

# **Experiences with IPS icing losses and Iceloss 2.2**

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#### **IceLoss**

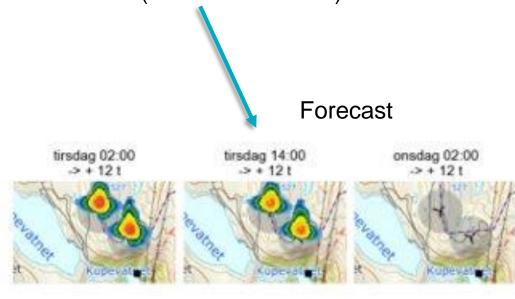
- A state-of-the-art-model developed by Kjeller Vindteknikk (KVT) for calculating:
  - ice accumulation on the turbine blades
  - icing losses
- Based on WRF meso-scale weather model
- First IceLoss analysis 2009
- lceLoss 2.0 update 2018-2020
- Preliminary IceLoss 2.2



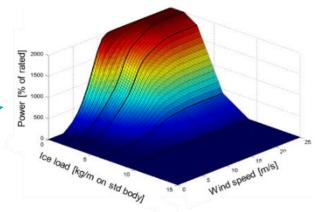


# **IceLoss applications**

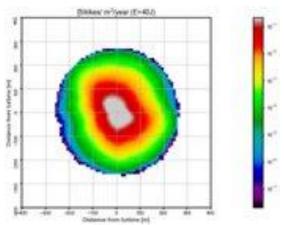
- Pre-construction icing losses
- Ice throw risk
- Post construction icing loss (long-term correction)
- Forecasts (both loss and risk)



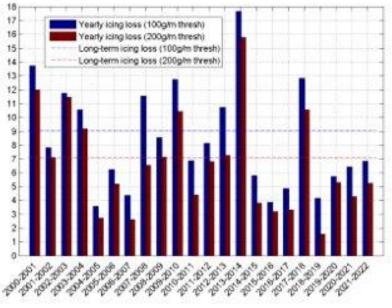




**IceRisk** 



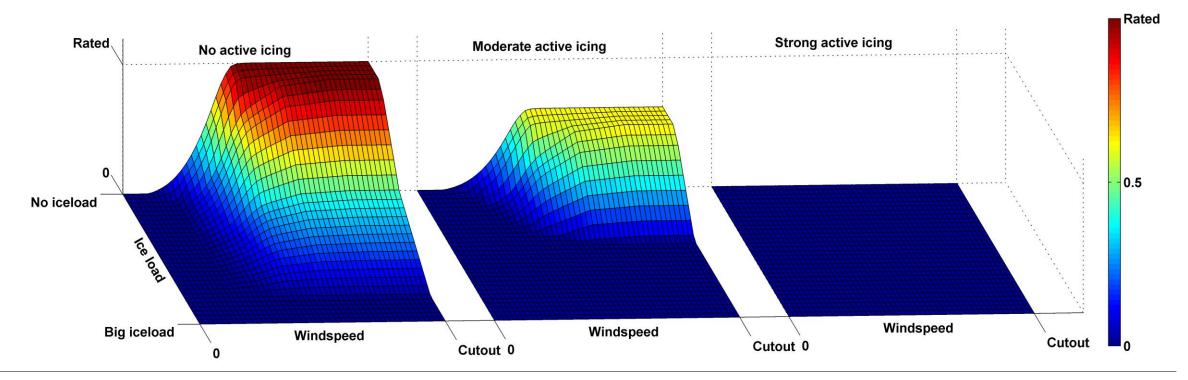






#### **IceLoss** calibration

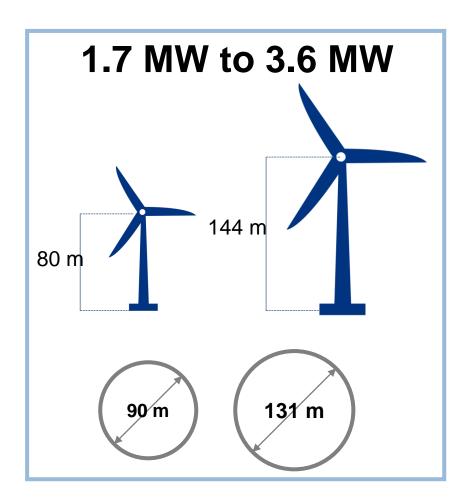
- SCADA icing loss based on Task19 method
- Long-term icing losses
- ▶ 3D power curve





