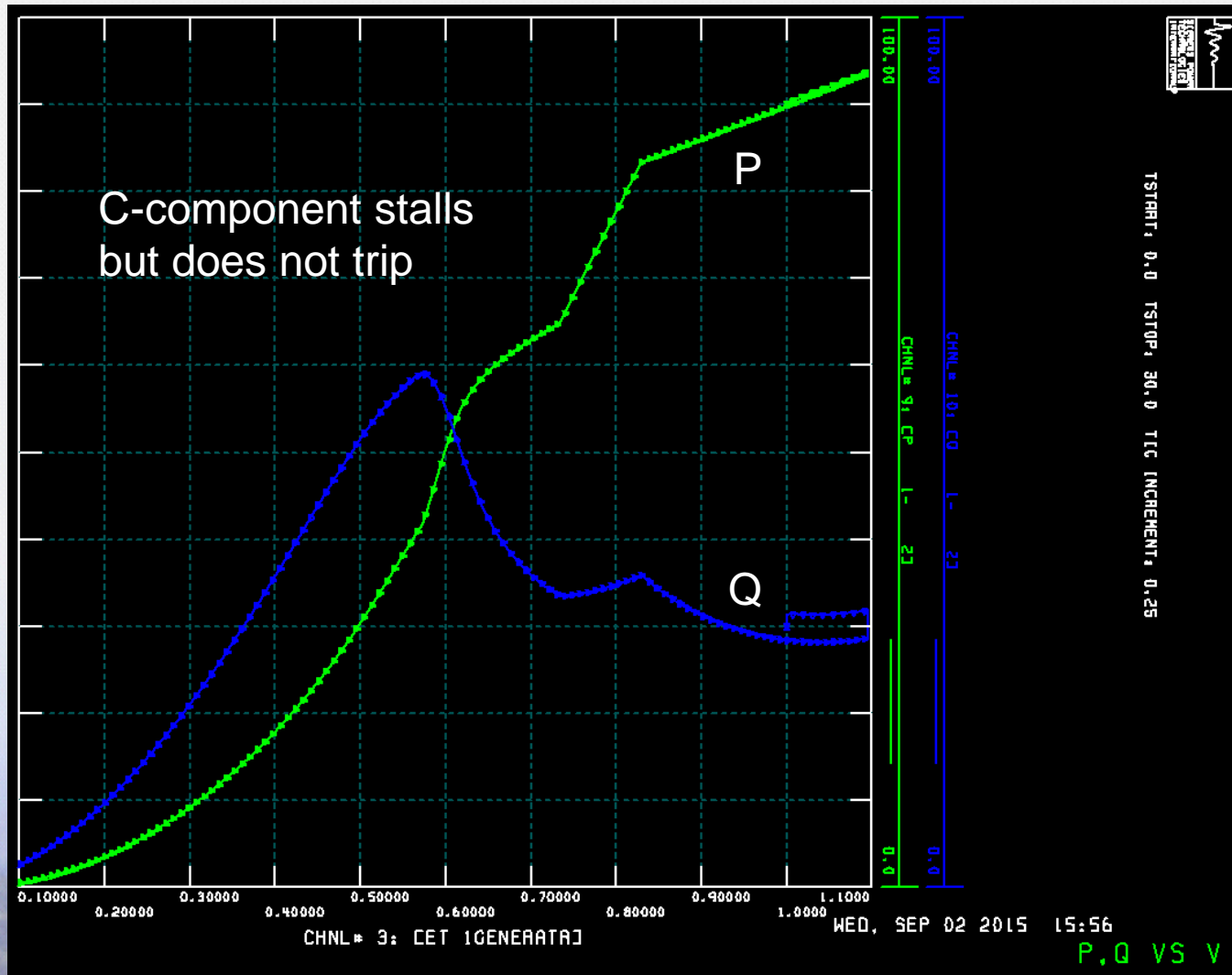
# EPRI CMLD Data

## Steady-State P,Q vs V Characteristics



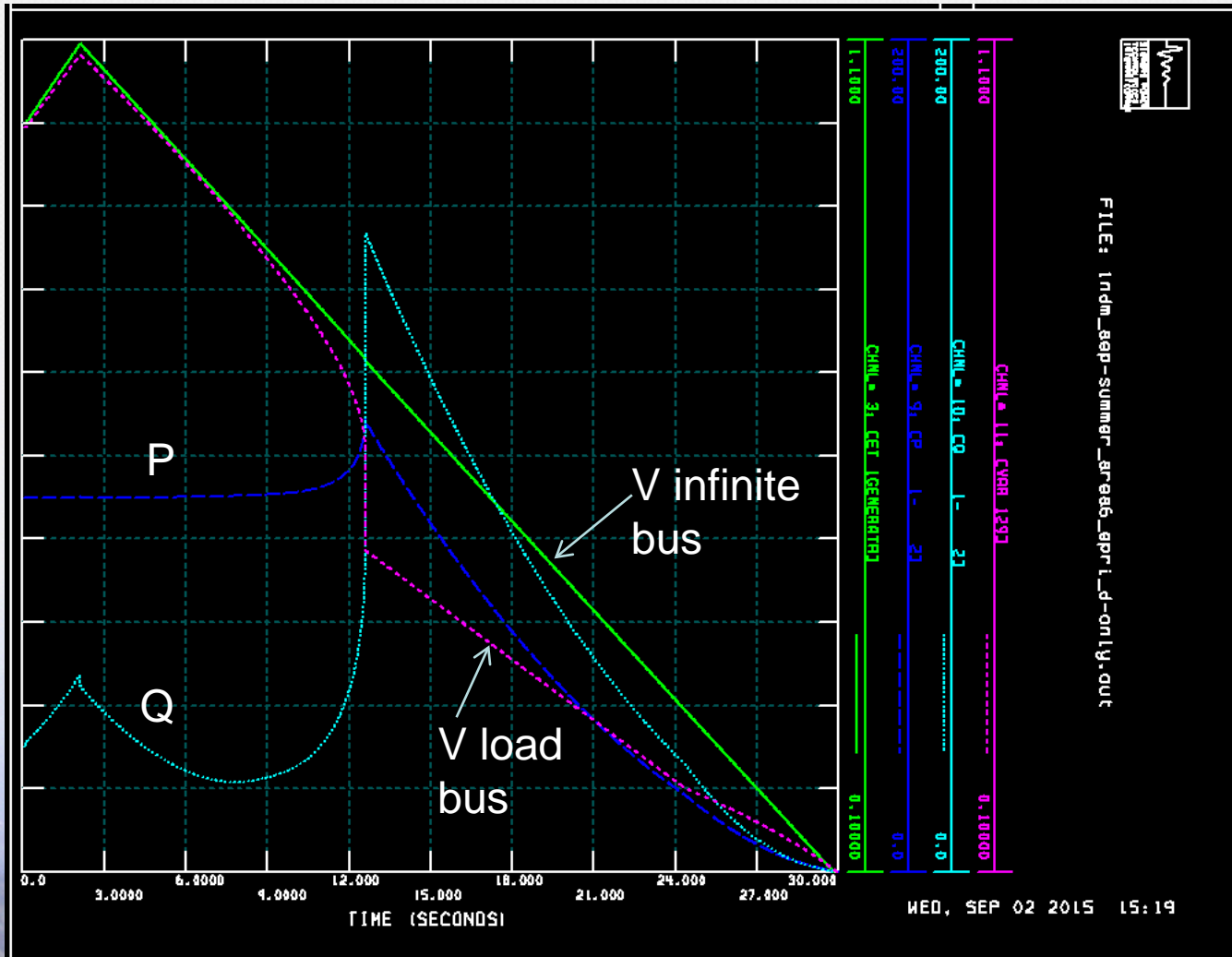


# EPRI CMLD Data, D-Component = 0% Steady-State P,Q vs V Characteristics



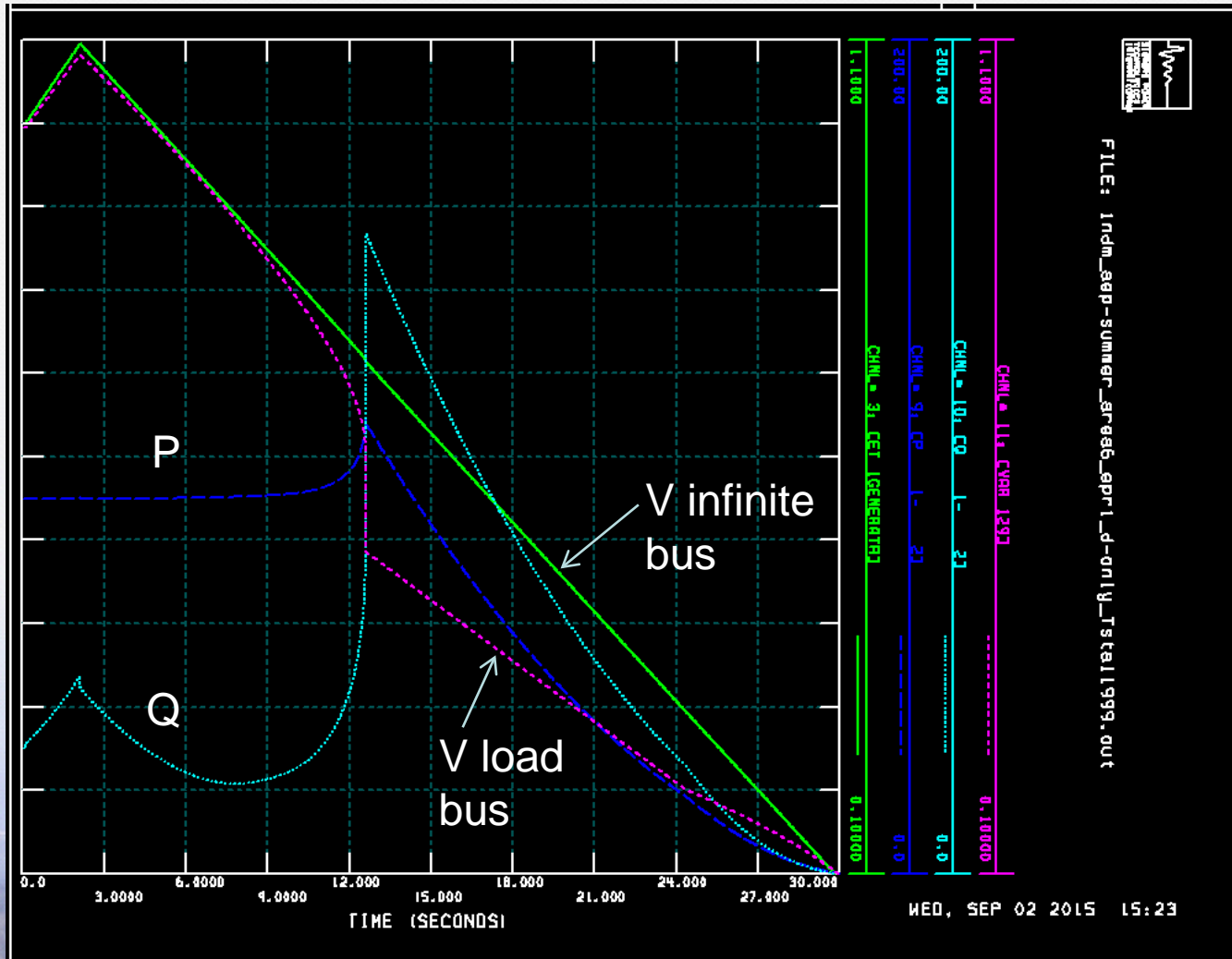
# EPRI CMLD Data, D-Component = 100%

## Tstall = .033



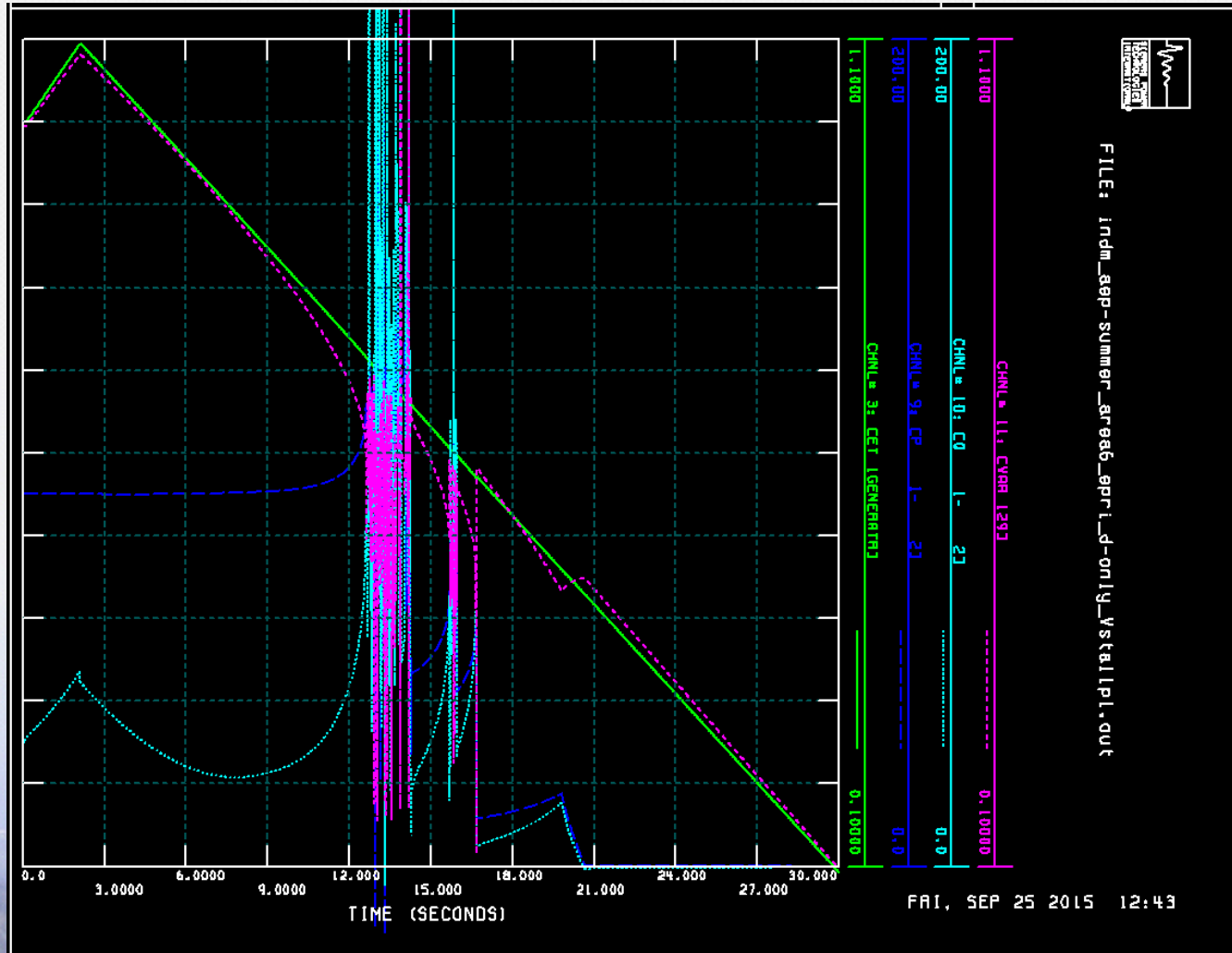
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## Tstall = 999



# EPRI CMLD Data, D-Component = 100%

## Vstall = 0.10



# PSS/E Implementation Questions

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**What is supposed to be D-component state below  $V_{stall}$  and before  $T_{stall}$  timer times out?**

**Is this an artificial question arising from the performance (static-empirical) model?**

**What is supposed to happen to A, B, and C components should their speed reach zero?**

**Trip or stay energized?**

# Single-Phase A/C Stalling Non-Modeled Factors

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- Point-on-wave variability considering three 120-degree displaced phases
- Distance from fault / dependency on rate of voltage drop

