### EE/CprE/SE 492 BIWEEKLY REPORT 6 SDDec21-10

Iowa State BESS (Lithium-Ion Battery Energy Storage System)

Nov 8th – Nov  $22^{nd}$ 

Client: Burns & McDonnell (Point of Contact: Chris Ruckman)

Faculty Advisor: Dr. Venkataramana Ajjarapu

Team Members/Role:

Aisha Alzaabi- Client Communicatory

Hussein Abbakar- Load flow analysis and one-line diagram

Gregory Bizoff - Webmaster and Assistant Circuits Specialist

Matthew Pfeiffer - CAD Design Specialist, Site Layout Engineer, and Project Manager

Chase Stahl - Secondary CAD Designer

Julia Zhang - Circuits Specialist and Assistant Webmaster

### **Biweekly Summary**

- Weekly client meetings held on Thursdays from 3:30 4:30
  - *11/12/2021 meeting:* 
    - We finalized the cable sizing, grounding, and load flow study with our client. He answered our questions regarding Etap and helped us finalize our work.
  - 11/18/2021 meeting:
    - The meeting got canceled
- 12-week design schedule to learn materials and present deliverables that include but are not limited to grounding diagrams, load flow analysis, short circuit analysis, and circuit sizing and scheduling.
- Review faculty panel year-end presentation (Spring 21 semester) and touch base on where the last semester ended.

### **Accomplishments**

- Developed approaches to create a grounding diagram and a load flow for the BESS
- Made a progress with cable sizing
- During our client meeting, we went through cable sizing details and finalized the grounding diagram.
- We had a meeting with Burns & Mac for an ETAP tutorial.
- We had our second PIRM and discussed our progress

## **Pending**

- Site layout re-evaluation
  - We kept our site more general to provide more flexibility to our project
- Grounding Diagram Matt
  - Finalize our grounding diagram
- BESS Load Flow Study Hussein/ Julia
  - Finalize load flow and short circuit.
  - Finish working on the one-line diagram in ETAP.
- Cable Sizing Chase
  - Finalize the cable sizing

NAME	<u>Individual Contributions</u>	<u>Hours this</u> <u>week</u>	<u>HOURS</u> <u>cumulative</u> <u>Spring</u>
Aisha Alzaabi	Site Layout review	2	12
Hussein Abbakar	BESS Load flow study	3	15
Gregory Bizoff	Site Layout review	2	12
Matthew Pfeiffer	Grounding plan	3	15
Chase Stahl	Site Layout review	2	15
Julia Zhang	BESS Load flow study	3	14

# Individual contributions

# Plans for the upcoming week

- Grounding Plan Matt
  - Refresh and learn NEC 2020 grounding code to ensure everything is up to standards and ensure safety.
- Site Layout review All
  - Review site layout for a new placement
  - Determine if the site layout needs to be reworked entirely or just moved to a new location
- BESS Load Flow Study Hussein/ Julia
- BESS Connection Diagrams All
- BESS Cables/Sizing/Cable Schedules Chase