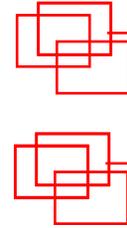


# «EMR-based simulation of DC railway electrical system with EV charging station»

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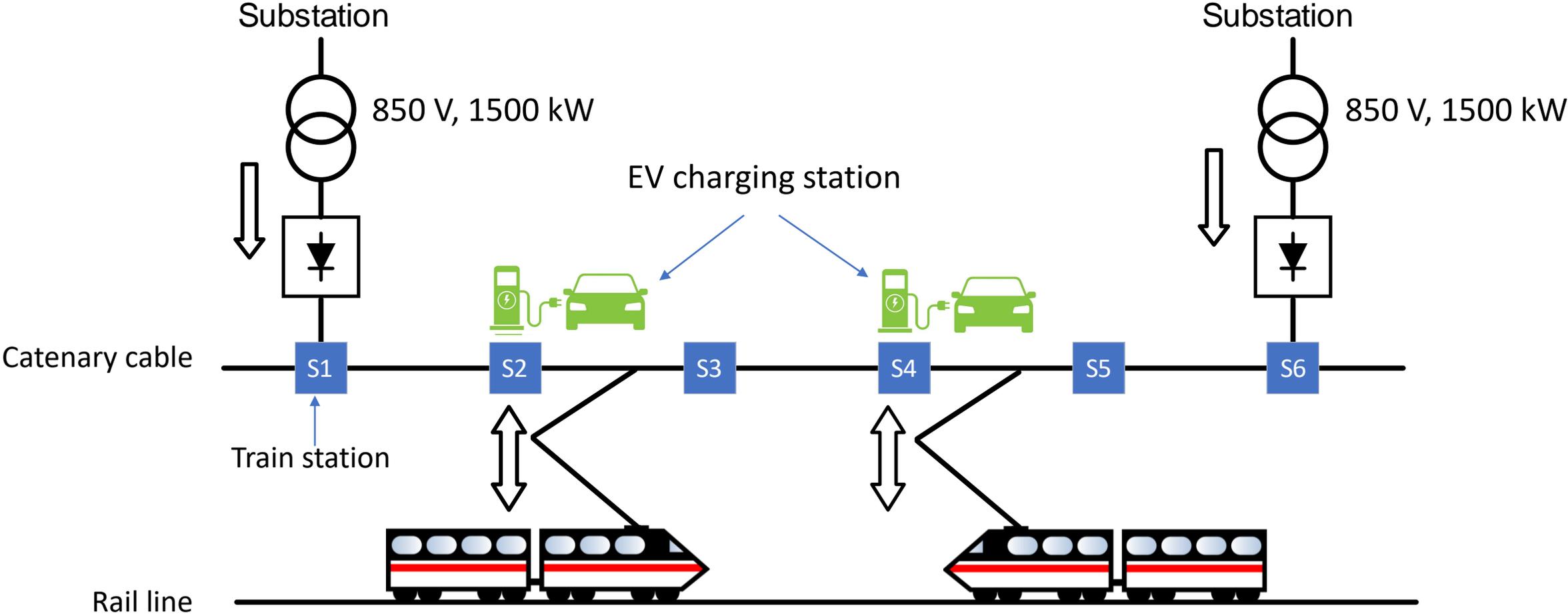


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# Introduction



## ■ Objectives

- ▶ To stabilise high overvoltage variations by integrating wayside EV charging stations
- ▶ To achieve a higher global efficiency by recuperating the braking power to charge EVs
- ▶ To fully profit the DC railway electrical network