**Does it make sense to attenuate**

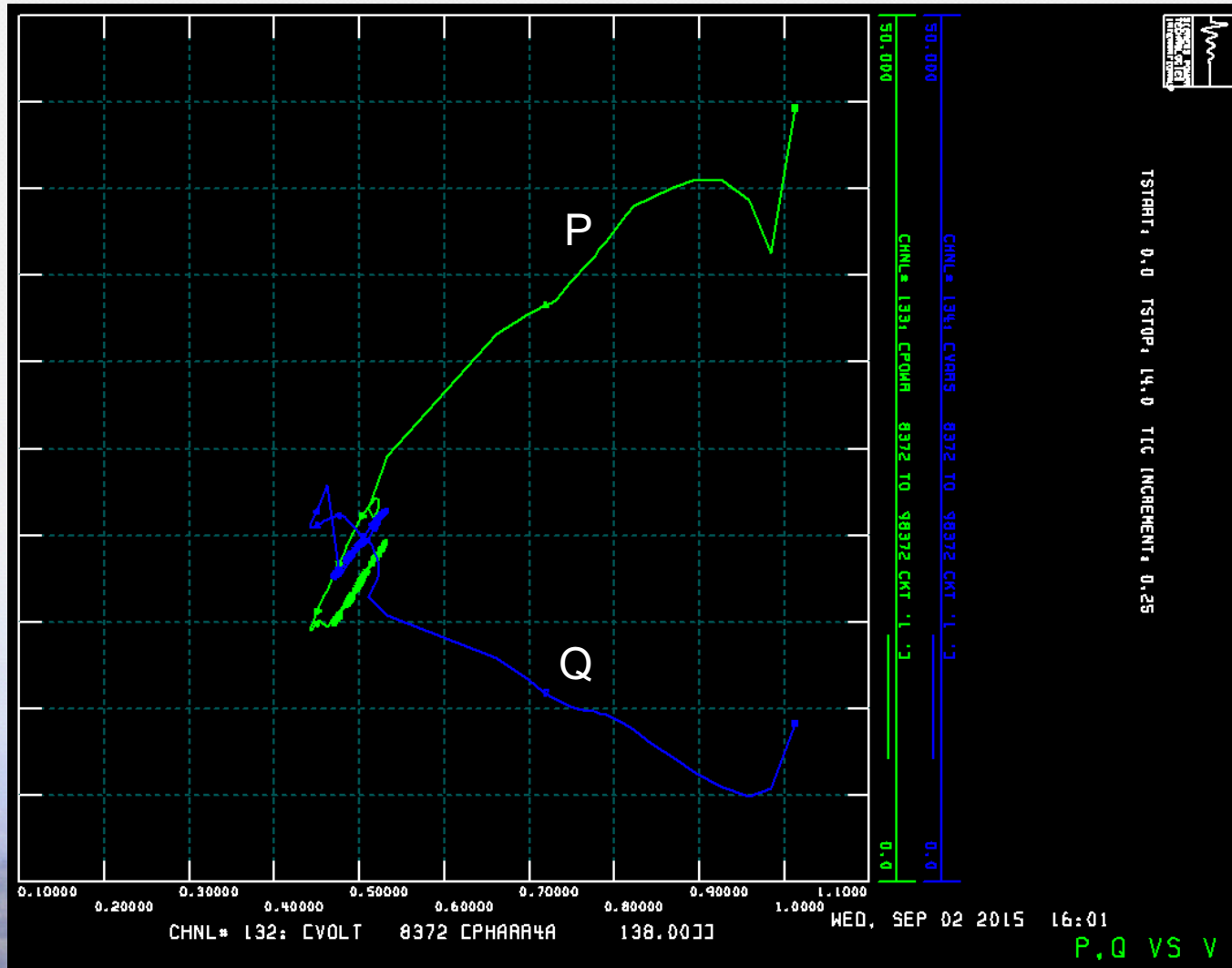
**D-component stall effect somehow?**

**Interim Remedies Rejected:**

- Disable stall mode by increasing  $T_{stall}$  or decreasing  $V_{stall}$
- Increase  $R_{stall}$  and  $X_{stall}$ , and perhaps  $V_{stall}$

# EPRI CMLD Data

## P,Q vs V Trajectories of a Load Bus from Simulation of Generator trip & Sudden Voltage Collapse



# Other CMLD Advice

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**Network non-convergence associated with CMLD model may cause simulations to drift**

**Have found it necessary to decrease the acceleration factors to 0.25 or less to avoid non-convergence in most cases**



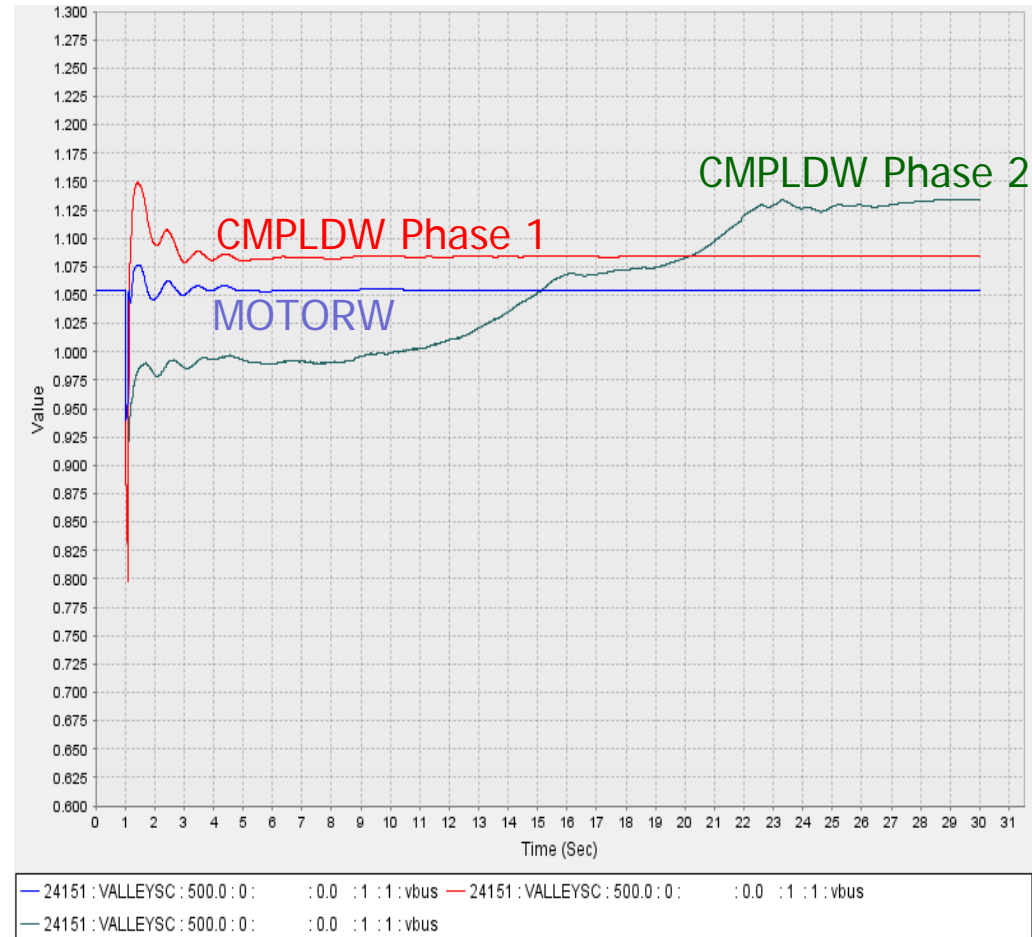
# **NERC-DOE FIDVR Workshop SCE FIDVR Study Experience**

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# WECC Load Model Implementation

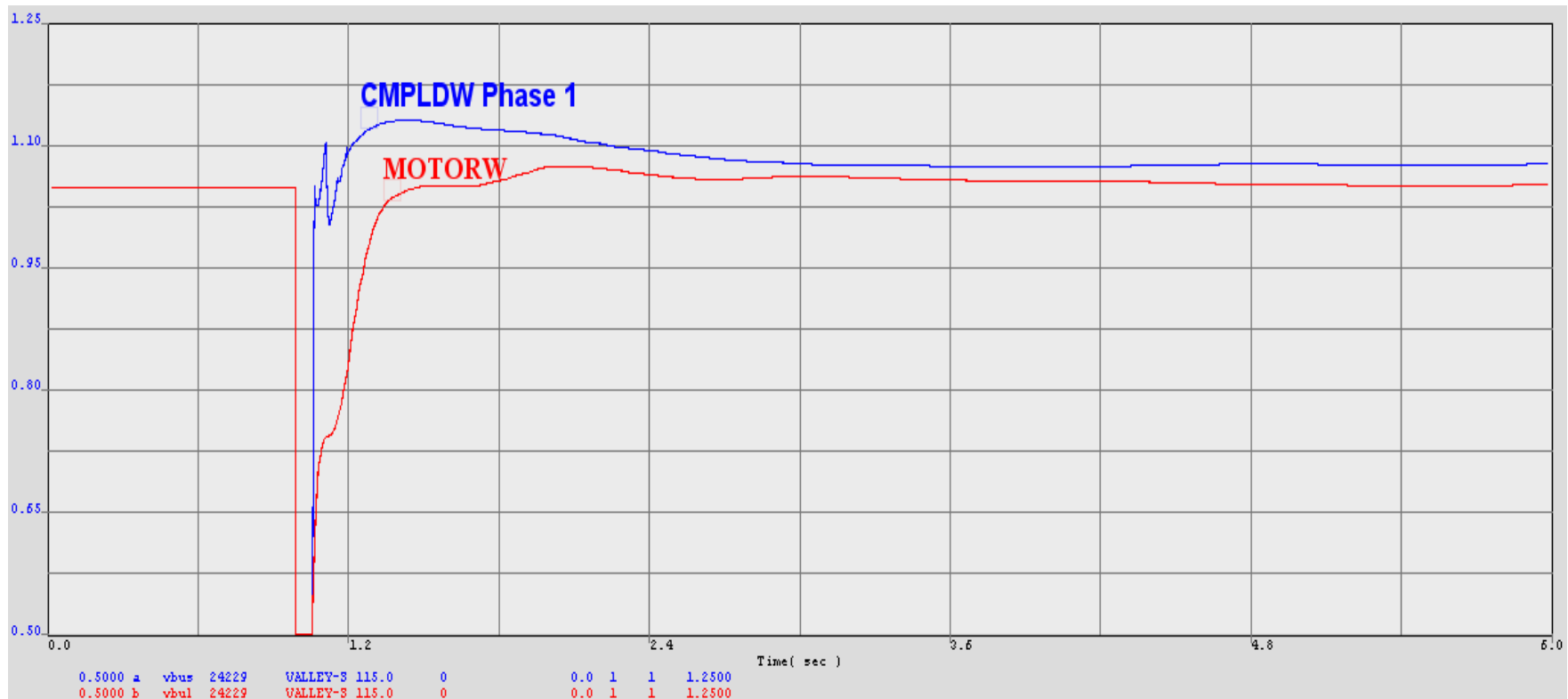
- MOTORW + ZIP (past)
- CMPLDW Phase 1 (now)
  - Tstall = 9999
  - Approved for implementation starting with 2014 WECC study program base cases.
- CMPLDW Phase 2 (future)
  - Tstall = 0.03
  - Improvements in progress



