# Multi Objective Optimization of Environmental Constrained Economic Dispatch Problem

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## **ABSTRACT**

This chapter deals with implementation of multi objective optimization methods for solving economic emission dispatch (EED) problem of thermal power generators. Four different evolutionary algorithms such as non-dominated sorting genetic algorithm-II (NSGA-II), multi-objective particle swarm optimization (MOPSO), multi-objective differential evolutionary algorithm (MODE) and multi-objective adaptive clonal selection algorithm (MOACSA) have been presented to solve EED problem. In all these methods a non-dominated sorting technique along with crowded distance ranking is used to find and manage the pareto optimal front. Here three different objectives namely cost,  $NO_X$  emission and loss are considered for optimization. In formulation of EED problem for multi-objective optimization various operational constraints in addition to power demand equality constraints are taken into consideration. An IEEE 30-bus 6 unit test system is considered to show the efficiency of the presented methods in solving MOEED problem. The results are compared with two and three objective case studies by using these four algorithms namely NSGA-II, MOPSO, MODE and MOACSA methods.

Keywords: Multi-objective optimization, economic emission dispatch, clonal selection algorithm

## 1. INTRODUCTION

Traditionally ED problem [1-4] plays vital role in optimal operation of power system. It is referred as the process of allocation of generation to various generating units available such that cost of generation is optimum subject to several equality and inequality constraints. However, with increase in public awareness over the environmental pollution caused by thermal plants, EED problem [5, 6] has drawn much more attention for a good dispatch scheme forn great economical benefit, and reduced pollutants emission.

Various investigations on EED have been reported in the literature till date. A direct approach using conventional methods is, to convert multi-objective EED (MOEED) problem into an equivalent single objective problem [7, 8] by treating emission as constraint. However this method fails in getting complete trade-off curve between cost and emission due to approximation model.

Later a linear programming based optimization technique is proposed in [9] to solve EED problem by considering only one objective at any point of time. But this method requires high computation time and it also fails in giving precise information about complete trade-off curve between cost and emission. In other direction, Zahavi et al. converted MOEED problem to a single objective problem with linear combination of different objectives as a weighted sum [10], in which a set of Pareto-optimal solutions are attained with different weights. Unfortunately, this method demands multiple runs to get Pareto-optimal solutions and not suitable for problems having a non-convex Pareto front.

In recent years many biological inspired [11], swarm intelligence [12] and artificial intelligent based techniques [13] are developed and applied successfully to solve EED problems. The AIS's with intrinsic characteristics [14] are capable to make these methods more appropriate for MOO. Recently, AIS based algorithm is used to solve combined heat and power ED problem by Basu [15]. In this article a new artificial immune system based adaptive clonal selection algorithm (ACSA) is presented in addition to three standard algorithms namely NSGA-II, MOPSO and MODE. All these four methods are applied to solve multi-objective EED problem.

# 2. MATHEMATICAL FORMULATION OF EED PROBLEM

The mathematical formulation of EED problem treated as MOOP. In literature, this MOOP formulation is defined well and is presented briefly in this section. The general MOOP is composed of control variables set, objective functions, several equality and inequality constraints that are functional relations.

## 3. PROBLEM OBJECTIVE FUNCTIONS:

In this chapter, three different objectives are considered for illustrating various multi-objective optimization methods. These objective functions are minimization of fuel cost,  $NO_X$  emission and real power transmission loss.

## Minimization of fuel cost

The ED problem is defined as minimization of the total fuel cost by satisfying various equality and inequality constraints. The total fuel cost function of generator units can be denoted as:

$$F_{1} = \sum_{i=1}^{NG} FC_{i} \left( P_{Gi} \right) = \sum_{i=1}^{NG} a_{i} + b_{i} P_{Gi} + c_{i} P_{Gi}^{2} (\$/h)$$
(1)

where  $a_i, b_i$  and  $c_i$  are the quadratic fuel cost coefficients pertain to  $i^{th}$  generator;  $P_{Gi}$  is generating real power output of  $i^{th}$  generator; NG is the total generator units.

