

Economic Impact of PV Forecast Inaccuracies on a Corporate Parking EV Charging Station

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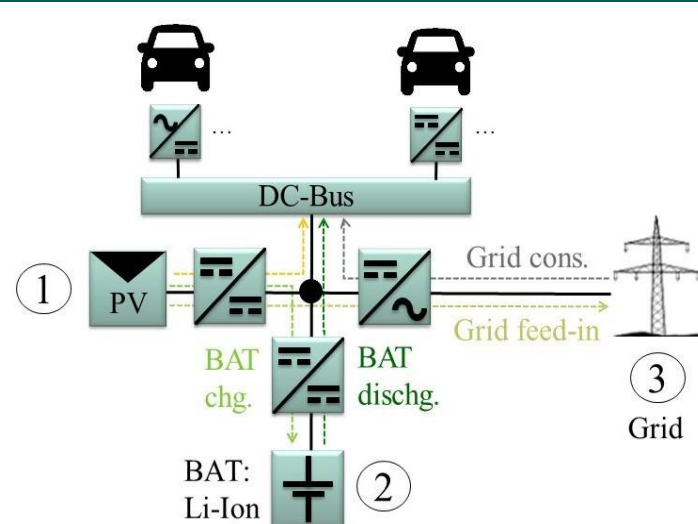
Motivation

- Global increase in share of EVs and RES leads to power fluctuation on demand and supply side
- Integration of RES decarbonizes the vehicle sector
- Economical viable solutions through RES and EVs

Objective

- Evaluate economic impact of PV forecast and sizing on a corporate parking charging infrastructure
- Avoid efficiency losses and achieve economic benefits due to DC coupling
- Profitability for share holder

Methodology and Data



Environment: Workplace (corporate)

Coupling: DC-coupling

Components: PV, BAT, converters

Charging points: 10.5 kW DC and 10.3.7 kW AC

Charging priorities: (1) PV, (2) BAT, (3) grid

Charging data: Real workplace charging data derived from past data (avg. energy demand 13.88 kWh, parking duration 7.1 h, arrival time 06:55)

PV data: KIT campus north solar site, year 2020

PV prediction method: Persistence forecast

Market data: German market, year 2022, e. g. grid price p_{grid} (18.5 Ct/kWh [1]), feed-in tariff p_{exc} (4.74-6.24 Ct/kWh [2]) and PV, BAT and converter prices s. [3], [4])

Observation period n : 20 years

Evaluation metrics: Marginal charging tariff p_{EV} , self-sufficiency

Charging strategies: (1) uncontrolled charging, (2) self-consumption maximized charging with (a) perfect PV forecast or (b) persistence forecast

Annual Costs	Annual Revenue
$C(a) = E_{\text{grid}} \cdot p_{\text{grid}} + (E_{\text{BAT}} + E_{\text{PV}_{\text{dir}}}) \cdot p_{\text{EEG}}$	$R(a) = E_{\text{PV}} \cdot p_{\text{exc}} + E_{\text{EV}}$
NPV	Objective
$-I_0 + \sum_{a=1}^n \frac{R(a) - C(a)}{(1+z)^a}$	$\min p_{\text{EV}}$ s. t. $\text{NPV} \leq 0$