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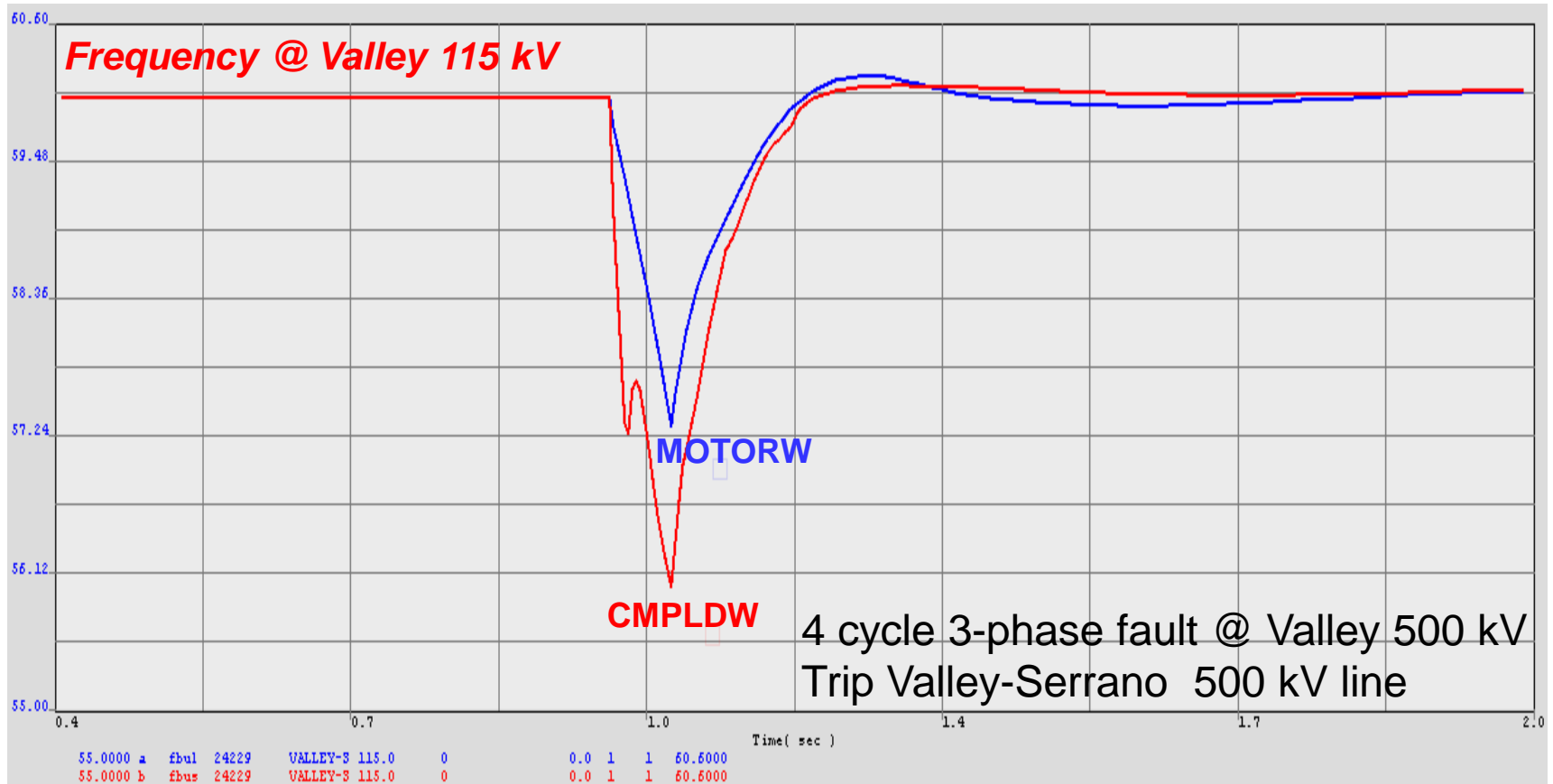
# Phase 1 System Impact Study

- Higher voltage overshoot is generally seen after fault clearing with CMPLDW P1 due to motor tripping
- Higher post-transient voltage is generally seen using CMPLDW P1 due to motor tripping



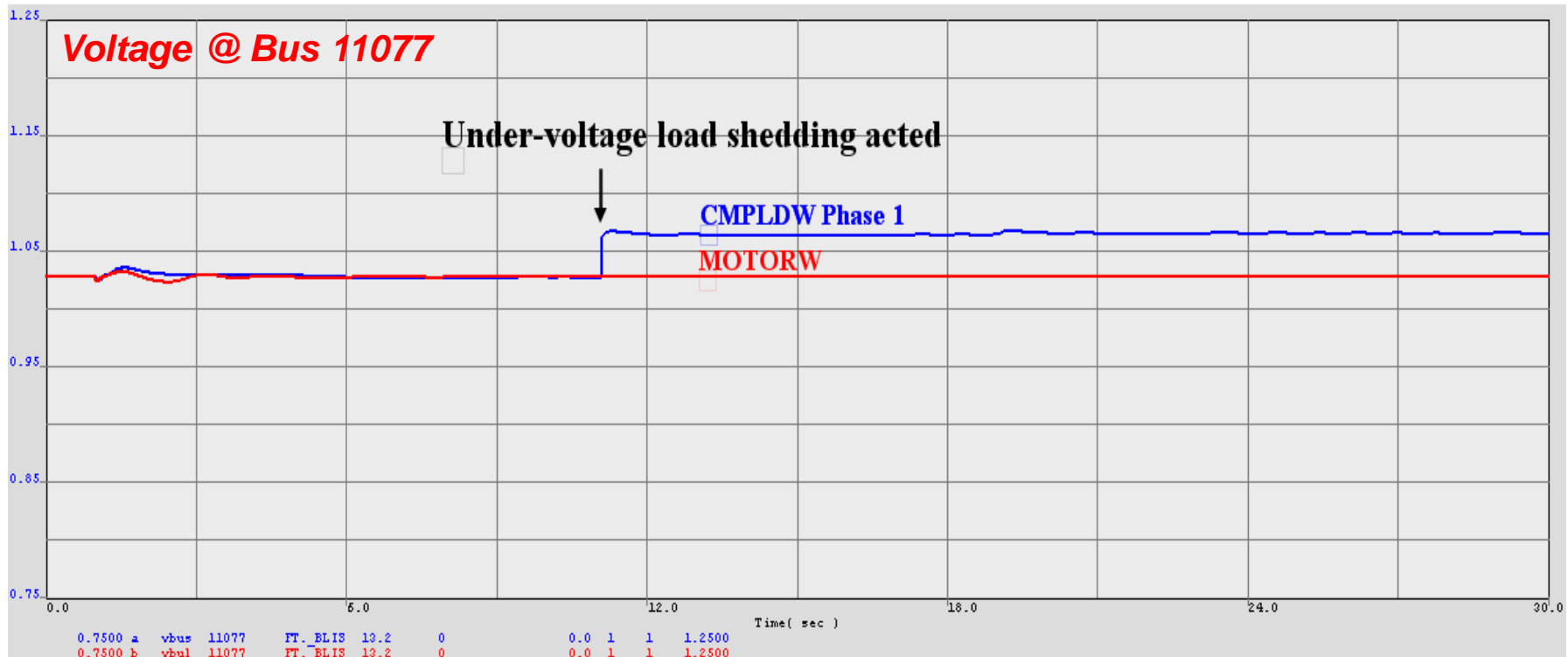
# Phase 1 System Impact Study

- Additional under-frequency load tripping is seen using CMPLDW P1 under some contingencies



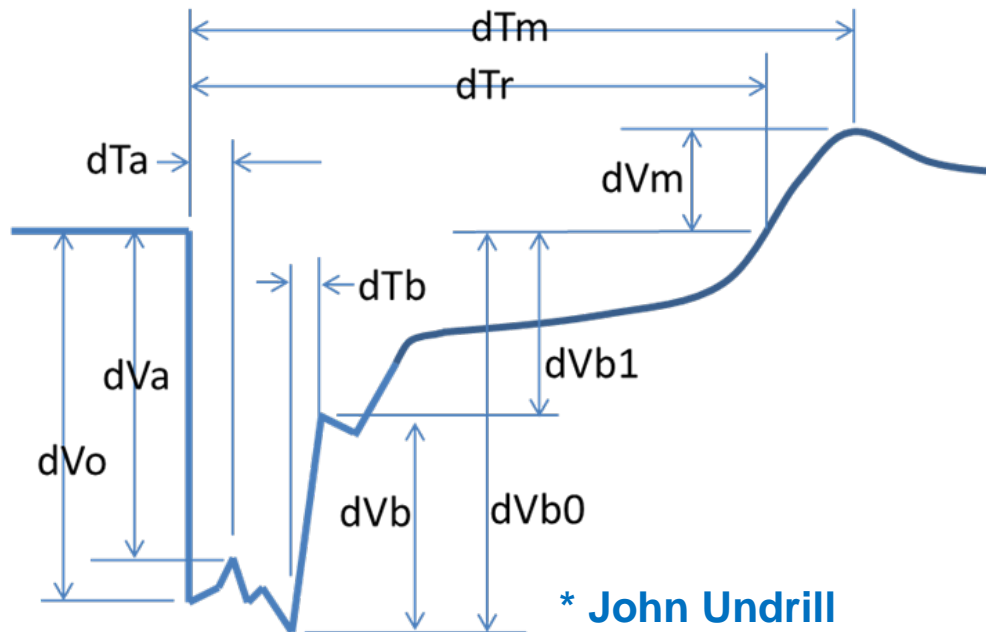
# Phase 1 System Impact Study

- Additional under-voltage load tripping is seen using CMPLDW P1
  - 4 cycle 3-phase fault @ Valley 500 kV and trip Valley-Serrano 500 kV line, additional under-voltage load tripping is seen in Area 11
  - This is due to load shedding relay monitoring the lower voltage bus (911077), already fixed in later revision.



