

ENERGY RESILIENCE FOR THE AMERICAS

FRAMEWORKS, TOOLS, AND
APPLICATIONS, AND EXPERIENCES IN
REINFORCING ENERGY SYSTEMS



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ARGONNE HAS BROAD ENERGY RESILIENCE CAPABILITIES

From Development of Advanced Algorithms and Models to Deployment to External Customers

Advanced Algorithms

- Predictive modeling
- Advanced math/solvers
- Scalable solutions for optimization
- Integrative Frameworks

Model Development

- Resource optimization
- Stochastic UC/operations
- Power market tools
- Large-scale grid tools

Model Applications

- Integration studies
- Power market design
- Long-term investment dynamics
- Grid resilience, cascading failures power system restoration
- Storage value/impacts
- Climate change impacts

Deployment

- EPFAST/NGFAST/POLFAST
- HEADOUT, RESTORE, EGRIP
- GTMax/ EMCAS/CHEERS
- EZMT
- AMP
- onVCP/vBEOC

Useful

Useable

USED



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From Scenario Definition to System Restoration: EXAMPLE for Electric Power



Scenario Definition

- Describe plausible triggering event, such as weather/climate (hurricanes, ice storms, tornados), earthquakes, cyber, others

Physical Impact Assessment

- Using fragility curves, assess physical damage to relevant infrastructure, including generators, towers/poles, wires, substations, fuel infrastructure (natural gas, coal, petroleum, etc.)

System Modeling

- Model impact of loss of fueling infrastructure
- Model impact of loss of multiple grid assets
- Determine potential islanding and extent of blackout

System Restoration and Response Modeling

- Physical restoration/repair time; crew scheduling/staging
- Electrical restoration at transmission-level
- Electrical restoration at distribution level
- Response logistics



FROM DATA ANALYSIS TO MODELING RESILIENT AND ECONOMIC/RELIABLE OPERATIONS



Enabling Data Analysis

- Hazards (e.g., climate)
- Infrastructure (public, restricted)

TOOLS for Resilient Operations

- Tools to assess vulnerabilities and develop mitigation/response options
- Tools cover full spectrum
 - Prepare
 - Mitigate
 - Respond
 - Recover

TOOLS for Economic/Reliable Operations

- Tools to determine short and long-term operations of resilient system
- Tools address economic reliability, revenue sufficiency, affordability, environmental concerns, etc.

FROM MODELING AND ANALYSIS TO LARGE-SCALE DRILLS AND EXERCISES

For more than 30 years, we have supported the emergency management community and government officials to prepare for natural, human-caused, and technological disasters and reach their preparedness goals.

Modeling and Simulation

- Define hazard impacts
- Determine assets needed for response
- Assess multijurisdictional capabilities
- Anticipate response bottlenecks and breakdowns

Operational Assessments

- Help communities assess what might go wrong and anticipate the impact of specific events on their response operations
- Applies to wide range of exercise strategies, including virtual, tabletop, functional, or full-scale exercise platforms

REAL-TIME Collaboration

- Develop emergency operations plan
- Build situational awareness among private and public partners
- Provide intra and inter-community communications, collaboration, workspaces, and social computing

