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# Packaged Substations

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# Packaged Substations

## Agenda

- Safety Moment
- Overview
- Project Execution (Dave Brannon)
- Electrical Equipment (Dwaraka Padimiti)
- E-House (Andres Illarramendi)
- Q&A



# Safety Moment

## Distracted Driving

- Distractions behind the wheel are a lot more common than you think.
- In fact, 8-in-10 people engage in smartphone activities while driving.
- The latest news, social media uploads, and emails are all just a click or swipe away.
- But when you're behind the wheel, they can put you and everyone else in your path in danger.
- Distracted Driving is Never OK.
- #ItCanWait



# Packaged Substations

## Definition

### Scope Definition

- Prefabricated modular assembly comprised of electrical distribution equipment suited for a specified power distribution application.
- Common applications
  - Electrical Houses (E-Houses, PDCs, PCRs etc..)
  - Mobile Substations
  - Distribution Skids
- Key Advantages
  - Single Source Responsibility, Coordination and Accountability
  - Reduced Installation
  - Cost & Application Flexibility



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# Packaged Substations

## Project Execution

### Scope Understanding

- Material Scope of Supply
- Engineering Services Scope of Supply
- Schedule / Key Commercial Milestones
- Understanding of Project Specifications
- \*\*Unknown Concessions from Sales/Procurement teams
- Documentation Deliverables
- Project Team

Procurement  
Bid Package



Final Product

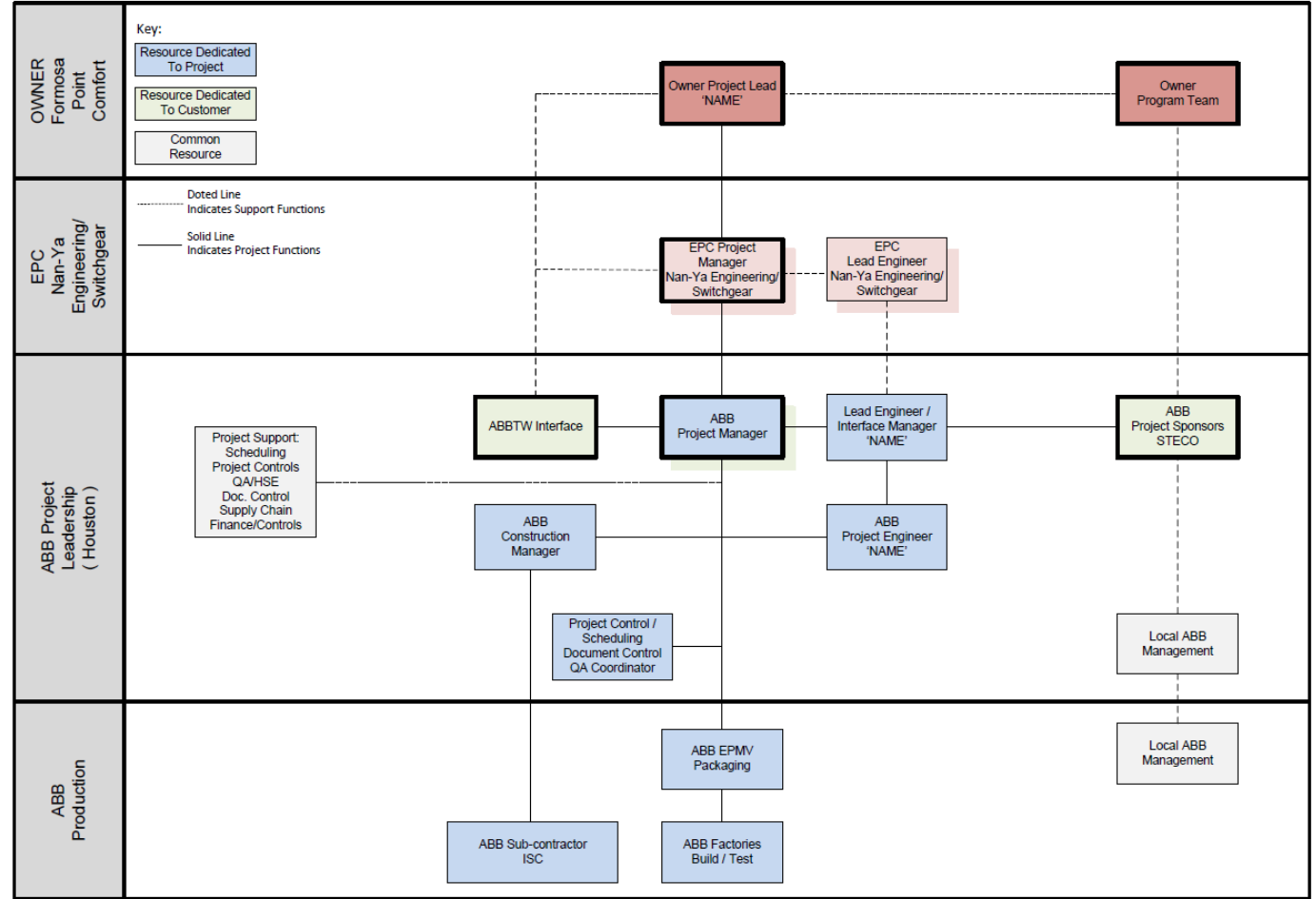


# Packaged Substations

## Project Execution - Project Team & RACI Matrix

### Project Team

- Customer/End User Project Team
  - Owner's Engineer / EPC
- Packaged Substation Supplier
  - Project Manager / Project Controls
  - Design Engineering Team
  - Manufacturing / Production Team
  - Electrical Installation Team
  - Procurement & Logistics
  - Quality Control
  - Leadership / Executive Sponsor



# Packaged Substations

## Project Execution - Project Team & RACI Matrix

### RACI Matrix

- Provide visibility to critical task
- Create collaboration among the entire project team
- Assign ownership

### RACI Matrix

[Project Title]

### Roles and Responsibilities

Responsible, Accountable, Consulted, Informed

Deliverable or Task	Status	ROLES					Project Manager	Technical Lead	Name or Role	Name or Role	Name or Role	Consultant	Name or Role	Name or Role	Name or Role	Name or Role
		Sponsor	Name or Role	Name or Role	Name or Role	Name or Role										
		Sponsor / Leadership					Project Team					Other Resources				
<b>Phase 1</b>																
Deliverable/Task 1		A	R				I									
Deliverable/Task 2		A		R			I									
<b>Phase 2</b>																
Deliverable/Task 1		C	I				A	R								
Deliverable/Task 2			I				A		R							
<b>Phase 3</b>																
Deliverable/Task 1			I				A	I		R		C				
Deliverable/Task 2			I				A	I	R			C				
<b>Phase 4</b>																
Deliverable/Task 1				I			A	R					C			
Deliverable/Task 2				I			A		R							

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- R** Responsible
- A** Accountable
- C** Consulted
- I** Informed

Assigned to complete the task or deliverable.

Has final decision-making authority and accountability for completion. Only 1 per task.

An adviser, stakeholder, or subject matter expert who is consulted before a decision or action.

