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Innovative Active Fault Management

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Webinar format



Q&A panel





Respond overview





Competitive competition Funded by GB customers Learning, dissemination & governance Fourth of our five successful Tier 2 / NIC projects



Respond project hypotheses



Enables a market for the provision of a FCL service

Uses existing assets with no detriment to asset health

Reduces bills to customers through reduced network reinforcement costs

Real time mitigation techniques



Real time fault current assessment

Respond network model



Real Time • FL Calculation • Comparison • Action







Network already designed to break fault current Adaptive protection changes the order in which circuit breakers operate to safely disconnect the fault

Using redundancy in the network ensures no other customers go off supply



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Adaptive protection



I_s-limiters – two sites and five sensing sites



I_s-limiter – Bamber Bridge

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I_s-limiter – Broadheath



Transformer 1









I_s-limiter







Fault Current Limiting (FCL) service Two UU sites & three external sites



Fault current generated by customers can be disconnected using new technology

Financial benefits to customers taking part and long term to all customers

Challenge is to identify customers to take part in a trial of the FCL service

Fault Current Limiting service



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Atherton Town Centre Collier Brook 11kV cct 29 July 2016





Atherton Town Centre – Thomas St/Holland St 11kV cct 28 August 2016



Atherton Town Centre – Collier Brook 11kV cct 19 September 2016





Blackbull Primary - Lansdown Hill circuit, 3 April 2017

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Incident started as phase to phase fault on Lansdown Hill South 6.6 kV feeder Adaptive Protection Stage 1 operated which tripped the 6.6. kV bus section circuit breaker Lansdown Hill South feeder protection relay detected the fault, but did not operate as the fault was cleared by a mid-point circuit breaker at Lansdown Hill

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Mismatch between disturbance recorder settings and the programmable scheme logic within the AP relay mean that disturbance recordings were not triggered

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Analysis shows that AP operated correctly to trip the bus section circuit breaker which reduced the fault current but the extent of the reduction cannot be quantified without a disturbance record

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Little Borough Primary – Midge Holes cct, 8 May 2017



The red phase I_s-limiter responded to a fault and operated to interrupt the fault

The time interval between the **Bamber Bridge** local feeder earth fault alarm and the tripping of the I_s-limiter was 10 ms

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The series circuit breaker opened 51 ms after the tripping of the I_s-limiter

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The event-log indicates that the Bamber Bridge local 11 kV protection relay operated 1.371 secs after the I_s-limiter series CB opened

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No waveforms are available

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Bamber Bridge red phase fuse



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Bamber Bridge yellow phase fuse



Fault Current Limiting service



Survey analysis *'appeared to prove'* the hypothesis that the

Respond method enables a market for an FCL service

A target market was identified of customers from **non-manufacturing industries** and those **'able to constrain their motor or generator'** for up to 10 minutes, without significant impact



Risks - barriers to transitioning from interest to agreeing terms





Essential to have electricity available 24/7 or a 10 minute constraint would have significant impact Connection not within project timescale or not connected in parallel

Nervousness about the number of constraints Long and short term impact on equipment / increased maintenance

Impact on operation of their business & loss of export ability Breach of service level agreements (Triad & capacity market) & reputation

Unease at relinquishing control of equipment Arrangements for re-closure / having staff on standby

Financial incentive = key driver for target market But only if sufficient to offset all risks AND the revenue from other commercial arrangements

DNO community must develop greater commercial understanding of its target market



process

Conflicts with other services are a significant barrier DNOs need to better understand

services already

available in

expanding and competitive marketplace While there are potential conflicts, equally there could be possible synergies which warrant further investigation Next steps

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Continue to deploy the FLAT and the three techniques	Trial ongoing until May 2018	Examine the key questions and hypotheses			
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Customer recruitment phase for FCL service	Build safety cases for each of the techniques	Examine the relative benefits versus financials for the three techniques			

Q&A panel





Post-event poll



	Strongly disagree	Slightly disagree	Neutral	Slightly agree	Strongly agree
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