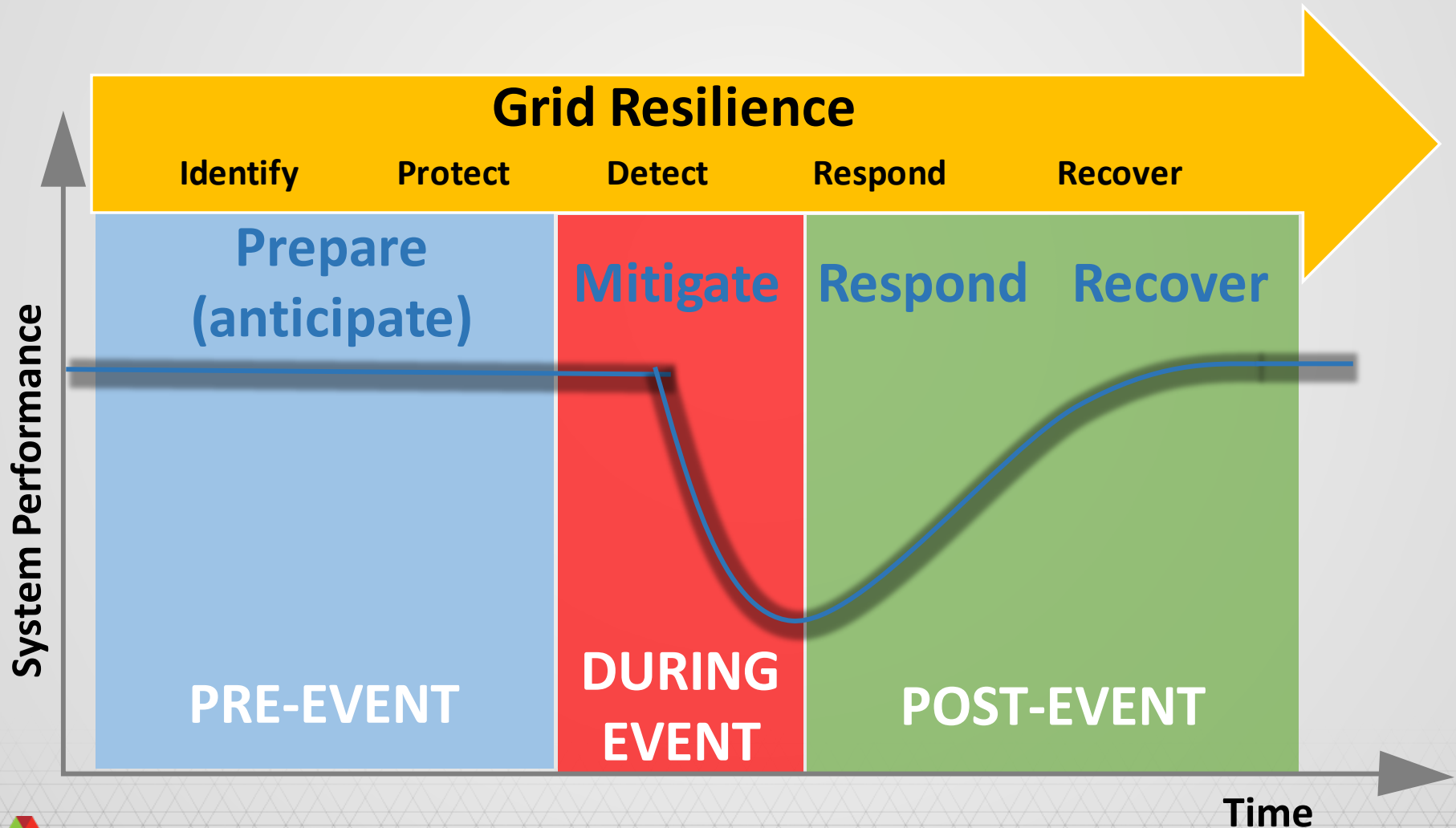


DOWN-SCALED CLIMATE DATA FOR REGIONAL ASSESSMENTS



- Generated high-resolution (12-km) climate projections/probability distributions of downscaled climate variables for all of North America, including Caribbean; 3-hour time steps, over 600 TB of data)
- Allows comprehensive analysis of uncertainty of climate projections at regional scale and ability to quantify/plan for impacts of future climate change at specific locations
- Publically available; used in regional U.S. resiliency assessments
- Currently developing next-generation data (4x4km resolution) available next year
- Also working on downscaled climate data for Brazil

ARGONNE RESILIENCE AND RESTORATION TOOLS COVER ENTIRE RESILIENCE SPACE



ARGONNE RESILIENCE AND RESTORATION TOOLS

Prepare

Emergency planning (**onVCP/SyncMatrix, SpecialPop, AMP**)

EP/PSR exercise/drill (**Scenarios, Threat-Damage, Impact Models**)

Gas-electric coordination (**Ngfast/NGrealttime**)

Dynamic stability, cascading failures (**DSAT, EGRIP**)

Mitigate

Mitigation assessment (**EPfast, NGfast, POLfast, others**)

Resource mitigation measures, dependencies (**IST-RMI**)

Power system restoration, blackstart resource planning (**EGRIP**)

Gas-electric coordination (**Ngfast/NGrealttime**)

Respond

Impact assessment (**Threat-Damage, Impact Models**)

Hurricane assessment (**HEADOUT**)

Emergency management/response (**onVCP, vBEOC**)

Response logistics (**AMP**)

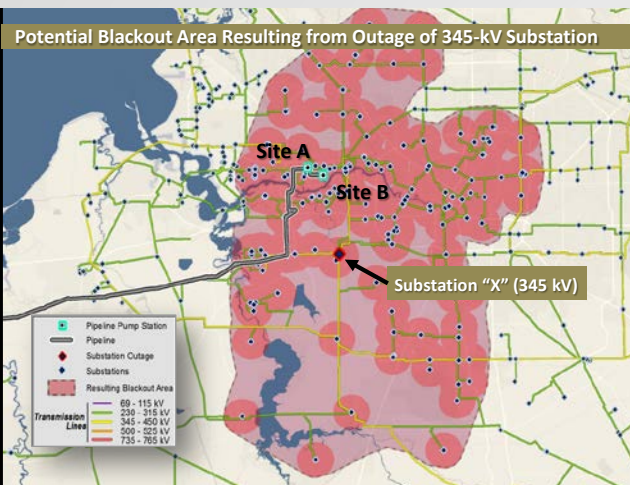
Recover

Real-time PSR analysis (**EGRIP**)