# Minimization of $NO_X$ emission

Thermal units operating with fossil-fuels may release environmental pollutant emissions due to burning of fuels for production of electrical power. The emission function includes sum of all type of emissions like sulphur oxides  $SO_X$  and nitrogen oxides  $NO_X$ . The emission produced by each thermal unit denoted as a quadratic function in terms generator power output. Therefore the objective function represents minimization of  $NO_X$  or  $SO_X$  emission may be mathematically modelled as:

$$F_{2} = \sum_{i=1}^{NG} (\alpha_{i} P_{Gi}^{2} + \beta_{i} P_{Gi} + \gamma_{i}) + \xi_{i} e^{\lambda_{i} P_{Gi}}$$
(2)

where  $\alpha_i$ ,  $\beta_i$ ,  $\gamma_i$ ,  $\xi_i$  and  $\lambda_i$  are emission coefficients of the  $i^{th}$  thermal unit.

## Minimization of real power loss

Active power transmission loss  $P_L$  is also treated as one objective function, since the loss reduction is an efficient way to decrease the generation cost and increases the social welfare. This objective function denoted as:

$$F_{3} = P_{L} = \sum_{k=1}^{NL} g_{k} [V_{i}^{2} + V_{j}^{2} - 2V_{i}V_{j}\cos(\delta_{i} - \delta_{j})]$$
(3)

where  $g_k$  is the conductance of a transmission line k connected between buses i and j;  $V_i$ ,  $V_j$  are the voltage magnitudes at bus i and j respectively;  $\delta_i$  and  $\delta_j$  are the phase angles of voltages at bus i and j respectively.

#### **Problem Constraints**

The OPF problem has to satisfy both equality and inequality constraints. The operating limits of system are assumed as inequality constraints, while load flow equations are equality constraints.

#### Equality constraints

The equality constraint represents real power balance equilibrium condition it must satisfy always for any power system network, i.e.

$$\sum_{i=1}^{NG} P_{Gi} - P_D - P_L = 0 \tag{4}$$

Here  $P_D$  is total active power demand in the system. And  $P_L$  is total transmission losses which can be calculated by using the NR load flow method.

## Inequality constraints

The inequality constraints representing the system operating limits as follows.

Generation constraints: Generator voltages, real power outputs and reactive power outputs are restricted by their lower and upper bounds as follows:

$$V_{Gi}^{\min} \le V_{Gi} \le V_{Gi}^{\max}, \quad i = 1, \dots, NG$$

$$P_{Gi}^{\min} \le P_{Gi} \le P_{Gi}^{\max}, \quad i = 1, ..., NG$$
 (6)

$$Q_{Gi}^{\min} \le Q_{Gi} \le Q_{Gi}^{\max}, \quad i = 1, ..., NG$$
 (7)

Transformer constraints: Transformer tap settings are restricted by their minimum and maximum limits as follows:

$$T_i^{\min} \le T_i \le T_i^{\max}, \quad i = 1, \dots, NT$$
 (8)

where NT – Number of tap changing transformers

Shunt VAR constraints: Reactive power injections at buses are restricted by their minimum and maximum limits as:

$$Q_{Ci}^{\min} \le Q_{Ci} \le Q_{Ci}^{\max}, \quad i = 1, ..., NC$$
 (9)

where NC – Number of shunt compensators

Security constraints: These include the limits of voltage magnitudes at load buses and transmission line loadings as follows:

$$V_{Ii}^{\min} \le V_{Ii} \le V_{Ii}^{\max}, \quad i = 1, ..., N_{PQ}$$
 (10)

$$S_{ii} \le S_{ii}^{\text{max}}, \quad i = 1, \dots, NL \tag{11}$$

# 4. CONSTRAINTS HANDLING TECHNIQUE

In optimization process there is possibility of violation of inequality constraints results in infeasible solution. When too many constraints are imposed in problem there is a chance to get no solution satisfying all of them. In order to solve this problem a penalty factor is added to objective function corresponding to different security constraints like load bus voltage limits, line flow limits and reactive power generation limits. If all the security constraints are satisfied then the penalty function value will be zero. All security constraint violations are handled as sum of all penalties which is added to one of the objective function is given by

$$Jpen = J_{LF} + J_{RV} + J_{Or}$$
 (12)

