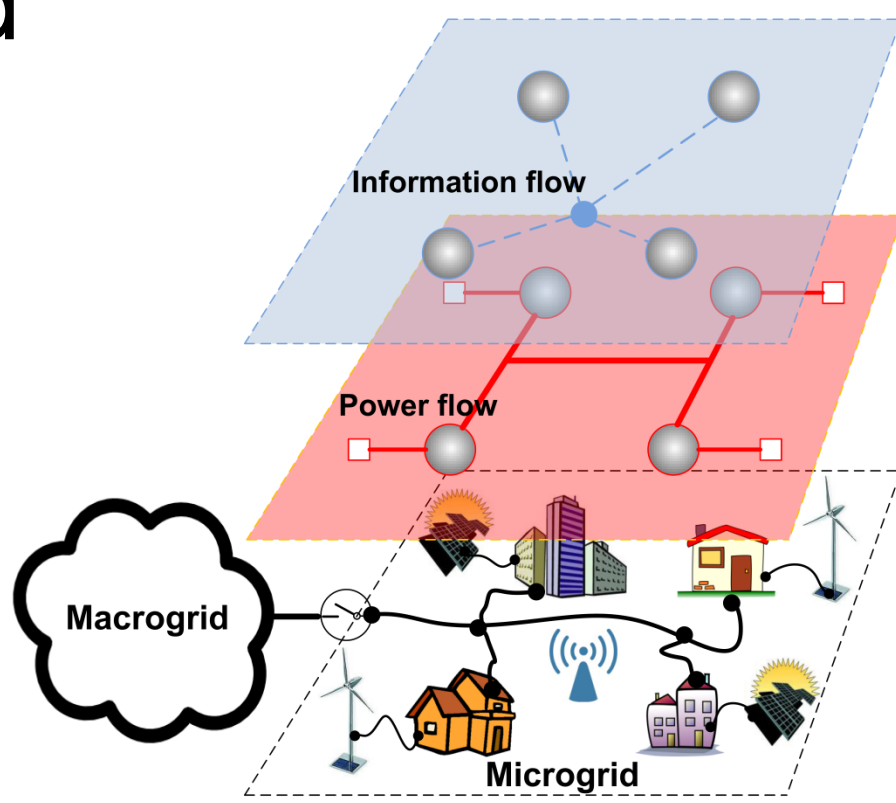


# Statistical Structure Learning of Smart Grid for Detection of False Data Injection

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## Motivation and Introduction

