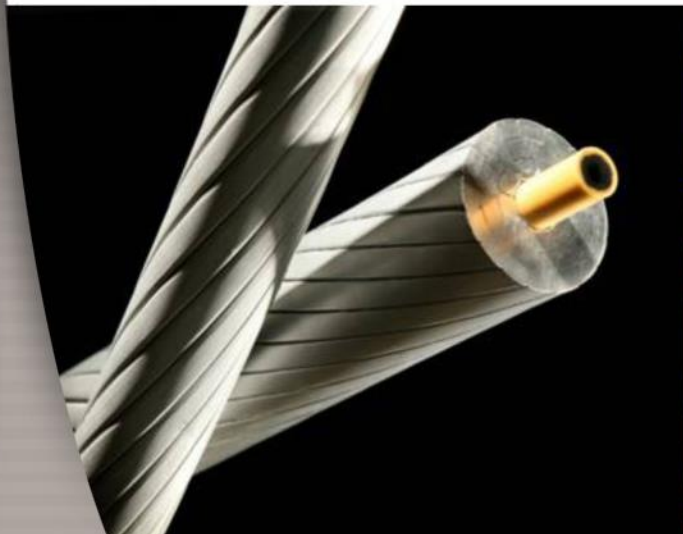


How the choice of transmission conductor can reduce greenhouse gas emissions.



What is the scope of the impact?

Complete conversion of the US grid to efficient conductor would eliminate 44 million metric tons of CO₂ due to the reduction of line losses by 20 to 40% compared to ACSR conductors of the same diameter and weight under equal load conditions:

- (1) 30% reduction of
- (2) 6% line losses typical of ACSR conductor,
- (3) saves or adds 71.8 million MWh of power generation,
- (4) which at an average of 1.37 pounds of CO₂ per kWh,
- (5) results in 44 million metric tons reduction of CO₂ per year, or alternatively,
- (6) The effective generation/delivery of 8,199 MW of power for consumers.

Potential Impact of US Conversion to Efficient Conductors		
US Consumption	3,990,000,000,000	kWh
Transmission Line Losses (6%)	239,400,000,000	kWh
30% Reduction with ACCC	71,820,000,000	kWh
MWh Equivalent Savings (Annual)	71,820,000	MWh
Generation Equivalent Delivered	8,199	MW
annual economic value @ \$50/MWh	\$3.591	billion
US Average CO ₂ Emission	1.372	lbs/kWh
Annual CO₂ Reduction with ACCC	44,688,000	Metric Tons

Technical aspects of efficiency

- The more aluminum in a conductor the better
- The higher the %IACS of the aluminum the better
- Annealing improves conductivity and resistivity
- Conductivity and Resistivity are correlated

Conductor Properties		Conductive Strands			Core Strands			
Code Name	Conductor Description	aluminum type	tensile strength	conductivity (%IACS)	type	tensile strength	modulus	CTE
AAC	All Aluminum Conductor	1350-H19	24- 28 ksi	61.2	1350-H19	24-28 ksi	10 msi	23.0
AAAC	All Aluminum Alloy Conductor	6201-T81	46-48 ksi	52.5	6201-T81	46-48 ksi	10 msi	23.0
ACAR	Aluminum Conductor Al Alloy Reinforced	1350-H19	24- 28 ksi	61.2	6201-T81	46-48 ksi	10 msi	23.0
ASCR	Aluminum Conductor Steel Reinforced	1350-H19	24- 28 ksi	61.2	coated steel	200-220 ksi	29 msi	11.5
AACSR	Aluminum Alloy Conductor Steel Reinforced	6201-T81	46-48 ksi	52.5	coated steel	200-220 ksi	29 msi	11.5
ACSS	Aluminum Conductor Steel Supported	1350-O	~8.5 ksi	63.0	coated steel	220-285 ksi	29 msi	11.5
ACIR	Aluminum Conductor Invar Reinforced	Al-Zr alloy	23-26 ksi	60.0	invar steel	150 - 155 ksi	22 msi	3.7
ACCR	Aluminum Conductor Composite Reinforced	Al-Zr alloy	23-26 ksi	60.0	metal matrix	190 ksi	32 msi	6
ACCC	Aluminum Conductor Composite Core	1350-O	~8.5 ksi	63.0	carbon hybrid	310-360 ksi	16-21 msi	1.6

Factors in selecting conductors

- Any given set of towers has limits to weight, diameter, and sag clearance of the conductor whether a new line design or replacement of conductor on existing towers.
 - Weight – impacts tension on towers
 - Tension – limited by towers and crossarms
 - Diameter – mostly impacts wind and ice loads
 - Sag – clearance at temperature (and ice/wind load)
 - Operating amps – establishes expected temperature and sag
- For comparison it is fair to keep upper limits on design factors for towers/conductors.