# Phase 2 System Impact Study

Heavy summer case, selected N-1 contingencies with normal fault clearing at key 500 kV buses were studied.

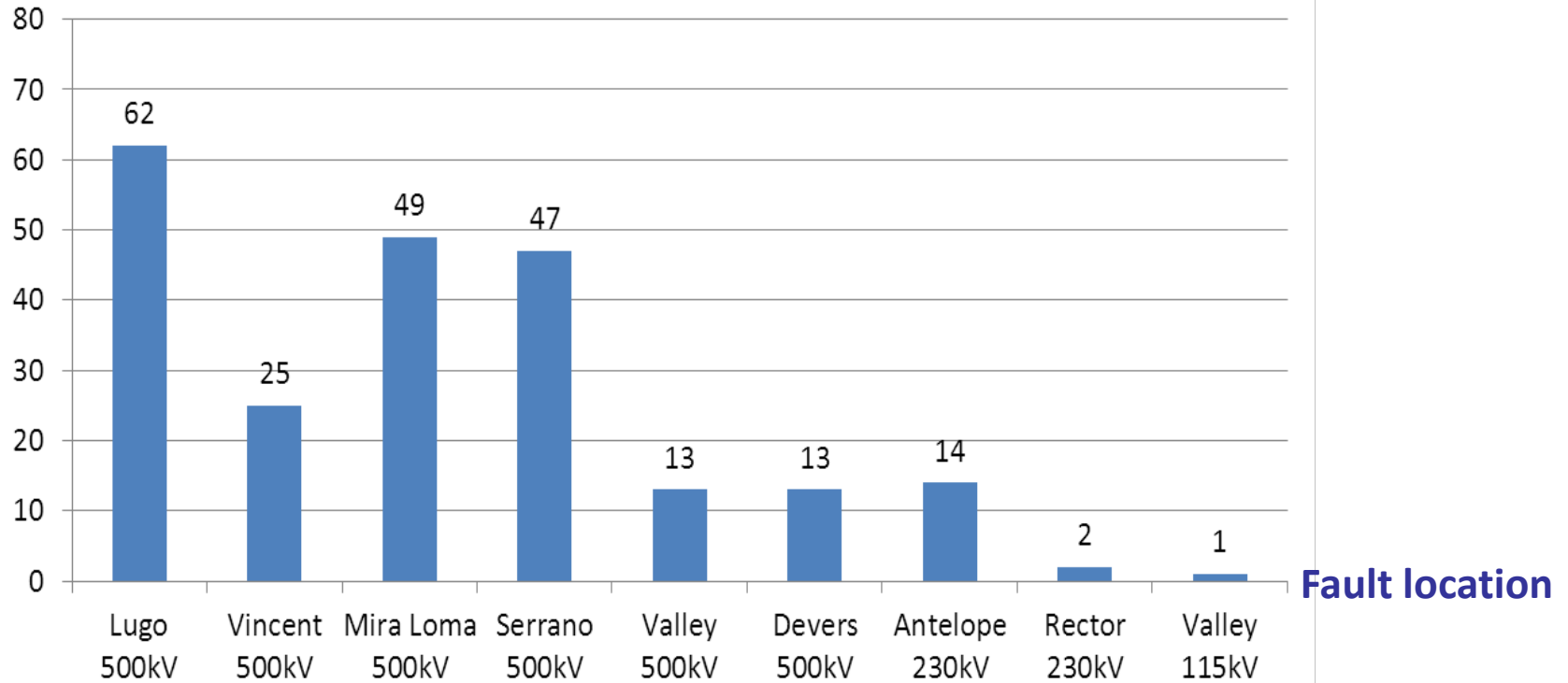


Variable	Variable description
dVo (%)	First sample voltage dip
dVa (%)	Persistence voltage dip
dTa (cycl)	Persistence time
dVb0 (%)	Lowest value of dVb in %
dVb1 (%)	Highest value of dVb in %
dVb (kV)	dVb in KV
dTb (cycl)	Time from lowest to highest value of dVb
dVm (%)	Peak voltage overshooting
dTr (sec)	Time to reach initial volt level
dTm (sec)	Time to reach maximum voltage

- dVo: average 28.8%, 30% and more is seen in sub-transmission
- dVm: average 14%, maximum 21.7%
- dTr: average 21 second, maximum 25 sec

# Phase 2 System Impact Study

## Number of stalled buses



**Note: Total 80 load buses in SCE's service territory are modeled with composite load models**

# Phase 2 Sensitivity Study

- Sensitivity study on the 3 phase commercial motor protection settings has been performed.
- Studied contingencies include: selected N-1 and N-2 with normal and delayed fault clearing at selected 500 kV, 230 kV, 115 kV buses

	Vtr1		Ttr1		Ftr1		Vrc1	Trc1		Vtr2		Ttr2		Ftr2		Vrc2	Trc2	
MA	0.6	0.7	0.02	0.033	0.2	0.3	1	9999	9999	0.5	0.5	0.02	0.033	0.6	0.7	0.65	0.1	0.2
MB	0.6	0.7	0.02	0.033	0.25	0.35	0.9	0.05	9999	0.5	0.6	0.02	0.033	0.5	0.6	0.85	0.05	0.2
MC	0.6	0.7	0.02	0.033	0.25	0.35	0.9	0.05	9999	0.5	0.6	0.02	0.033	0.5	0.6	0.85	0.05	0.2

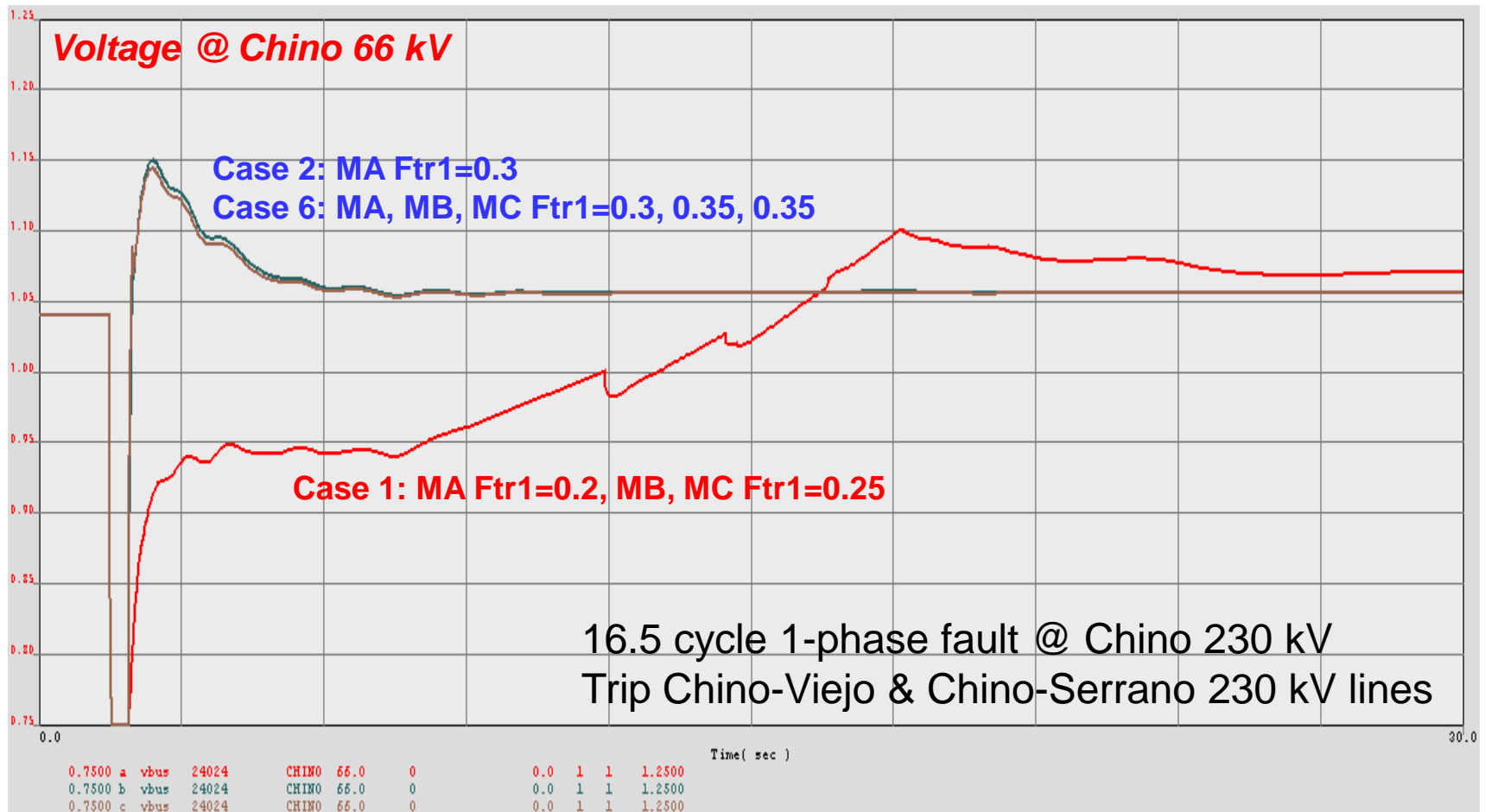
\* Note: black – default, red - sensitivity

- Overall, little difference was observed.