Emerge-Manage., Communication, Collaboration (**onVCP/vBEOC**)

Recovery logistics (**AMP**)

ARGONNE'S ENERGY SECTOR RESILIENCE MODELING TOOLS

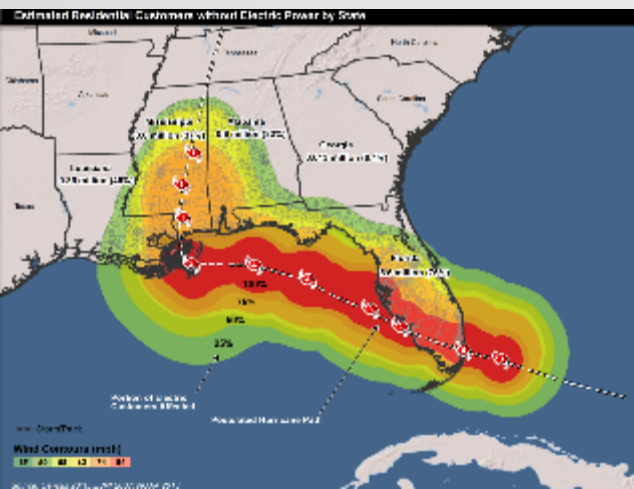


- **EPFAST** examines the impacts of power outages on large electric grid systems
- Models the tendency of power systems to “island” after either man-made or natural disturbances, which can lead to regional power disruptions

- **NGfast** is a natural gas – electric interdependency tool
- Estimates impacts to natural gas sector from user-defined hazards and determines gas-fired power plants at-risk of fuel disruptions

- **POLfast** estimates impacts to petroleum sector (crude oil and refined products) from disruptions in production, storage, and transportation

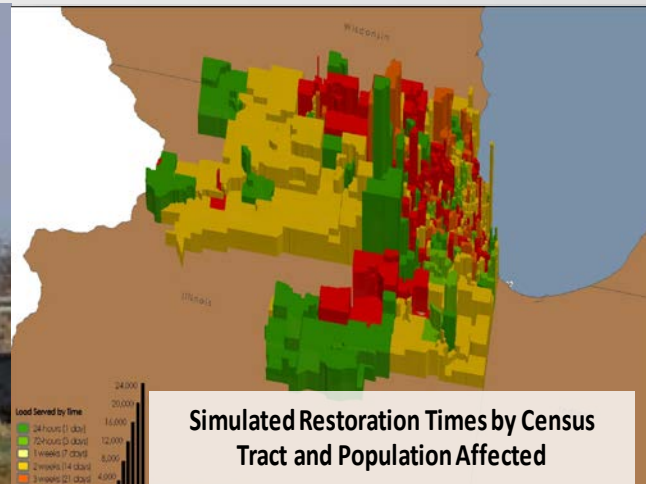
ARGONNE'S ENERGY SECTOR RESILIENCE MODELING TOOLS



- **HEADOUT** produces an estimation of the potential number of electric customers that will experience a loss of commercial electrical power as a tropical cyclone makes landfall



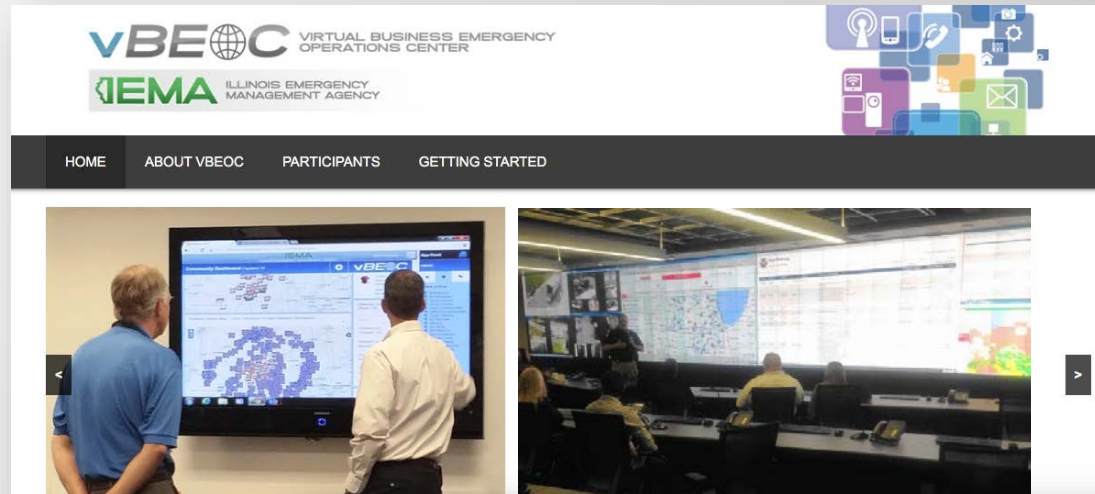
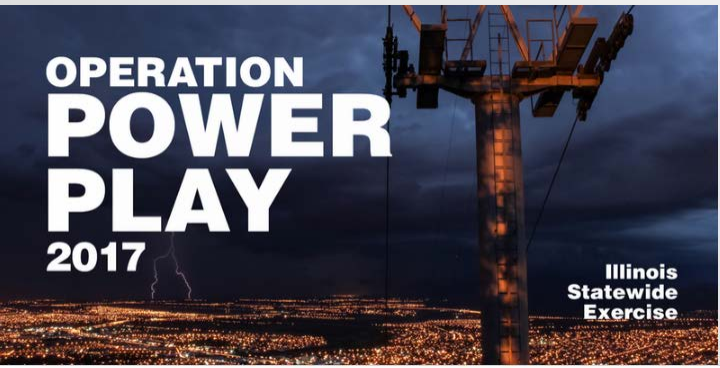
- **RESTORE** offers insights into *physical* outage repair times at critical infrastructure facilities
- Identifies the dependencies of the affected infrastructure and its impact on the restoration process