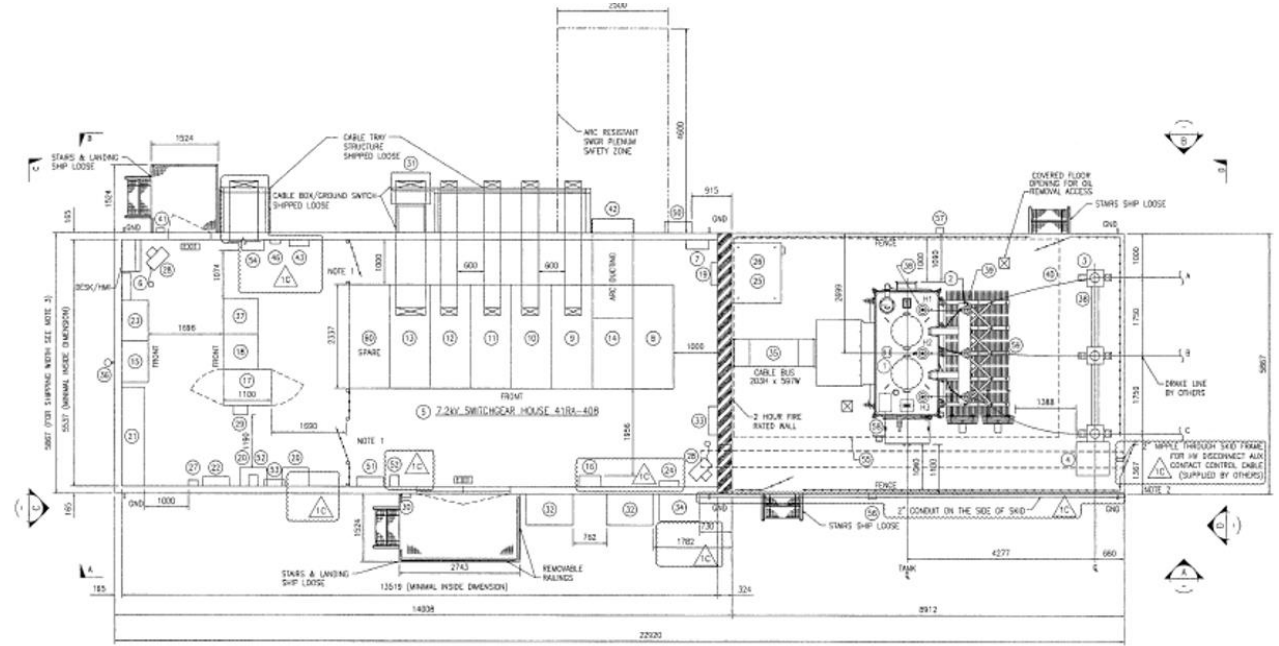
Must be informed after a decision or action.

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## Project Execution - Project Team & RACI Matrix

### Design & Application Engineering Team

- Qualified Multi-Discipline Engineering Team
  - Architectural / Civil / Structural
  - Electrical (Power, Communication, etc)
  - Mechanical (HVAC, Fire Protection, etc)
  - System Specialist (as required)
  - Testing and Commissioning Engineers





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Project Execution - Project Team & RACI Matrix

## Manufacturing and Production Team

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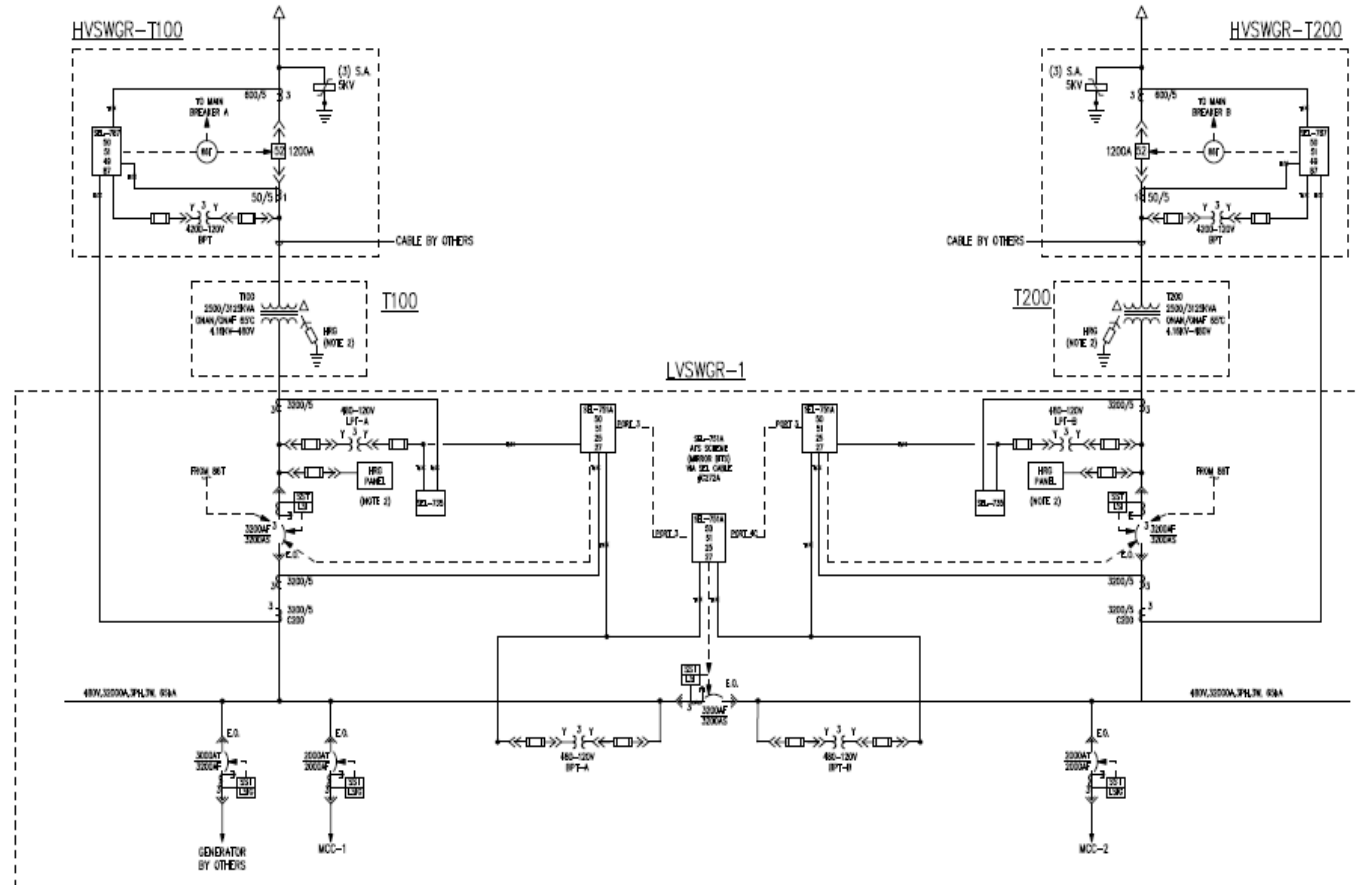
- Qualified Multi-Discipline Construction Team
  - Welding & Steel Fabrication
  - QA Inspectors
- Electrical Construction
  - High & Low Voltage Wiring Installation & Testing
  - Bus Duct
  - Cable Tray & Conduit Installation
  - MV & LV MCC's/Switchgear Installation
  - Transformers
  - Power & Lighting Panels
  - Grounding
  - Lighting
  - Lighting Protection
  - Telecom Systems (structured cabling, PAGA, CCTV etc)





# Packaged Substations

## Project Execution – Detailed Design Approved Project One-line diagram





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## Packaged Substations

### Project Execution – Procurement & Logistics

#### Procurement – Major Equipment

- Procurement of Long Lead Electrical Equipment
  - Switchgear
  - MCCs
  - MV VFDs
  - Transformers
- Approval drawings required for building coordination.
- Take Measures to ensure successful FAT at native factories prior to shipment.