Reconductoring Kumbotsu - Danagundi Transmission Line

• **Reconductoring: Kumbotsu – Danagundi 132vV T/L**

- Objective: Deliver 600A while maintaining clearance
- Large increase could not be handled by ACSR Wolf (400A)

• **Project Requirements (Limitations)**

- Use existing towers with only maintenance repairs
- Meet sag requirement of 10 meters (current sag allowance for ACSR Wolf)

• **Project Analysis**

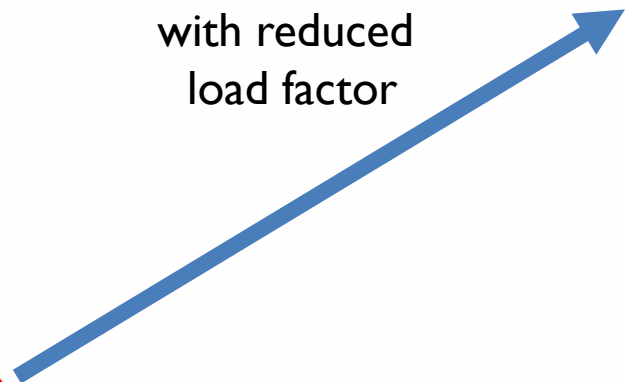
- Select best performance options from ACSR, ACSS, STACIR, AAAC and ACCC
- Compare conductor cost based on sizing of capacity and sag requirements

I Initial T/L operating condition and target

Units	Language	Voltage Type	CCP v 2.3.2		
Metric	English	AC			
Environmental Input					
1029.6	Sun Radiation (W/m ²)	Set Default Environmental Inputs			
35	Ambient Temp. (°C)				
0.61	Wind (m/sec)				
100	Elevation (m)				
0.5	Solar Absorptivity				
0.5	Emissivity				
90	Wind Angle (deg.)				
0	Azimuth of Line (NS=0, EW=90)				
9	Latitude (neg = South)				
February	Month				
15	Day of Month				
12	Time (24 hrs.)				
Clear	Atmosphere				
Load and Generation Cost Assumptions					
10.0	Line Length (km)			I	
132	Voltage (kV)				
400	Peak Operating Amps				
70%	Load Factor				
52%	Loss Factor				
91	Peak Power per Circuit (MW)				
3	Phases/Circuit				
50	Cost of Energy Generation (\$/MWh)				
0.200	CO ₂ (kg/kWh)				
0%	Load Increase/Year				
Initial Sag and Tension:					
350	Ruling Span (m)				
30	Initial Sagging Temperature (°C)				
10.0	Maximum Allowable Sag (m)				

Existing Line Condition

50% increase in peak amps, with reduced load factor



Load and Generation Cost Assumptions	
10.0	Line Length (km)
132	Voltage (kV)
600	Peak Operating Amps
50%	Load Factor
29%	Loss Factor
137	Peak Power per Circuit (MW)
3	Phases/Circuit
50	Cost of Energy Generation (\$/MWh)
0.200	CO ₂ (kg/kWh)
0%	Load Increase/Year
Initial Sag and Tension:	
350	Ruling Span (m)
30	Initial Sagging Temperature (°C)
10.0	Maximum Allowable Sag (m)

Minimum Increase Target

- In #1, we see that the Kumbotsu – Danagundi transmission line is operating at 400 amps, delivering 91 MW of power, which is the maximum rating for the ACSR Wolf conductor.
- In # 2, we see the minimum up-rating target of 600 amps (137 MW) which will be the basis for conductor selection and performance comparison.