Penalty function for line flow violations,

$$J_{LF} = Kp \sum_{i=1}^{NL} (|S_{li}| - S_{li}^{\lim})^2$$
 (13)

Penalty function for load bus voltage violations,

$$J_{BV} = K_{\nu} \sum_{\substack{i=1 \ N_{PQ}}}^{N_{PQ}} (V_{li} - V_{max})^{2}, if V_{li} > V_{max} \text{ or}$$

$$= K_{\nu} \sum_{i=1}^{N_{PQ}} (V_{min} - V_{li})^{2}, if V_{li} < V_{min}$$
(14)

Penalty function for reactive power generation violation

$$J_{Qg} = K_q \sum_{\substack{i=1 \ NG}}^{NG} (Q_{Gi} - Q_{max})^2, \text{ if } Q_{Gi} > Q_{max} \text{ or}$$

$$= K_q \sum_{i=1}^{NG} (Q_{min} - Q_{Gi})^2, \text{ if } Q_{Gi} < Q_{min}$$
(15)

where Kp, Kv and Kq are the corresponding scaling factors for penalty functions.

#### 5. MULTI-OBJECTIVE OPTIMIZATION

In real world, any multi-objective optimization problem consists of several objective functions that are needed to optimize simultaneously with certain equality constraints along with inequality constraints. This MOOP can be formulated mathematically as:

$$Min \ F(x) = [f_1(x), f_2(x), \dots f_i(x)] \qquad i = 1, 2, \dots, N$$
(16)

subject to : 
$$\{g_j(x) = 0, h_k(x) \le 0\}$$
  $j = 1, 2, \dots, J; k = 1, 2, \dots, K;$ 

where  $f_i$ ,  $h_k$  and  $g_j$  are  $i^{th}$  objective function,  $k^{th}$  inequality constraint and  $j^{th}$  equality constraint respectively. x - represents a decision vector; N, K & J are number of multiple objectives, inequality and equality constraints.

## **Best Compromise Solution**

After having the Pareto-optimal set, a fuzzy-based mechanism is applied to extract a the best compromise solution. Due to imprecise nature of the decision maker's judgment, the  $i^{th}$  objective function of a solution in the Pareto-optimal set,  $F_i$ , is represented by a membership function  $\mu_i$  defined as

$$\mu_{i} = \begin{cases} 1, & F_{i} \leq F_{i}^{\min}, \\ \frac{F_{i}^{\max} - F_{i}}{F_{i}^{\max} - F_{i}^{\min}}, & F_{i}^{\min} < F_{i} < F_{i}^{\max}, \\ 0, & F_{i} \geq F_{i}^{\max}. \end{cases}$$
(17)

where  $F_i^{\text{max}}$  and  $F_i^{\text{min}}$  are the maximum and minimum values of the  $i^{th}$  objective function respectively.

# Particle swarm optimization (PSO)

Recently a new evolutionary computational intelligence technique called particle swarm optimization (PSO), has been proposed and introduced [16] to solve optimization problems. This technique combines social psychology principles in socio-cognition human agents and evolutionary computations. PSO has been motivated by the behavior of organisms such as fish schooling and bird flocking. Generally, PSO is characterized as simple in concept, easy to implement, and computationally efficient. Unlike the other heuristic techniques, PSO has a flexible and well-balanced mechanism to enhance the global and local exploration abilities.

## Differential Evolution (DE)

In the recent past, power full EA such as differential evolution (DE) techniques are employed for power system optimization problems. DE, developed by Storn et al. [17], is a numerical optimization approach that is simple to implement, significantly faster and robust. These methods, when used with real-valued parameters, optimize non-differentiable and nonlinear continuous space problems. One of the significant features of DE is that it utilizes the variation of sampled object vectors pairs obtained at random to conduct mutation operation than using probability function like other EAs.

