

EMPOWER YOUR ANALYTICS WITH OPERATIONAL DATA

# PI Vision in the Network Operations Control Centre

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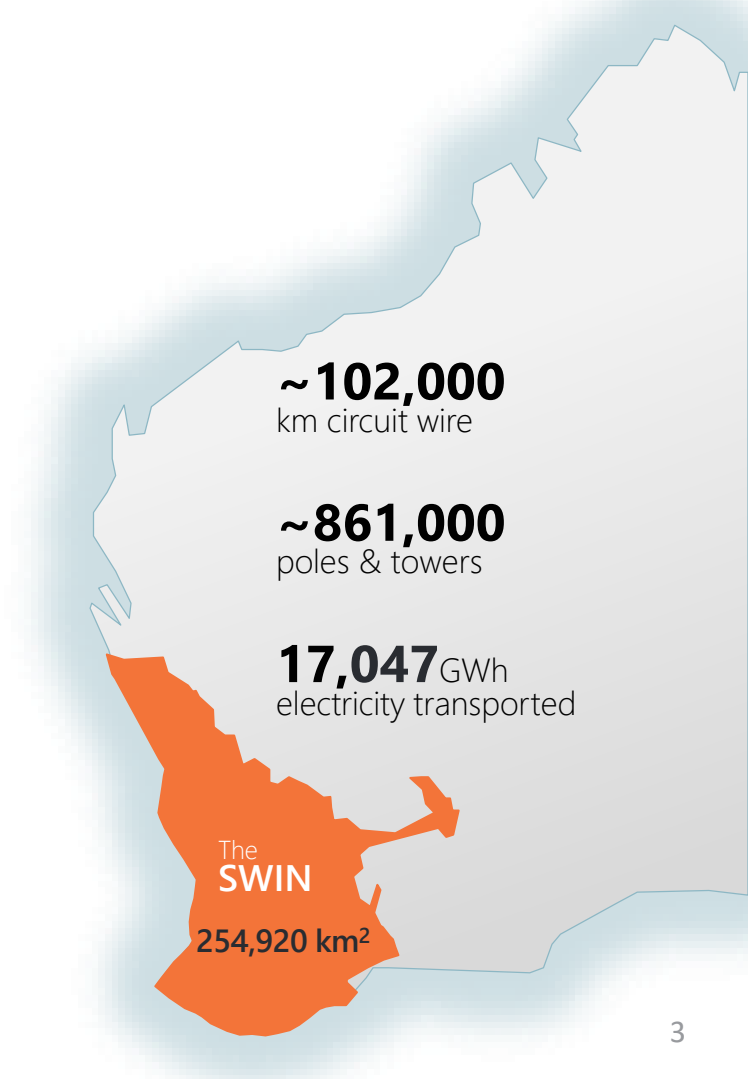
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# About Western Power

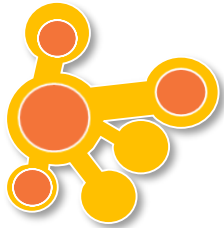
- Build, maintain & operate transmission and distribution assets: South West Interconnected Network (SWIN)
- 1.1+ million customers
- ~264,000 street lights
- ~237,800 solar PV installations\*
- ~570 battery systems\*

\* As at 31/5/18



Network evolution is reliant on community behaviour, technology advancement rates, regulation and policy

### Integrated Network



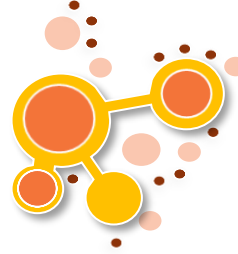
Current SWIS model

### Fringe Disconnection



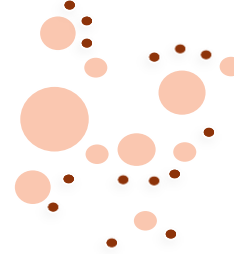
Future model with small number of islanded systems

### Modular Network



Future model with variable network types

### Fully Decentralised

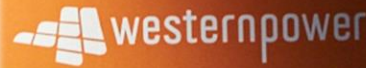


Extreme model without centralised network



# Network Operations

- We keep the lights on!
- Manage the Transmission and Distribution networks in real time
- Dispatch faults
- Run planned work
- Control voltage