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## Packaged Substations

### Project Execution – Customer FIE

#### Customer “Free Issued Equipment”

- DCS Equipment
  - Automation Control Cabinet
  - Control Room Furniture
  - AC UPS Systems
- Approval drawings required for building coordination.
- Ensure proper ownership between Customer and Substation Supplier
- Take Measures to ensure successful FAT at native factories prior to shipment.
- Ensure all installation details are provided



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## Packaged Substations

### Project Execution - Procurement

#### Procurement – Major Equipment

- HVAC Systems
  - Wall Mounted Units
  - Pad Mounted Units
  - Hazardous Area Classification
  - Pressurization Systems
  - Interior Duct Work
  - HVAC Controls
  - Pre-Commissioning / Breakdown & Crating





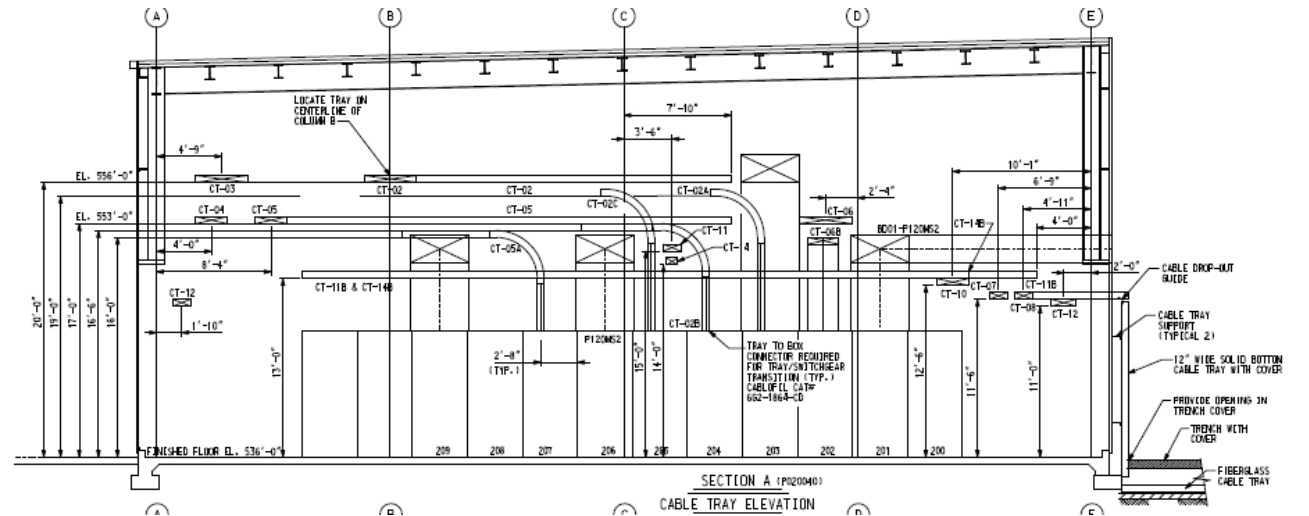
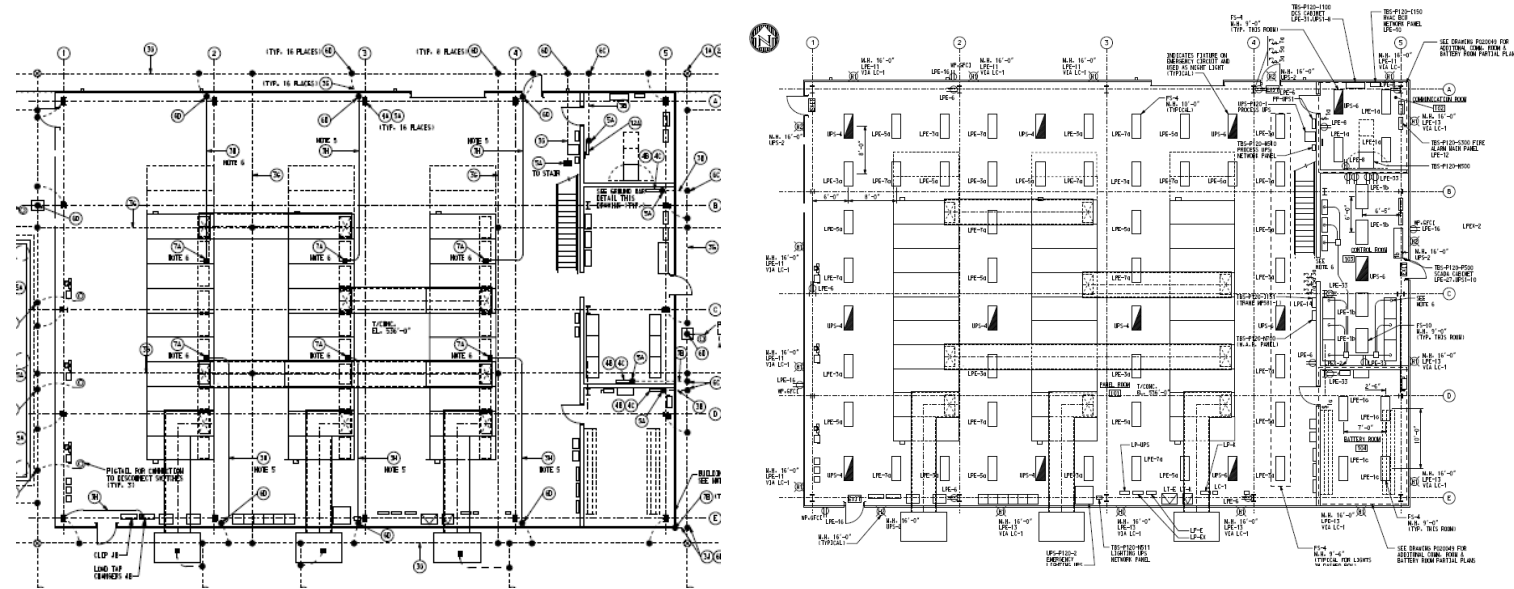


# Packaged Substations

## Project Execution – Detailed Design

### Electrical Room Design

- Electrical Systems Design and Inter discipline coordination
- Lighting & Convenience Power Design
- Grounding & Lightening Protection Design
- Cable Tray & Raceway Design
- HVAC Design
- Fire Protection Design
- Communications Design

