



IES

Integrated Energy Systems

Framework for Optimization of Resources and Economics (FORCE) Overview

Integrated Energy Systems (IES) Tools:
Capability Overview and Training
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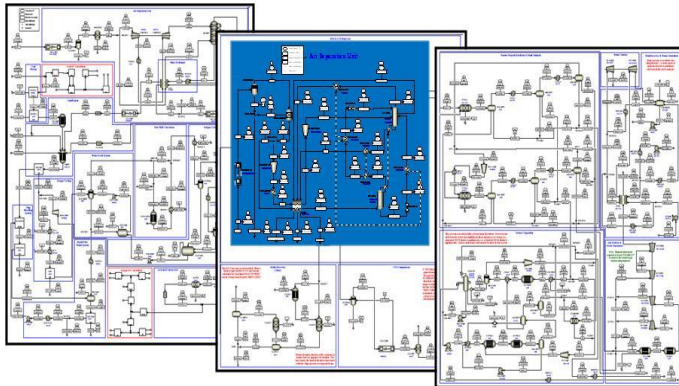
IES Guiding Questions

- What are **economically and technically viable** options for integrated energy system (IES) coupling to nuclear power plants in specific grid energy systems?
- What is the **statistically ideal** mix for Nuclear-IES within various markets?
- What are **driving economic factors** that existing and future nuclear technology can leverage through IES production coupling?
- What are **optimal coupling strategies** between IES technologies and nuclear power plants? Safety?
- What is the **governing control** scheme for IES?

Energy system modeling, analysis, and evaluation for energy system optimization

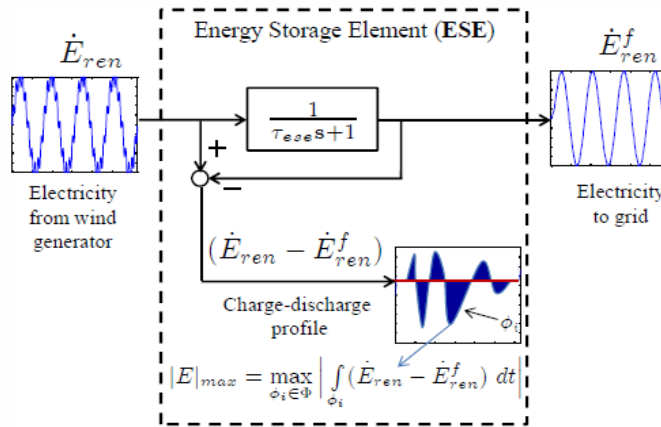
Graded approach to identify design, and evaluate hybrid system architectures

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Process Models**



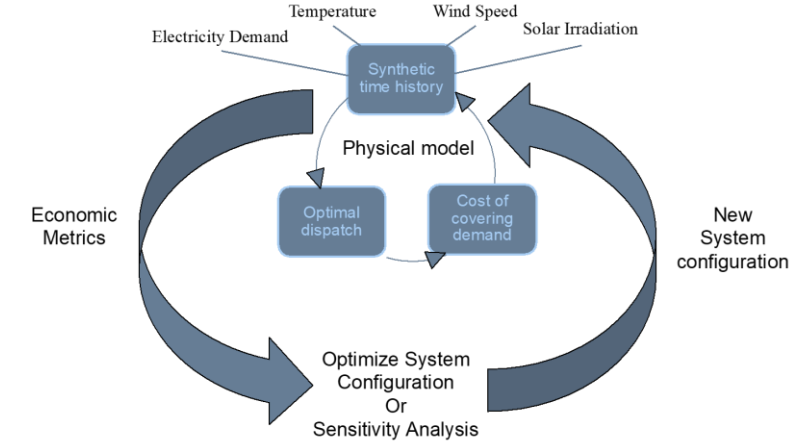
Process modeling addresses technical and economic value proposition

**Modelica®,
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Dynamic modeling addresses technical and control feasibility