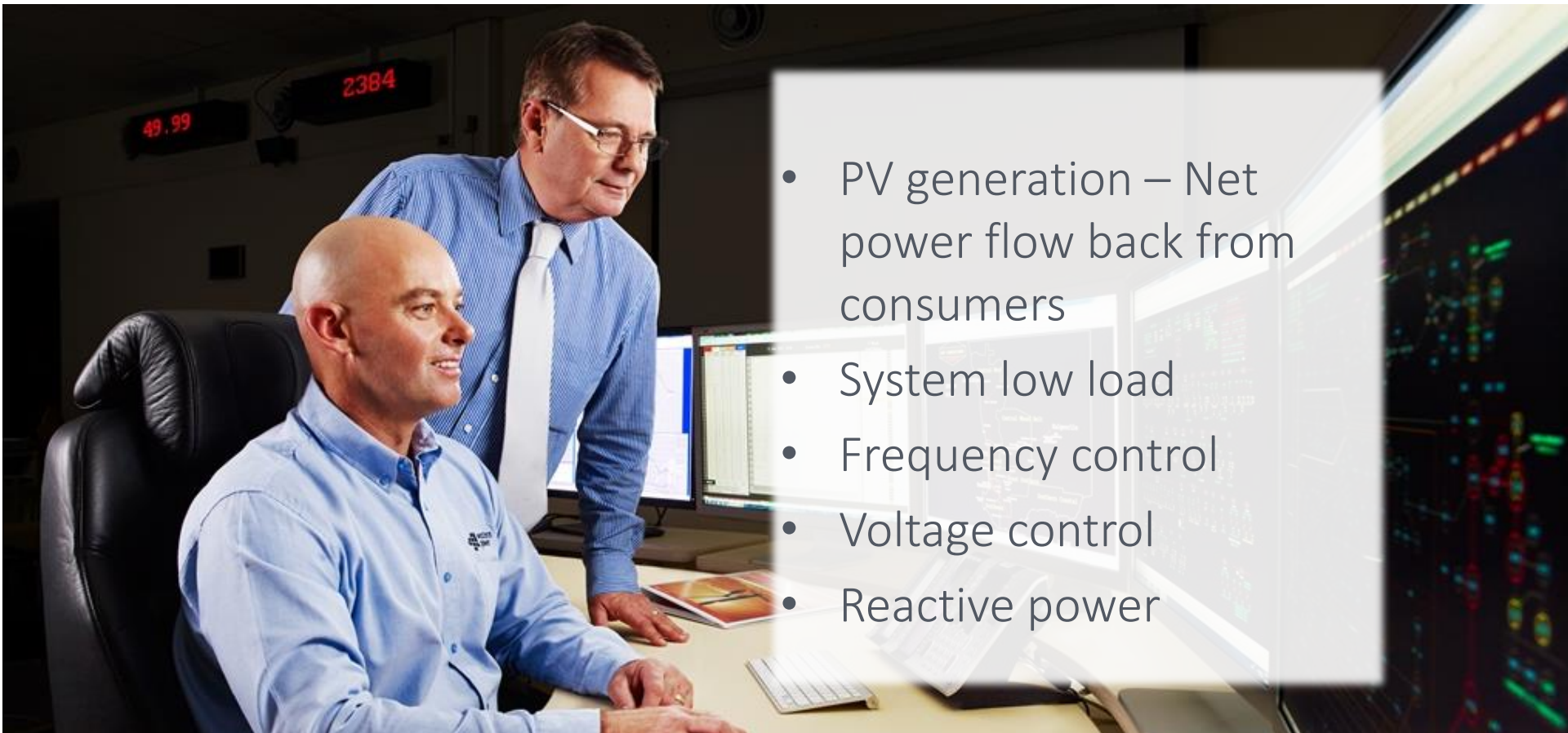
# Development Area

- SCADA Commissioning
- Keep the system model up to date
- Configure the PowerOn Fusion and XA/21 systems
- Quality management and compliance





# Current Challenges

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- PV generation – Net power flow back from consumers
  - System low load
  - Frequency control
  - Voltage control
  - Reactive power

# C-S-R Customer Use Case



Leveraging the information in PI System using PI Vision to develop displays for the video walls in the Network Operations control centre has provided a significant improvement in situational awareness.

## CHALLENGES

Provide situational awareness of the network and factors impacting on its performance and our responses in real-time.



## SOLUTION

Build a video wall in the control centre and a set of PI Vision displays to clearly present a wide range of information.



## RESULTS

A significant improvement in situational awareness across Network Operations and, in the future, the whole of Western Power.



# Where it started

- In 2017 Network Operations moved from the end-of-life control centre in East Perth to Head Office
- Built a new control room
- Included a range of video walls in the requirements
- Selected PI Vision as the main technology to develop displays