# Genetic Algorithm

Genetic algorithm (GA) is a directed random search method used to find global minimum solution in huge multidimensional search area. For the first time, Holland proposed GA [18] and is effectively applied to many optimization problems [19]. GA makes use of genetic operators to progressively develop fitness of population and control individuals in a solution population over numerous generations. Generally, all the optimization parameters are considered as binary numbers .The GA optimization uses a random numbers generator to generate random initial population. This method is useful when optimization problem prior knowledge is unavailable.

# Clonal Selection Algorithm

With the growth of computational intelligence in recent years, the branch of AIS has greatly influencing the engineering applications. The AIS based algorithms are developed using biological principles such as clone generation, proliferation and maturation. These principles are mimicked then included into an AIS based algorithm termed as the clonal selection algorithm (CSA) [20, 21]. The clonal selection algorithm (CSA) named CLONALG, was proposed by Leandro and Fernando [22] is population based stochastic technique. This CSA is more extensively used artificial immune based optimization method in pattern recognition and multimodal optimization problems with binary representation of variables.

# Implementation of MOACSA for EED Problem

This section deals with step by step procedure of the MOACSA method for solving EED problem with consideration of transmission loss, generation limits and all security constraints.

Generate randomly distributed antibodies of initial population with size  $(N_{pop} \times N)$  and store them in archive X.

$$X = \left[X_1 X_2 \dots X_i \dots X_{N_{pop}}\right]^T \tag{18}$$

where, 
$$X_i = [P_G V_G Tap Q_c]_{1xN}$$

All elements of vector  $X_i$  is set of decision variables called as molecules of particular antibody. The vector consists of these antibodies population to be evaluated and is denoted by:

$$P_{G} = \begin{bmatrix} P_{G1} P_{G2} \dots P_{Gi} \dots P_{G_{NG}} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$V_{G} = \begin{bmatrix} V_{G1} V_{G2} \dots V_{Gi} \dots V_{G_{NG}} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$Tap = \begin{bmatrix} T_{1} T_{2} \dots T_{i} \dots T_{NT} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$Q_{C} = \begin{bmatrix} Q_{C1} Q_{C2} \dots Q_{Ci} \dots Q_{C_{NC}} \end{bmatrix}$$
(19)

For each antibody satisfy the equality and inequality constraints. That means adjust the sum of  $P_{Gi}$ 

values in an antibody equal to total load demand,  $P_D$ , i.e.,  $\sum_{i=1}^{NG} \mathbf{P}_{Gi} = P_D$ 

Run NR load flow program for each antibody and calculate the transmission losses, slack bus power and line flows.

Evaluate the affinity for each antibody which is nothing but objective function values.

Cost function,  $F_1$  evaluating from eq. 1

 $NO_x$  emission function,  $F_2$  estimated from eq. 2

Loss P<sub>L</sub> estimated from eq. 3

The initial population is sorted using non-dominated sorting technique described in section 1.3.1 and then assign crowding distance [23].

Set iteration counter k = 0

$$k = k + 1$$

Select the best population  $N_{sel}$  of antibodies which gives non-dominated solution from the archive  $X_{nds}$  and store them at an archive  $X_{best}$  for cloning and maturate operation.

Cloning of population set  $C = [C_1 \ C_2 \cdots C_i \cdots C_{N_{sel}}]$ , where  $C_i$  represents number of copies of  $i^{th}$  antibody from  $X_{hest}$ 

The population of clones undergoes somatic hyper maturation results in new antibody is given by:

$$C_{now}(i) = C(i) + \alpha_i * (R_{d1} - R_{d2}) * \max(f_i)$$
(20)

where  $R_{d1}$  and  $R_{d2}$  are two randomly generated numbers in the range of 1 to N and  $\alpha_i$  is mutation rate and given as:

$$\alpha_i = \exp(-f_i \rho) \tag{21}$$

where  $\rho$  controls decay of exponential function,  $f_i$  is normalized antigenic affinity over the interval (0,1).

$$f_i = \frac{F_i}{\sum_{i=1}^{N_{sel}} F_i}$$
 (22)

where  $F_i$  is the fitness or affinity of  $i^{th}$  best population

Again each molecule of new mutated antibody is tested for any constraint violation.