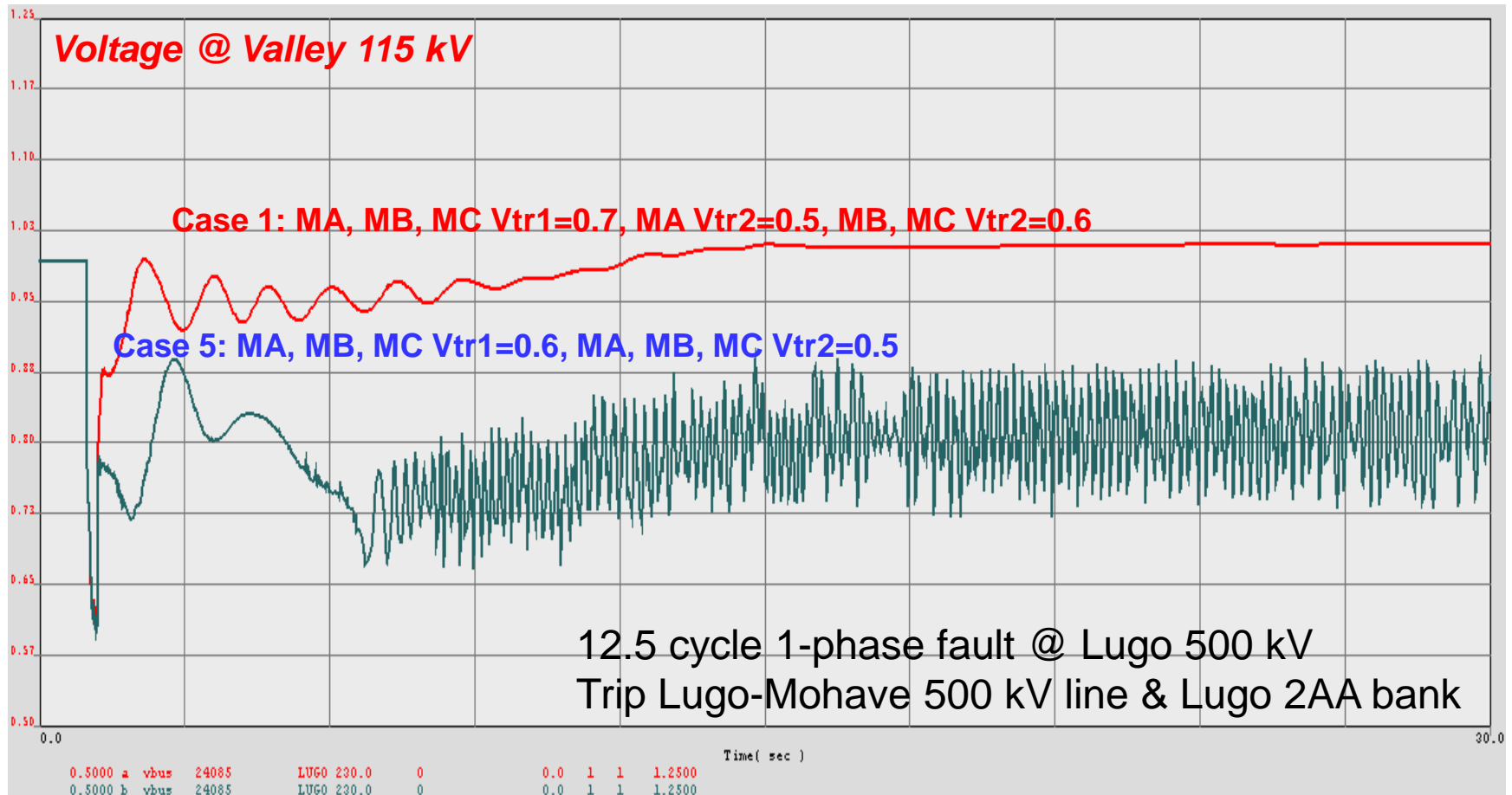


# Phase 2 Sensitivity Study

## - Fraction of motor tripping (Ftr1)



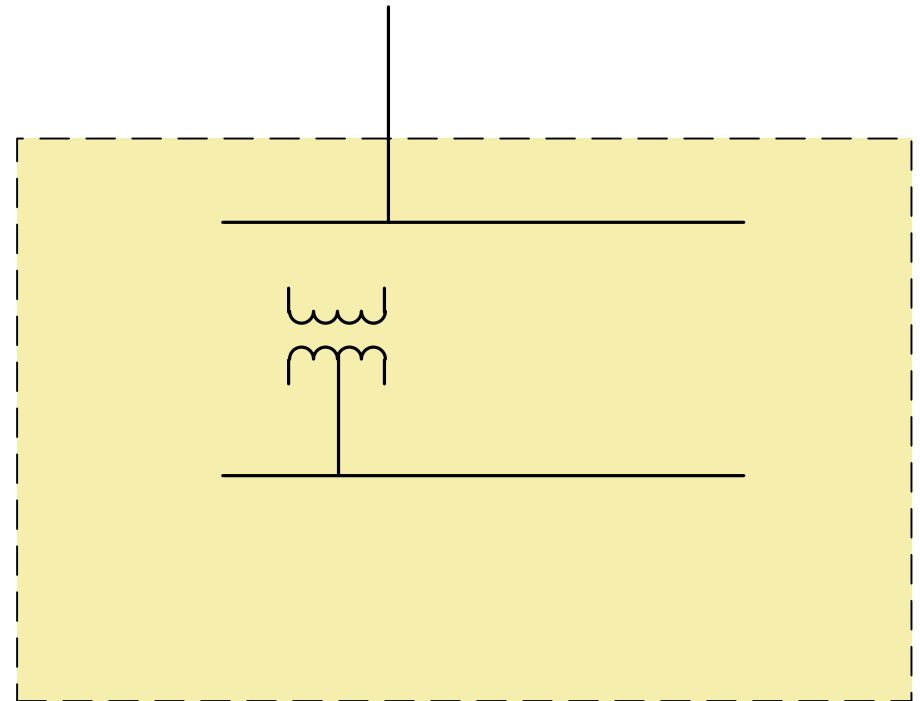
# Phase 2 Sensitivity Study - Voltage trip level (Vtr1, Vtr2)



# Model Validation Study

## July 24 2004 FIDVR Event

5:02 PM July 24, 2004, 115 kV bus connection equipment at Valley Substation failed resulting in a phase to ground fault. The fault cleared in four cycles isolating the number three 500/115 kV transformer bank.



# Valley 115 Composite Load Model

Default data set from LCM tool was used, no data tuning.