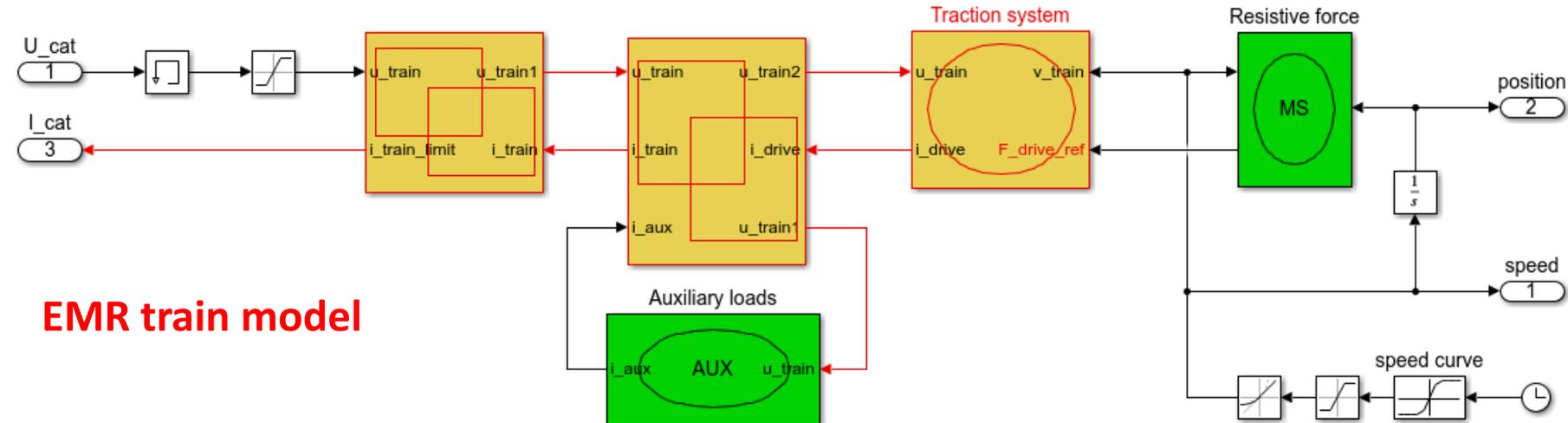
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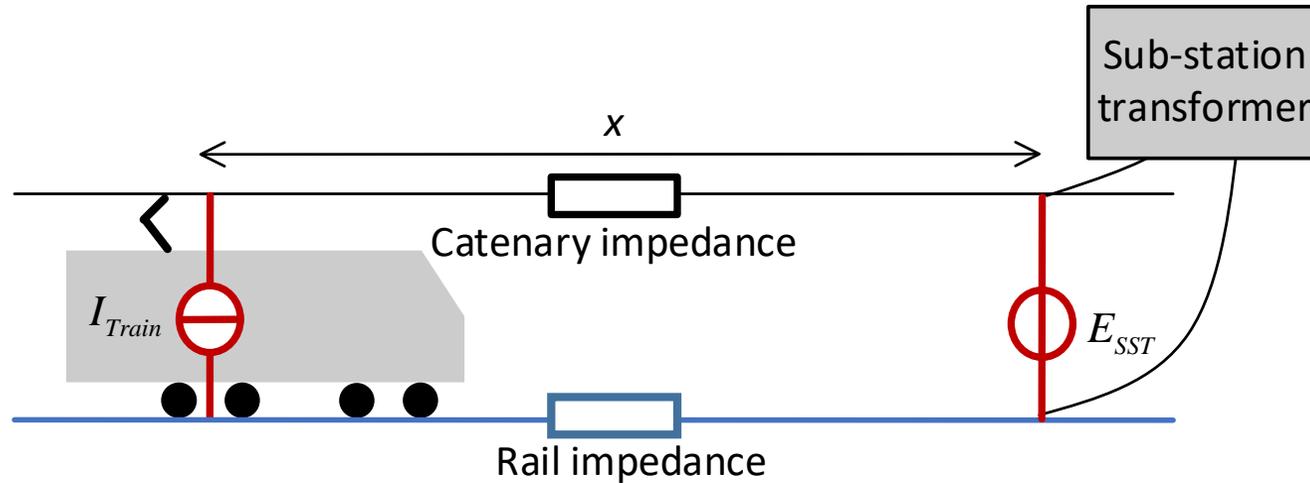
# « EMR modeling »

- Modeling of the train traction system

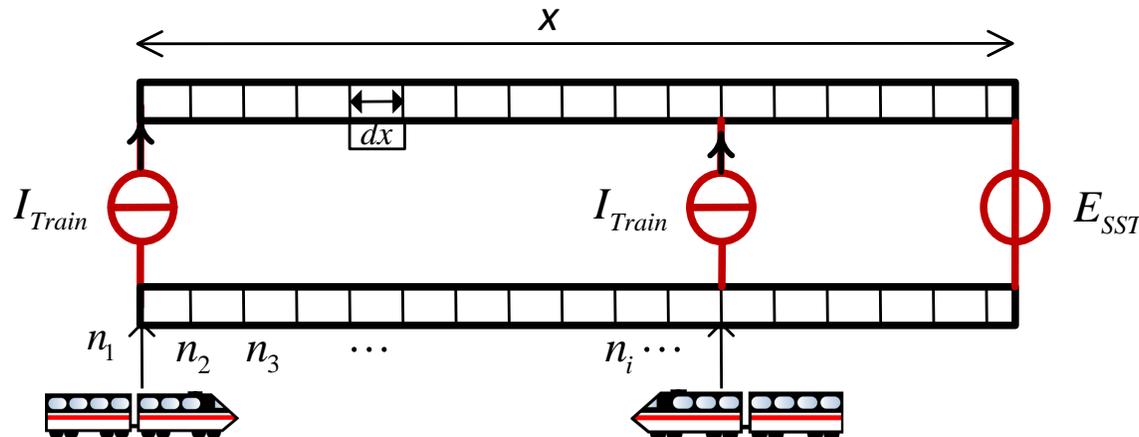


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- Modeling of electrical network with moving train loads