# Main video wall – 7 x 2 array



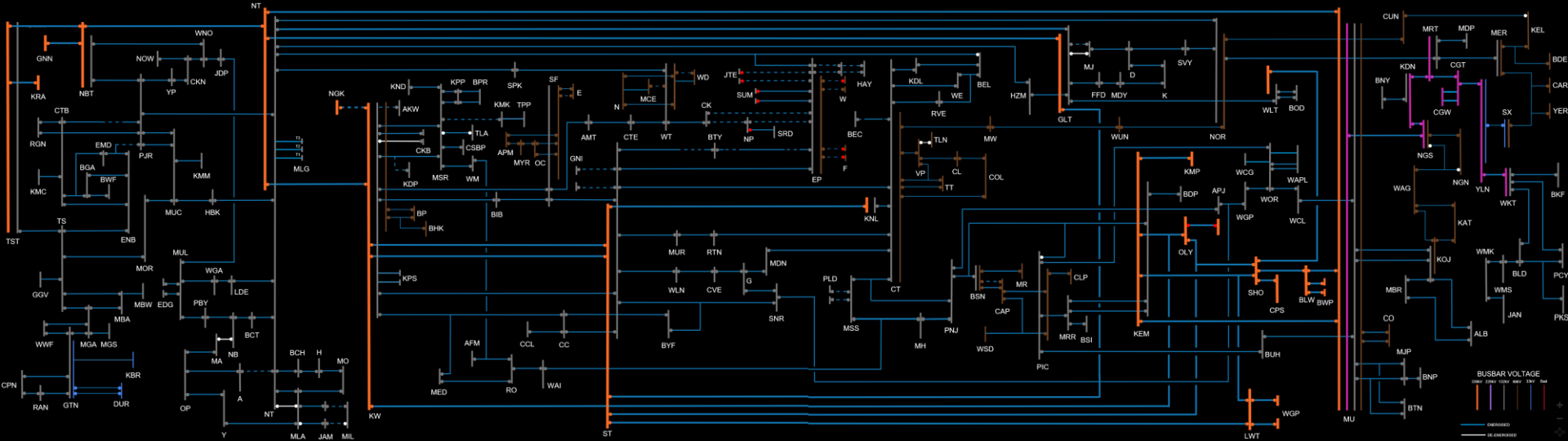
# Secondary video wall – 3 x 2 array



# Breakout area - 3 screens



# Transmission Network Overview

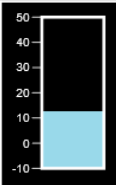
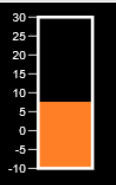
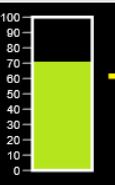
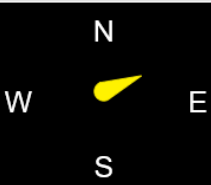
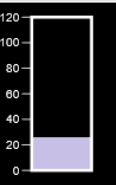
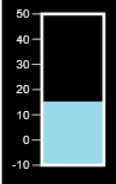
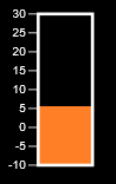
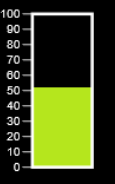
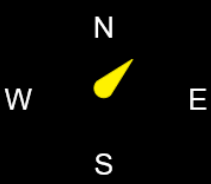
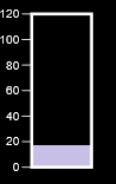
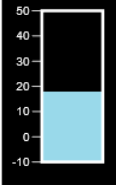
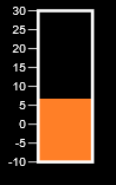
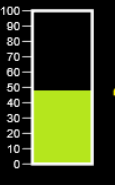
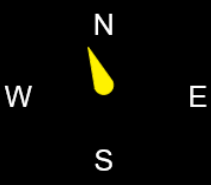
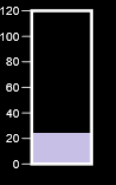
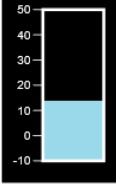
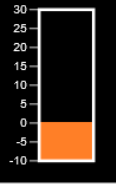
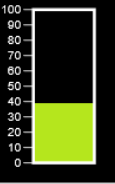
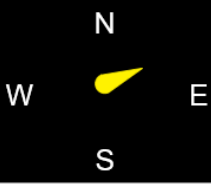
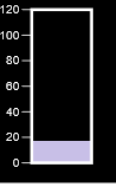
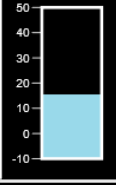
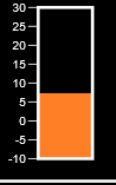
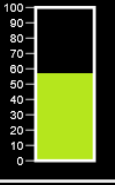

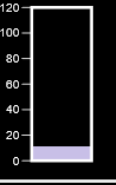


## Emergency Level





# Weather Metrics

	Temperature	Dewpoint	Humidity	Wind Direction	Wind Speed
Albany	 <b>12.8 °C</b>	 <b>7.7 °C</b>	 <b>71 %</b>		 <b>26 km/h</b>
Bunbury	 <b>15.4 °C</b>	 <b>5.6 °C</b>	 <b>52 %</b>		 <b>17 km/h</b>
Geraldton	 <b>17.8 °C</b>	 <b>6.6 °C</b>	 <b>48 %</b>		 <b>24 km/h</b>
Kalgoorlie	 <b>14 °C</b>	 <b>0.2 °C</b>	 <b>39 %</b>		 <b>17 km/h</b>
Perth	 <b>15.7 °C</b>	 <b>7.2 °C</b>	 <b>57 %</b>		 <b>11 km/h</b>

