



Transmission and Substation Subcommittee Updates

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- TSS is a technical advisory subcommittee under PC
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 - TSS Chair: Mr. Shashi Patel, PSE&G
 - Secretary: Jay Liu, PJM
- Maintain technical guidelines for transmission facilities
 - Investigate new technologies and develop associated design guidelines
 - Track best practices of the industry
- Monthly meetings

- TSS Special Session on ***Bare Overhead Transmission Conductor Ratings*** started in March 2022
 - General revisions, edits, and modifications to OHL conductor rating calculations for expanded temperature range with results in 5F temperature intervals.
 - Sensitivity of environmental parameters to normal and short-term emergency ratings are also available in the ratings calculation tool for illustration purposes.
 - Draft revision of Section VI.a. and OHL Conductor rating calculation spreadsheet are posted for peer review

- TSS survey on applicable wind speed design criteria for Transmission and Substation facilities
- TOs' good practices on Dynamic Line Rating technologies related equipment and associated O&M issues
- New materials and technologies
- Transmission and Substation design for grid resilience
- Participations at industry technical forums

- TSS will investigate technology evolutions and develop/update the following TSS Guideline Sections:
 - New transmission line and substation materials and designs
 - FACTS and HVDC facilities
 - Design and Maintenance Guidelines on GIS and GIL Facilities
 - Transmission facility design challenges associated with large scale renewable integration
 - Resilience related design issues: Winterization/GMD/EMP
 - Spare equipment philosophy
- TSS Special Session on OHL Conductor Rating will further investigate advance topics on the subject.

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