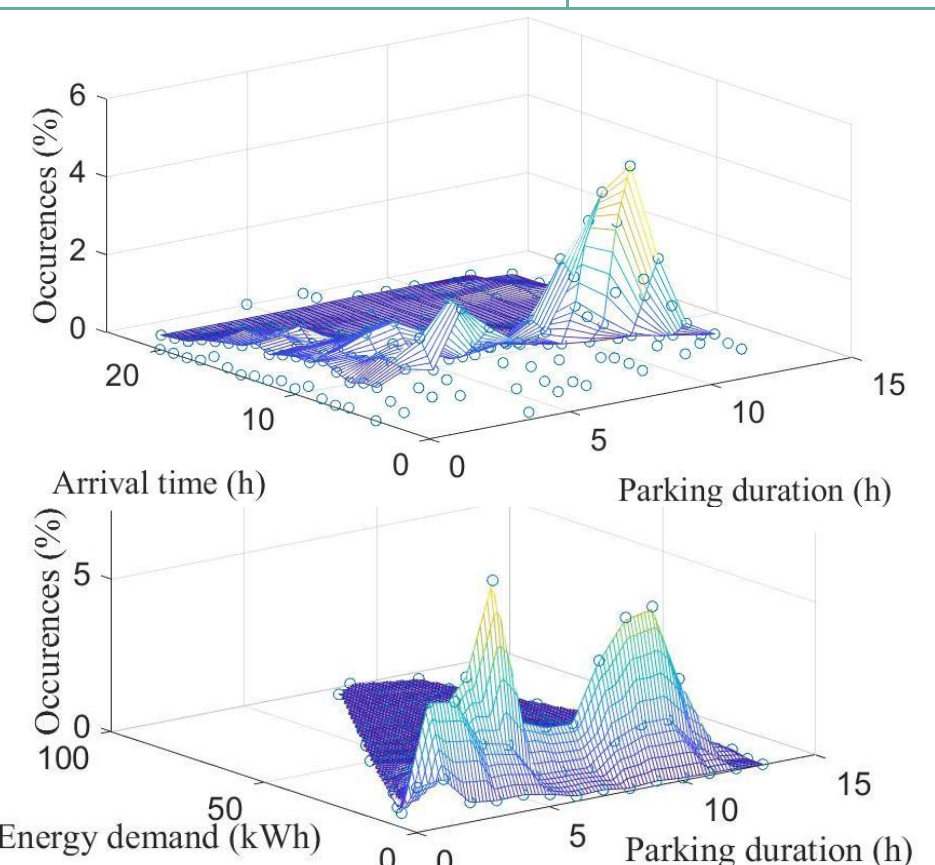


Fig. 1: Occurrences of the combination of arrival time or energy demand and parking duration.

Results and Analysis

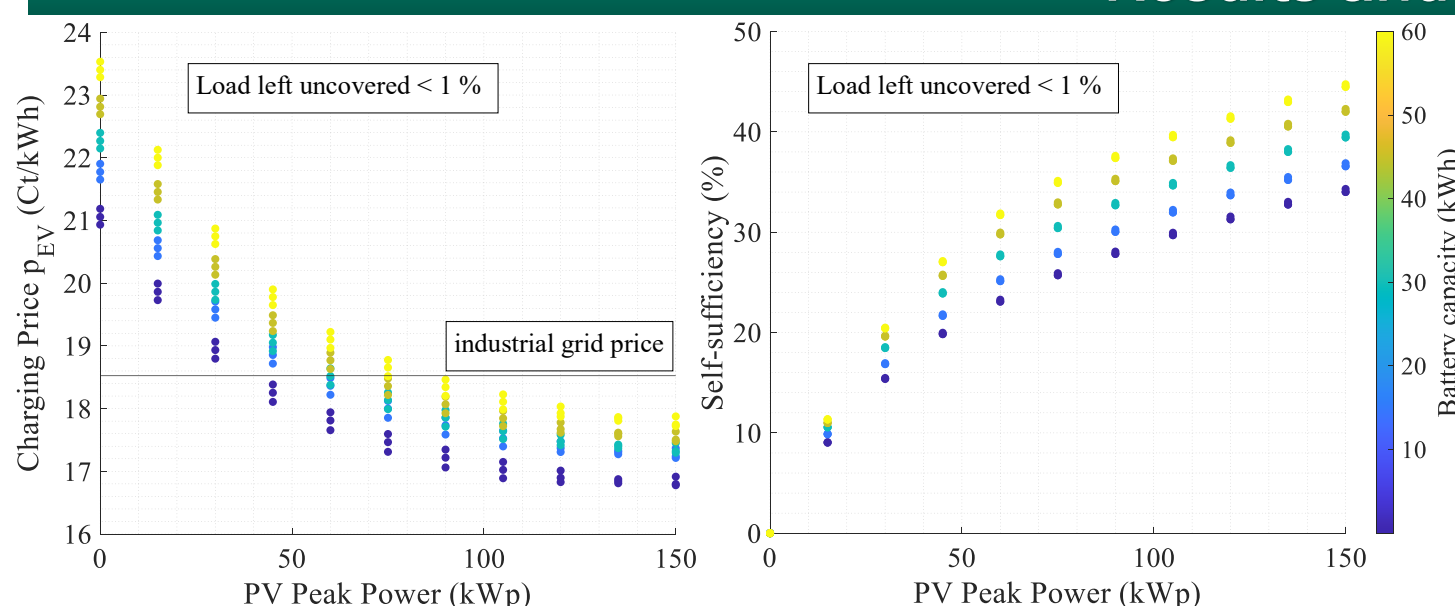


Fig. 2: Charging price without charging strategy for different PV and BAT sizes.

Fig. 3: Self-sufficiency without charging strategy for different PV and BAT sizes.