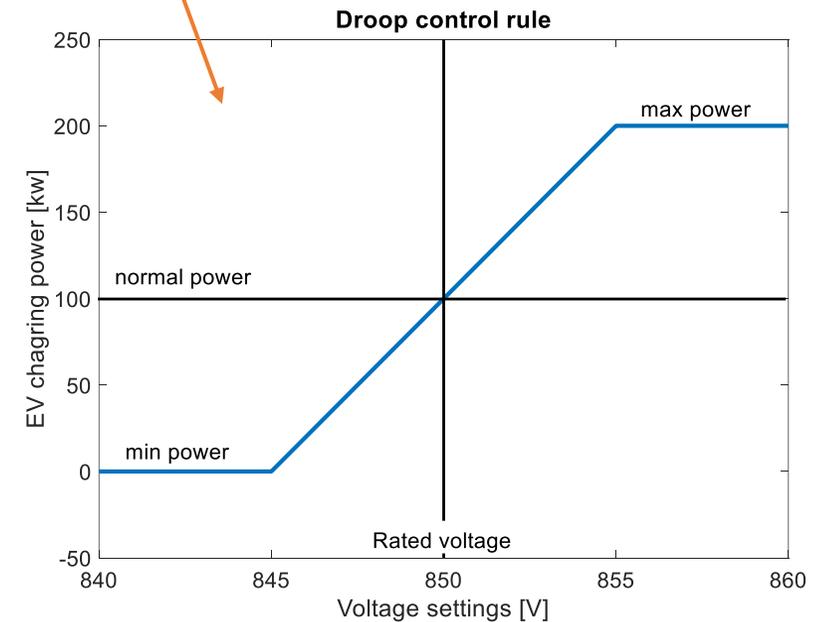
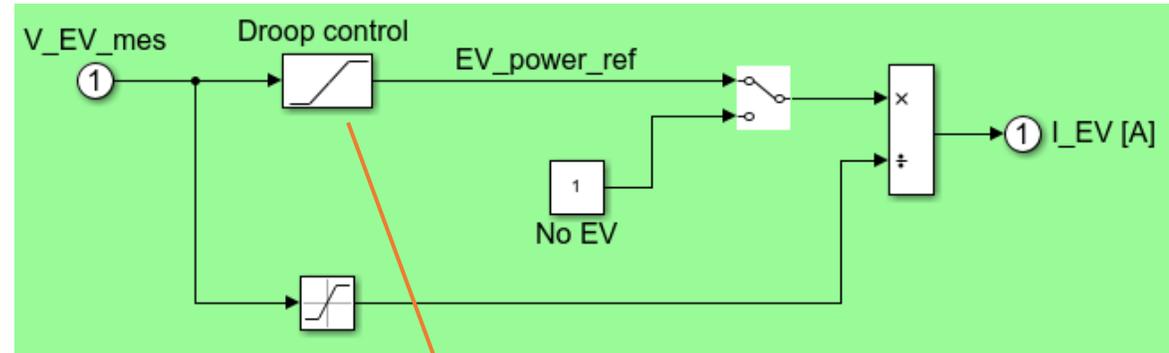
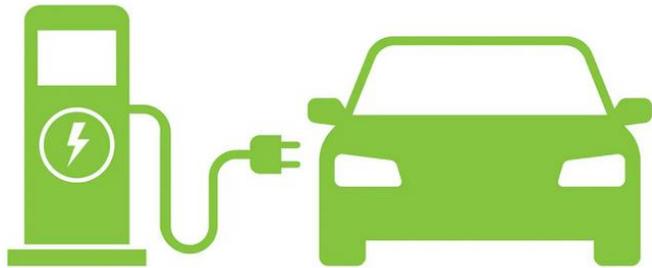
$$\Delta U(x) = I_{Train} \cdot x \cdot \left( \frac{\rho_C}{S_C} + \frac{\rho_R}{S_R} \right)$$



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**Modified Nodal Analysis (MNA)**

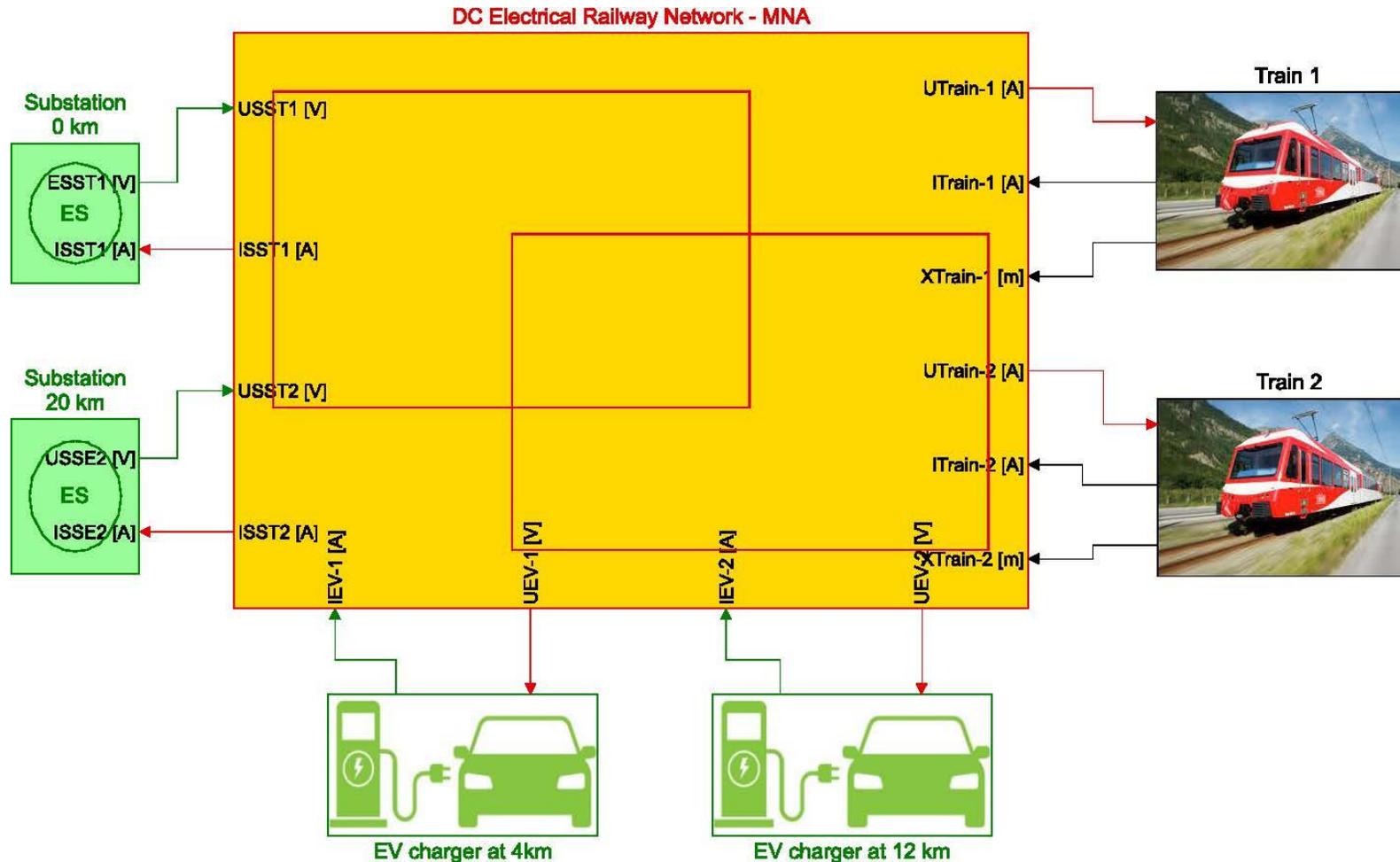
- Modeling of the EV V1G charging system



