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DERs control for flexibility and congestion management – Slovenian Pilot

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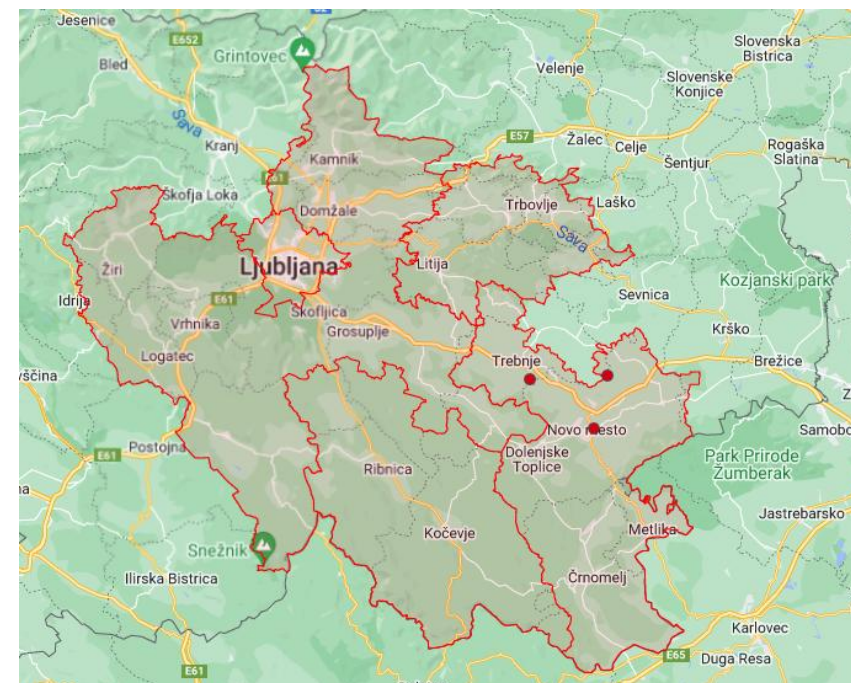
Pilot Information

- ELEKTRO LJUBLJANA (DSO) – site provider, demonstrator, evaluator of tools
- EL OVE- site provider, demonstrator, evaluator of tools
- ELPROS – technology (tools) provider(PRECOG, IRIS)
- ETRA- coordinator and technology provider(EMMA)
- GUARD- technology provider(PRECOG)



Overall Pilot Needs and Objectives

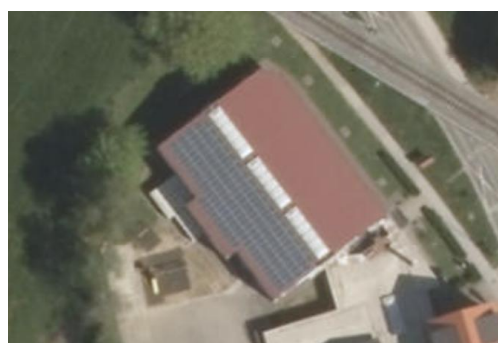
- Improvement of network operation security based on metering data
- Use of flexibility market to avoid emergency actions and network restoration
- Set up support for flexibility use in resilience purposes and coordination with TSO
- DSO - TSO congestion and power quality coordination





Pilot assets

- 20 MV/LV transformer stations,
- Connected grid users (generators, prosumers)
- RES Generation
 - HPP Zagradec Pr 420 kW
 - PV Ivančna Gorica Pr30 kW
 - PV Stična Pr 192,2 kW
 - PV Šmihel Pr 30 kW





Improvements & Benefits

- Weakness to solve

- Lack of automation of RES connected to LV grid

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- No secure link between SCADA and metering centre (LV measurements of smart meters)

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- Lack of information exchange between TSO and DSO in case of restrictions in DSO grid