2 Baseline capacity of ACSR Wolf

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Kumbotsu - Danagundi: ACSR Wolf baseline

Conductor information

Base Conductor	
Type:	ACSR
Size (mm ² Al - Code Word):	158 - WOLD
Aluminum Area (mm ²):	158.1
Diameter (mm):	18.130
Rated Strength (kN):	69
Weight (kg/km):	726.0
DC Resistance at 20°C (ohms/km):	0.17875
AC Resistance at 25°C (ohms/km):	0.18285
AC Resistance at 75°C (ohms/km):	0.21881

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Conductor #1
Select Type
0 - Select Size
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0.00000
0.00000

Conductor #2
Select Type
0 - Select Size
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0.0
0.00000
0.00000
0.00000

Units	Language	Voltage Type	
Metric	English	AC	CCP v 2.3.2

Environmental Input	
1029.6	Sun Radiation (W/m ²)
35	Ambient Temp. (°C)
0.61	Wind (m/sec)
100	Elevation (m)
0.5	Solar Absorptivity
0.5	Emissivity
90	Wind Angle (deg.)
0	Azimuth of Line (NS=0, EW=90)
9	Latitude (neg = South)
February	Month
15	Day of Month
12	Time (24 hrs.)
Clear	Atmosphere

Set Default Environmental Inputs

Conductors per phase:	1	0	0
Circuits:	1	0	0
Ampacity (A) at Temperature (°C):	70	416	0
Ampacity (A) at Rated Operating Temp (°C):	70	449	###
Ampacity (A) at Maximum Temp (°C):	100	577	###

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Line Loss (Based on Inputted Peaking Operating Amps Value)

Steady-State Temperature (°C) at Peak Ampacity:	68
Resistance at Peak Operating Amps (ohm/km):	0.21353
First Year Line Losses (MWh):	4,682

ACSR 158 - WOLD - Reduces First Year CO₂ Generated by (MT):
 ACSR 158 - WOLD - Reduces First Year Line Losses by (MWh):
 ACSR 158 - WOLD - Reduces First Year Line Losses by (%):
 ACSR 158 - WOLD - Reduces First Year Line Losses by (\$/Year):
 ACSR 158 - WOLD - Line Loss Savings per meter of Conductor (\$/m):

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Load and Generation Cost Assumptions

10.0	Line Length (km)
132	Voltage (kV)
400	Peak Operating Amps
70%	Load Factor
52%	Loss Factor
91	Peak Power per Circuit (MW)
3	Phases/Circuit
50	Cost of Energy Generation (\$/MWh)
0.200	CO ₂ (kg/kWh)
0%	Load Increase/Year

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ACSR Wolf is the basis for current capacity and limitations of the transmission line

2 ACSR Wolf establishes sag/tension limitations

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Kumbotsu - Danagundi: ACSR Wolf baseline

Conductor information

Base Conductor

Conductor #1

Conductor #2

Units: Metric Language: English Voltage Type: AC CCP v 2.3.2

Initial Sag and Tension:

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% RTS:	20.0%
Sag at Initial Sagging Temperature (m):	7.90
Initial Tension at Sagging Temperature (kN):	13.8

% RTS:	0.0%
Sag at Initial Sagging Temperature (m):	#N/A
Initial Tension at Sagging Temperature (kN):	#N/A

% RTS:	0.0%
Sag at Initial Sagging Temperature (m):	#N/A
Initial Tension at Sagging Temperature (kN):	#N/A

Environmental Input

Initial Sag and Tension:	
350	Ruling Span (m)
30	Initial Sagging Temperature (°C)
10.0	Maximum Allowable Sag (m)

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Sag/Tension at Above Stringing Temperature:

Temp(°C):	68
Sag at Peak Operating Amps Sag (m):	9.34
Tension (kN):	11.7

Temp(°C):	#VALUE!
Sag at Peak Operating Amps Sag (m):	#VALUE!
Tension (kN):	#VALUE!

Temp(°C):	#VALUE!
Sag at Peak Operating Amps Sag (m):	#VALUE!
Tension (kN):	#VALUE!

Sag at Rated Operating Temperature

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Temp(°C):	75
Sag (m):	9.61
Tension (kN):	11.4