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(INL System Optimization)**



System modeling addresses whole-system coordination

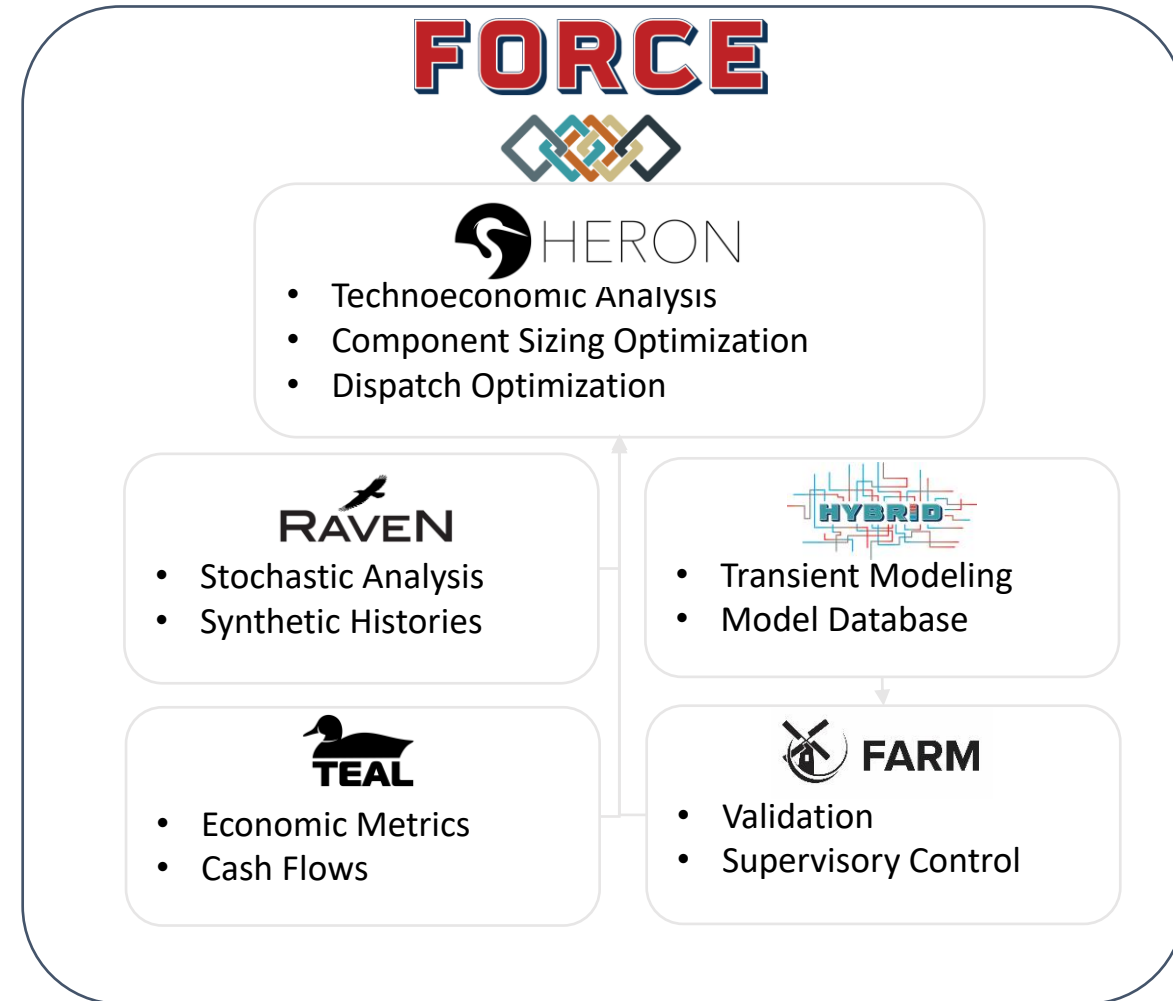
Consideration of Resource—Technology—Economic—Market Potential

- Framework for Optimization of Resources and Economics
 - Analysis of interconnected energy-related resources
 - Steam, electricity, hydrogen, water desalination, synthetic fuels, etc.
 - Coupling and control of IES
 - Carbon reduction of the existing energy grid via optimization of energy flows
 - Techno-economic analysis of integrated energy systems
 - What is the potential economic benefit of introducing technologies to a system?
 - Greenfield or existing systems
 - Dynamic analysis of interconnected subsystems
 - Unit sizing, dispatch optimization
 - Alternative market opportunities for existing generators