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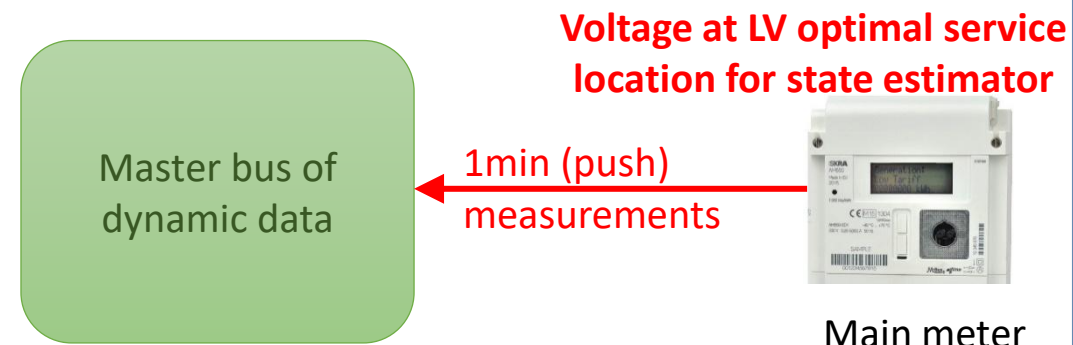
- Potential modification of TLS messages

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UC10- Improving of LV network observability based on billing metering system



Every minute smart meters publish measurements

Message (HEX):

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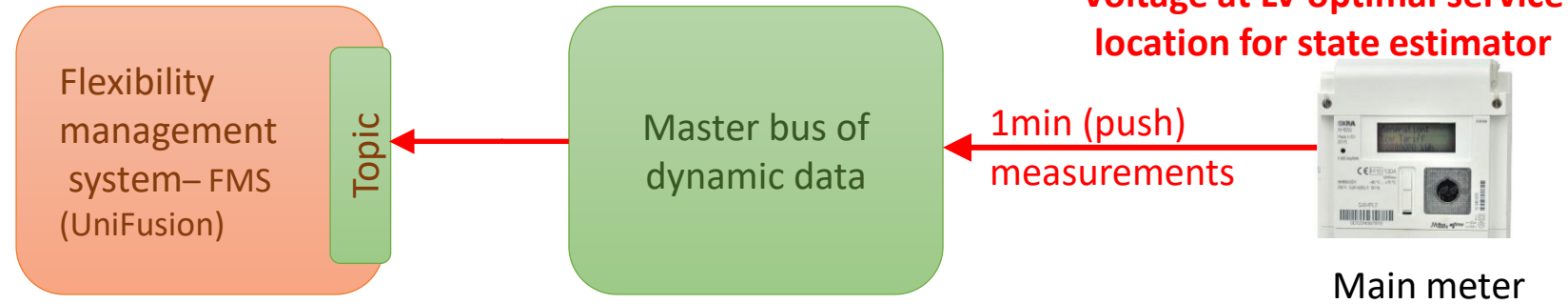


UC10- Improving of LV network observability

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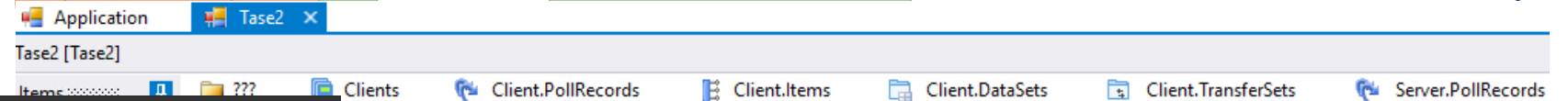
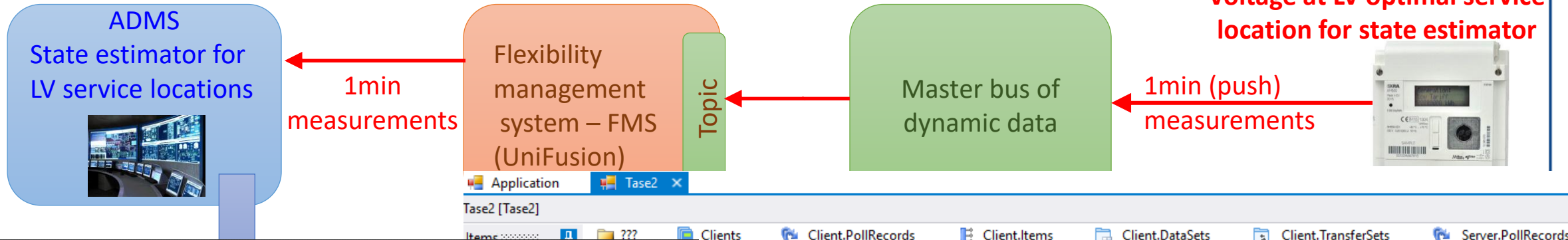