Average Hazard Response Time

01:52

Min

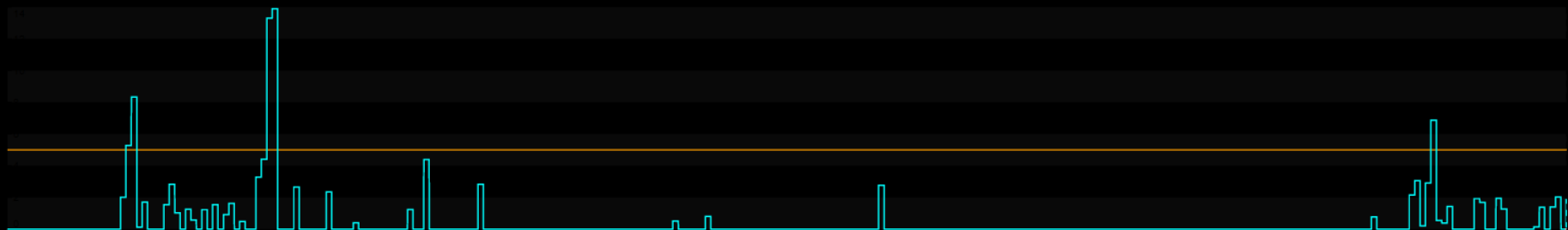
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Hazard Count: 2

5  
Min

Last 24 Hours

16



System Frequency

50.01 Hz

50.2

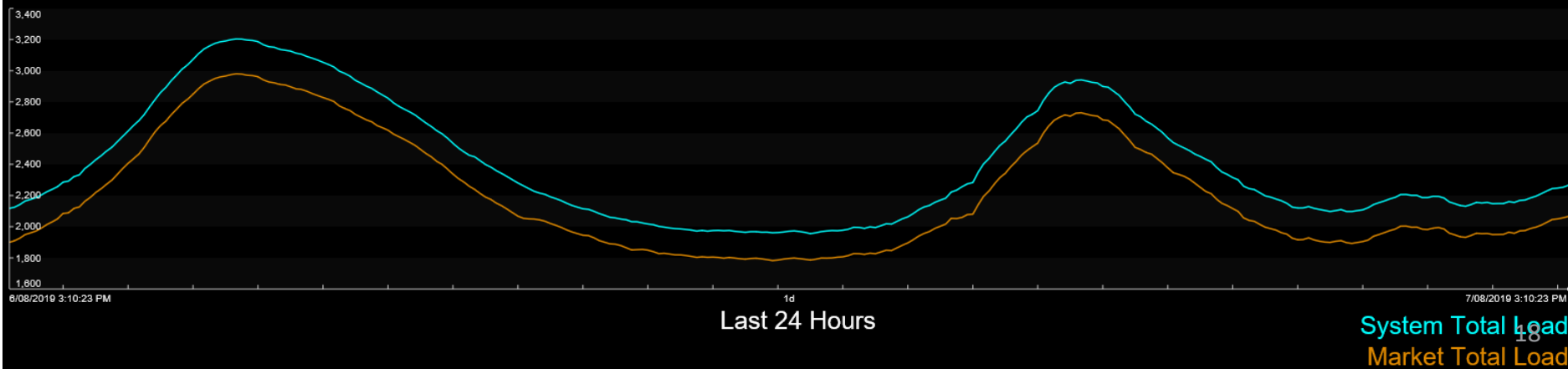
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49.8