#### **Calibration dataset**

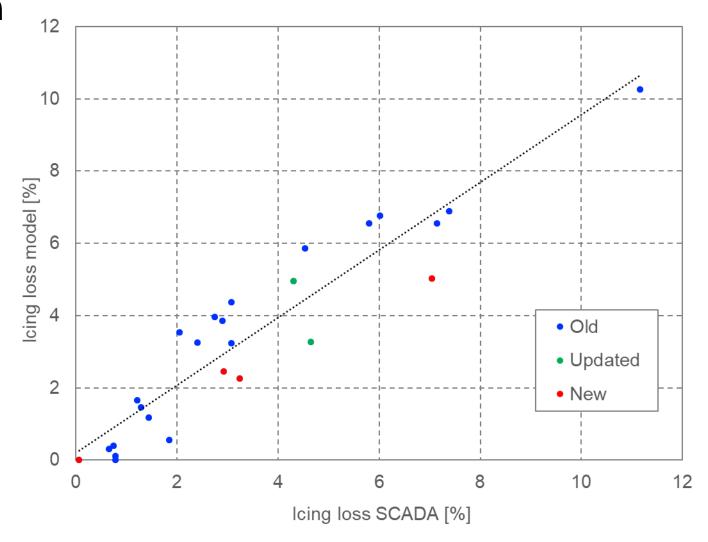
- ▶ 26 wind farms
- ▶ 430 WTGs
- ▶ 4 OEMs
- Sweden, Norway, Finland
- No IPS
- ► Historical icing loss <1 % to > 10 %
- > 2100 WTG years
- Analysed period per site 1-8 years





## **IceLoss 2.2 validation**

- 4 sites added
- Updated SCADA analysis in 2 sites





## **IPS** model calibration

- Post-construction production/icing analysis
  - > 10 sites
  - ▶ 5 OEMs
  - Anti-icing and de-icing
  - Electrothermal, hot air and special winter operation mode
- ▶ 6 sites used in IPS model calibration

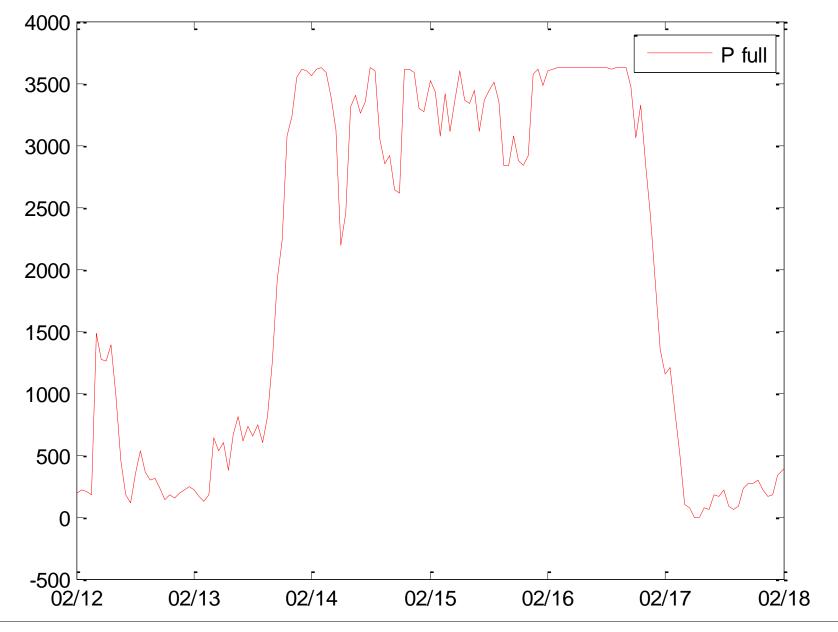




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- Based on:
  - ▶ IPS documentation
  - KVT IPS performance analysis
  - Track record
- Uncertainties