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# Modeling of DC railway electrical microgrid

- EMR simulation model with Matlab/Simulink



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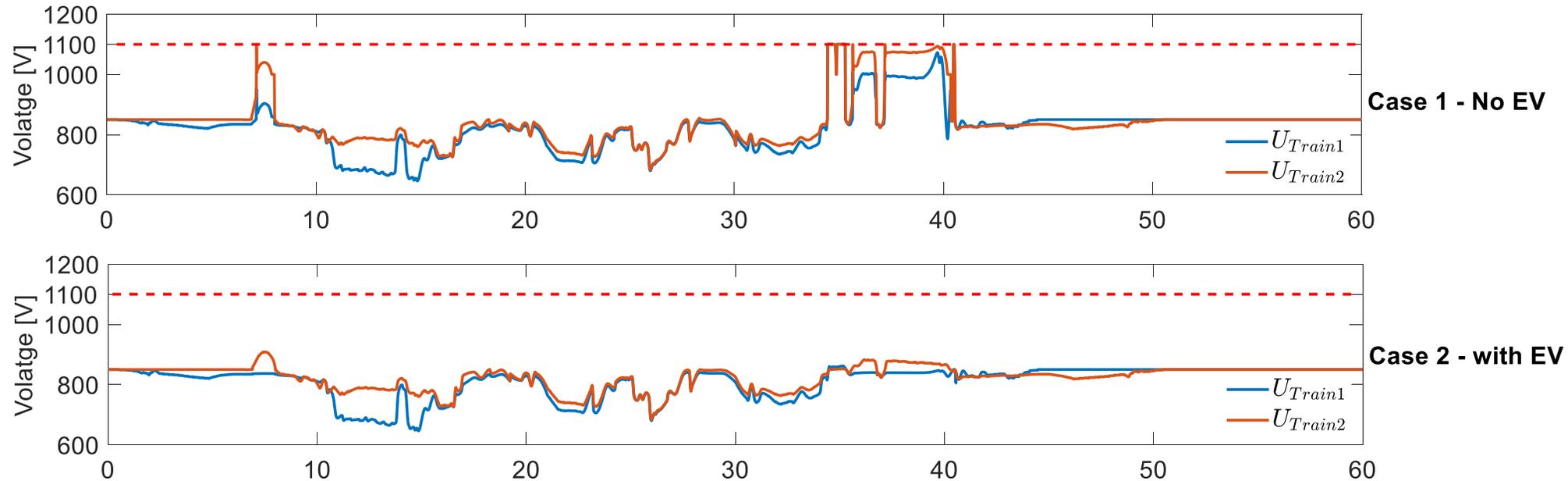