Last Hour

# System Load

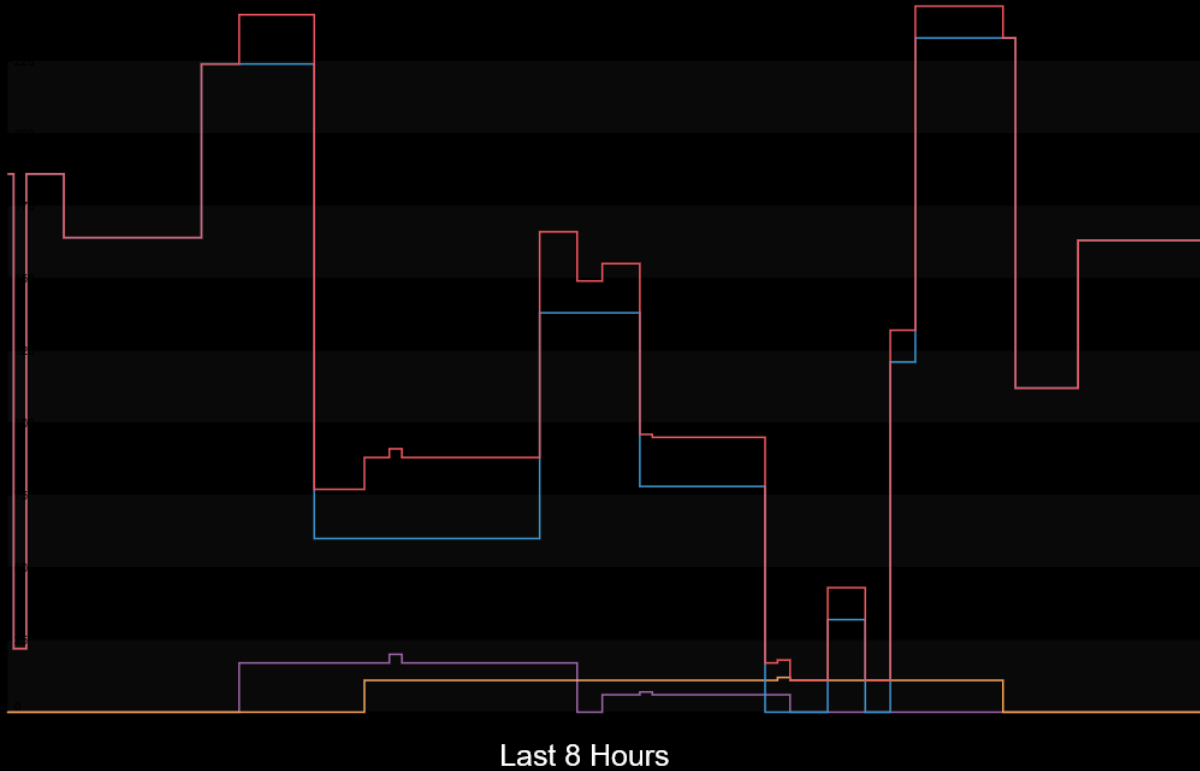
# 2,275.1 MW



## Generation By Type



## Impacted Customers



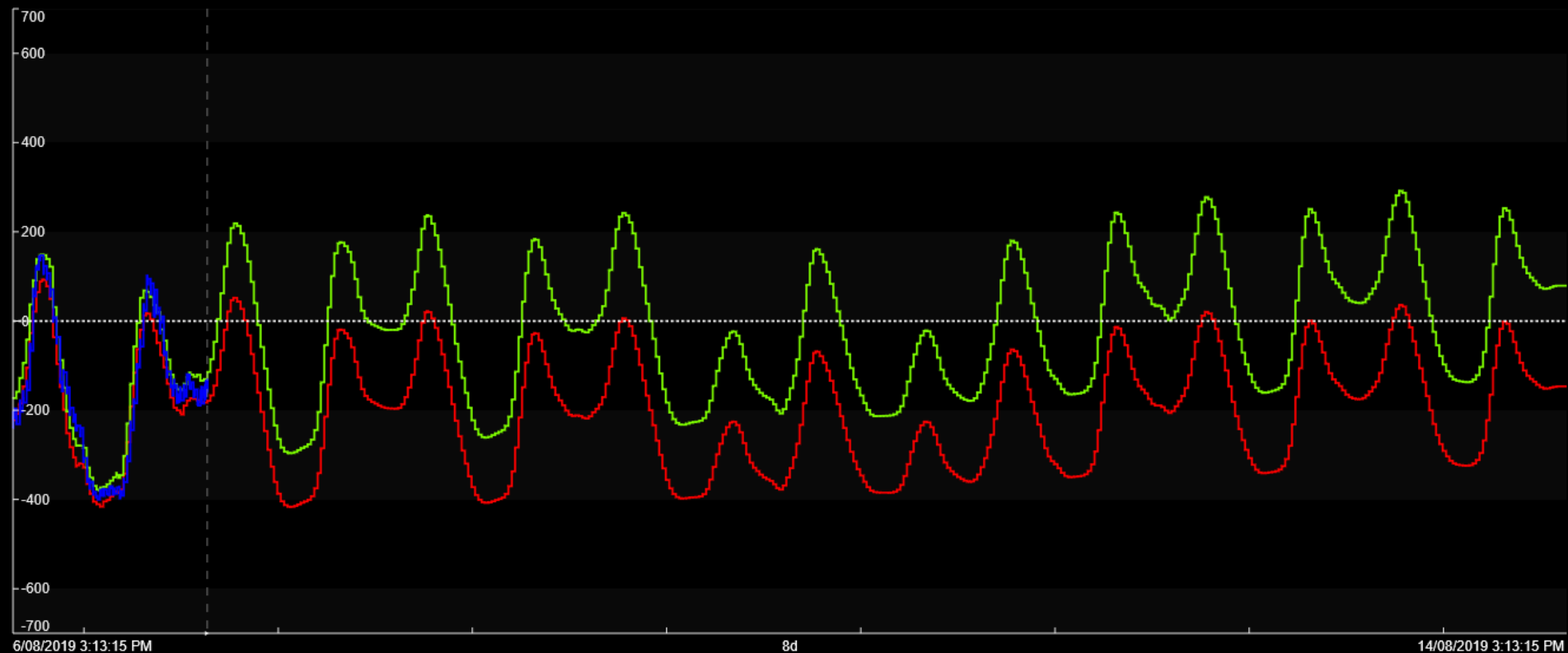
Metro 163  
North 0  
South 0  
All 163



# Incident Status

North	5	0	2	0
Metro	64	5	21	0
South	4	0	3	0
	Total	Unassigned	Hazards	Unassigned Hazards