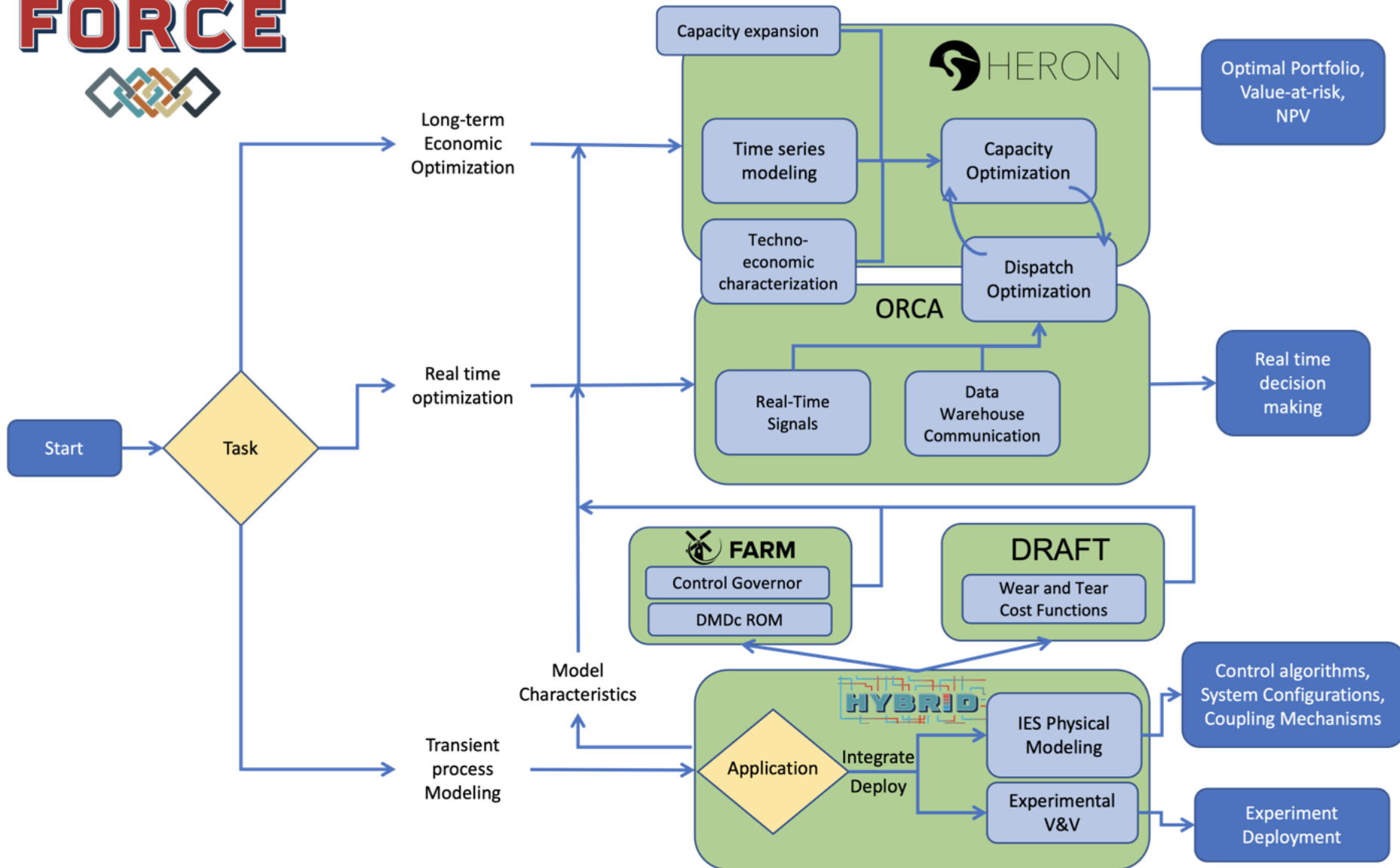
IES Analysis Tool Suite

- INL tools enable IES modeling analysis
 - Physical process, **integration** modeling and **safety** analysis.
 - Long-term **technoeconomic** analysis
 - Capacity, dispatch **optimization**
 - **Stochastic** analysis, multiple **commodities**
 - Energy **storage**, varied markets
 - **Real-time** optimization and control

See https://ies.inl.gov/SitePages/System_Simulation.aspx for more information and to access opensource tools.