Recalculate the affinity of all mutated clones as in 4<sup>th</sup> step and sorted again based on non-dominated sorting.

Modify the acceleration factor  $cc = cc \times \gamma$  where  $\gamma$  value lies in between 0.5 to 1.1.

Check for stopping criterion. If the iterations are reaches to maximum go to next step, otherwise go to step 7.

Obtain Pareto optimal set of solutions from final iteration.

Step1: The best compromised solution is obtained from Pareto optimal front using fuzzy membership function approach.

#### 6. SIMULATION RESULTS

The proposed multi-objective optimization algorithms presented in this chapter are tested on 6-unit IEEE 30-bus test system. This system has 6 generators, 41 transmission lines, 4 transformers and 9 reactive power injections at various buses. The detailed data of the test system is available in [24]. The generator voltage limits, transformer taps and Qshunts are assumed to have their upper and lower limits as shown in Table 1.

 Variables
 Vgs
 Taps
 Qshunts

 Min
 0.95
 0.9
 0

 Max
 1.1
 1.1
 0.05

**Table 1: Limits of Control variables** 

For this test system three objectives, namely fuel cost, emission and loss have been considered for optimization. For comparison purpose the simulations carried out on test system for Tri-objective optimization (Fuel cost,  $NO_x$  emission and loss)

This MOEED problem has also been solved by implementing four different algorithms namely MOACSA, NSGA-II, MOPSO and MODE and results are compared. The control parameters of all the four algorithms are given in Table 2.

MOACSA	NSGA-II	MOPSO	MODE
Population = 50	Population = 50	Population = 50	Population = 50
Best pop = $40$	No. of gen = $200$	No. of gen = $200$	No. of gen = $200$
No. of iterations= 200	Crossover = 5	C1 = 2	Crossover = 0.98
Clonal size factor= 1	Mutation = 50	C2 = 2	FF = 0.5
cc = 0.8971	Tournament= 2		Tournament= 1

Table 2: Control parameters of various algorithms used for computation

## Tri objective optimization:

This case study is an example of three-dimensional multi-objective optimization of EED problem with all security constraints. Here, three objectives are optimized simultaneously by all the four methods. The Pareto fronts of various methods are indicated in Fig. 1 for case-ii. The optimal settings of control variables along with function are tabulated in Table 3 for case-ii. The best compromised solution with each method for tri-objective optimization is given in Table 4.

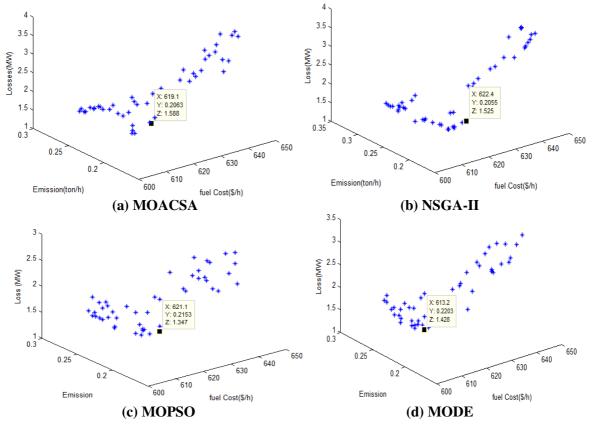


Fig. 1: Pareto optimal front of test system with cost, emission and loss as objectives (case-ii)

Table 3: Optimal solution of test system with various methods for cost, emission and loss objectives (case ii)