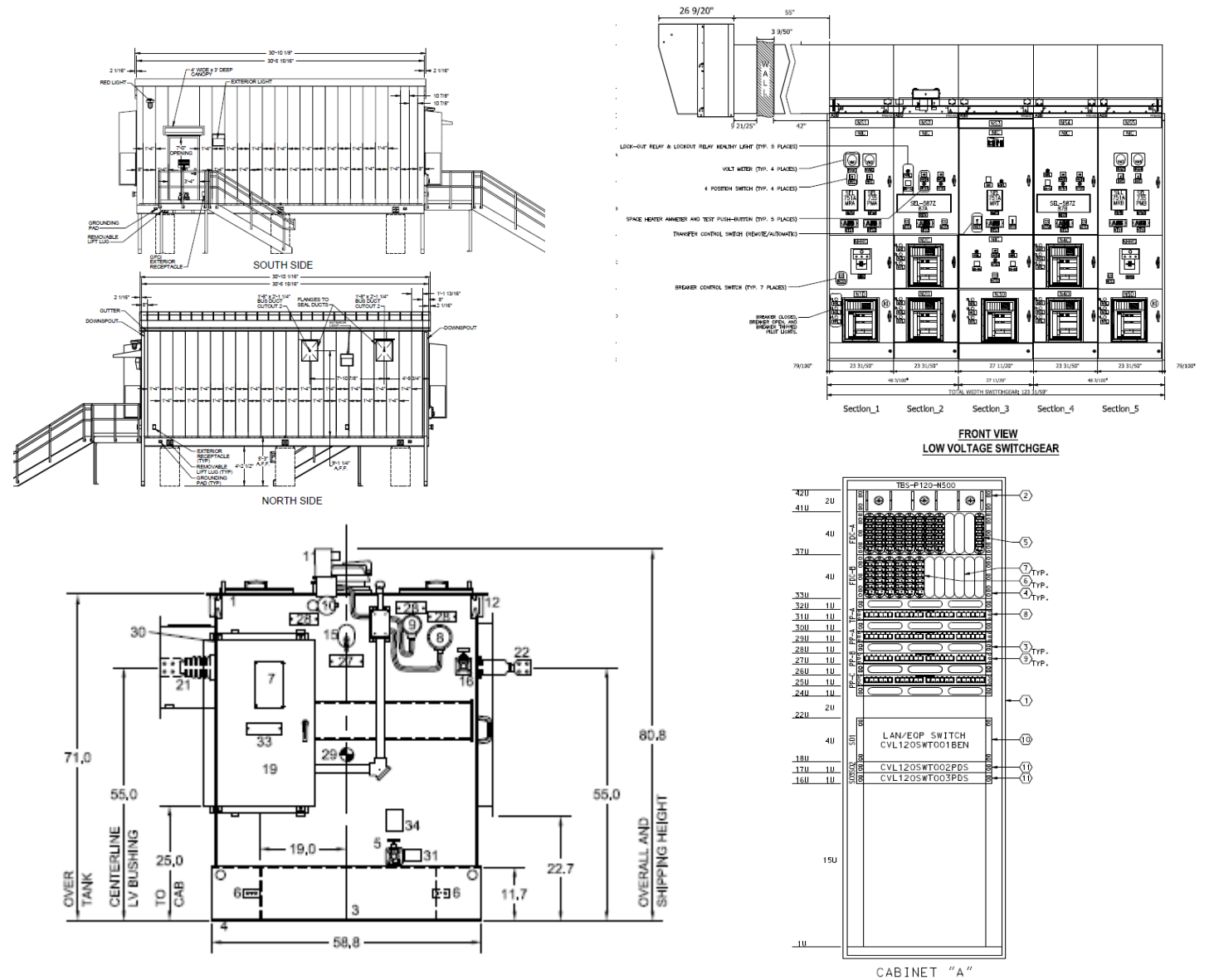


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## Project Execution – Detailed Design

### Submittal / Shop drawing Review

- MV / LV Switchgear
- MV / LV MCCs
- 125VDC System
- Transformers
- Bus Duct
- Customer FIE (DCS/PMS/SCADA etc..)
- Electrical Building
  - Utilities (Lighting, Power, Grounding)
  - HVAC
  - Fire Alarm
  - Telecoms
  - Electrical Integration



# Packaged Substations

## Project Execution – Detailed Design

### Electrical Integration

- Detailed Instruction to support complete system installation & functionality
  - Interconnection Cable Schedules
  - Supporting Interconnection diagrams
  - Installation Details

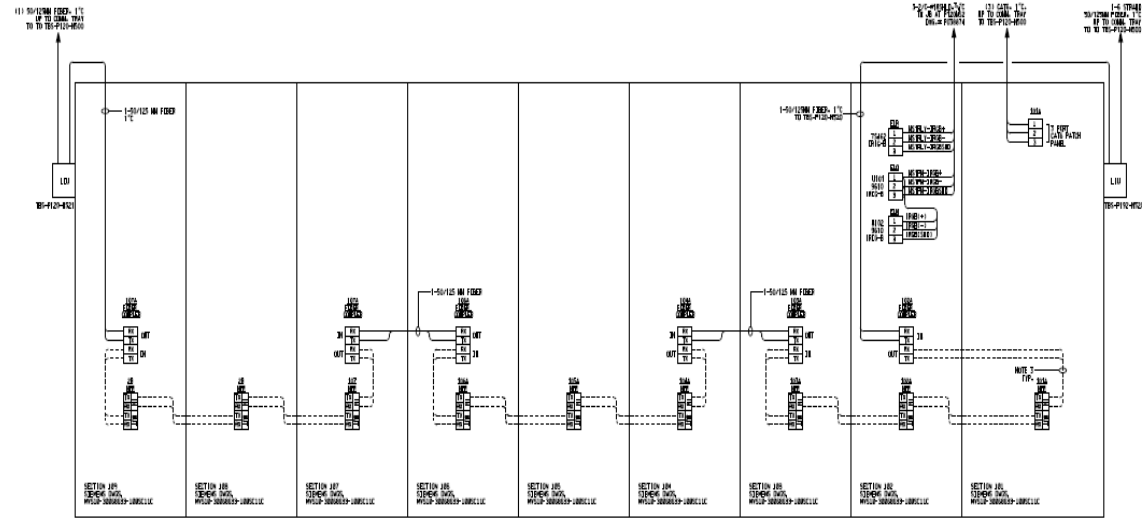


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								Building	Boiler E-House
									Rev. 0
Item No.	CABLE DESCRIPTION					FROM	TO	ESTIMATED LENGTH INCLUDED IN PROPOSAL	REMARKS
	CABLE DESCRIPTION	CONDUCTOR SIZE	CABLE SIZE	CIRCUIT VOLTAGE	LOAD (KVA, KW, KVAR, HP)				
1	600V TC - (POWER) Copper, XHHW-2 Insulation	#2/0 AWG	3-C #2/0 w/ #6 GND	480VAC	175A	MCC-3	75KVA Utility XFMR 1 (By POC Supplier)		480V Feeder to POC Utility XFMR-1
2	600V TC - (POWER) Copper, XHHW-2 Insulation	#4/0 AWG	3-C #4/0 w/ #4 GND	208VAC	225A	450KVA Utility XFMR 1 (By POC Supplier)	208/120 Utility Panel 1 (By POC Supplier)		Feeder to Building Utility 208Y/120V Panel 1
3	600V TC - (POWER) Copper, XHHW-2 Insulation	#6 AWG	3-C #6 w/ #10 GND	480VAC	35A	MCC-3	15KVA Utility XFMR 2 (By POC Supplier)		480V Feeder to POC Utility XFMR-2
4	600V TC - (POWER) Copper, XHHW-2 Insulation	#4 AWG	3-C #4w/ #10 GND	208VAC	50A	15KVA Utility XFMR 2 (By POC Supplier)	208/120 Utility Panel 2 (By POC Supplier)		Feeder to Building Utility 208Y/120V Panel 2
5	600V TC - (POWER) Copper, XHHW-2 Insulation	#4 AWG	2-C #4w/ #10 GND	208VAC	60A	208/120 Utility Panel 1 (By POC Supplier)	125VDC System		Feeder to 125VDC System (Base)
6	600V TC - (POWER) Copper, XHHW-2 Insulation	#4 AWG	2-C #4w/ #10 GND	208VAC	60A	208/120 Utility Panel 1 (By POC Supplier)	125VDC System		Feeder to 125VDC System (Charger #2)
7	600V TC - (POWER) Copper, XHHW-2 Insulation	#8AWG	2-C #8AWG w/ #10 GND	125VDC	40A	125VDC System (Base)	13.8KV SWGR Bus A		125VDC SWGR Control Power Bus A Ckt 1
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9	600V TC - (POWER) Copper, XHHW-2 Insulation	#8AWG	2-C #8AWG w/ #10 GND	125VDC	40A	125VDC System (Base)	4.16KV SWGR Bus A		125VDC SWGR Control Power Bus A Ckt 1
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12	600V TC - (POWER) Copper, XHHW-2 Insulation	#8AWG	2-C #8AWG w/ #10 GND	120VAC	50A	208/120 Utility Panel 1 (By POC Supplier)	13.8KV SWGR Bus A		120VAC SWGR Heater Ckt 1
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## Packaged Substations

### Project Execution – Detailed Design

#### **Multi-Discipline / External Project Team Coordination**

- Example: Bus Duct
  - Transformer – Vendor A
  - Building – Vendor B
  - Bus Duct – Vendor B
  - Civil Design - Customer
- Example: Stairs and Platforms
  - Elevation coordination

