IRP for Malawi

Transmission Planning – On-the-Job Training

Tentative Programme, Lilongwe, 7 – 18 November 2016





IRP for Malawi – Transmission Planning On-the-Job Training Tentative Programme – Week 1

• 7 November 2016: Welcome and Introduction

- Arrival & Registration
- Introductions with brief mapping of background, knowledge and expertise of transmission planning
- Objective and methodology for transmission planning

8 November 2016: Power System Analysis - Steady State Modelling of Components

- · Basic theory on power system components and modelling for steady state analysis
- Exercises: Adding power system component data. Review of the Malawian grid model with focus on correct modelling of components.
- 9 November 2016: Power System Analysis The Malawian Power System
 - Modelling existing system (review and update of simulation models)
 - Constructing cases based on system descriptions and demand-supply solution sets
 - Exercises: Building one or more future cases for power system analysis
- 10 November 2016: Power System Analysis Load Flow
 - Power flow analysis with contingency analysis
 - Voltage control and reactive power
 - Exercises: Finding limitations in the Malawian power system
- 11 November 2016: Power System Analysis Transient and Dynamic Behaviour
 - Introduction to dynamic power system analysis
 - Transient stability inertia and generator impedances
 - Dynamic stability damping of power oscillations
 - Specific problems that may arise when interconnecting Malawi with other SAPP and EAPP utilities



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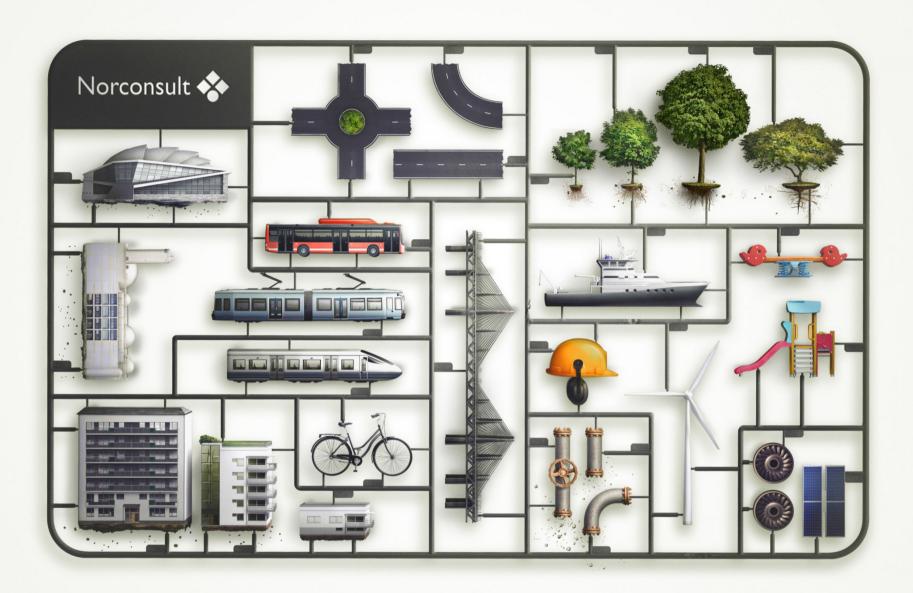
14 November 2016: Least-Cost Transmission Planning

- Introduction to economic planning principles
- Cost elements for optimisation purposes
- Optimising methodology for new transmission lines
- Exercise: Optimising the voltage level and cross section for a planned transmission line

15 November 2016: Least-Cost Transmission Planning

- Introduction to investment analysis for transmission planning
- Investment costs for high-level planning purposes
- Other cost elements to consider
- Lifetime for equipment
- Timing of sub-projects
- Determining the optimum investment alternative
- 16 November 2016: Least-Cost Transmission Plan Study cases for Malawi
 - Starting to construct a least-cost transmission plan for Malawi
- 17 November 2016: Least-Cost Transmission Plan Study cases for Malawi
 - Continued work on the least-cost transmission plan for Malawi
- 18 November 2016: Presentation and Wrap-Up
 - Wrap-up and presentation of status of the work





Thank you