- **EGRIP** is an AC power flow based cascading failure/outage and integrated power system restoration optimization tool
- Restoration module supports restoration planning and operational decision-making for bulk-level and distribution-level restoration

ARGONNE'S ENERGY SECTOR RESILIENCE MODELING TOOLS

- online Virtual Community Platform (onVCP) and Virtual Business Emergency Operations Center (vBEOC) provide situational awareness and Common Operating Picture for drills/exercises and during actual events

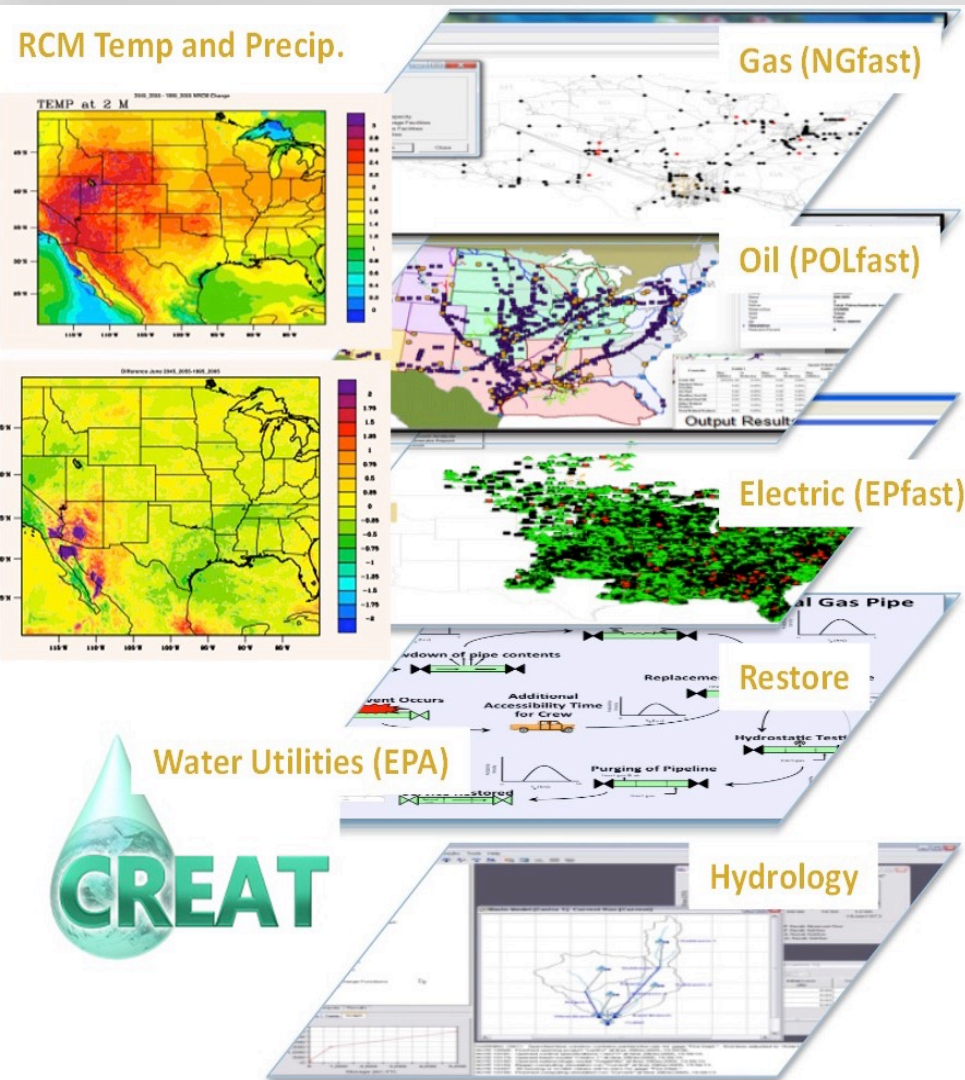


Shared Information Includes:

