

DIAGNOSING VULNERABILITY, EMERGENT PHENOMENA, and VOLATILITY in MANMADE NETWORKS

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## An overview

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- the project
  - networks that comprise Europe's critical infrastructure
  - primary energy supply
    - assembling data for large manmade multi-element infrastructure systems
    - apply dynamic and static mathematical methods









## **Collaborators and contributors**

- EU Joint Research Centre, ISPRA (data production and analysis)
- Queen Mary University of London (analysis of data)
- Università Carlo Cattaneo, Castellanza (finance and economics)
- Macedonian Academy of Sciences and Arts (vulnerability)
- Collegium Budapest (wind energy and dynamics of power supply)
- Stakeholders
  - National Emergency Supply Agency, FINGRID, Finland





### Networks

- Energy gas and electricity overlaid networks
- Transport city primary routes
- Social networks
  - vulnerability
    - structural (catastrophic failure of network components)
    - functional (electricity grid blackouts, supply chain dynamics)
  - interconnected data sets
    - overlaying of networks interconnected gas and electricity
    - strategy for vulnerability- green energy inputs
  - volatility and memory in markets and their dynamics
    - spot electricity pricing





### Collecting information and producing datasets (JRC)

Data sets of major gas lines and exchange flows	Data sets of major gas lines between and into Western Europe <i>Platts, etc</i> .
Datasets of spot price electricity	NORDPOOL time series spot price electricity in European markets
Spatial and topological maps of the road network	Urban street networks – initially Milan, Turin and London
High voltage electricity grid	European Electricity Lines by disconnected Regions UCTE , NORDEL, UK ,National Grid
Wind energy data	ERA-40





#### The European Electricity Grid



Power exchange between two AC networks, that are not synchronous is by means of high voltage direct current (HVDC) lines e.g. England-France

LITHUANIA





## Euro gas network (QMUL and JRC)



Transmission network (D >= 15, + interconnections) 2207 nodes, 2696 links

Complete network 24010 nodes, 25554 links

> --Gas sources --LNG terminals --Pumping stations --Gas Deposits





#### Gas trade movements by pipeline



#### Lack of good information

e.g. directings of all edges of the network – some are obvious!

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# Urban Traffic (JRC)



#### EU JRC Data

AADTF – annual average daily flowNetwork simplificationConnectivity analysis





#### **Interconnected data sets**

Robustness of Trans-European Gas Networks: The Hot Backbone – Carvalho(QMUL), Buzna(ETH), Bono (JRC)



Electricity network

#### **Electricity Network**

Nodes (10494) - power stations, power plants Links (15413) - power lines Node attributes - position, power plant capacity, Link attributes - voltage level, length

#### Gas network (primary)

Nodes (2207) - compressor stations,
LNG terminals, city gates
Links (2696) - pipelines
Node attributes - position, storage
and LNG terminal capacities,
Link attributes - length, diameter





# Network analysis (JRC, MASA, QMUL)

- Different topologies were investigated
  - Random graphs (Erdos Renyi model)
  - Scale free (Barabasi Albert)
  - Manmade segments of the European power grid



- Attack strategy nodes deletion according to
  - Degree
  - Betweenness centrality
  - Modal weight
  - low correlation between the different ranking criteria
- Adaptive and non-adaptive strategy







## Ranking in networks (JRC and MASA)





### **Decay of network - UCTE**



#### **Betweeness centrality**

NRV – number of removed vertices

**Comparison of simulations** 

Rate of decay is dependent on the selection criteria

BETWEENNESS CENTRALITY





#### **Measuring the consequences**







# Complementary activity (MASA and JRC)

- Influence Model approach (MASA)
  - Method for deriving Interoperability matrices from networks' graph.
  - Quantitative rating of a node's vulnerability (importance) in interdependent infrastructures.
  - Model for analytically tracking various spreading phenomenal like failures in power grid
- Modal analysis approach (MASA with JRC)
  - Investigation on the application of Modal weight analysis in assessment of network vulnerability
- Game theory approach (MASA)
  - link vulnerability
  - identify the weakest links in complex networks





# Complementary activity(LIUC and QMUL)

#### • Volatility and blackouts in market dynamics (LIUC)

- Time series analysis of spot price data
  - correlation analysis
  - persistency, fluctuations and
    - Hurst exponent determinism and recurrence quantification analysis
- Supply chains and production networks
  - coupled Markov chain models



NORDPOOL ELECTRICITY SPOT PRICE DATA





#### Supply chain models in WP5– complexity (LIUC)



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# Wind power (COLB)

- New energy sources and network capacity dynamics (COLB)
  - Wind data clear implications at the political level (pan European investment)
  - Useful first steps on dynamic programming for cascade breakdowns from overload

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Average wind speed

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Variance of wind speed

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#### Wind field construction

and maps of potential wind energy production over Europe

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# Dynamic capacity model (COLB)

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# Vitality of networks (QMUL and JRC)

• Network quantification and vulnerability (QMUL, JRC, MASA)

- Spectral analysis, betweenness centrality, modal analysis
- Different vitality approaches -
  - maximum flow and
  - betweenness centrality for international borders

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#### The Interconnected Network

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# **MANMADE** Observations

- Significant collection of data and synthesis
- Use of the data to obtain significance in terms of vitality and importance
- Dynamic modelling on networks– probabilistic and dynamic financial, economic and physical
- We now need to:
  - Bring more of the work together in the remaining part of the project
  - disseminate this work not only scientifically, but also in the media/social arenas
  - MANMADENET.EU Web pages have to be fully loaded

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