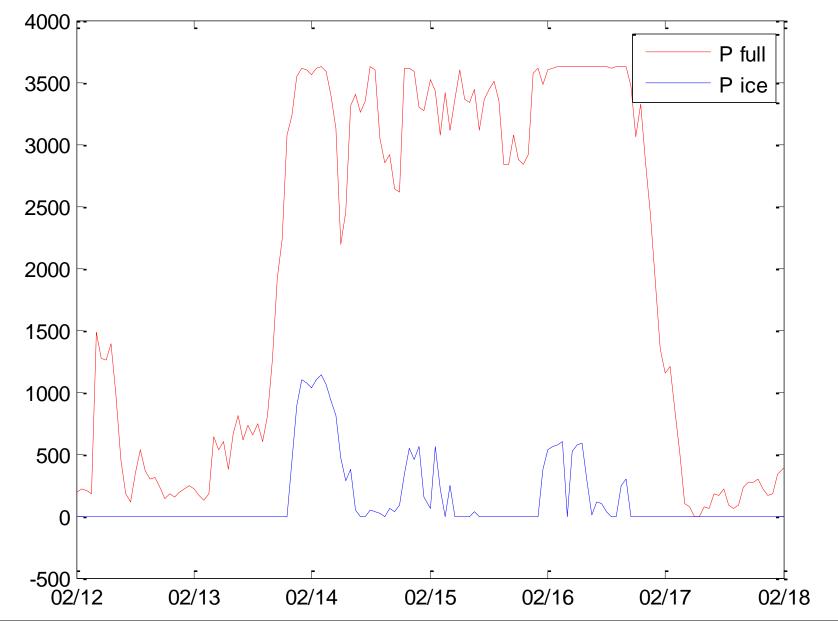


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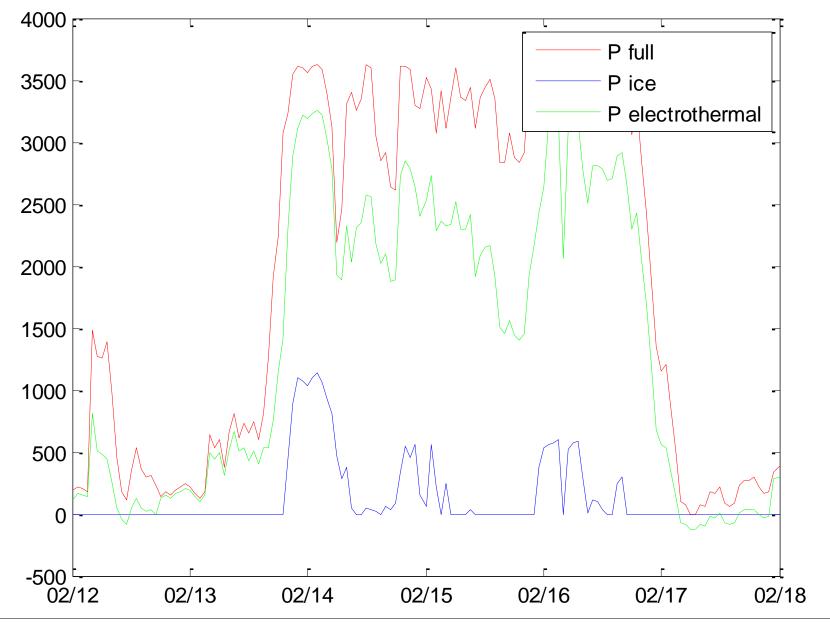


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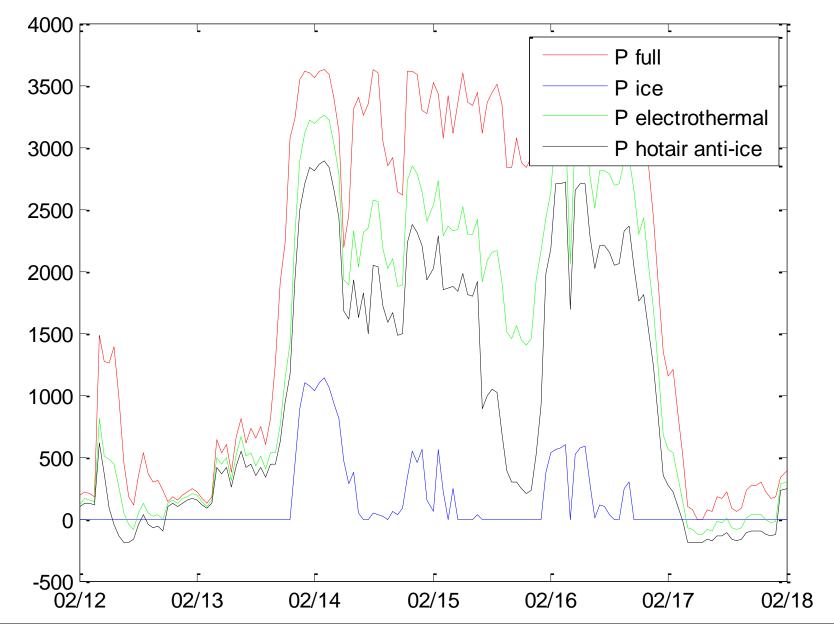