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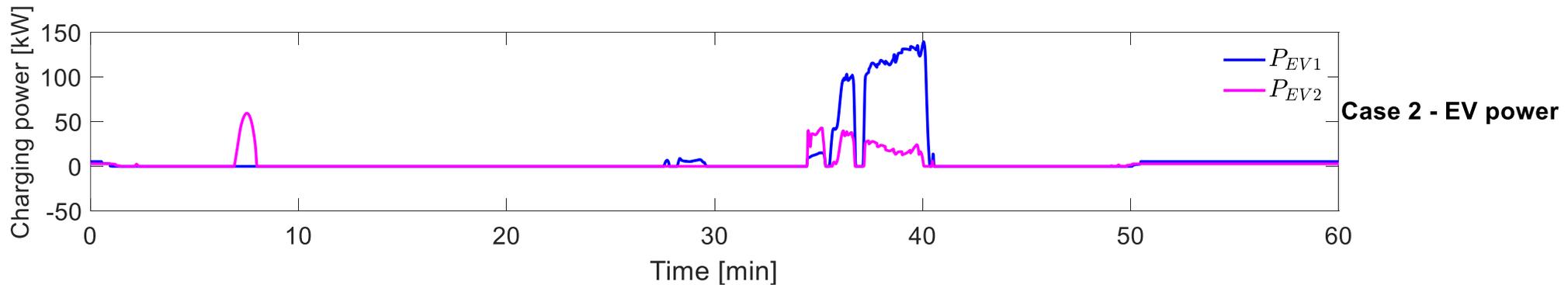
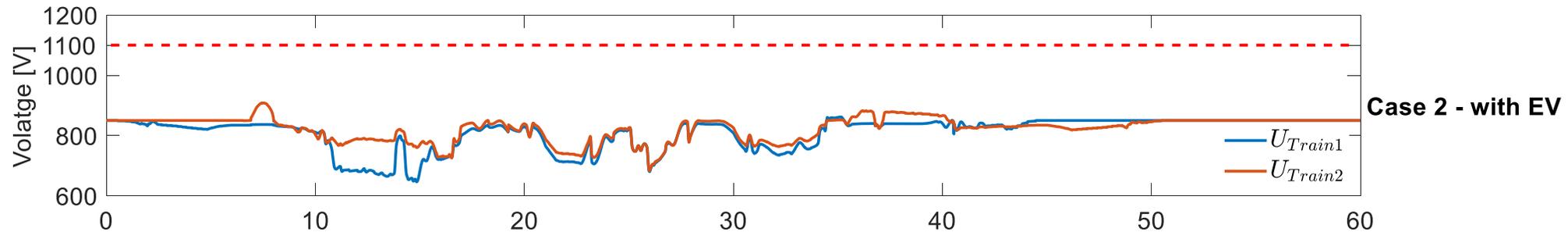
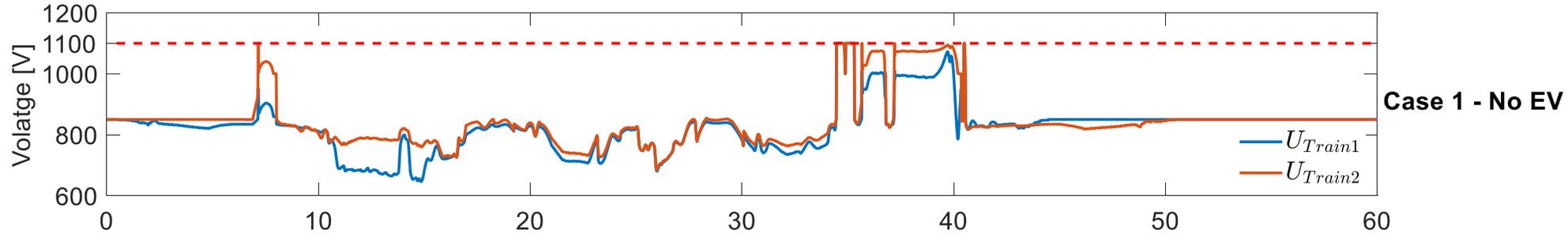
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- Voltage profiles comparison for two cases with and without EV



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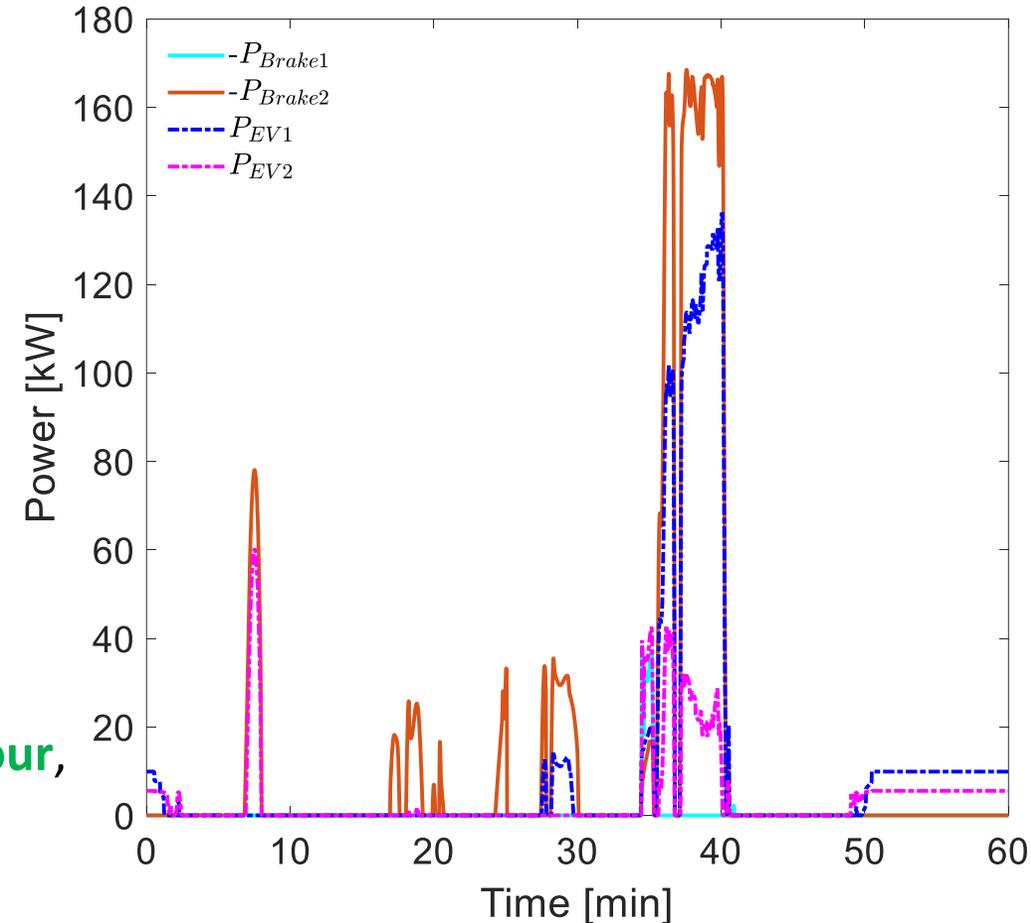
- Braking power recuperated for charging EV