LONG ID	Condition	Hour (PST)
SCI_RES	1 = Normal Summer	17:00

Fma = 0.0822, Fmb = 0.1548, Fmc = 0.0311, **Fmd = 0.3909**  
 Fel = 0.1109, Fzip = 0.2301

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cmpldw      24160 "VALLEYSC  " 115.00 "1 " : #9 mva=-1.2000  "bss" 0.0000 "rfdr" 0.0400 "xfdr" 0.0400 "fb" 0.75000
"xxf" 0.0800 "tfixhs" 1.0000 "tfixls" 1.0000 "ltc" 0.0000 "tmin" 0.9000 "tmax" 1.1000 "step" 0.006250 "vmin" 1.0000
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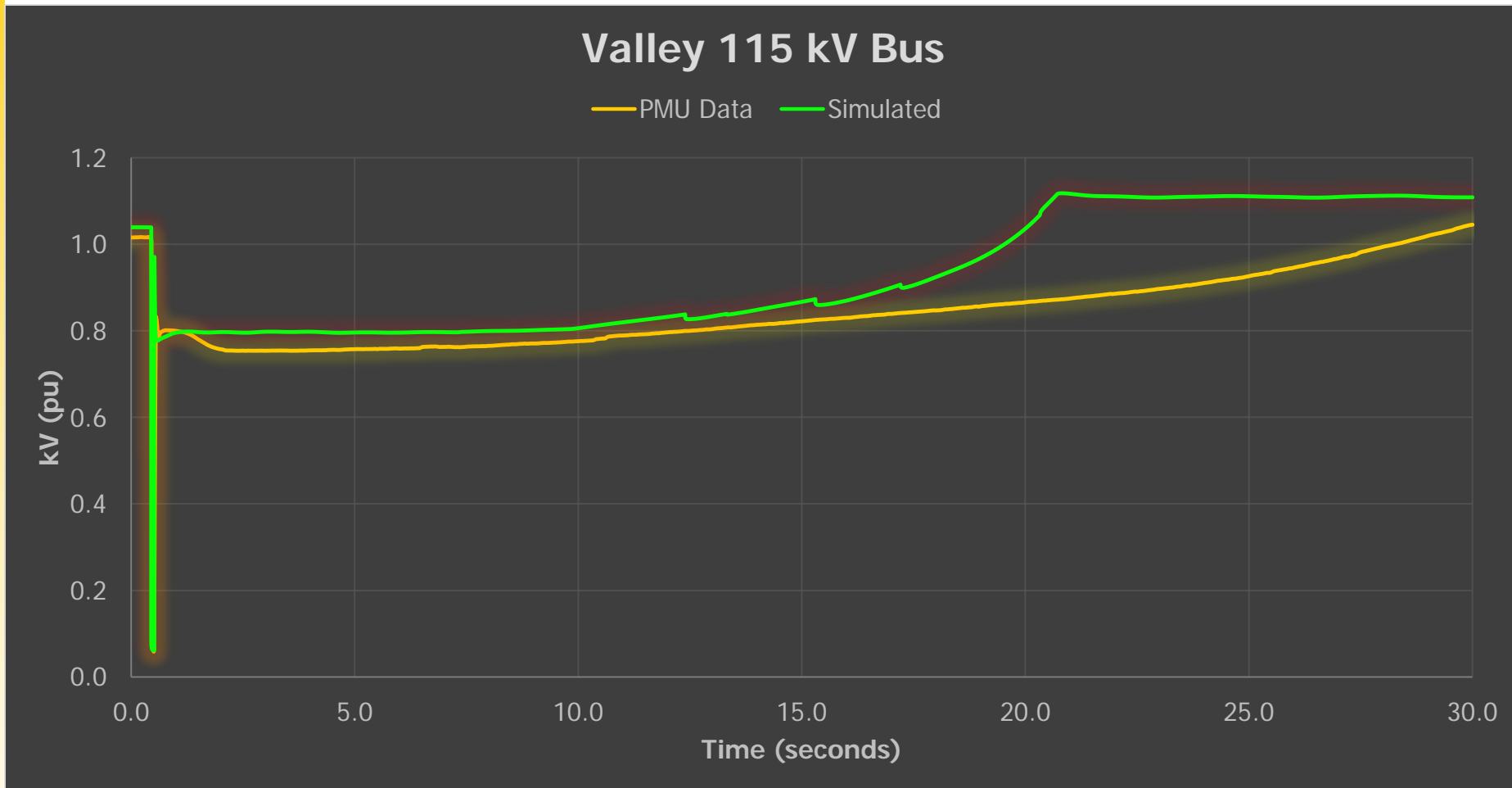
## Measured versus simulated (3 seconds)



Total MW of Valley 115 kV load shed experienced : **400 MW**

Total MW of Valley 115 kV load shed by cmpldw model: **386 MW**

## Measured versus simulated (30 seconds)



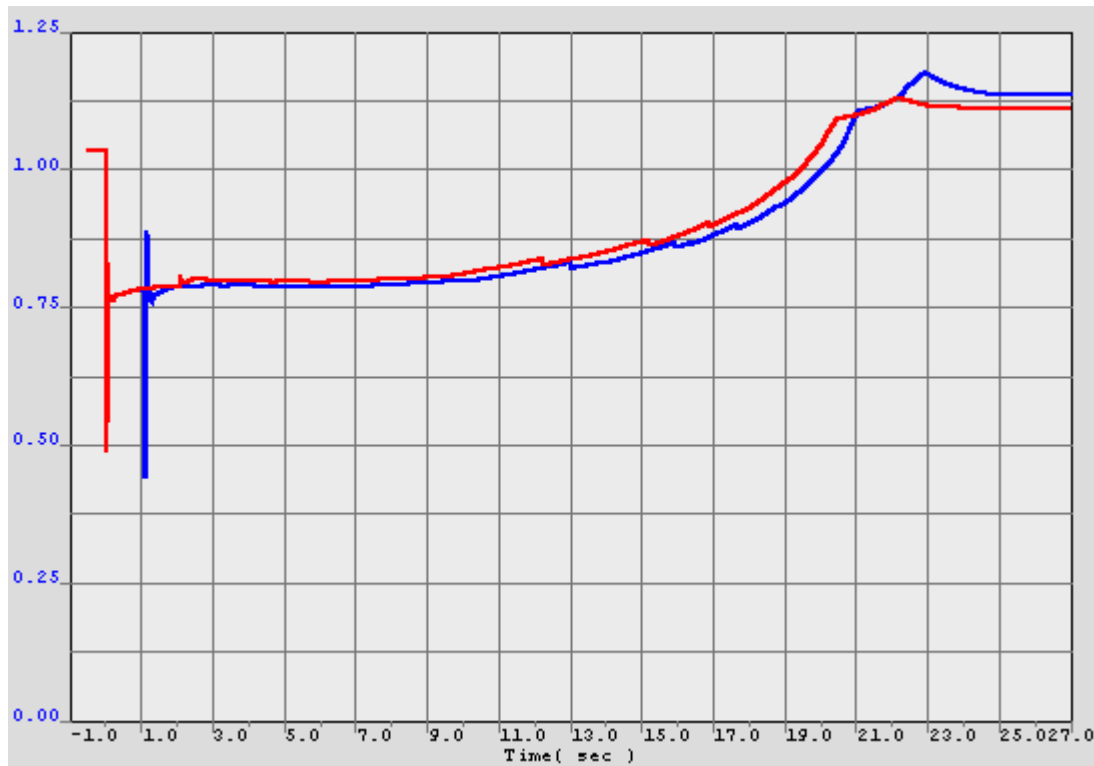
With **default** data set, the simulation showed a close match to PMU measurement (initial voltage recovery, post voltage recovery, and load loss). The simulation shows faster recovery than measurement (Tth can be modified to fit the curve).

## Simulated Load Loss at Valley Substation

--P--	Type	-MdName-	--BUS--	--NAME--	--KV--	-SPREAD--
24160	fuva	cmpldw	24160	VALLEYSC	115	0.9
24160	fuvb	cmpldw	24160	VALLEYSC	115	0.5
24160	fuvc	cmpldw	24160	VALLEYSC	115	0.5
24160	fuvd	cmpldw	24160	VALLEYSC	115	0.1
24160	fthA	cmpldw	24160	VALLEYSC	115	1
24160	fthB	cmpldw	24160	VALLEYSC	115	0.926

# High Speed Reclosing Study

*TPL-001-4 Requirement R4.3.1.1:* “Successful high speed (less than one second) reclosing and unsuccessful high speed reclosing into a Fault where high speed reclosing is utilized.”



Single-phase to ground fault at time 0;

Red – successful reclosing at time 2 second

Blue – unsuccessful reclosing at time 1 second



**THANK YOU**

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- **End-Use Load is Evolving** – Electronically coupled loads, distributed generation, etc.
- **Continually Changing** – End-use load continually changes
  - Day, time, season, geography, weather, economics, etc.
- **Difficult to Model** – Even with load composition known, difficult to relate to load model parameters – *Rules of Association*
- **Minimal Data** – Distribution data hard to collect; often minimal collaboration between transmission and distribution entities
- **Best Practices** – Sharing best practices and experiences is critical
- **Benchmarking** – Historical events can be benchmarked against today's models
- **Prediction** – Does not make them useful for predicting future events

- Inverters are everywhere
- Variable frequency motor drives
- CFL & LED lighting
- Plug-in electric vehicles
- Motors



- Solar energy penetration is growing rapidly; likely to continue into future
  - Declining cost of materials
  - More economical
- May not be “BES”, but this has an impact on reliability and performance
- This is likely not in your planning model; it needs to be!
- ***Collaboration key to develop best practices***



- Battery storage systems are also increasingly becoming popular
  - Declining cost of materials
  - More economical
- “If I can cheaply put rooftop panels on my house, store my energy, and use it through the night, why wouldn’t I?”
- Grid will likely still play a critical role
- What are its electrical characteristics?
- How is this being modeled?
- ***Collaboration key to develop best practices***



- End-use load (response) changing rapidly – need collaboration between utility industry, manufacturing community, and end-use standards; ensure devices are grid friendly
  - Energy Efficient Loads are often not “Grid Friendly”
- Voltage sensitive loads often trip
  - Normally cleared faults – 1- $\phi$  motor stalling can occur for normally cleared 3-phase faults, Sensitivity to point on wave voltages, voltage rate of change, voltage magnitude and duration, etc.
  - Slowly-cleared faults – power quality requirements
- Behind the meter generation (distributed resources) becoming increasing popular – solar, micro-turbines, etc.
  - Some of those resources have voltage and frequency ride-through sensitivities
  - How should these be modeled??