Method	MOACSA	1		NSGA-II			MOPSO			MODE		
37	Min.											
Variables	Cost	emission	loss									
P <sub>G1</sub> (MW)	11.1752	41.2880	6.2139	11.1706	40.6724	6.2721	11.4414	39.3378	6.3699	12.1408	42.4797	6.2734
$P_{G2}(MW)$	29.7040	46.2594	31.7717	30.4959	46.3320	32.6688	30.5673	47.4179	24.2273	29.4058	44.4386	24.1763
P <sub>G3</sub> (MW)	49.8639	54.5698	40.6684	48.6156	54.3400	45.4479	49.2656	55.6444	36.0631	50.2645	54.6859	50.3077
P <sub>G4</sub> (MW)	98.4056	39.2474	73.9788	99.6893	39.0773	68.7522	99.7133	38.2066	82.1996	99.3312	41.2023	73.6692
P <sub>G5</sub> (MW)	60.8407	54.1692	98.4977	60.0850	54.7380	99.8029	58.8156	54.3895	99.8895	58.6216	51.9644	98.6881
P <sub>G6</sub> (MW)	35.2904	51.4756	33.4835	35.3764	51.6968	31.7282	35.7228	51.5777	36.0205	35.6772	51.3260	31.5587
V <sub>1</sub> (p.u.)	1.0165	1.0383	1.0500	1.0458	1.0439	1.0479	1.0155	1.0295	1.0194	1.0600	1.0595	1.0600
V <sub>2</sub> (p.u.)	1.0138	1.0145	1.0500	1.0451	1.0226	1.0470	1.0215	1.0201	1.0157	1.0599	1.0535	1.0541
V <sub>3</sub> (p.u.)	1.0240	0.9792	1.0474	1.0482	1.0027	1.0495	1.0209	1.0021	1.0229	1.0571	1.0588	1.0595
V <sub>4</sub> (p.u.)	1.0500	0.9866	1.0500	1.0622	1.0913	1.0484	1.0489	1.0052	1.0409	1.0600	1.0444	1.0600
V <sub>5</sub> (p.u.)	1.0040	0.9523	1.0466	1.0354	0.9895	1.0467	1.0098	0.9708	1.0139	1.0600	1.0546	1.0555
V <sub>6</sub> (p.u.)	1.0486	1.0187	1.0500	1.0417	1.0928	1.0651	1.0214	1.0385	1.0398	1.0405	1.0360	1.0600
$T_1$	0.9584	1.0447	0.9873	0.9600	1.0578	0.9647	0.9944	1.0302	0.9796	1.0628	1.1000	1.0239
$T_2$	1.0400	0.9773	1.0353	1.0008	1.0756	1.0130	0.9890	0.9699	0.9686	0.9326	0.9049	0.9190
$T_3$	0.9475	0.9616	0.9478	1.0587	0.9012	1.0099	0.9856	0.9575	0.9812	1.0587	1.1000	1.0327
$T_4$	0.9595	0.9624	0.9606	0.9847	0.9530	0.9846	0.9779	1.0375	0.9784	0.9821	0.9784	0.9830
Q <sub>c10</sub> (p.u)	0.0500	0.0013	0.0500	0.0456	0.0202	0.0393	0.0368	0.0269	0.0308	0.0146	0.0009	0
Q <sub>c12</sub> (p.u)	0.0134	0.0070	0.0500	0.0159	0.0344	0.0385	0.0260	0.0311	0.0196	0.0421	0.0500	0.0500
Q <sub>c15</sub> (p.u)	0.0427	0.0203	0.0500	0.0500	0.0097	0.0142	0.0215	0.0282	0.0211	0.0447	0.0345	0.0500
Q <sub>c17</sub> (p.u)	0.0500	0.0500	0.0460	0.0254	0.0392	0.0352	0.0282	0.0342	0.0320	0.0500	0	0.0500
Q <sub>c21</sub> (p.u)	0.0500	0.0109	0.0500	0.0186	0.0065	0.0324	0.0291	0.0220	0.0396	0.0143	0.0286	0.0383
Q <sub>c22</sub> (p.u)	0.0371	0.0351	0.0368	0.0167	0.0344	0.0476	0.0238	0.0344	0.0134	0.0361	0.0365	0.0140
Q <sub>c23</sub> (p.u)	0.0500	0.0460	0.0500	0.0024	0.0331	0.0498	0.0172	0.0317	0.0307	0.0347	0.0049	0.0195
Q <sub>c24</sub> (p.u)	0.0039	0.0098	0.0390	0.0153	0.0412	0.0275	0.0368	0.0200	0.0407	0.0430	0.0500	0.0500
Q <sub>c29</sub> (p.u)	0.0341	0.0254	0.0386	0.0349	0.0400	0.0384	0.0223	0.0187	0.0298	0.0273	0.0044	0.0178
Cost(\$/h)	604.6608	646.2704	616.7591	604.9608	645.7921	619.0763	605.0620	645.4718	616.1043	604.8634	642.8147	617.0217
Emission	0.2434	0.1942	0.2249	0.2211	0.1942	0.2224	0.2477	0.1942	0.2354	0.2475	0.1943	0.2264
Loss (MW)	1.8798	3.6094	1.2139	2.0400	3.4565	1.2721	2.1260	3.1739	1.3699	2.0411	2.6970	1.2734
∑PGi(MW)	285.28	287.0094	284.6139	285.440	286.86	284.67	285.5260	286.5739	284.7699	285.44	286.10	284.67

