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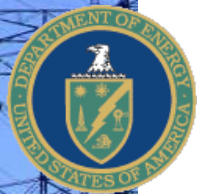
North American SynchroPhasor Initiative

*DOE Update and Projects Intro*

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# SGIG Electric Transmission Systems Projects

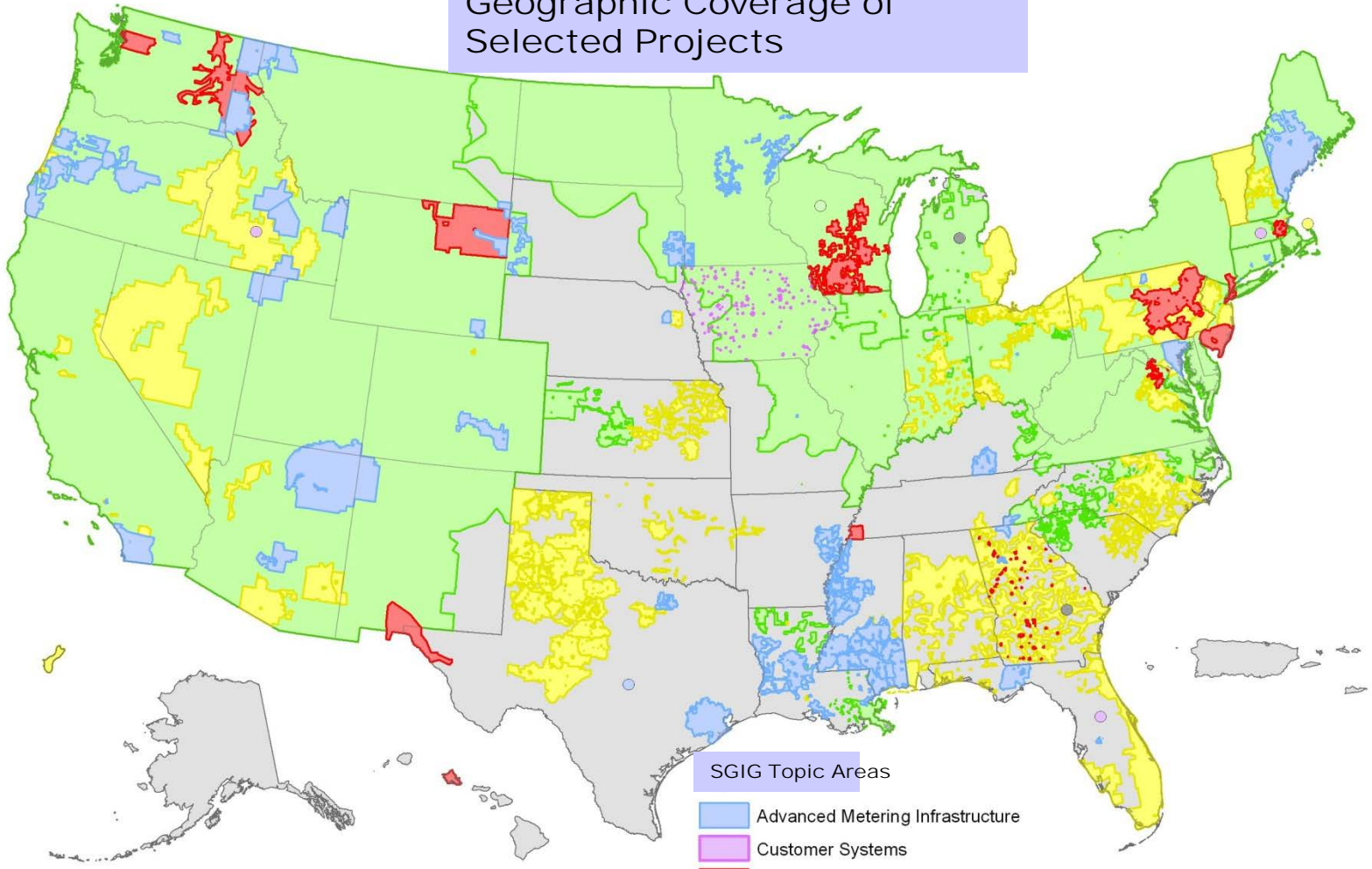
- American Transmission Company, LLC (PMU) \$2.7\*
- American Transmission Company, LLC (SCADA) 22.9
- Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC 7.8
- Entergy Services, Inc. 9.2
- Midwest Energy, Inc 1.4
- Midwest ISO, Inc – 15 trans owner partners 34.5
- ISO New England, Inc – 7 18.1
- New York ISO, Inc - 8 75.7
- PJM Interconnection, LLC – 12 27.8
- Western Electricity Coordinating Council – 18 107.8

\* Total Project Cost





# Geographic Coverage of Selected Projects



### SGIG Topic Areas

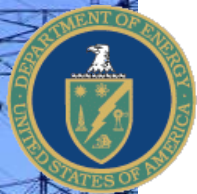
- Advanced Metering Infrastructure
- Customer Systems
- Electric Systems Distribution
- Electric Transmission Systems
- Equipment Manufacturing
- Integrated and/or Crosscutting Systems

100 Projects

Circle indicates project where specific utility/area is not known.