Loss of voltage-sensitive loads are NOT classified as Consequential Load Loss (NERC Glossary\*)

### **Consequential Load Loss**

All Load that is no longer served by the Transmission system as a result of Transmission Facilities being removed from service by a Protection System operation designed to isolate the fault.

### **Non-Consequential Load Loss**

Non-Interruptible Load loss that does not include: (1) Consequential Load Loss, (2) the response of voltage sensitive Load, or (3) Load that is disconnected from the System by end-user equipment.

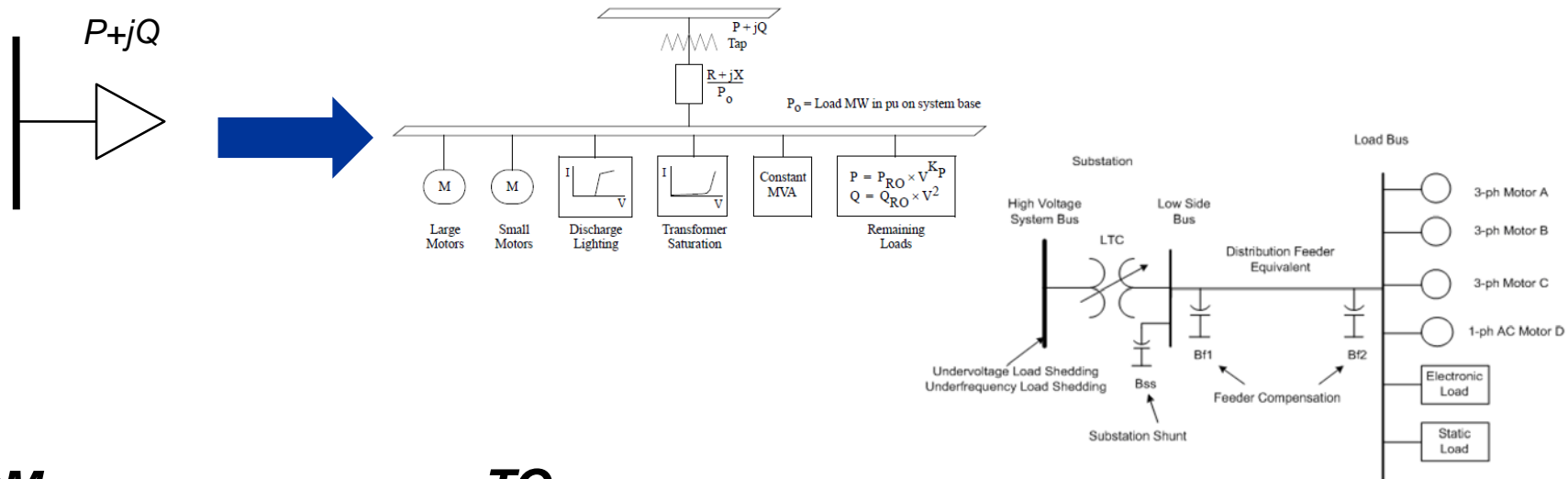
- Models not perfect – need improvements to address complexities
- Transient voltage response study criteria is vague

\*[http://www.nerc.com/files/glossary\\_of\\_terms.pdf](http://www.nerc.com/files/glossary_of_terms.pdf)



- Toronto, Ontario – 2007
  - 230 kV cap bank failure – slow clearing 3- $\emptyset$  fault
  - 1,700 MW of voltage-sensitive load lost in the Greater Toronto Area
- Salt Lake Valley – 2009
  - low voltage spike initiated ~920 MW non-consequential load lost
  - 138 kV SLG fault of 4 cycles, evolving into a three-phase fault for 6 more cycles; 10 cycles total fault duration
  - Load – several server farms – voltage-sensitive loads transfer to backup power sources
- Washington, DC Area – 2015
  - Protracted 230 kV fault created prolonged low-voltage
  - ~445 MW load lost
    - Some voltage sensitive load transferred to backup supplies
    - Some tripped by end-user connection protection action

- TPL-001-4 requires use of “a Load model which represents the expected dynamic behavior of Loads ... considering the behavior of induction motor Loads.”



**FROM...**

$$P = P_o [p_1 V^2 + p_2 V + p_3]$$

$$Q = Q_o [q_1 V^2 + q_2 V + q_3]$$

**TO...**

- 3-phase Motors – Fans, Pumps, Compressors
- 1-phase Induction Motors
- Power Electronic Load
- Static (Polynomial) Load
- Distribution Equivalent

- TPL-001-4 requires PCs and TPs have a *transient voltage response criteria* in place
  - Clarification is needed – Is this transient voltage dip criteria or a transient voltage recovery criteria?
- How does transient voltage response criteria directly relate to reliability?
  - *Used as a metric for ensuring reliability*
  - *Future work to focus on developing a criteria that directly relates to continuity of the bulk power system for large voltage excursions.*
  - *Need improved models (on load and generation side) to accomplish this*

- **High Probability, Low Risk** – Faults such as SLG, simple generator trips, etc., should be evaluated against a criteria in which continuity of serving load is priority
  - Load bus transient voltage response criteria
- **Low Probability, High Risk** – Faults such as 3-phase or stuck breaker should have a criteria in which continuity of the bulk power system is priority
  - PRC-024 ride through requirements
- **Resolution of Consequential vs. Non-Consequential Load Loss** – Clarify how to classify voltage-sensitive and frequency-sensitive loads in reliability analysis

- Share best practices for dynamic load modeling and FIDVR events
- Share best practices for non-traditional resource modeling
- Collaborate with software vendors to further develop and improve available dynamic models in software
- Continue engaging manufacturing community to raise awareness of grid needs – promote grid-friendly devices
- Engage in IEEE equipment standards – awareness of aggregate impact of multiple small devices
- Collect as much load data as possible (classification, end use , feeder information, etc.)
- Develop a process for creating load models – ***zonal or regional load models are NOT sufficient***
- Sensitivity, sensitivity, and more sensitivity studies



# Questions and Answers

# U.S. DOE-NERC Workshop on Fault-Induced Delayed Voltage Recovery (FIDVR) & Dynamic Load Modeling

## Summary

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# *Take Aways pt 1*

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## **Current State of Load Modeling**

- Explicit representation of the dynamic behavior of load is now essential for planning studies of the performance of the transmission system
- The CMPLDW represents the current state-of-the-art in dynamic load modeling

## **Fundamentals, Testing & Modelings of Air-Conditioners**

- The physics of stalled residential central AC units have long been understood and can now be modeled accurately
- A solid understanding of the propensity of populations of central AC units to stall (or not stall) in response to faults is now also close at hand





# Take Aways pt 2

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## Manufacturing Perspective, Future Trends & Technologies

- We are moving toward a future in which the majority of end-use loads will no longer be directly coupled to the grid – instead they will be coupled through power electronic interfaces
- On-going communication and information exchange with end-use (load, storage, generation) manufacturing communities is essential – and *they are waiting to hear from us*

## Load Model Data

- The CMPLDW was developed to model explicitly a range of dynamic load behaviors and account for the effects of the distribution systems that connect loads to transmission
  - WECC's experience developing and using CMPLDW has led to rapidly maturing, systematic modeling practices, including reliance on DOE-developed tools – Yet, more needs to be done to facilitate (ease) the use of CMPLDW in conducting planning studies
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# *Take Aways pt 3*

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## **Field Measurements**

- Field measurements of AC stalling have been instrumental in directing needed improvements in modeling studies aimed at reproducing FIDVR
- This experience has taught us that there is no substitute for field measurements in improving our understanding, in the future, of the aggregate behavior of a changing population of end-use loads

## **Experiences conducting studies using CMPLDW**

- Phased adoption has allowed utilities to gain experience and build confidence in using CMPLDW
- Systematic sensitivity studies help to identify specific inputs to the CMPLDW that deserve focused attention
- Vendor engagement needed



# Take Aways pt 4

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## Reliability Focus

- FIDVR originating from within distribution is no longer the most significant load-related issue for the operational security of the bulk power system
- CMPLDW is evolving and use of it should be considered a “best practice”
- The transient voltage dip criteria is being reconsidered
- Traditional generation and load technologies, by design, had either performance margins or grid-friendlier behaviors, respectively, that reduced concerns regarding what could not be studied adequately with conventional simulation tools
- These margins and behaviors are disappearing as both fleets (generation and loads) change and hence our exposure to the limitations of what can be studied with current simulation tools is increased



# Take Aways pt 5

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## Reliability Focus (continued)

- Looking forward we need to revisit the purposes served and manner by which future planning studies are conducted, starting with the reliability objectives they seek to support
- The value of modeling is insight not numerical outputs
- We must acknowledge explicitly that there is a trade-off between planning criteria that emphasize continuity of service to customers in the face of high probability disturbances and planning criteria that emphasize the sustained security of the bulk power system (including re-establishment of supply) in the face of low probability but severe events.



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