Situational awareness of such information as road closures, utility outages, and disaster area store closures can support private sector and government responder cooperation to promote mutual resiliency.

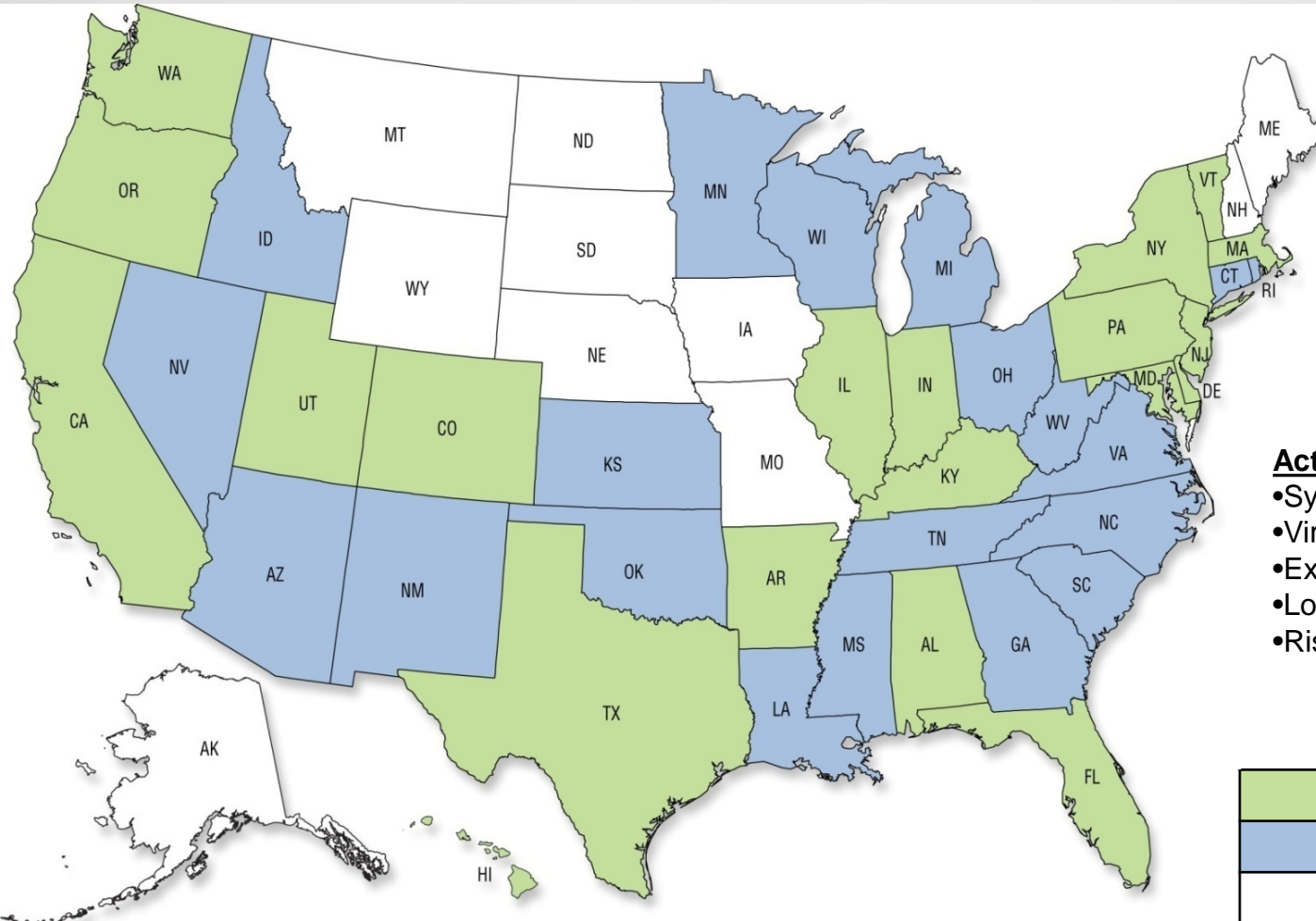
onVCP/vBEOC 4000+ users;
700 unique organizations