Temp(°C):	#N/A
Sag (m):	#VALUE!
Tension (kN):	#N/A

Temp(°C):	#N/A
Sag (m):	#VALUE!
Tension (kN):	#N/A

Temp(°C):	100
Sag at Maximum Temperature Sag (m):	10.50
Tension (kN):	10.4

Temp(°C):	#N/A
Sag at Maximum Temperature Sag (m):	#VALUE!
Tension (kN):	#N/A

Temp(°C):	#N/A
Sag at Maximum Temperature Sag (m):	#VALUE!
Tension (kN):	#N/A

Temperature at Maximum Allowable Sag

Max. Temp(°C):	86
Sag (m):	10.01
Tension (kN):	10.9
Ampacity (A):	511

Max. Temp(°C):	#VALUE!
Sag (m):	#VALUE!
Tension (kN):	#N/A
Ampacity (A):	#N/A

Max. Temp(°C):	#VALUE!
Sag (m):	#VALUE!
Tension (kN):	#N/A
Ampacity (A):	#N/A

Ampacity Cells Turn Red if Max Capacity is not reached

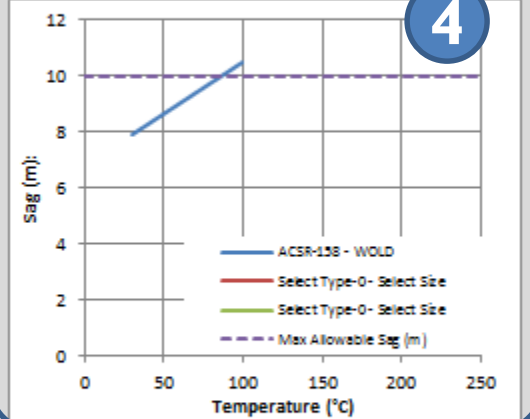
Wind / Ice or Cold Temperature Sag/Tension:

Sag (m):	8.44
Tension (kN):	18.0

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Tension (kN):	#N/A

Sag (m):	#VALUE!
Tension (kN):	#N/A

Sag Comparison Graph



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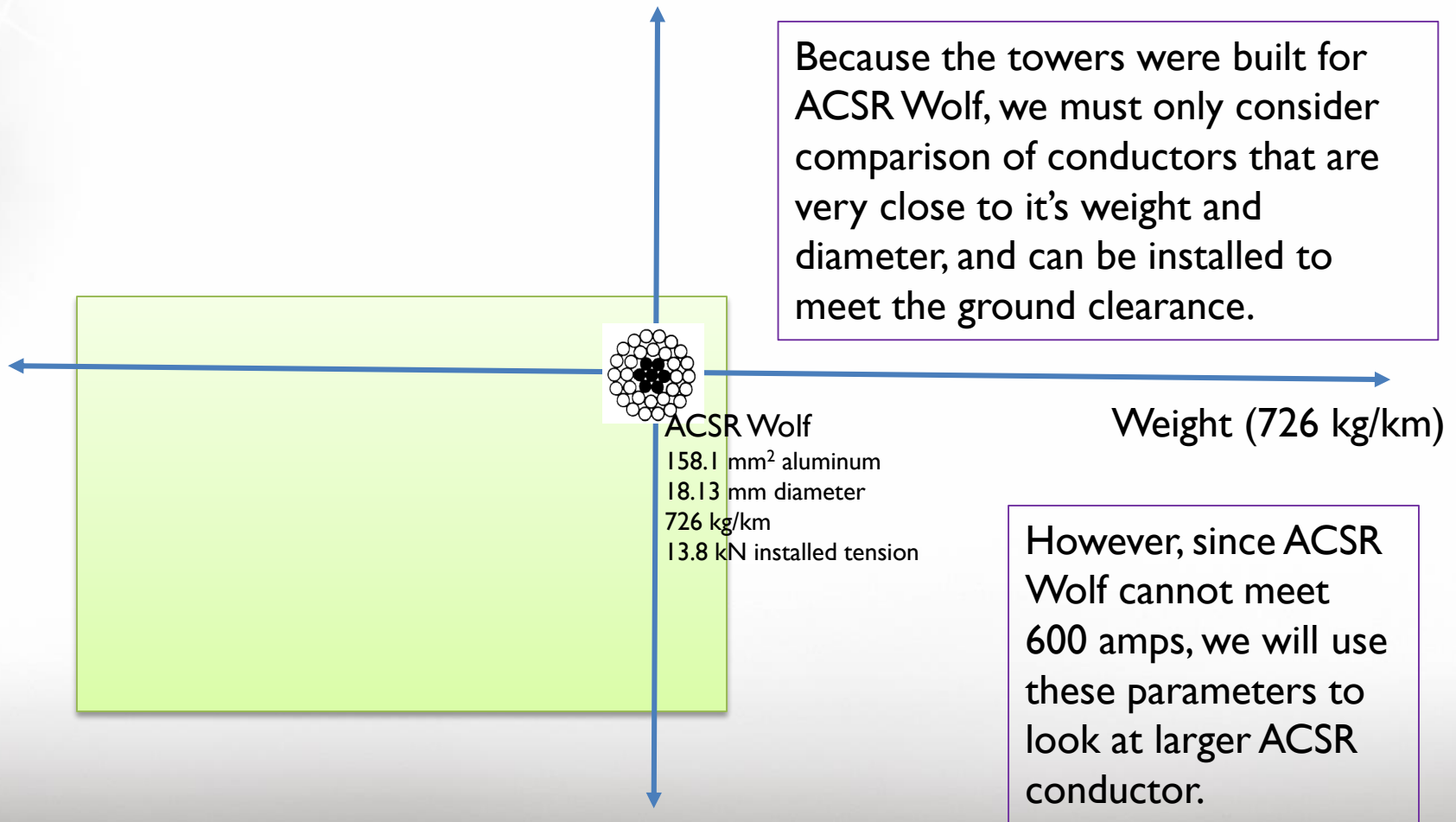
Wind / Ice Conditions