(kWh)	$E_{EV1}$	$E_{EV2}$	$E_{SST1}$	$E_{SST2}$	$E_{brake\_total}$
No EV(*)	0	0	60.44	65.12	8.54
With EV	9.19	3.16	64.34	68.78	8.54

$$E_{brake-EV} = E_{EV1} + E_{EV2} - (E_{SST1} + E_{SST2} - E_{SST1}^* - E_{SST2}^*) = 4.79\text{kWh}$$



Braking energy used to charge EV reaches around **4.79kWh per hour**,  
 Recuperation rate of braking power increase more than **50%**.



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# «Conclusions & Perspectives»

## ■ Conclusions

- ▶ The overvoltage variations are stabilized by the proposed V1G solution with droop control.
- ▶ The braking power is used to charge the wayside EV, achieving a higher global efficiency.

## ■ Perspectives

- ▶ The energy transfer is assumed to be unidirectional from DC traction network to EV battery for V1G, the solution can stabilize overvoltages but cannot deal with the voltage drops. Vehicle-to-Grid (V2G) concept has been popular, V2G solution will be studied to address the above issues in next step.
- ▶ The EV users charging behaviors will be studied to ensure the feasibility of the proposed solutions.



Question & discussion  
Thanks for your attention



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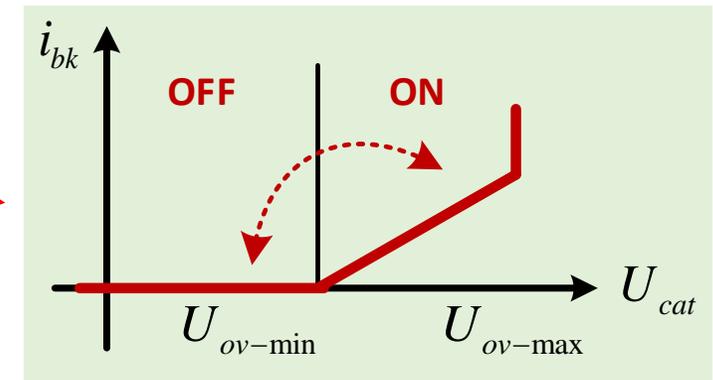
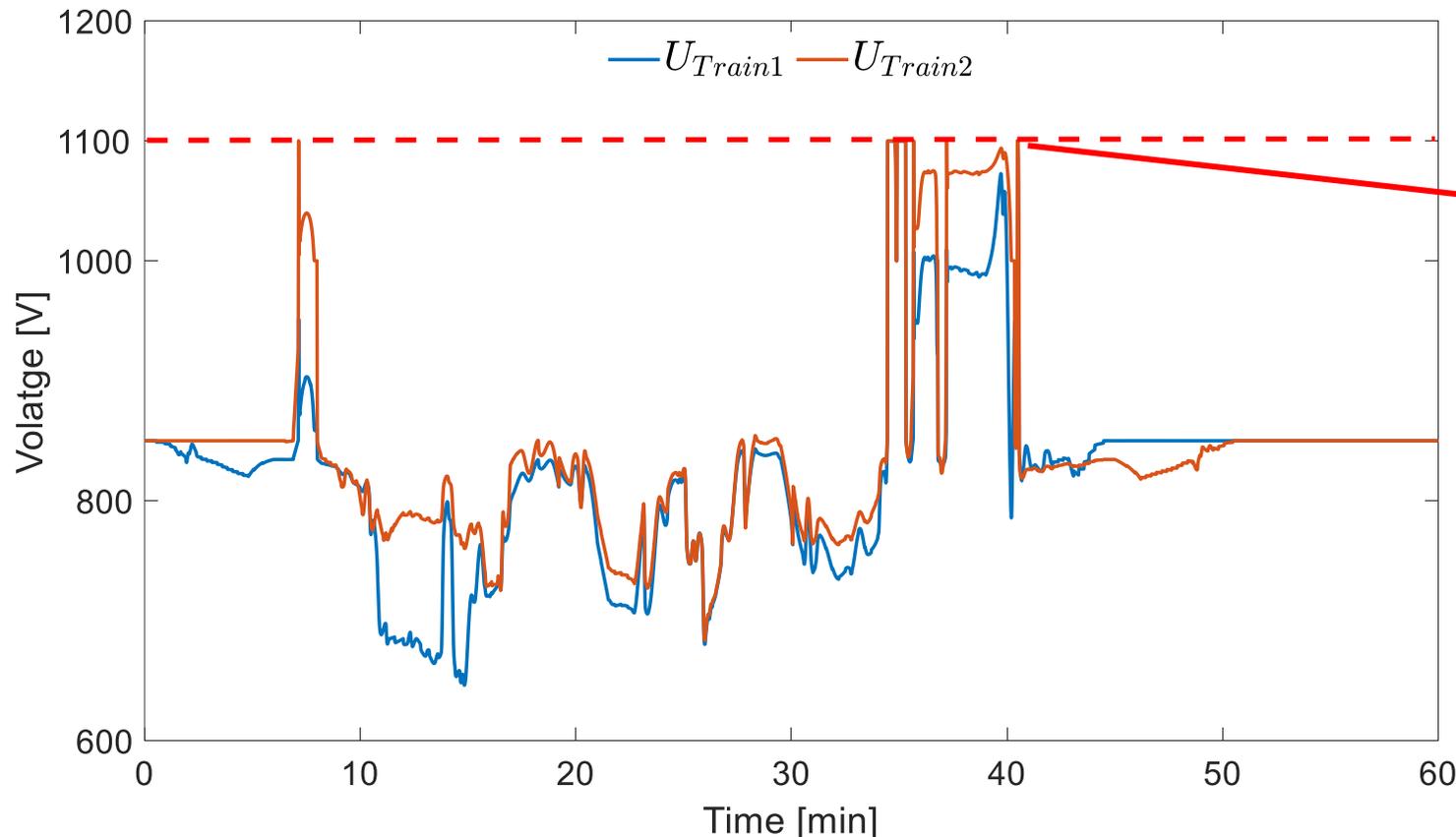
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**« Appendix »**