TOOL APPLICATIONS: SUPPORT DHS REGIONAL ENERGY RESILIENCE STUDIES



- Regional Resilience Assessment Program (RRAP)
- RRAP process identifies critical infrastructure security and resilience gaps; dependencies; interdependencies; cascading effects; State, local, tribal, and territorial government capability gaps; and resilience measures
- Argonne completed **over 60 RRAPs** (2009-2017)
- RRAPs include multiple infrastructure assessment tools (oil, gas, electric, water, service restoration)

TOOL APPLICATIONS: SUPPORT EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS IN 40 STATES



Activities

- Sync Matrix planning
- Virtual Joint Planning Office
- Exercises
- Logistics Process Analysis model
- Risk communication training

Legend

Light Green	4 or more activities
Light Blue	1-3 activities
White	0 activities



TOOL APPLICATIONS: SUPPORT REGIONAL AND NATIONAL-LEVEL EXERCISES

The map displays several energy exercise scenarios across the United States:

- Red Wave** (November 29-30, 2011): Western Regional Energy Assurance Exercise. Logos for U.S. DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY and City of Phoenix.
- Amber Borealis** (June 16-17, 2011): Northeast Regional Energy Assurance Exercise. U.S. DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY logo.
- White Prairie** (August 31-September 1, 2011): Midwest Regional Energy Assurance Exercise. U.S. DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY logo.
- Red Earth** (March 1-2, 2011): Southern Regional Energy Assurance Exercise. U.S. DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY logo.

Scenario locations and icons on the map include:

- SHUT HER DOWN OCT 11-13 GENERAL STRIKE Support our Truckers** (multiple locations)
- CYBER ATTACK** (multiple locations)
- Ethanol Plant Explosion** (Nebraska)
- PIPELINE EXPOSITION** (Arkansas)
- DROUGHT** (Arkansas)
- TANKER FIRE** (Texas)
- WIND** (New Mexico)
- HAZARDOUS MATERIAL** (Maine)
- HAZARDOUS MATERIAL** (Washington)

Other elements include a house icon in the top left, a wind turbine icon in the bottom center, and various state names labeled on the map.

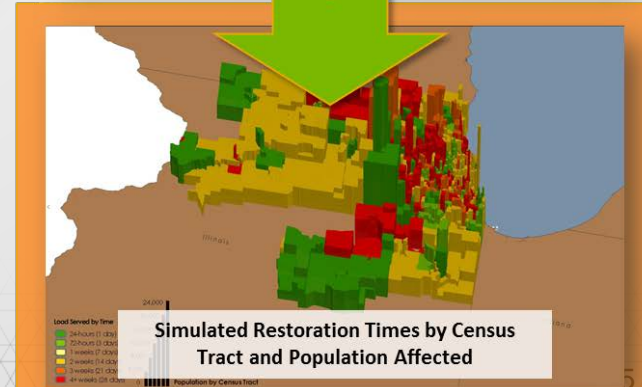
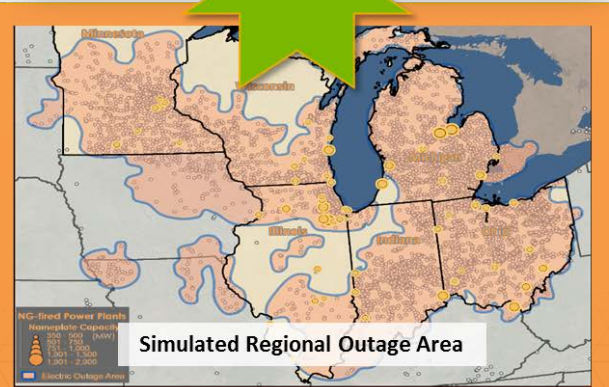
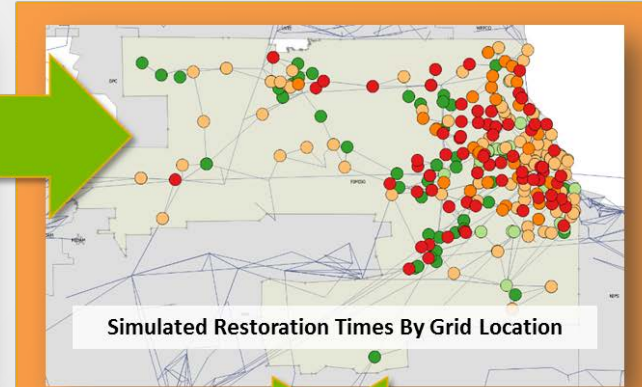
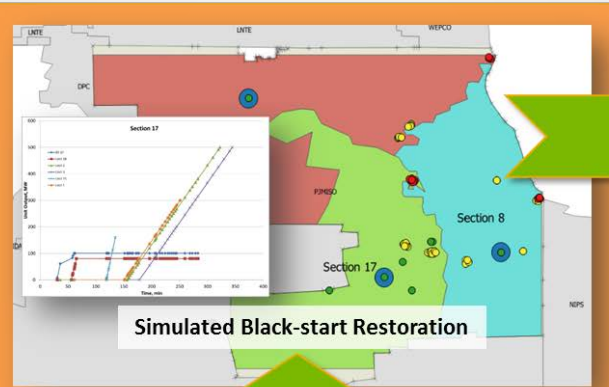
TOOL APPLICATIONS: SUPPORT FEMA REGIONAL POWER OUTAGE EXERCISES