20	Temperature (°C)
90.0	Windspeed (km/hr)
0.00	Safety Factor (N/m)
0.00	Radial Ice Thickness (mm)
0.0	Ice Density (kg/m ³)

ACSR Wolf establishes the limits for installation tensile loads on the towers and the maximum sag of the conductors

Mapping conductors within limitations

Tension needed to meet sag clearance (13.8kN = 1.4MT)



3 ACSR Bear meets amps target but weighs 66% more

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Conductor information

Kumbotsu - Danagundi: ACSR OPTIONS

	Base Conductor	Conductor #1	Conductor #2
Type:	ACSR	ACSR	Select Type
Size (mm ² Al - Code Word):	158 - WOLD	265 - BEAR	0 - Select Size
Aluminum Area (mm ²):	158.1	264.5	0.0
Diameter (mm):	18.130	23.450	0.000
Rated Strength (kN):	69	100	0
Weight (kg/km):	726.0	1,213.0	0.0
DC Resistance at 20 C (ohms/km):	0.17875	0.10685	0.00000
AC Resistance at 25 C (ohms/km):	0.18285	0.10970	0.00000
AC Resistance at 75 C (ohms/km):	0.21861	0.13110	0.00000
Conductors per phase:	1	1	0
Circuits:	1	1	0
Ampacity (A) at Temperature (C):	70 416	70 573	0 #VALUE!
Ampacity (A) at Rated Operating Temp (C):	75 449	75 619	### #VALUE!
Ampacity (A) at Maximum Temp (C):	100 577	100 801	### #VALUE!
Line Loss (Based on Inputted Peaking Operating Amps Value)			
Steady-State Temperature (°C) at Peak Ampacity:	105	73	#VALUE!
Resistance at Peak Operating Amps (ohm/km):	0.24074	0.13017	#VALUE!
First Year Line Losses (MWh):	6,548	3,541	#VALUE!
ACSR 158 - WOLD - Reduces First Year CO ₂ Generated by (MT):		-273	#VALUE!
ACSR 158 - WOLD - Reduces First Year Line Losses by (MWh):		-3,007	#VALUE!
ACSR 158 - WOLD - Reduces First Year Line Losses by (%):		-85%	#VALUE!
ACSR 158 - WOLD - Reduces First Year Line Losses by (\$/Year):		-150,370	#VALUE!
ACSR 158 - WOLD - Line Loss Savings per meter of Conductor (\$/m):		-5.01	#VALUE!
ACSR 158 - WOLD - Reduces 30 year line loss by (\$):		-4,511,085	#VALUE!
ACSR 158 - WOLD - Reduces 30 year CO ₂ generation by (MT):		-18,044	#VALUE!

Units	Language	Voltage Type	
Metric	English	AC	CCP v 2.3.2
Environmental Input			
1029.6	Sun Radiation (W/m ²)		Set Default Environmental Inputs
35	Ambient Temp. (°C)		
0.61	Wind (m/sec)		
100	Elevation (m)		
0.5	Solar Absorptivity		
0.5	Emissivity		
90	Wind Angle (deg.)		
0	Azimuth of Line (NS=0, EW=90)		
9	Latitude (neg = South)		
February	Month		
15	Day of Month		
12	Time (24 hrs.)		
Clear	Atmosphere		
Load and Generation Cost Assumptions			
10.0	Line Length (km)		
132	Voltage (kV)		
600	Peak Operating Amps		
50%	Load Factor		
29%	Loss Factor		
137	Peak Power per Circuit (MW)		
3	Phases/Circuit		
50	Cost of Energy Generation (\$/MWh)		
0.200	CO ₂ (kg/kWh)		
0%	Load Increase/Year		

ACSR Bear can just meet the increased 600 operating amps and 800 amp target with a weight increase of 66%. (1,213 vs 726)