Software Map

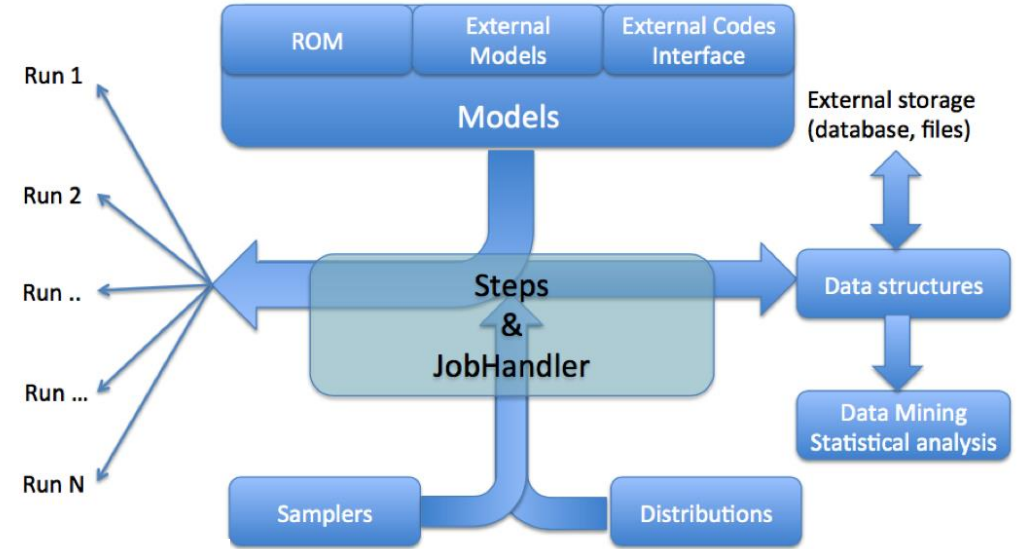
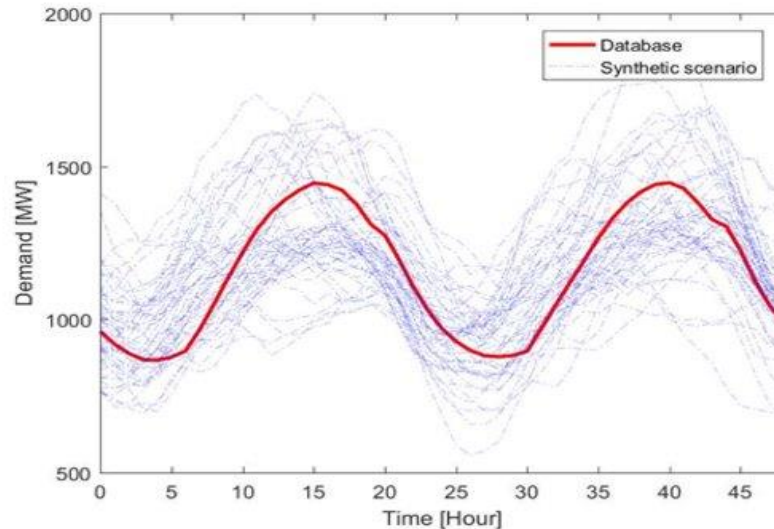


IES change the paradigm for energy generation and use, so we are breaking new ground in energy system planning and analysis

- Many other efforts exist to optimize energy systems, specifically for the grid
- What makes the IES approach different
 - Nuclear has different requirements that must be considered
 - Nuclear Quality Assurance (NQA 1)
 - Safety, licensing
 - Reactor operation
 - Full probabilistic approach is unique
 - Detailed system dynamics are included
 - Cross-sectoral energy system options are embraced
- Leveraging existing and ongoing efforts and toolsets to further enhance analysis and system optimization capability

Machine learning, optimization

- Synthetic time series
 - Energy demand, load
 - Market pricing
 - Wind, solar availability
- Multilevel optimization
 - Conjugate gradient
 - Simultaneous perturbation stochastic Approximation
- Stochastic analysis
 - Metric quantification
- Machine learning and AI
 - Surrogate training
 - Validation
 - Serialization





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