- Enable resilience stakeholders to consider restoration/recovery aspects for more effective emergency preparedness

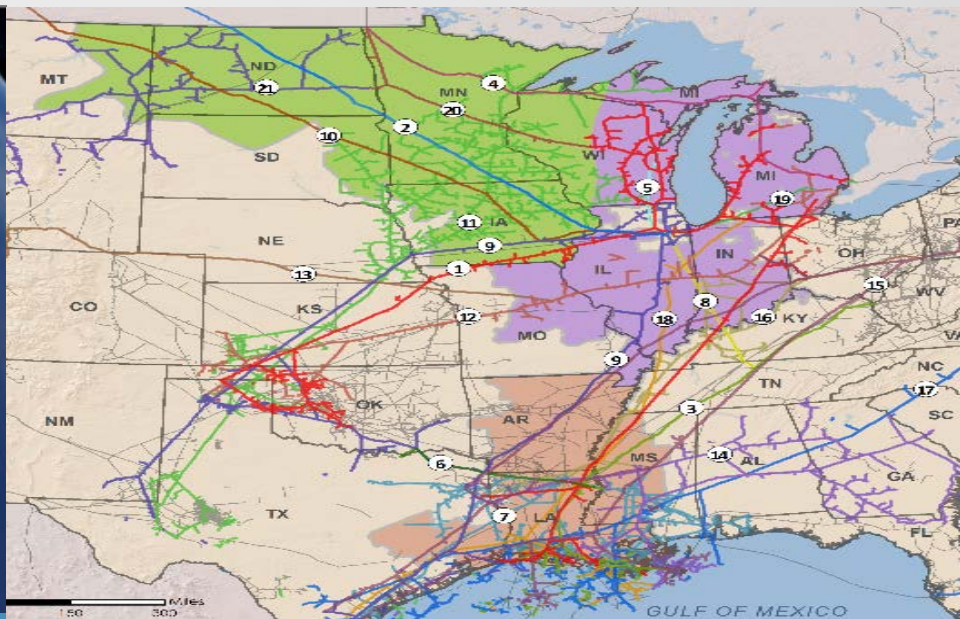
- EPfast for impact/outage analysis, EGRIP to find optimal restoration plan that minimizes the overall power system restoration time

- DHS/FEMA Region 5: Grid impacts and response/recovery/restoration from large-scale cyber attack

- DHS/FEMA Region 8: Impacts of major weather event



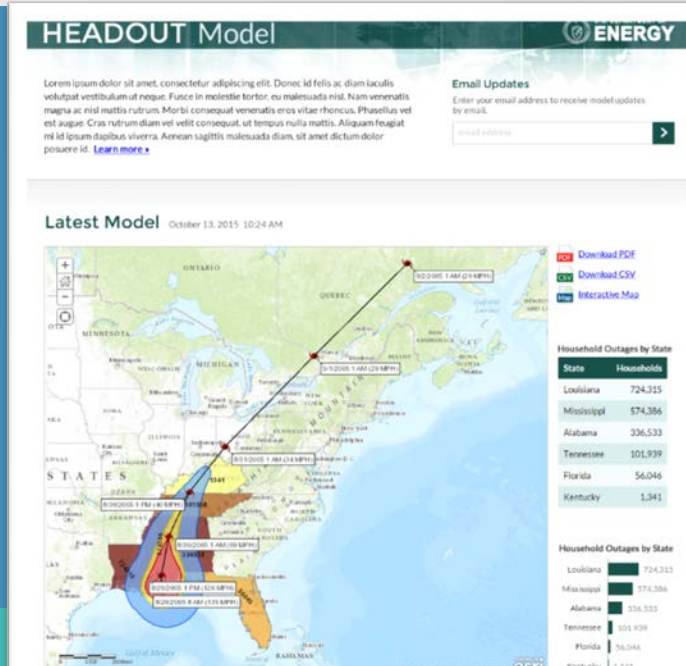
TOOL APPLICATIONS: MISO EP/PSR EXERCISES/DRILLS



- Supported MISO working group for Emergency Preparedness and Power System Restoration (EP/PSR) since spring 2015
- Participated in 2016 spring drill on preparedness, October 2016 fall drill on response/recovery, April/May spring drill on preparedness
- Spring drills focus on hurricane scenario and impacts on various assets, including power plants, substations, transmission assets, and communications
- Fall drills focus on restoration while facing natural gas issues