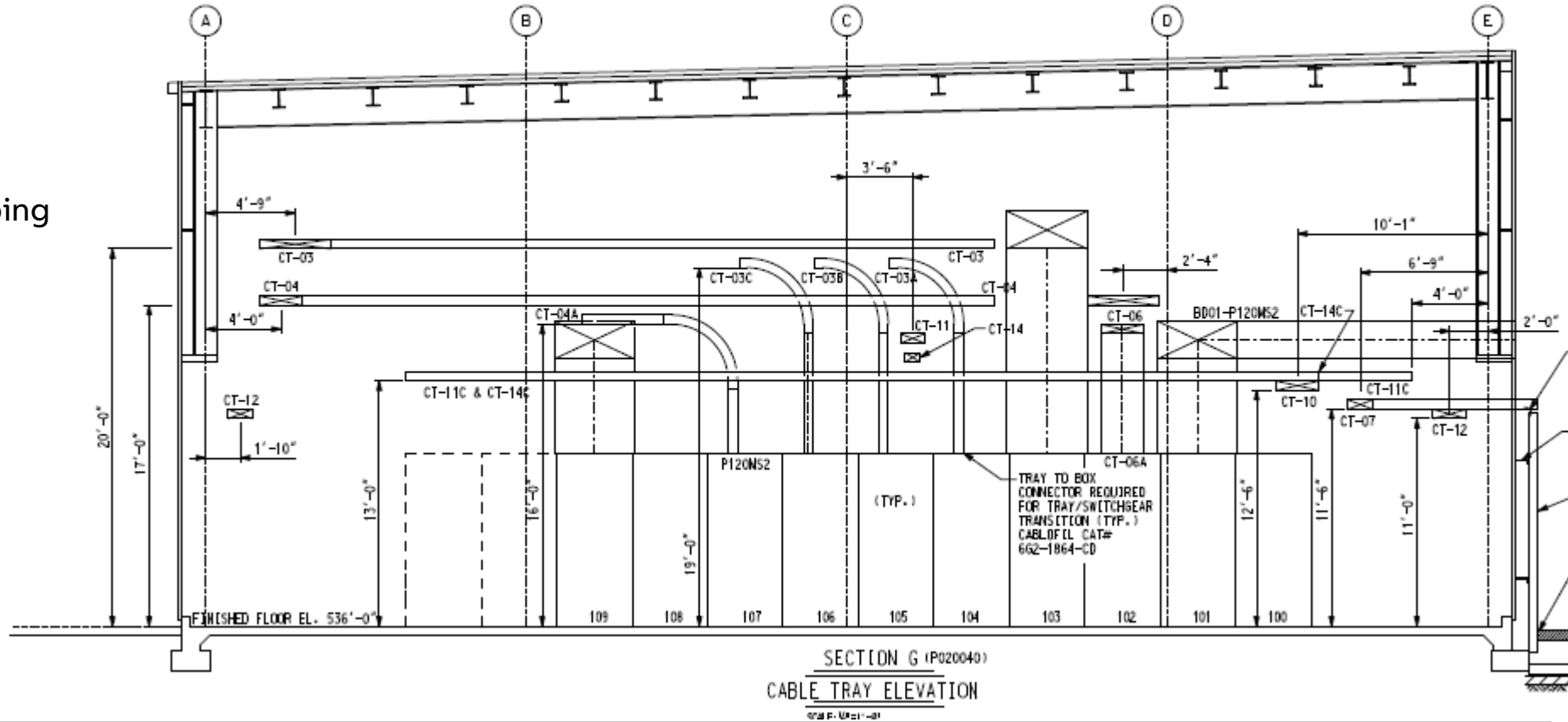


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## Project Execution – Detailed Design

### Multi-Discipline / External Project Team Coordination

- Example: Internal Ceiling Height
  - Lighting
  - Arc Plenum
  - HVAC Duct (as applicable)
  - Cable Tray
  - Fire Suppression System Piping

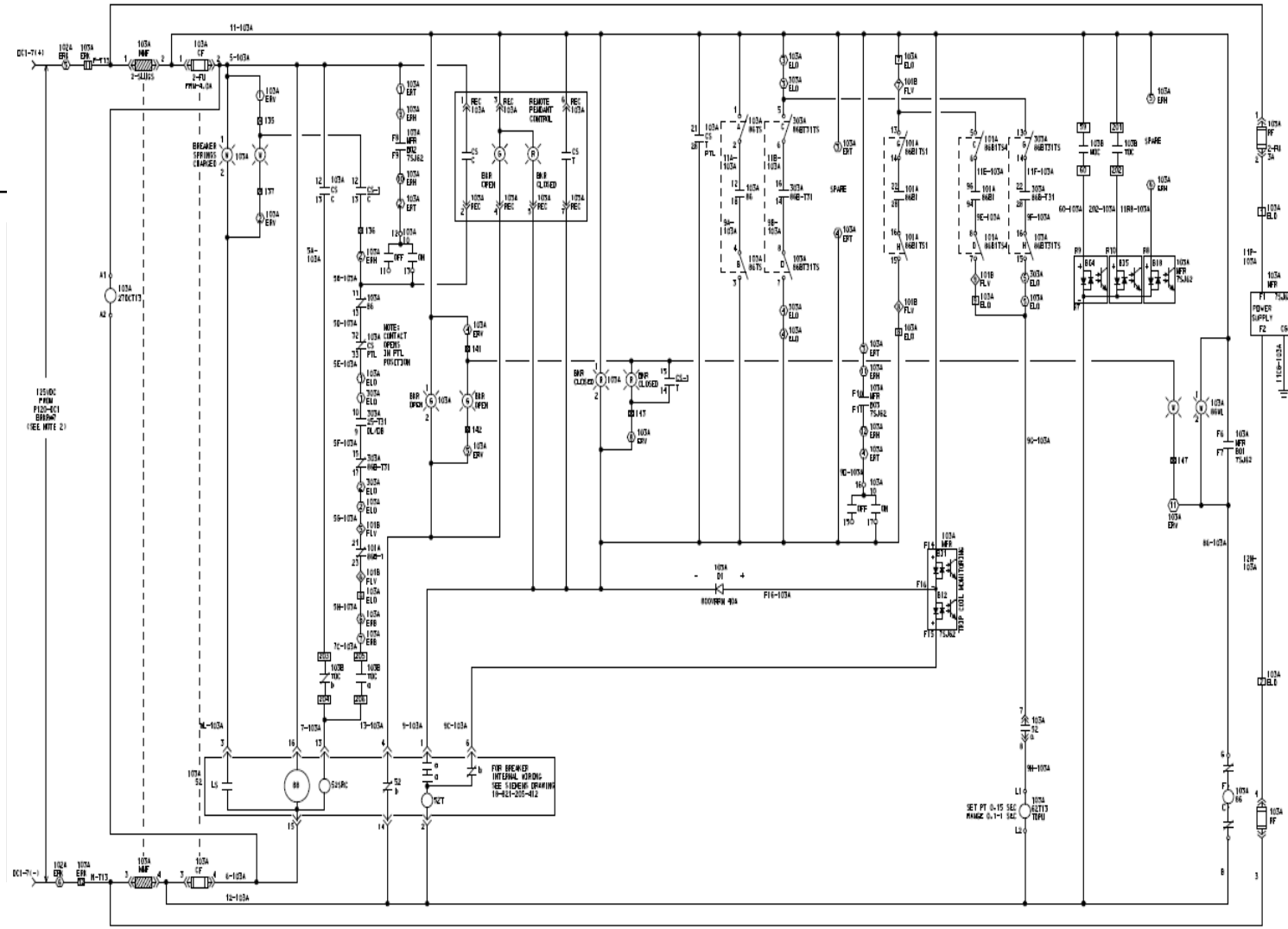


# Packaged Substations

## Project Execution – Detailed Design

### Documentation

- Record Drawings “As-Built”
- Project Specific “As Commissioned”
- Modify Existing or create new documentation to reflect multi-system integration
  - Substation Automation / PMS Control
  - DCS Monitoring / Control
  - External Alarm Annunciation
  - Communications
  - Time Synchronization
  - Control Schemes via Relay Logic (ATS)
- Test Reports
- Handover/ Release/Transfer Forms