Table 4: Best compromise solution of test system with various methods for tri-objectives

Variables	MOACSA	NSGA-II	MOPSO	MODE
P <sub>G1</sub> (MW)	22.2703	25.8574	11.1516	15.7933
$P_{G2}(MW)$	31.6977	33.9013	29.8121	30.1736
$P_{G3}(MW)$	46.0220	49.3873	44.2015	51.0804
$P_{G4}(MW)$	61.4704	56.5892	76.0960	61.7237
$P_{G5}(MW)$	84.8146	85.1319	90.0778	96.4820
$P_{G6}(MW)$	38.7134	34.0577	33.4891	29.4941
$V_1(p.u.)$	1.0360	1.0507	1.0177	1.0600
$V_2(p.u.)$	1.0366	1.0482	1.0151	1.0585
$V_3(p.u.)$	1.0447	1.0534	1.0248	1.0599
$V_4(p.u.)$	1.0435	1.0389	1.0482	1.0568
$V_5(p.u.)$	1.0500	1.0379	1.0205	1.0533
$V_6(p.u.)$	1.0479	1.0447	1.0358	1.0600
$\overline{\mathbf{T}}_{1}$	0.9508	0.9570	0.9841	1.0386
$T_2$	1.0932	1.0171	0.9742	0.9072
$T_3$	0.9720	1.0085	0.9757	0.9984
$T_4$	0.9527	0.9836	0.9753	0.9999
$Q_{c10}(p.u)$	0.0208	0.0381	0.0273	0.0179
$Q_{c12}(p.u)$	0.0333	0.0403	0.0210	0.0500
$Q_{c15}(p.u)$	0.0190	0.0176	0.0203	0
$Q_{c17}(p.u)$	0	0.0341	0.0325	0.0256
$Q_{c21}(p.u)$	0.0264	0.0303	0.0360	0.0064
$Q_{c22}(p.u)$	0.0500	0.0500	0.0146	0.0378
$Q_{c23}(p.u)$	0.0007	0.0500	0.0293	0.0196
$Q_{c24}(p.u)$	0.0417	0.0241	0.0391	0.0285
$Q_{c29}(p.u)$	0.0500	0.0365	0.0261	0.0229
Cost(\$/h)	619.0551	622.4143	613.1925	621.0733
Emission	0.2063	0.2055	0.2203	0.2153
Loss (MW)	1.5883	1.5248	1.4281	1.3469
∑PGi(MW)	284.9883	284.9248	284.8281	284.7469

#### 7. CONCLUSIONS

In this chapter four types of multi-objective optimization methods namely MOPSO, MODE, NSGA-II and MOACSA are presented to solve MOEED problem. The main target of the proposed methods is to find Pareto optimal set of solutions for power system control that satisfy both security and operational constraints simultaneously. The most important privilege of all the four methods is obtaining Pareto optimal front allowing the system operator to use their order of preference in selecting best solution for implementation. The feasibility of all the four methods for

solving MOEED problem is tested on standard IEEE 30-bus test system for two and three objective case studies. In two objective case studies only cost and emission objectives are considered with different operational constraints. While in three objective cases fuel cost, emission and loss objectives are considered with all security constraints.

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