TOOL APPLICATIONS: REAL-TIME IMPACT PROJECTIONS

- **Hurricane Electrical Assessment Damage Outage Tool (HEADOUT)**
- Quick turn around tool currently used by Federal Agencies
- HEADOUT tool typically used in support of DOE response activities; initially applied up to 5 days before hurricane landfall
- Currently applied to Hurricane Harvey providing critical information across U.S. Government
- Tool outputs: Customers at-risk of electric outage by county and State
- Results can be calculated by census tract and county
- Results updated when new NOAA Advisory information becomes available
- Maps and data files can be downloaded, and can be viewed on interactive map online



Tropical Storm Harvey

5 AM EDT Tue Aug 29 2017
Position:
28.1 N 94.8 W
Maximum Winds:
45 mph
Wind Gusts:
55 mph
Movement:

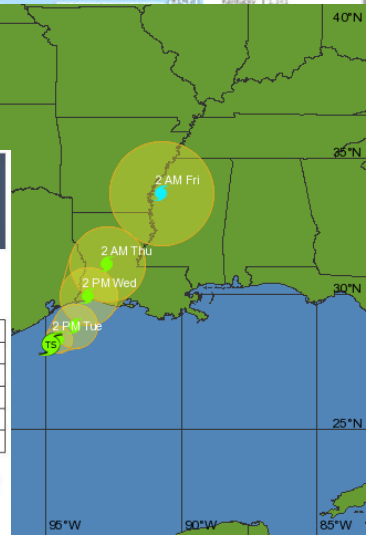
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Hurricane Harvey

Situation Report (Report #2 | Update #1)

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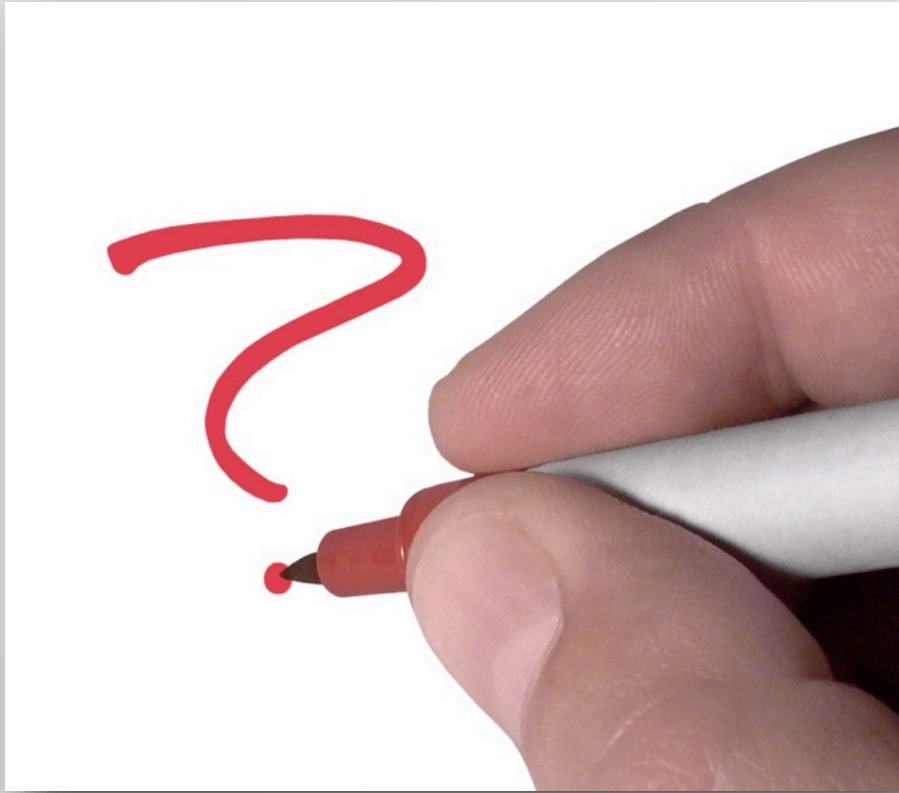
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IN SUMMARY

- Argonne offers extensive experience and expertise and a range of tools to meet stakeholder needs for enhanced situational awareness, vulnerability and resilience analysis and evaluation, operational drill and exercise support, and faster and more efficient response and recovery
- Argonne works with diverse stakeholders, including electric, natural gas, and telecommunications industries, and emergency response agencies
- Argonne's tools are used extensively by industry and stakeholders and have already led to tangible steps to improve energy sector security and resilience

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