SMART GRID INVESTMENT GRANTS

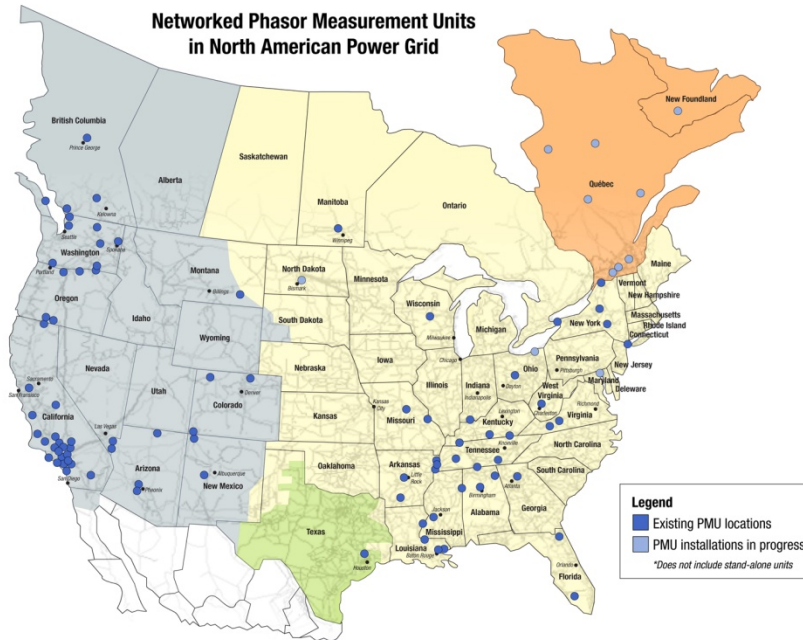




# Recovery Act Grants Have Accelerated Synchrophasor Deployment

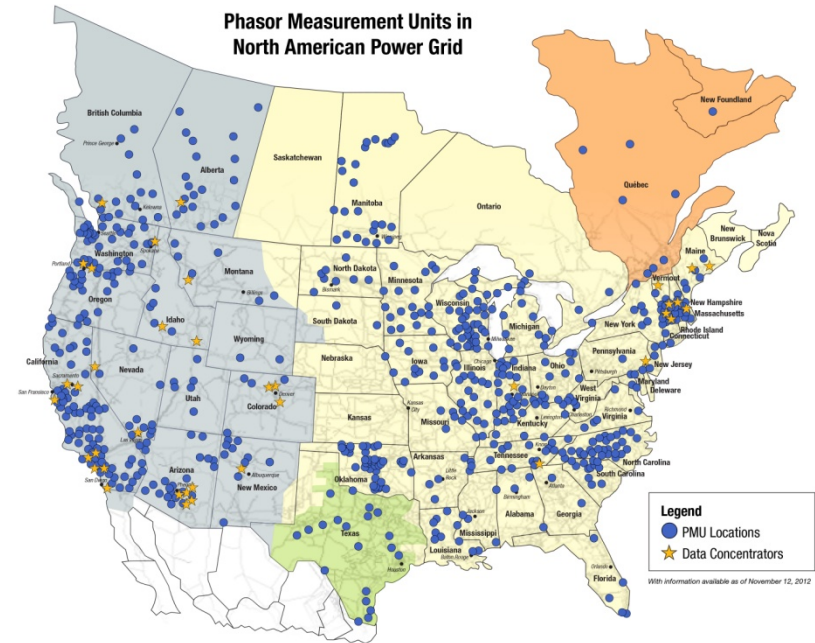
April 2007

Networked Phasor Measurement Units in North American Power Grid



November 2012

Phasor Measurement Units in North American Power Grid





# Advanced SynchroPhasor Research Projects

\$4.3 million awarded to four, 3-year projects

- **Regents of University of California**
    - Security-Dependability Adaptive Protection System
    - Alarms for Power Swing Encroachment on Relay Characteristics
    - Visualization
  - **Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University**
    - Develop and Implement Synchrophasor-Based State Estimator
    - Develop Transducer Calibration Techniques
    - Characterize and Analyze Unbalanced Conditions
    - Develop Tools to Determine Optimum Islanding Strategies During Catastrophic System Events
    - Develop Visualization Tools for the 3-phase Tracking State Estimator
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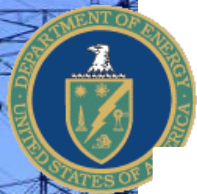
# Advanced SynchroPhasor Research Projects (con't)

- **Georgia Tech Research Corporation**

- Real-Time Implementation of the Distributed Dynamic State Estimation and Wide-Area Transient Stability Analysis
- Apply to On-Line Generator Parameter Identification to Generators in the NYPA System
- Implement Transient Stability Monitoring at other Plants/Substations

- **Electric Power Research Institute**

- Wide-area, Real-time Visualization of Frequency ,Voltage and Current Contours for Security Monitoring
- On-Line Identification of Major Events
- On-Line Event “Instant” Replay



# Advanced SynchroPhasor Research Projects (con't)

- **Washington State University**

Power Grid Reliability and Security – Analysis and Simulation  
for a Secure Communication Network from PMU to  
Synchrophasor Applications



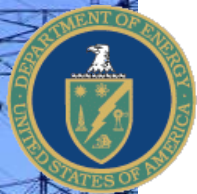




# NSF/DOE University of Tennessee/Knoxville Engineering Research Center (ERC)

- **University of Tennessee Knoxville - ERC**  
Center for Ultra-wide-area Resilient Electric Energy  
Transmission Network (CURENT)
  - Monitoring and Sensing
  - Communications and Cyber Security
  - Computation and Modeling
  - Control and Actuation
  - Economic Analysis





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