Master bus of dynamic data edits measurements data on xml structure and publishes on topic that flexibility is subscribed



UC10- Improving of LV network observability

UniFusion sends 1min measurements to DSO's ADMS/SCADA



Pregled telemetrije

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Enota za daljinsko vodenje Vsebuje flexi Izvrši

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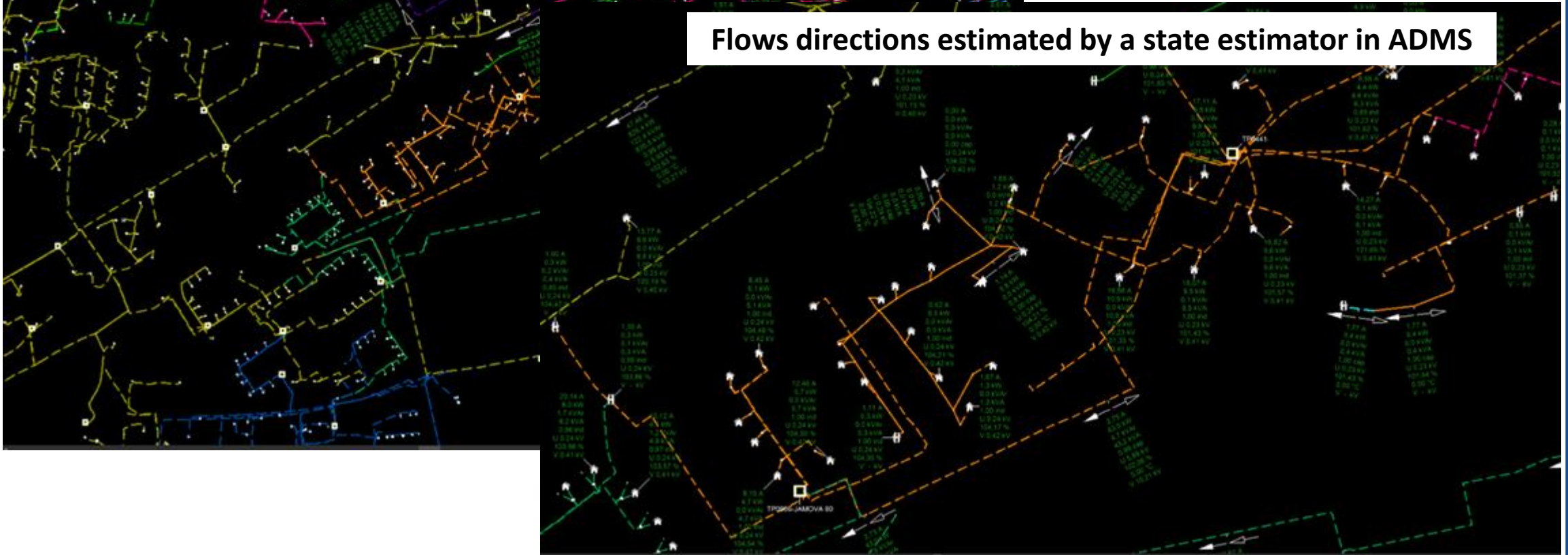
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Benefit: Observability of LV increases, because of 1min measurements from smart meters