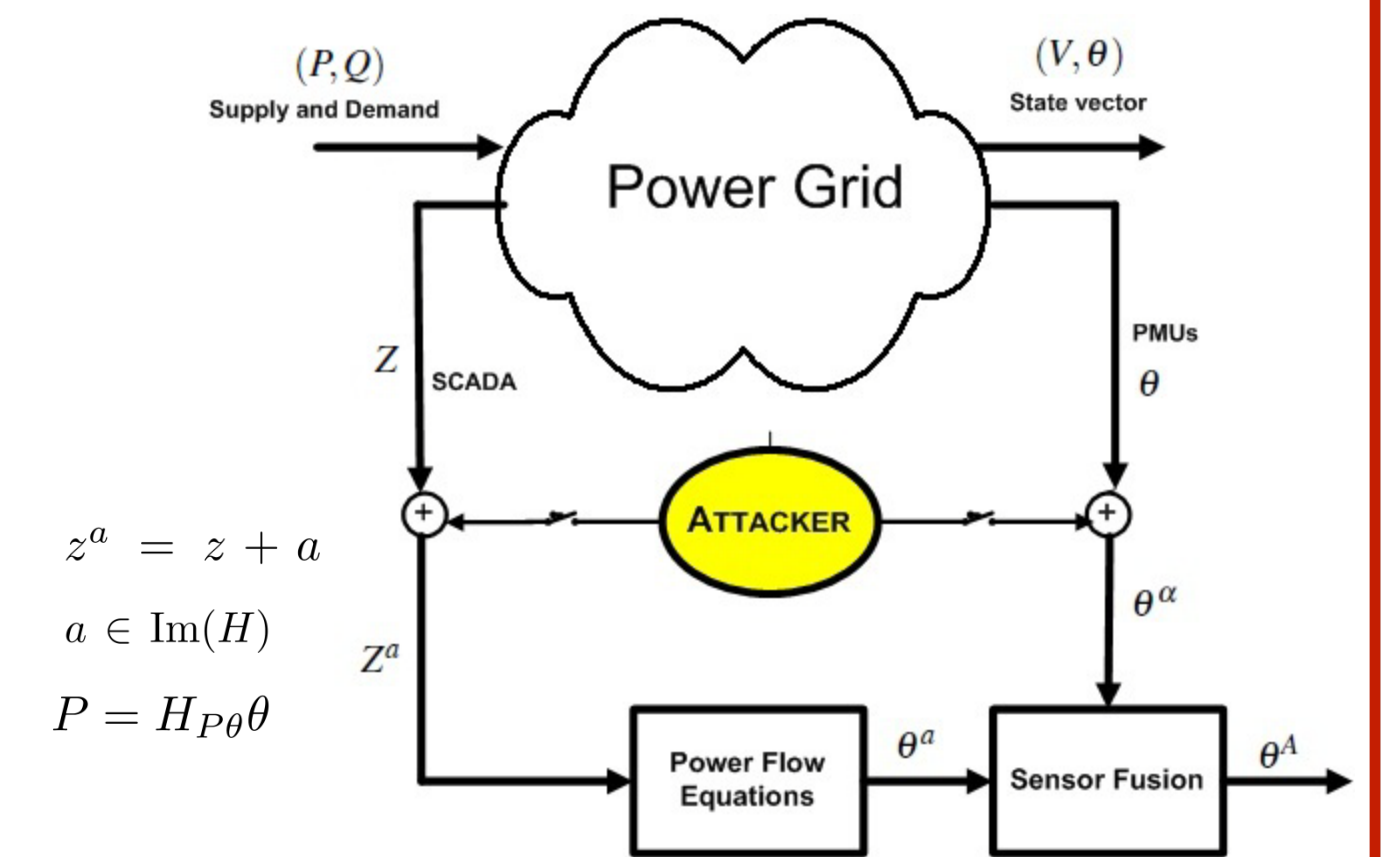
- Future grid vs. current grid



- Phasor Measurement Units (PMUs)

- Synchronous with GPS stamp
- Various applications
- Will be placed partially along with State Estimators

- False Data Injection



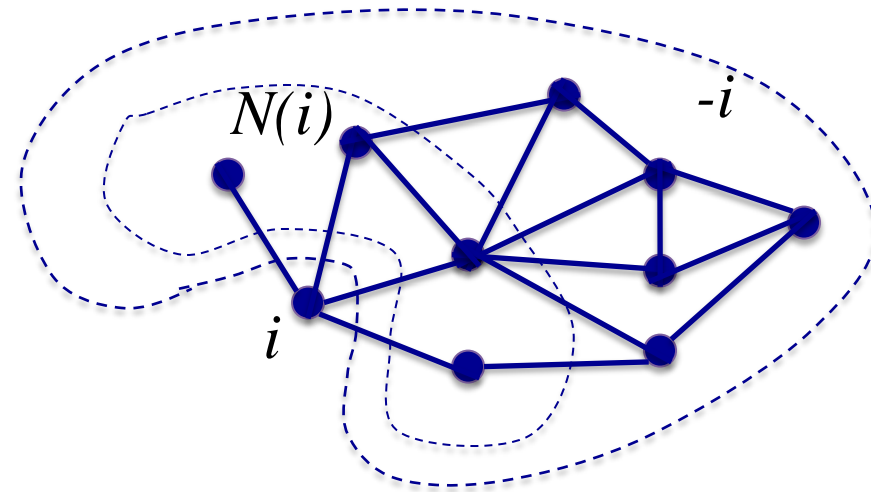
## Problem Formulation

### Gaussian Markov Random Field

$$f_X(x) \propto \exp[-\frac{1}{2}x^T Jx + h^T x]$$

$$J(i, j) = 0 \iff (i, j) \notin E$$

$$E(X_i | X_{N(i)}) = E(X_i | X_{-i})$$



### DC power flow equations

$$P_{ij} = b_{ij}(X_i - X_j) \implies X_i = \sum_{j \neq i} \left\{ \frac{b_{ij}}{\sum_{i \neq j} b_{ij}} \right\} X_j + \frac{1}{\sum_{j \neq i} b_{ij}} P_i$$

## Structure Learning

### Conditional Covariance Test (Anandkumar et.al. 2012)

Estimates the structure of underlying graphical model given i.i.d. samples of the r.v.s

**Algorithm 1** Algorithm CCT( $x^n; \xi_{n,p}, \eta$ ) for structure learning using samples  $x^n$ .

Initialize  $\hat{G}_p^n = (V, \emptyset)$ .  
For each  $i, j \in V$ , if

$$\min_{\substack{S \subset V \setminus \{i,j\} \\ |S| \leq \eta}} |\hat{\Sigma}(i, j|S)| > \xi_{n,p},$$

then add  $(i, j)$  to  $\hat{G}_p^n$ .