## ■ Catenary overvoltage problem



**Brake 'ON'**

$$I_{train} < 0 \ \& \ U_{cat} \geq U_{ov-min}$$

**Brake 'OFF'**

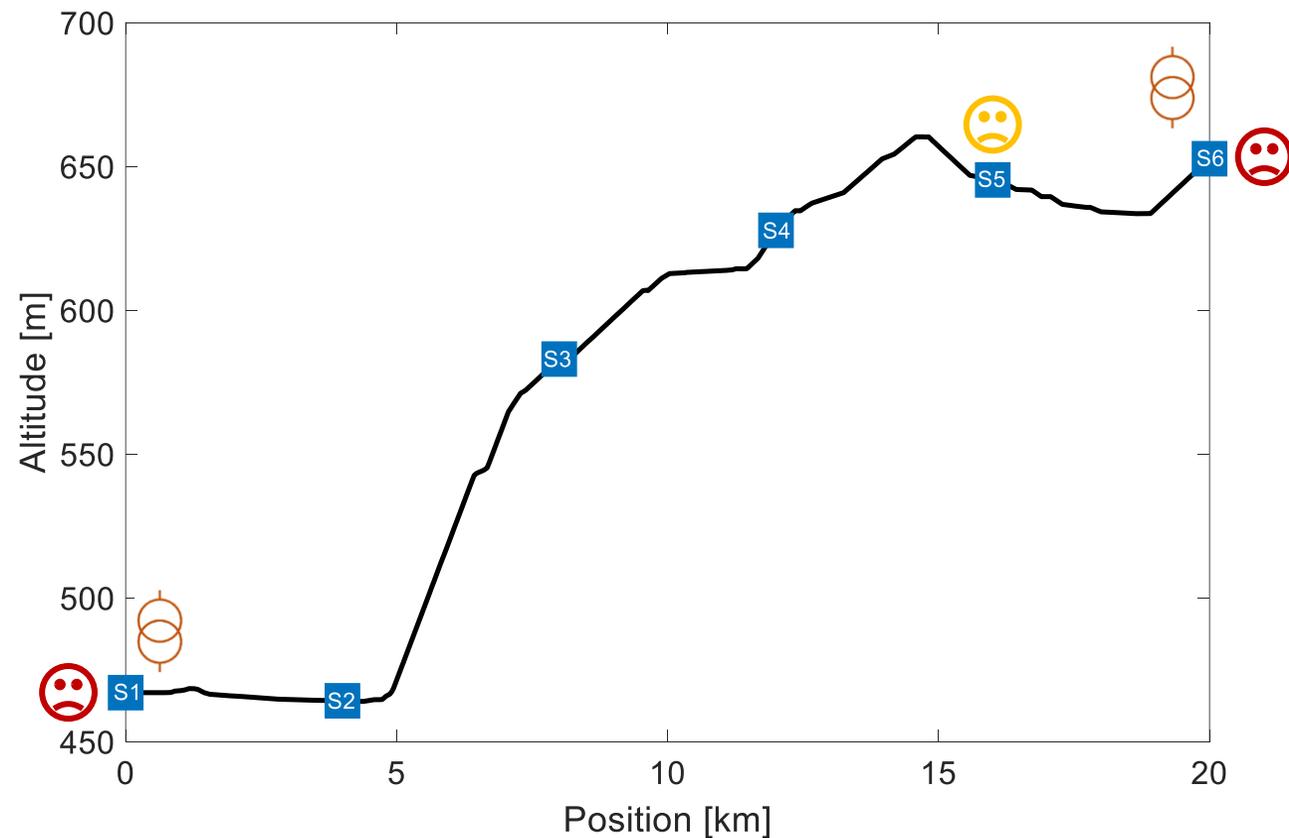
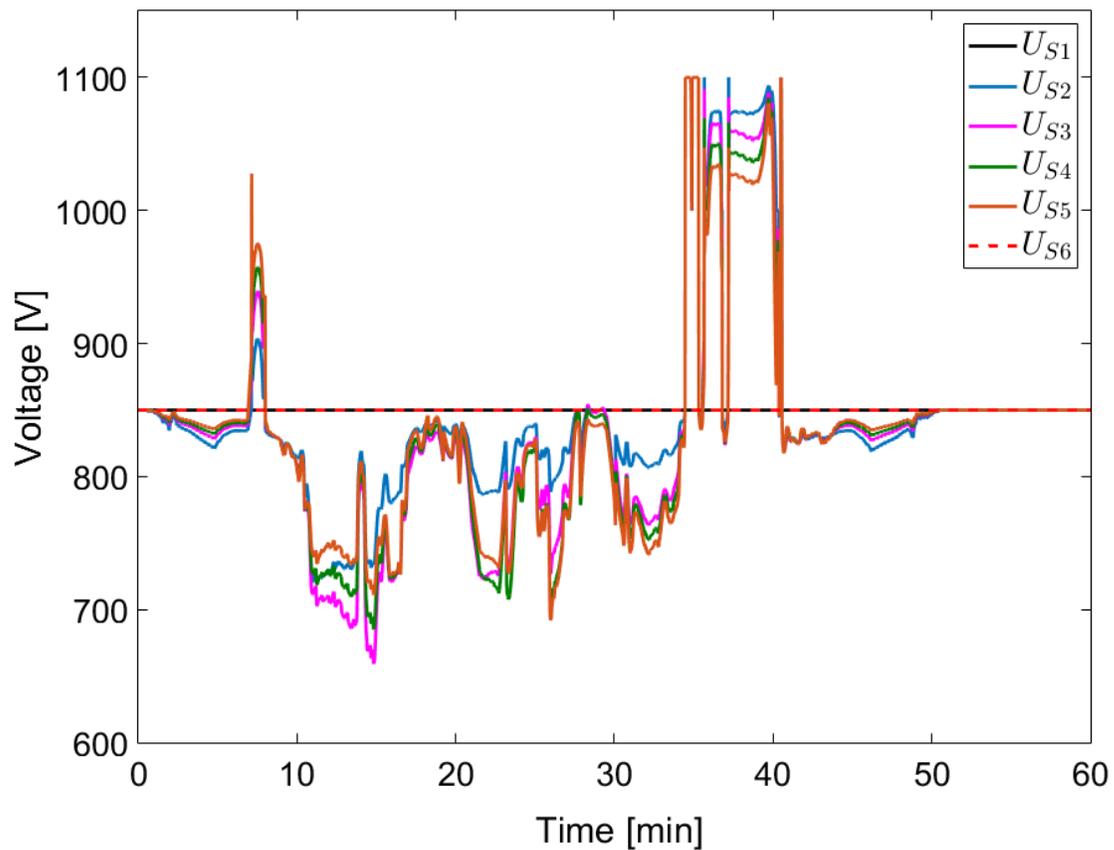
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# V1G