Colour coded observability as a function of state estimation in ADMS

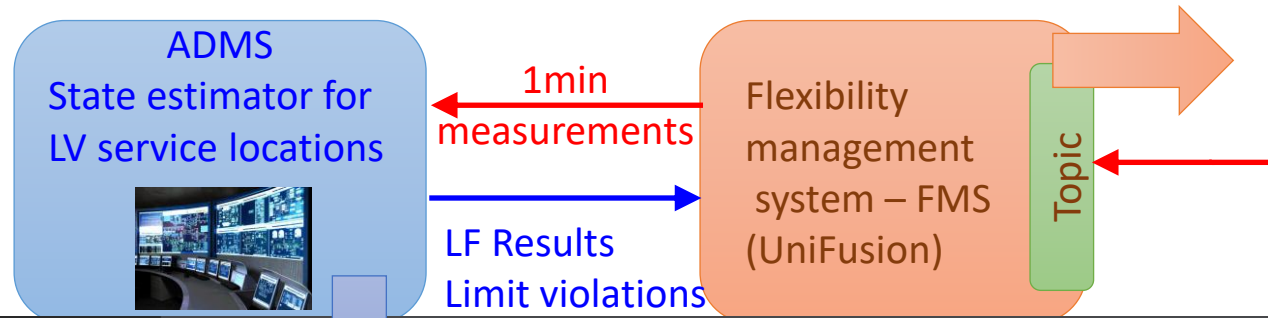


Flows directions estimated by a state estimator in ADMS





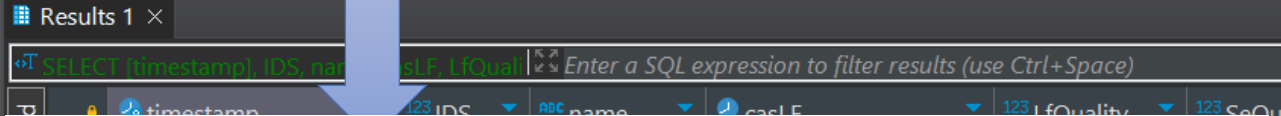
UC10+UC7:DSO – Enhancement in DER control



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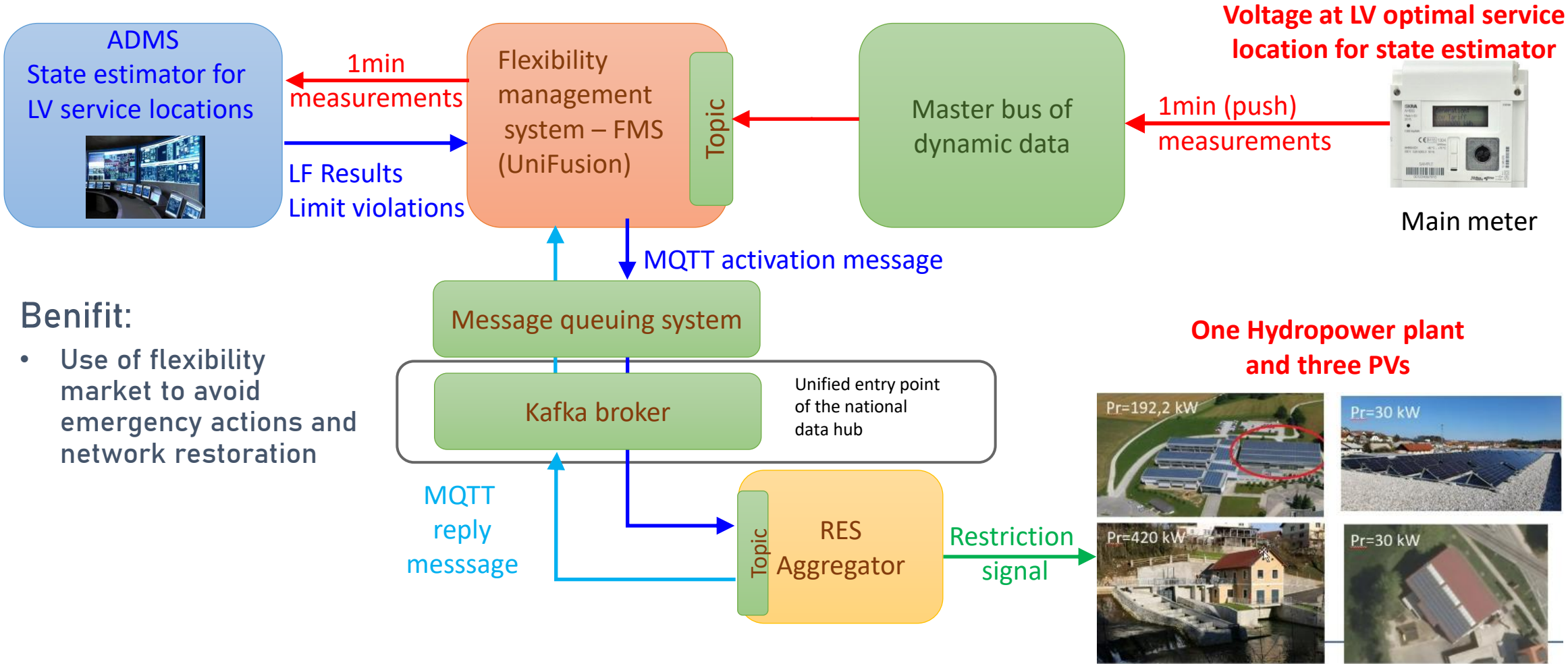
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Benefit:

