Battery Energy Storage Systems

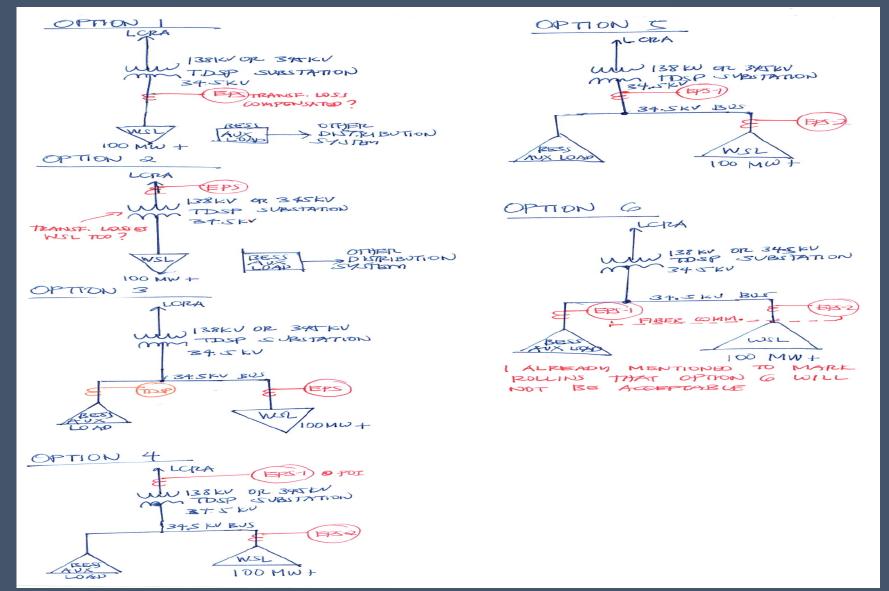
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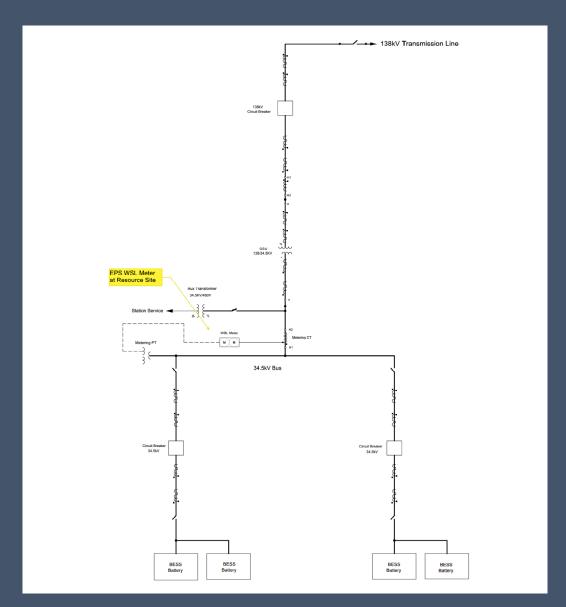
Initial Questions

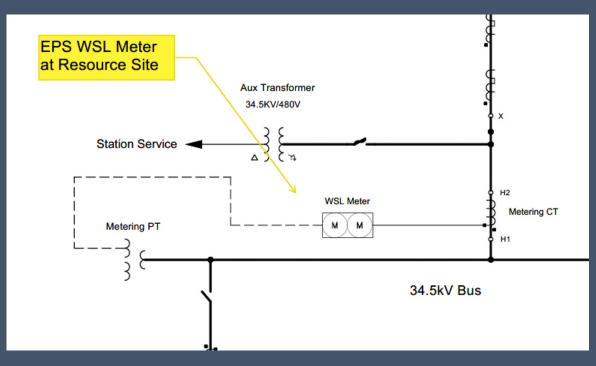
- How do we meter a stand alone Battery Energy Storage System (BESS) connected at a transmission level voltage?
- Is the aux load supplied by an outside source (distribution line) or over the transmission line?
- What are the typical aux loads?
- Where is the physical location of the aux transformer?
- How do we determine aux load and wholesale storage load (WSL) for settlement?

Brainstorming Options with ERCOT



Resource Site BESS One Line





Metering at Resource Site

- Protocol 10.2.3.1(1) (C): Each TSP and DSP shall install, control, and maintain the meters, recorders, instrument transformers, wiring, communications, and other miscellaneous equipment required to measure electrical energy, as described in this Section and SMOG.
- TSP ownership of CTs/PTs inside Resource Entity's 34.5kV switchgear? What are other utilities doing?
- BESS is a system that uses underground cable between modular battery shipping containers and switchgear.
- Short construction time compared with Wind or Solar.

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