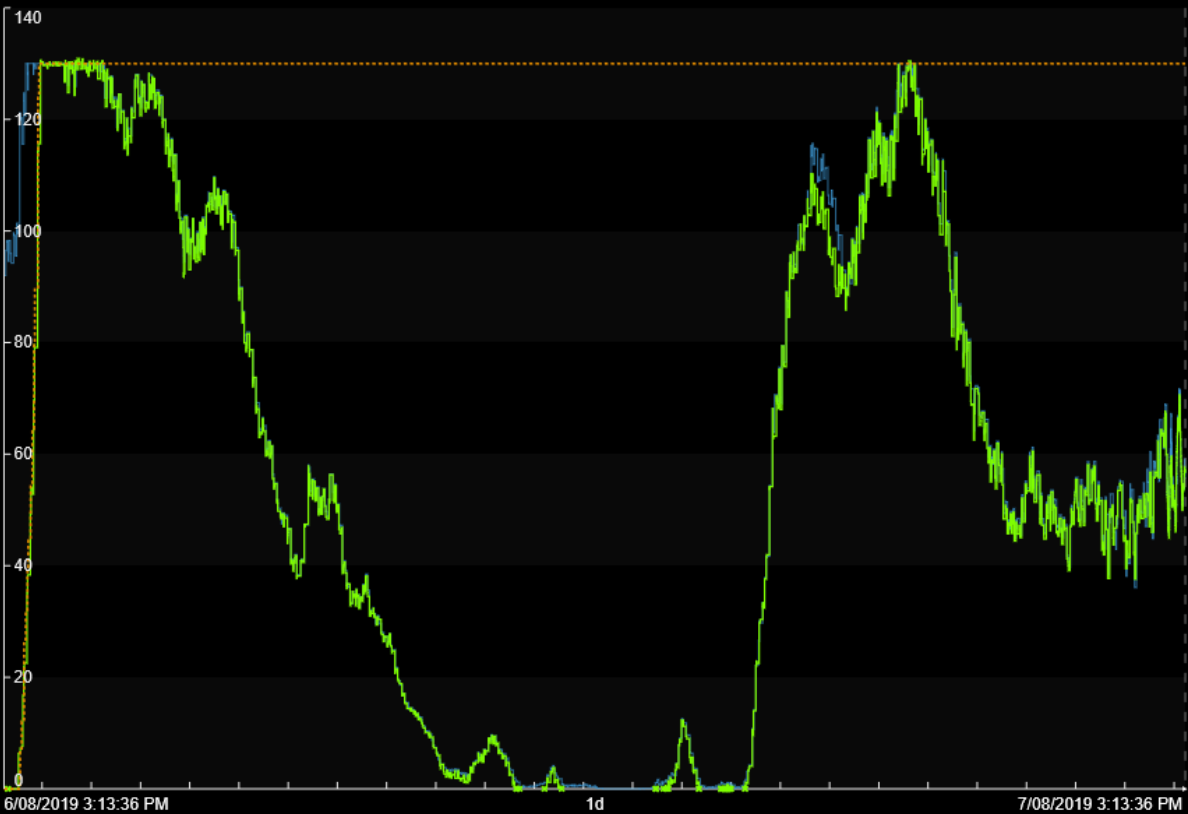
## System Reactive Power Forecast



Current: **-136.84**

Forecast (POE10)  
Forecast (POE90)