## Packaged Substations

### Project Execution – Testing, Commissioning, Support

- Customer Approved Inspection & Testing Plans
  - Native Supplier FAT
  - Integrated FAT (iFAT)
- Onsite services including installation, start up, and commissioning service, support, and supervision
- Complete product and system training programs
- Classroom training
- Spare parts programs to reduce inventory costs





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## Packaged Substations

### Major Electrical Equipment

#### Outdoor Equipment

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##### – Outdoor Breakers

- HV Dead tank breakers
- Hybrid circuit breakers (SF6 interrupting medium)

##### – Transformers

- Power Transformers
- Distribution Class transformers
- Mineral oil / natural Esther oil



**Distribution**



**Power**



**Pad-mount**



**Specials**



# Packaged Substations

## Major Electrical Equipment

### MV Equipment

- **Metal Clad switchgear/MCC**
  - Arc-resistant switchgear/MCC
  - Non-arc resistant switchgear
- **Metal-enclosed equipment**
  - Metal-enclosed Load interrupter switch
  - Metal enclosed MV MCC
- **MV Variable Frequency Drives**
  - Air cooled VFD
  - Water Cooled VFD



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## Packaged Substations

### Major Electrical Equipment

#### LV Equipment

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##### – Low Voltage switchgear/MCC

- Arc-resistant switchgear
- Arc-resistant Motor control
- Non-arc resistant switchgear
- Non-arc-resistant Motor control



Non-arc resistant LV motor control



Non-arc resistant switchgear



Arc-res LV Switchgear



Arc-res Motor Control

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## Packaged Substations

### Major Electrical Equipment

#### AC/DC UPS and Critical Systems

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- AC/DC UPS Systems
- Static Transfer Switches
- Automatic Transfer Switches



Digital Static Transfer



Automatic Static Transfer Switches



AC/DC UPS Systems



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## Packaged Substations

### Major Electrical Equipment

#### LV Equipment

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##### – Low Voltage Panels / Transformers

- Single/Three phase dry Type Transformers
- Low Voltage Switchboards
- Low Voltage Bus way / bus duct
- Power Panels / Lighting Panels
- Low Voltage Drives (rack mounted)
- Safety Switches



Enclosed Heavy Duty  
Safety Switches



Low Voltage Drives



Low Voltage  
Panelboards



Low Voltage  
Switchboard

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# Packaged Substations

## Major Electrical Equipment

### Substation Control Power Systems

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#### – 125VDC Systems (Conventional)

- Battery Chargers
- Battery Rack, Spill Containment Pillows
- DC Disconnect Switches & Panelboard
- Increased footprint

#### – 125DC systems (Factory Packaged)

- Includes charger, battery, DC distribution
- Ships fully assembled – cuts on-site labor time, cost and risk
- Fully enclosed system – offers a safer working environment



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# Packaged Substations

## Major Electrical Equipment

### IED Selection

#### – Device Types

- Protection Relays
- Power Meters
- Annunciators

#### – Functionality

- Protection
- Metering
- Control
- Communication (MB, IEC61850,)
- Time Synchronization



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## Major Electrical Equipment

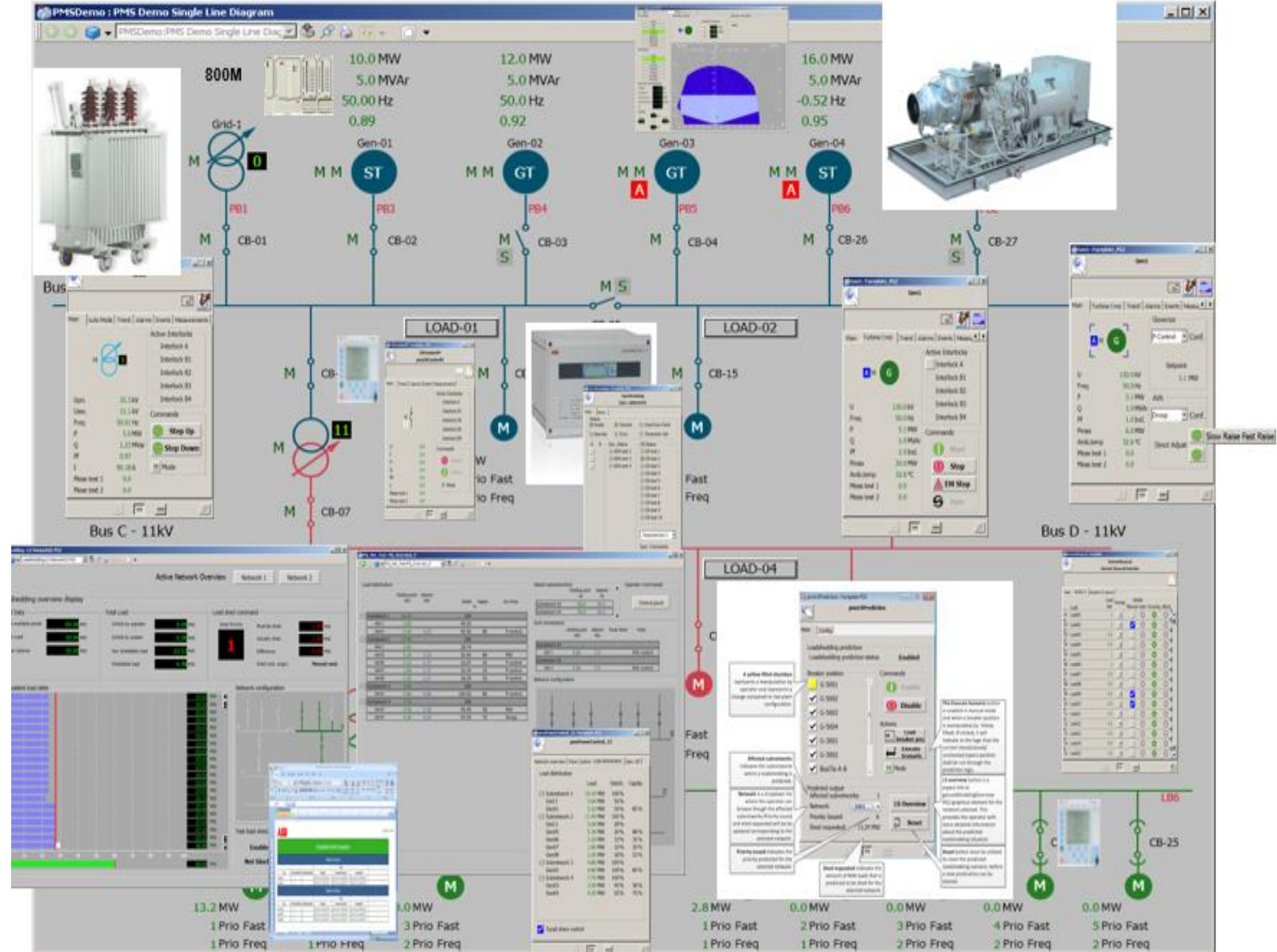
### Power Management Systems

#### – Software

- Electrical Monitoring and Control
- Load Shedding
- Alarming / Annunciation

#### – Hardware

- IT/ Networking (Servers, PCs, Switches)
- HMI's





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## Key functional considerations