Output:  $\hat{G}_p^n$ .

## Detection Scheme

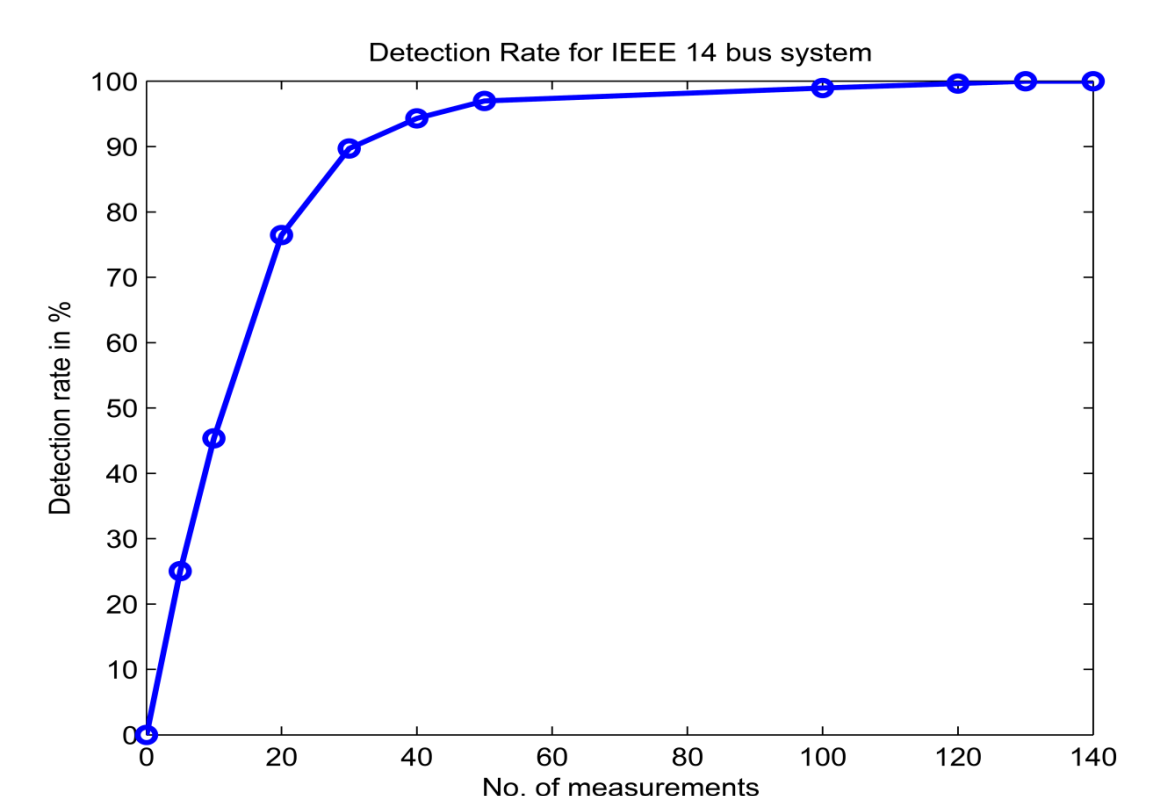
- Decentralized scheme
- Online calculations
- Markov graph changes under attack
- Mismatch  $\implies$  alarm

$$z^a = z + a = H(X + d) = HX^a$$

$$\Sigma(X^a, X^a) = H^{-1}[\Sigma(P, P) + \Sigma(a, a)]H^{-1T}$$

$$\Sigma(X^a, X^a) \neq \Sigma(X, X)$$

- All attack scenarios
- MATPOWER for running DC power flow
- IEEE 14-bus system & IEEE 30-bus system
- 100% detection rate, min corrupted samples = 130 for IEEE-14 and 50 for IEEE-30.
- Reason: sparsity



Detection rate is 90% for just 30 corrupted samples  
Considering current sampling rate these values are pretty good.

## Discussion & Future Work

- The first detection scheme for this sophisticated attack
- Computational complexity  $O(p^{\eta+2})$
- Sample complexity  $\Omega(J_{min}^{-2} \log p)$

- Apply to bigger networks
- Readily detects other types of attack
- Causality approach with time series analysis