# Badgingarra Wind Farm

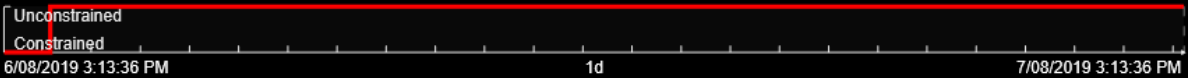


57.34 MW

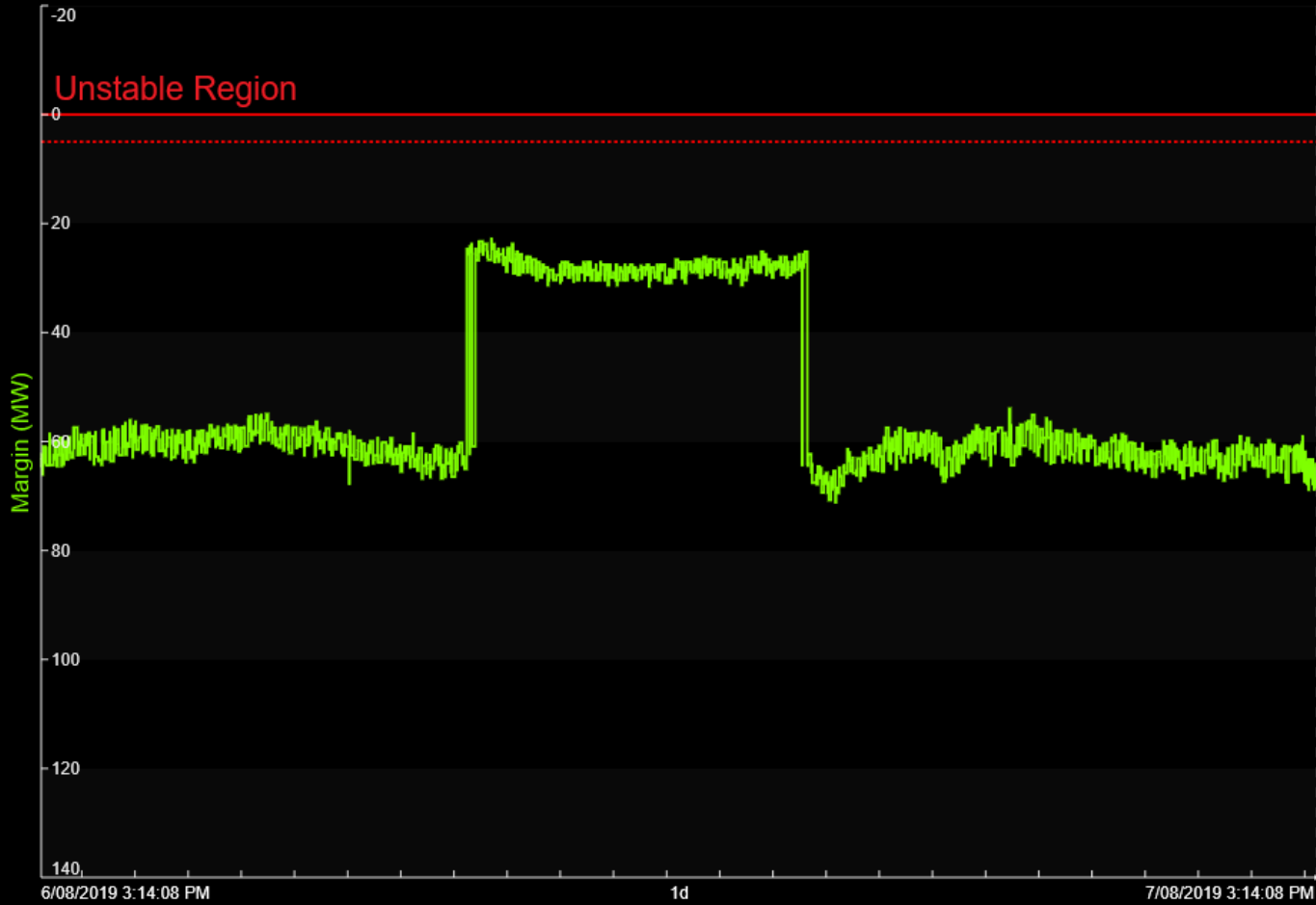
Constraint Exposure (30 days): 2.6 %

Critical Offline Circuits

No items match the Collection Criteria.



# West Kalgoorlie Terminal 220kV Power Transfer Margin



(MW)




