<b>Structure / Architecture</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>— Fully welded structural steel design</li><li>— Inter-locking wall design, ceiling/roof panels by bolting</li><li>— Color bond steel sheet wall design, ceiling &amp; roofing by bolting</li><li>— Fire rated walls, roof &amp; floor</li><li>— Blast resist design for building walls or roof</li><li>— Split building design</li><li>— Special environmental site conditions</li></ul>
<b>HVAC</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>— Sized based on a variety of factors like ambient max. &amp; min. temperature, equipment heat dissipation, thermal insulation capacity of wall &amp; roof, desired operating temperature, zone classification, application specific e.g. purging system etc</li></ul>
<b>Ventilation</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>— Normally provided for Battery room with a direct exhaust system to outdoor environment, so as to remove hazardous and explosive gases</li></ul>
<b>Fire detection system</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>— Designed based on customer specification to provide early detection and integrated into plant's main fire detection system</li></ul>
<b>Fire suppression system</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>— Form part of E-house utilities in various type such as Fire Suppression System</li><li>— Includes portable CO<sub>2</sub> Fire Extinguishers at every entrance of the E-house</li></ul>

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## Key functional considerations

<b>PA/GA system</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>— Wall mounted telephone handset and speakers, integrated with the Plant Communication System</li><li>— Satellite link or Microwave link for telecommunication in remote/offshore installations</li></ul>
<b>Lighting system</b>	<p>Internal &amp; External Lighting that includes</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>— Lux level calculations</li><li>— Lighting layout design</li><li>— Compliance to local / standards stipulated by international certifying agency</li><li>— Compliance to zone classification etc.</li></ul>
<b>Electrification &amp; Instrumentation</b>	<p>Equipment engineering on</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>— Layout arrangement / design</li><li>— Heat dissipation (affects HVAC)</li><li>— etc</li></ul> <p>Interface engineering that has impact on</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>— Installation</li><li>— Schedule</li><li>— Cable design and layout / routing</li></ul>
<b>Shipping</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>— Type of E-house, loose items, openings, etc has to be taken into consideration and proper support / seals to be provided prior to shipment</li></ul>

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# Different types of E-Houses

## Construction types

### Structural Construction Types

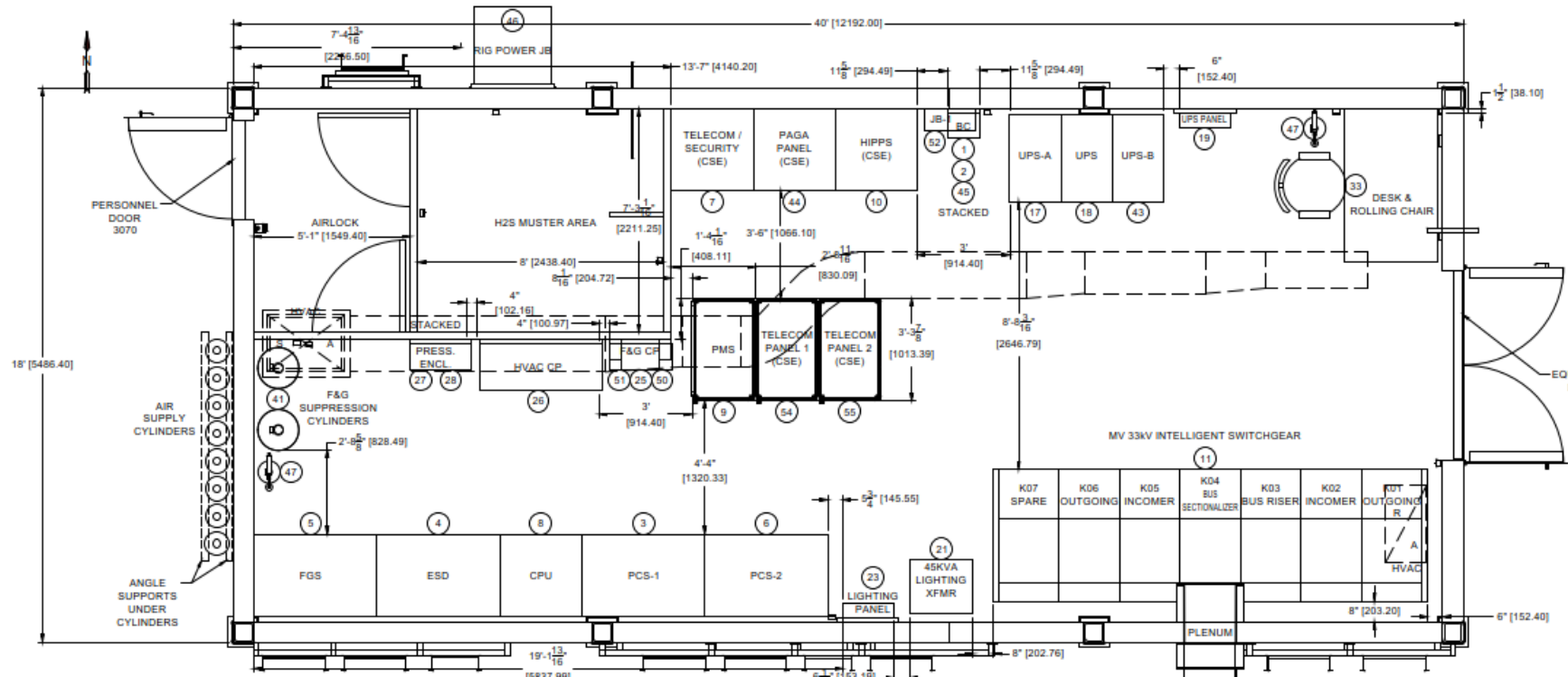
- Fully welded structural steel design (Crimp Wall Design)
- Interlocking wall design, ceiling/roof panels by bolting
- Color bond steel sheet wall design, ceiling & roofing by bolting
- Hazardous Area Zone installation
- Blast resistant design for building walls or roof
- Fire rated walls, roof & floor
- Split building design
- Special environmental site conditions



# Layouts and Elevations

## Not only floor space but sometimes wall space is prime

- Wall and floor penetrations needs to be identified in very early stages for structural purposes
- Always look for the miscellaneous devices to be installed in walls (light switches, receptacles, JB's, horns, strobes, gas detectors, etc...)
- Some wall mounted equipment and devices needs clearances also