- Set up support for flexibility use in resilience purposes and coordination with TSO
- DSO – TSO congestion and power quality coordination
 - Limit violation = 2 or 1 -> overload
 - Limit violation = 0 -> no problem on grid
 - Limit violation = -1 -> increased voltage
 - Limit violation = -2 -> overvoltage

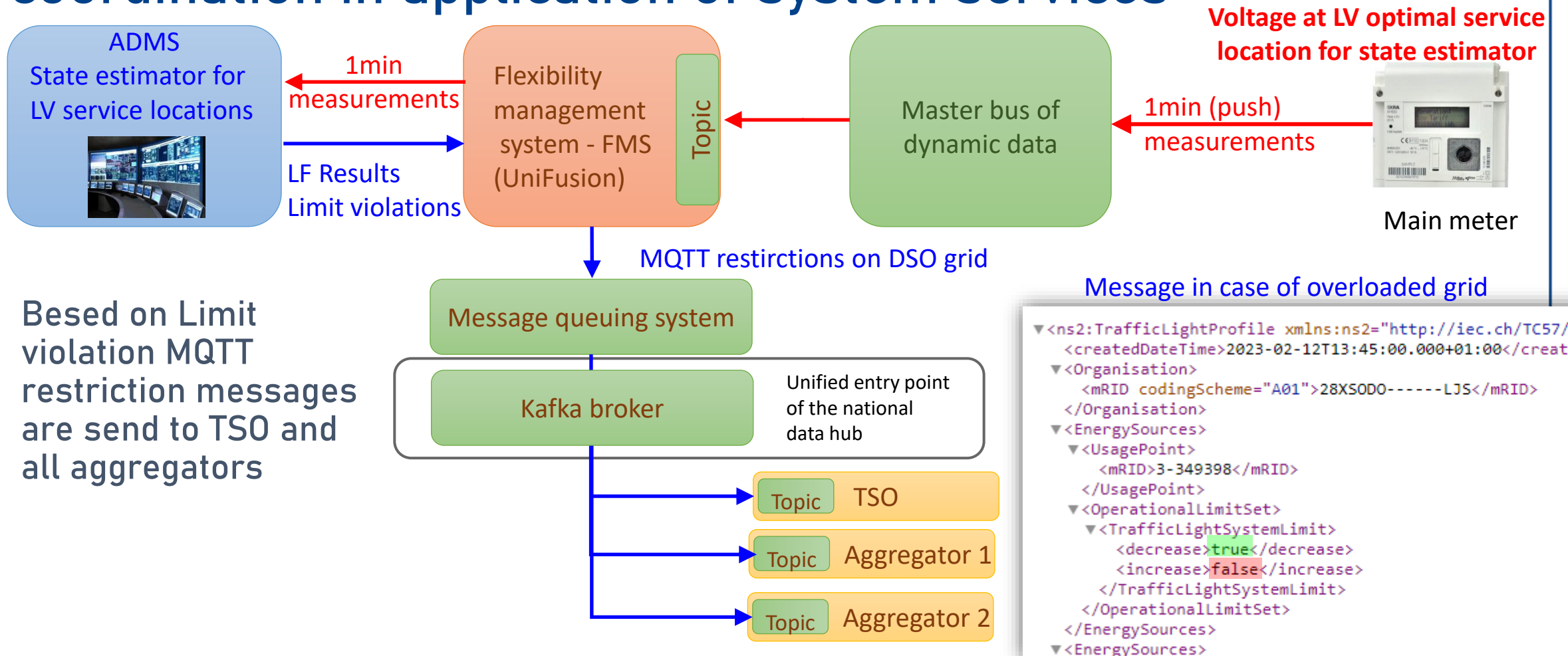
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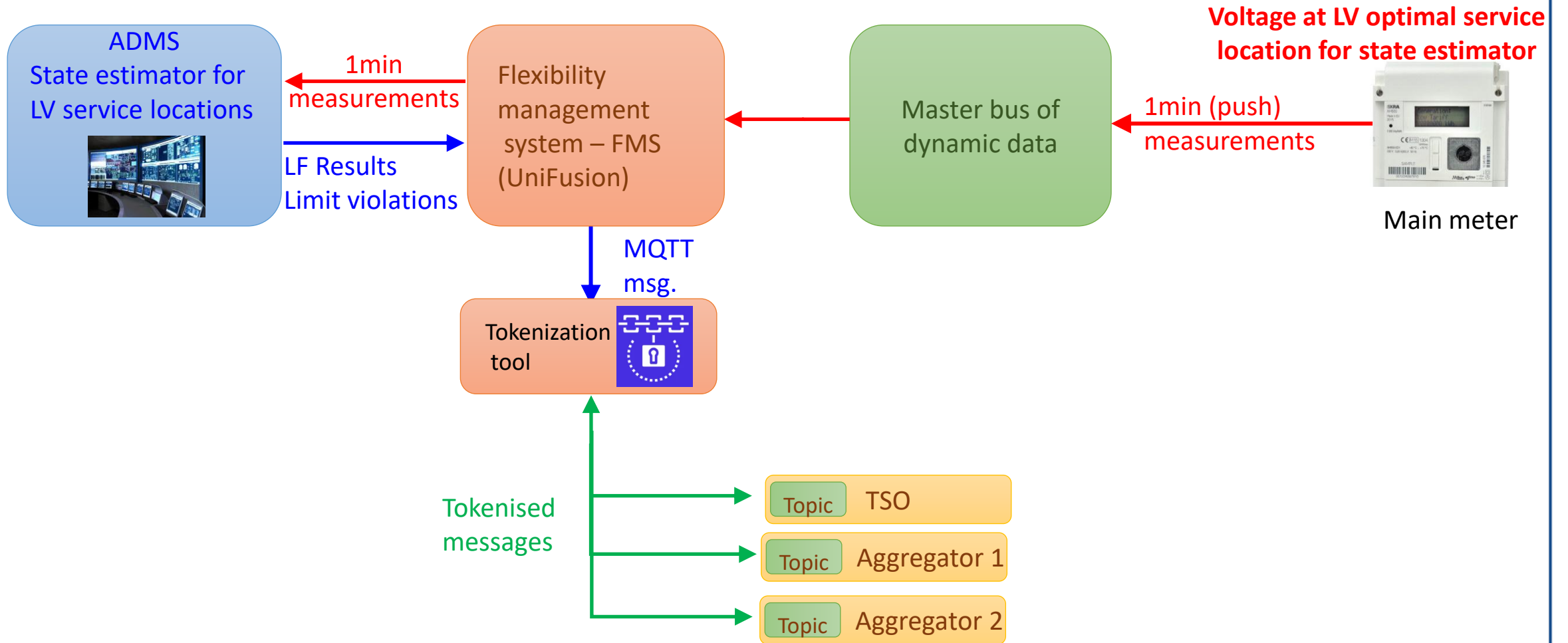
UC10+UC11:DSO – TSO congestion and power quality coordination in application of system services



Based on Limit violation MQTT restriction messages are send to TSO and all aggregators



UC38- DSO grid balancing data tokenization





Potential questions o participants

- What happens if ADMs is not getting smart meter readings for improving observability?
- What happens if DER is not limiting their consumption/generation if communication is lost?
- What happens if aggregators are ignoring restrictions on distribution 'red light'?
- Have you experienced any damage to the system or network infrastructure due to cyber or physical theft attacks?



THANK YOU!

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