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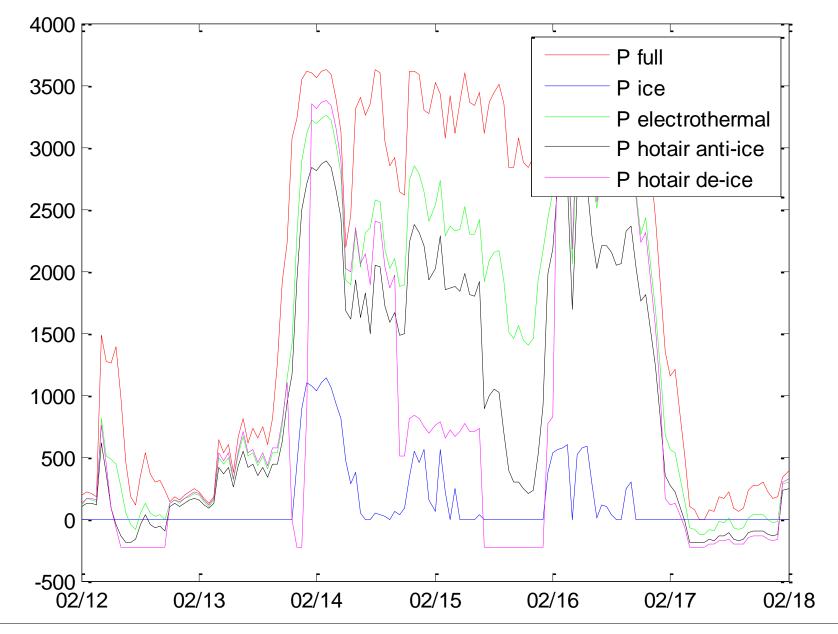


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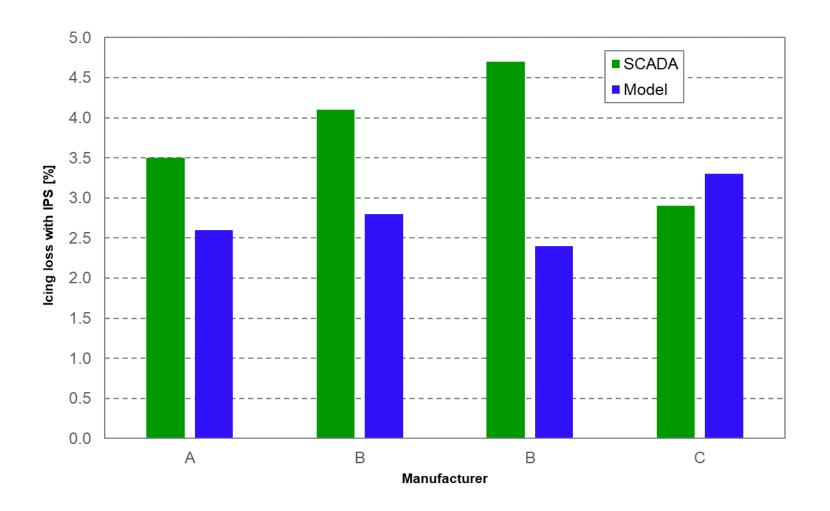
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# **IPS Loss validation**

Manufacturer	IPS type
Α	Electrothermal 1
В	Hot air
С	Electrothermal 2





# Take-aways:

IceLoss updated -> average WTG size increased, more accurate results for large turbines

- ▶ IPS specifications are optimistic?
- After tuning, modelled IPS icing loss uncertainties still higher that without IPS