Margin **67**

IPP +Export/-Import **12**

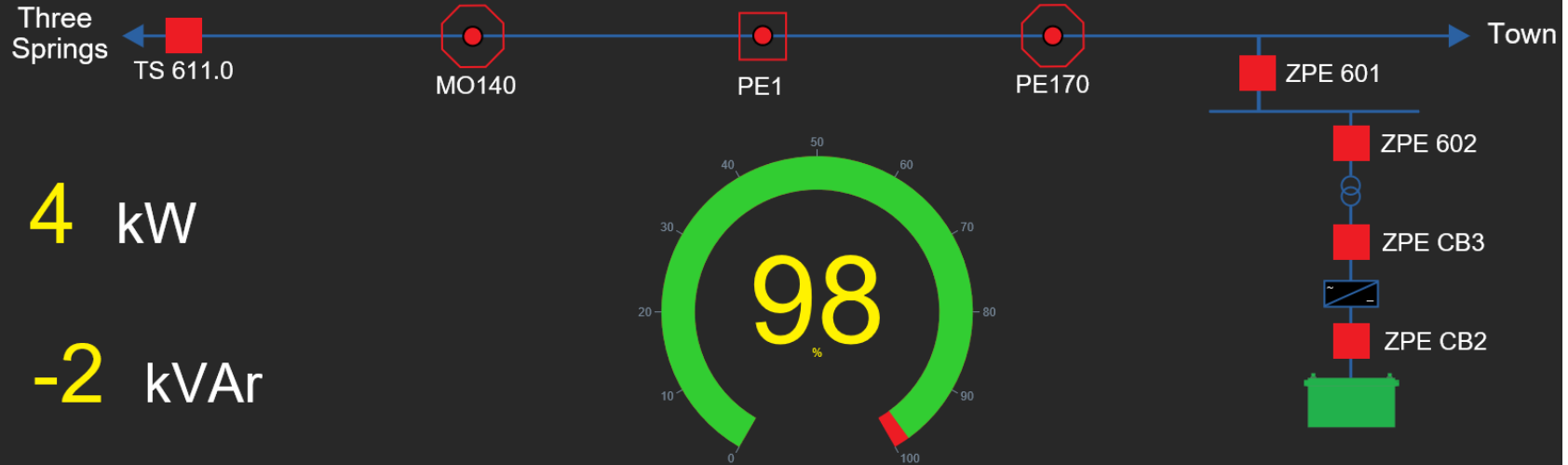
WKT Import **60**

\*Note: Positive values - IPP Export, negative values - IPP Import

## Power Station Generation

		MW	MVAR			MW	MVAR
Kwinana Alumina Refinery		54	26	Albany Wind Farm		25	-3
Pinjarra Alumina Refinery - Alcoa		121	40	Badgingarra Windfarm		54	-15
Wagerup Power Station		170	-26	Collgar Windfarm		61	-35
Cockburn Power Station		87	20	Emu Downs Windfarm		28	-10
Kerr McGee Kambalda		21	3	Mumbida Windfarm		21	-4
Kwinana Power Part		126	-8	Walkaway Wind Farm		42	-9
Kwinana Power Station		25	-2				
NewGen Kwinana		251	4			MW	MVAR
Pinjar Power Station		51	-7				
Parkeston Power Plant		33	14	No items match the Collection Criteria.			
Worsley Alumina Power Station		156	76				
Wagerup Power Station		99	31			MW	MVAR
 Mungarra Solar Farm		7	-1	Bluewaters Power Station		433	-36
				Collie Power Station		148	-25
				Muja Power Station		466	-27

# Perenjori BESS



4 kW

-2 kVAr

SWIN Frequency	49.99 Hz
SWIN Voltage	32.1 kV
SWIN Reactive Power	-41 KVAR
SWIN Real Power	79 kW

BESS Frequency	50.04 Hz
Town Voltage	32.11 kV
Town Reactive Power	-26 KVAR
Town Real Power	77 kW
Town Current Phase A	1 A
Town Current Phase B	1 A
Town Current Phase C	1 A





## Transformer Tap Position 1

Transformer	kV
BYF T2	21.6
CUN T2	21.9
MUC T2	21.3
YP T1	21.4



# Generator Reactive Absorption Availability

## Load Area 9

Generator	MW	MVar	MVar Available	SUT Tap Position	Busbar Kv
APJ-GT2	144	5	44	15	329.3
AWG-GT1	171	10	87	12	326.8
AWG-GT2	172	6	83	13	326.8
BW1-G2	216	5	124	15	322.1
BW2-G1	216	0	119	15	322.1
CPS G1	153	3	145	13	325.5
GNN-GT11	0	0	82	9	326
GNN-GT12	0	0	0	9	326
KMP-GT11	0	0	0	15	324.9
KMP-GT12	70	3	85	16	324.9
MU-G5	0	0	0	18	325.2
MU-G6	200	-10	61	14	325.2
MU-G7	217	-1	66	18	325.2
MU-G8	216	-9	58	18	325.2
NGK-GT	160	9	79	15	324.3
NGK-ST	89	-7	77	15	324.3

## Load Area NN8

Generator	MW	MVar	MVar Available	SUT Tap Position	Busbar Kv
MGA-GT1	1	0	19	8	133.7
MGA-GT2	0	0	18	9	133.7
MGA-GT3	0	0	0	11	133.7
PJR-GT1	0	0	0	1	133.1
PJR-GT10	25	12	64	12	133.1
PJR-GT11	75	2	69	12	133.1
PJR-GT2	0	0	0	1	133.1
PJR-GT3	0	0	0	15	133.1
PJR-GT4	0	0	0	15	133.1
PJR-GT5	0	0	0	12	133.1
PJR-GT7	0	0	0	12	133.1
PJR-GT9	77	9	55	12	133.1

## Load Area SWC8

Generator	MW	MVar	MVar Available	SUT Tap Position	Busbar Kv
APJ-GT1	0	0	0	1	131.5

## Load Area KW8/7

Generator	MW	MVar	MVar Available	SUT Tap Position	Busbar Kv
CKB-GT	0	0	0	10	131.5
CKB-ST	0	1	1	9	131.5
KMK-GT1	41	10	26	14	
KND-GT1	55	1	30	13	129.8
KND-GT2	55	0	29	13	129.8
KPP-CT1a	42	-3	2	13	133.1
KPP-CT1b	43	5	9	13	131.6
KPP-ST1	40	4	9	14	133.1
KPS-GT2	93	11	62	15	130.7
KPS-GT3	0	0	0	12	130

## Load Area EGF8

Generator	MW	MVar	MVar Available	SUT Tap Position	Busbar Kv
PKS-GT1	33	14	33	7	137.9
PKS-GT2	0	0	0	7	137.9
PKS-GT3	34	14	33	7	137.9
WKT-GT2	0	0	15	6	137.9
WKT-GT3	0	0	0	8	137.9
WMK	35	10	32	1	137.9
WMS	36	8	30	1	137.9

# Questions?

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