solution for catenary overvoltage stabilization



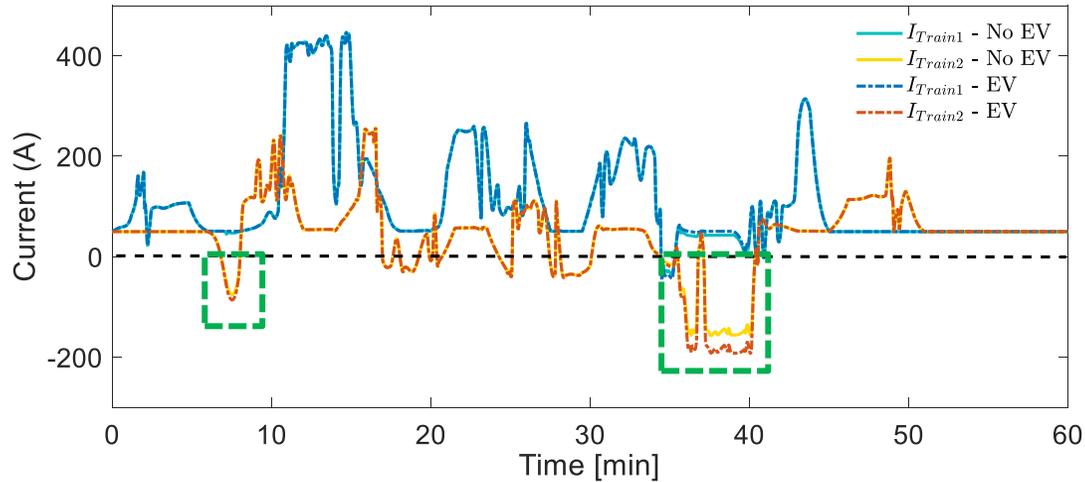
## ■ Choosing EV charging station site



# Results analysis

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Train current curves



Train position profiles

