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Control and end-to-end stability analysis of converter dominated power systems

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Abstract: At the heart of the transition to a zero-carbon power system is a technological paradigm shift from conventional bulk generation to distributed renewable generation connected to the grid via power electronics. The rapid and massive integration of heterogeneous converter-interfaced renewable generation results in significantly different power system dynamics and challenges standard operating paradigms, system models, and controls. This talk will focus on recent results on universal grid-forming controls are compatible with a wide range of emerging and legacy technologies and form the basis for scalable end-to-end analytical stability certificates for converter-dominated power systems. In this general setting challenges arise from a lack of precise models at the system-level (i.e., network topology) and device-level (i.e., dynamics induced by proprietary controls). The talk concludes with an outlook on opportunities for certifying dynamic stability of converter-dominated power systems using data.

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