Economically optimal system: 120 kWp PV, 0 kWh BAT, 75 kW grid (< 1% of uncovered load)

Marginal charging tariff \uparrow with BAT & grid converter size \uparrow

Optimum between 16.9 (uncontr.) & 13.9 (perf.) Ct/kWh

Self-sufficiency \uparrow with BAT size \uparrow & grid converter size \downarrow

PV prediction influence > 100 kWp

- 100 €/a towards perfect charging
- +4000 €/a towards uncontrolled charging
- 1 pp self-sufficiency towards perfect charging
- +20 pp self-sufficiency towards uncontrolled charging

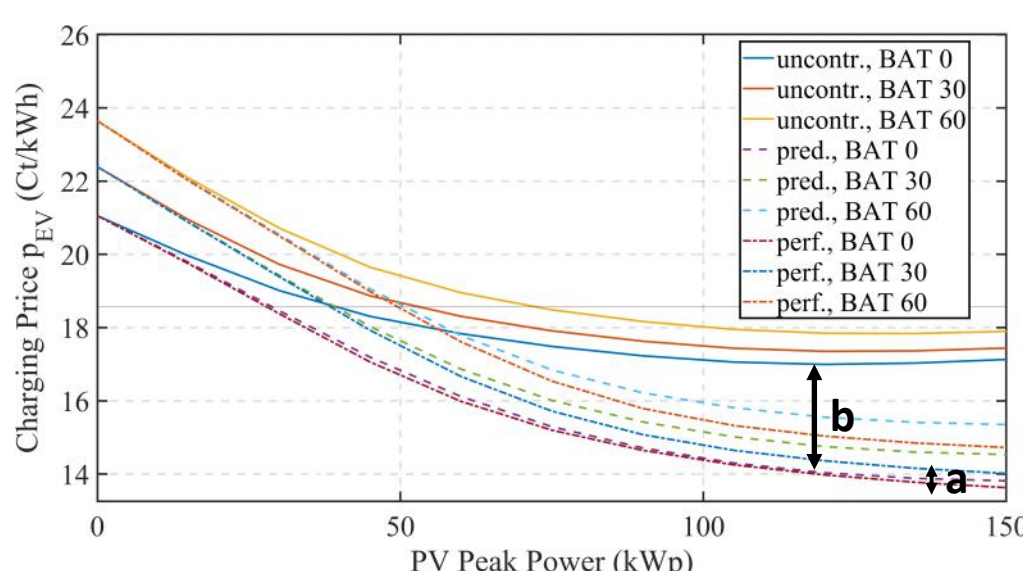


Fig. 4: Marginal charging tariff depending on charging strategy and BAT size.

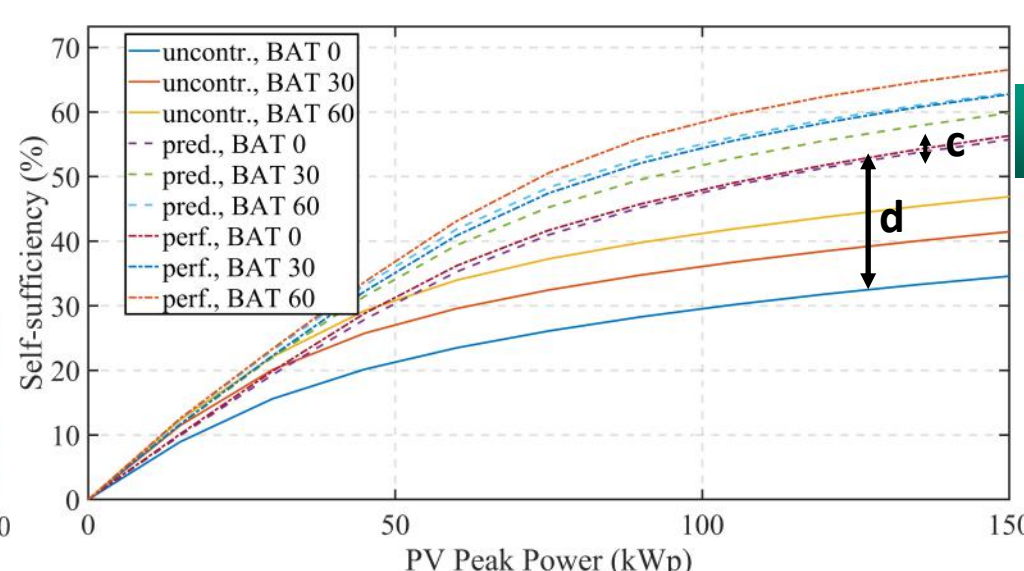


Fig. 5: Self-sufficiency depending on charging strategy and BAT size.

Outlook

- Load uncertainty
- Electricity market participation
- V2G
- BAT aging