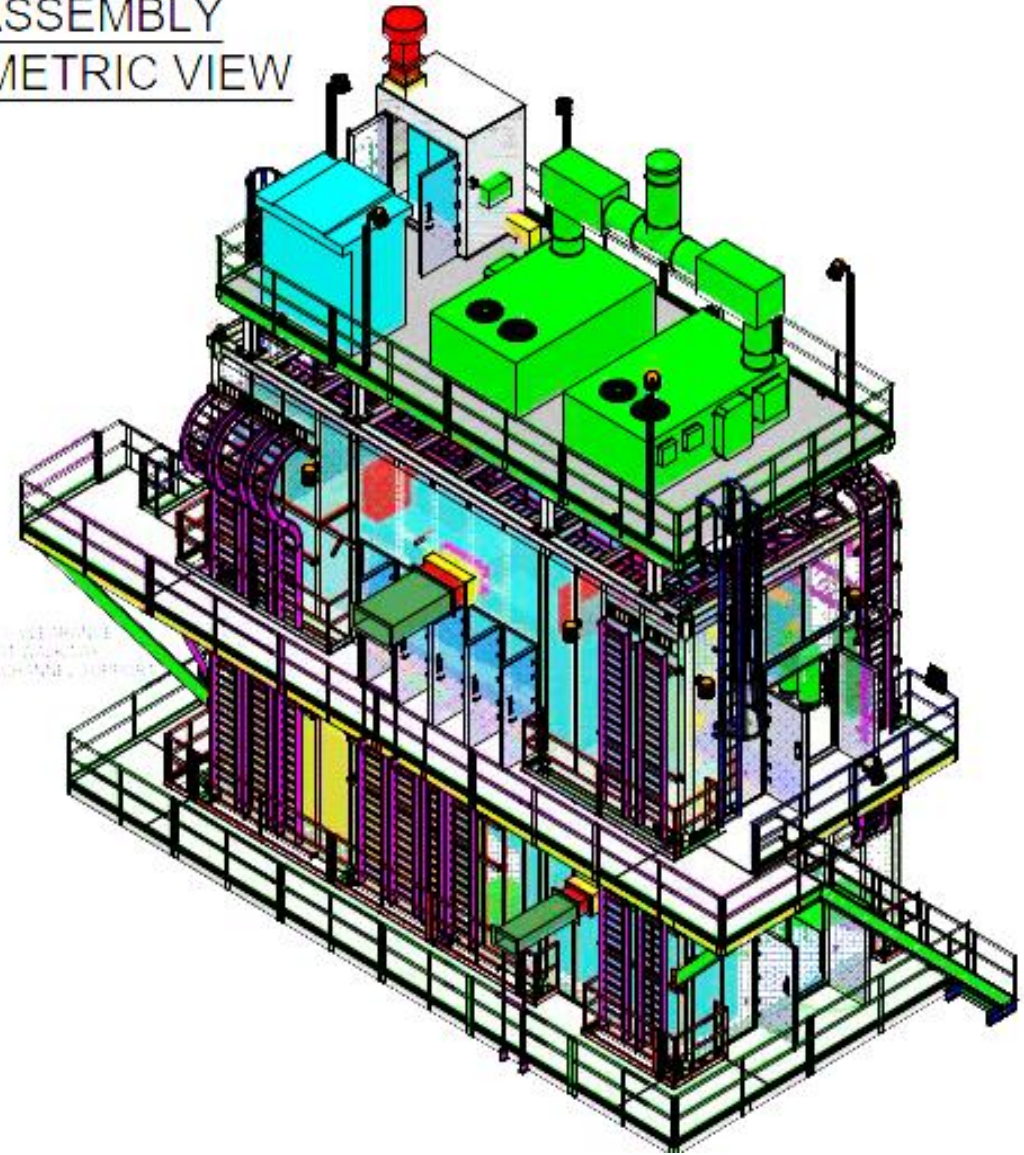


## 3D Modeling

### Devil is in the details...!!

- Look for clashes (equipment, cable trays, lights, HVAC ducting, suppression systems piping, etc...)
- All components are being accounted for wall and floor space (cabinets, transformers, conduit, junction boxes, panels, cable trays, etc...)
- Do not cut short in space in order to meet building and electrical codes and regulations
- Be aware of different room classifications when needed (battery room, electrical room, personnel room)

ASSEMBLY  
ISOMETRIC VIEW



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# Onshore vs Offshore

## Codes and Regulations

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Be aware of which codes and regulations have to be met before you start your building design. These changes can be very costly when are not identified in the early stages of the project. Also, can throw away your schedule completely.

Some of the costly items for this category of onshore/offshore applications are but not limited to:

- Materials used (galvanized vs stainless steel vs aluminum)
- Area Classification (C1D2, C1D1, HVAC and Building Pressure)
- Suppression System (Inergen, FM200, NFPA92)
- Blast proof (doors, windows, walls, level of damage)
- Redundancy systems (HVAC, UPS, F&G)
- Fire rating (walls, floor/belly pan, penetrations, chartek, H-60)

## Standards

### SOLAS – Safety of Life At Sea

- Bulkheads and penetrations
- Fire rating and fire dampers
- Room classifications

### ANSI/NEC

- Equipment clearances per code
- Equipment and fixtures used

### IEC

- Different from ANSI/NEC (wiring colors, grounding)
- Fixtures rating (cable glands)

### Explosion Proof

- Internal and External fixtures
  - HVAC and Pressurization (Z-purge, black start)
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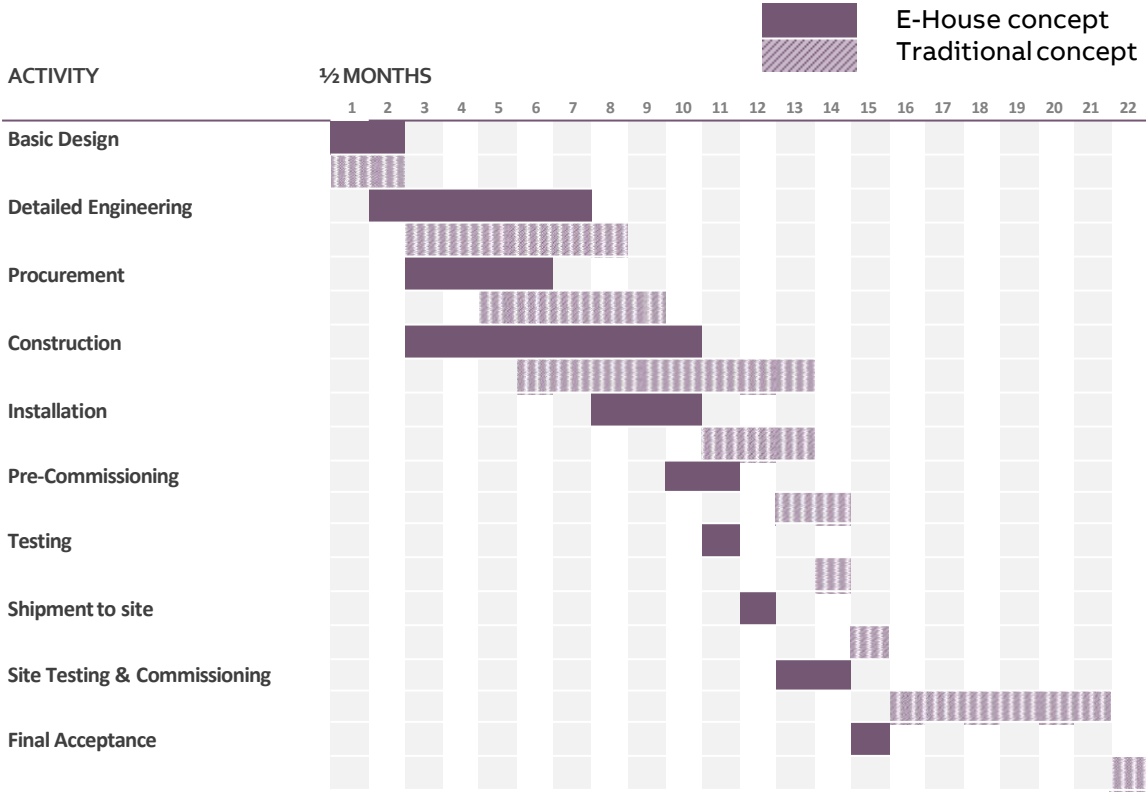
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## Blocking and bracing

- Make sure electrical equipment has desiccant bags inside to dry out moisture
- Use proper wood type depending of the final destination
- Protect equipment with foam/cardboard to prevent scratches
- Customer/end user should be aware of preservation requirements when is received on site



# Schedule efficiency via integrated approach



Changing the traditional procurement approach yields meaningful schedule gains



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# Site and Transportation Requirements

## Many times missed when building is ready to ship or even in transit

- Safety (training, insurance, site access)
- Responsibility Table
- Power (permanent and temporary, volts, amps, location)
- Re-assembly when needed
- Loading and unloading (crane, SPMT, forklift)
- Preservation during transportation and at site
- Transportation (truck/barge, route, escort, power lines)
- Lightning protection
- Laydown area for material
- Others: Generator, HVAC, Fuel, Tools, etc...



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# Q & A Session

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