3 ACSR Bear cannot be installed on current towers

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Kumbotsu - Danagundi: ACSR OPTIONS

Conductor information

Type: ACSR
Size (mm² Al - Code Word): 158 - WOLD

Base Conductor
ACSR
158 - WOLD

Conductor #1
ACSR
265 - BEAR

Conductor #2
ACSR
265 - BEAR

Initial Sag and Tension:

% RTS: 20.0%
Sag at Initial Sagging Temperature (m): 7.90
Initial Tension at Sagging Temperature (kN): 13.8

% RTS:	20.0%
Sag at Initial Sagging Temperature (m):	7.90
Initial Tension at Sagging Temperature (kN):	13.8

% RTS:	12.0%
Sag at Initial Sagging Temperature (m):	13.31
Initial Tension at Sagging Temperature (kN):	13.7

% RTS:	22.0%
Sag at Initial Sagging Temperature (m):	7.25
Initial Tension at Sagging Temperature (kN):	25.1

Sag/Tension at Above Stringing Temperature:

Sag at Peak Operating Amps
Temp(*C): 105
Sag (m): 10.64
Tension (kN): 10.3

Sag at Rated Operating Temperature
Temp(*C): 75
Sag (m): 9.61
Tension (kN): 11.4

Sag at Maximum Temperature
Temp(*C): 100
Sag (m): 10.50
Tension (kN): 10.4

Temperature at Maximum Allowable Sag
Max. Temp(*C): 86
Sag (m): 10.01
Tension (kN): 10.9
Ampacity (A): 511

Ampacity Cells Turn Red if Max Capacity is not reached

Temp(*C):	73
Sag (m):	14.50
Tension (kN):	12.6
Temp(*C):	75
Sag (m):	14.56
Tension (kN):	12.5
Temp(*C):	100
Sag (m):	15.03
Tension (kN):	12.1
Max. Temp(*C):	29
Sag (m):	13.27
Tension (kN):	13.7
Ampacity (A):	

Temp(*C):	73
Sag (m):	8.92
Tension (kN):	20.4
Temp(*C):	75
Sag (m):	9.01
Tension (kN):	20.2
Temp(*C):	100
Sag (m):	9.92
Tension (kN):	18.4
Max. Temp(*C):	100
Sag (m):	9.92
Tension (kN):	18
Ampacity (A):	801

Temp(*C):	73
Sag (m):	8.92
Tension (kN):	20.4
Temp(*C):	75
Sag (m):	9.01
Tension (kN):	20.2
Temp(*C):	100
Sag (m):	9.92
Tension (kN):	18.4
Max. Temp(*C):	100
Sag (m):	9.92
Tension (kN):	18
Ampacity (A):	801

Wind / Ice or Cold Temperature Sag/Tension:

Sag (m): 8.44
Tension (kN): 18.0

Sag (m):	8.44
Tension (kN):	18.0

Sag (m):	13.30
Tension (kN):	17.2

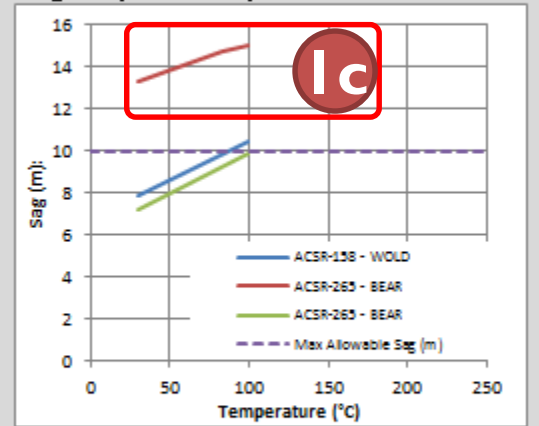
Sag (m):	7.54
Tension (kN):	30.3

Units: Metric | Language: English | Voltage Type: AC | CCP v 2.3.2

Environmental Input

Initial Sag and Tension:
350 Ruling Span (m)
30 Initial Sagging Temperature (°C)
10.0 Maximum Allowable Sag (m)

Sag Comparison Graph



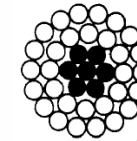
Wind / Ice Conditions

20 Temperature (°C)
90.0 Windspeed (km/hr)
0.00 Safety Factor (N/m)
0.00 Radial Ice Thickness (mm)
0.0 Ice Density (kg/m³)

ACSR Bear greatly exceed the constraint on installed tension and maximum allowable sag

Mapping conductors within limitations

Tension needed to meet sag clearance



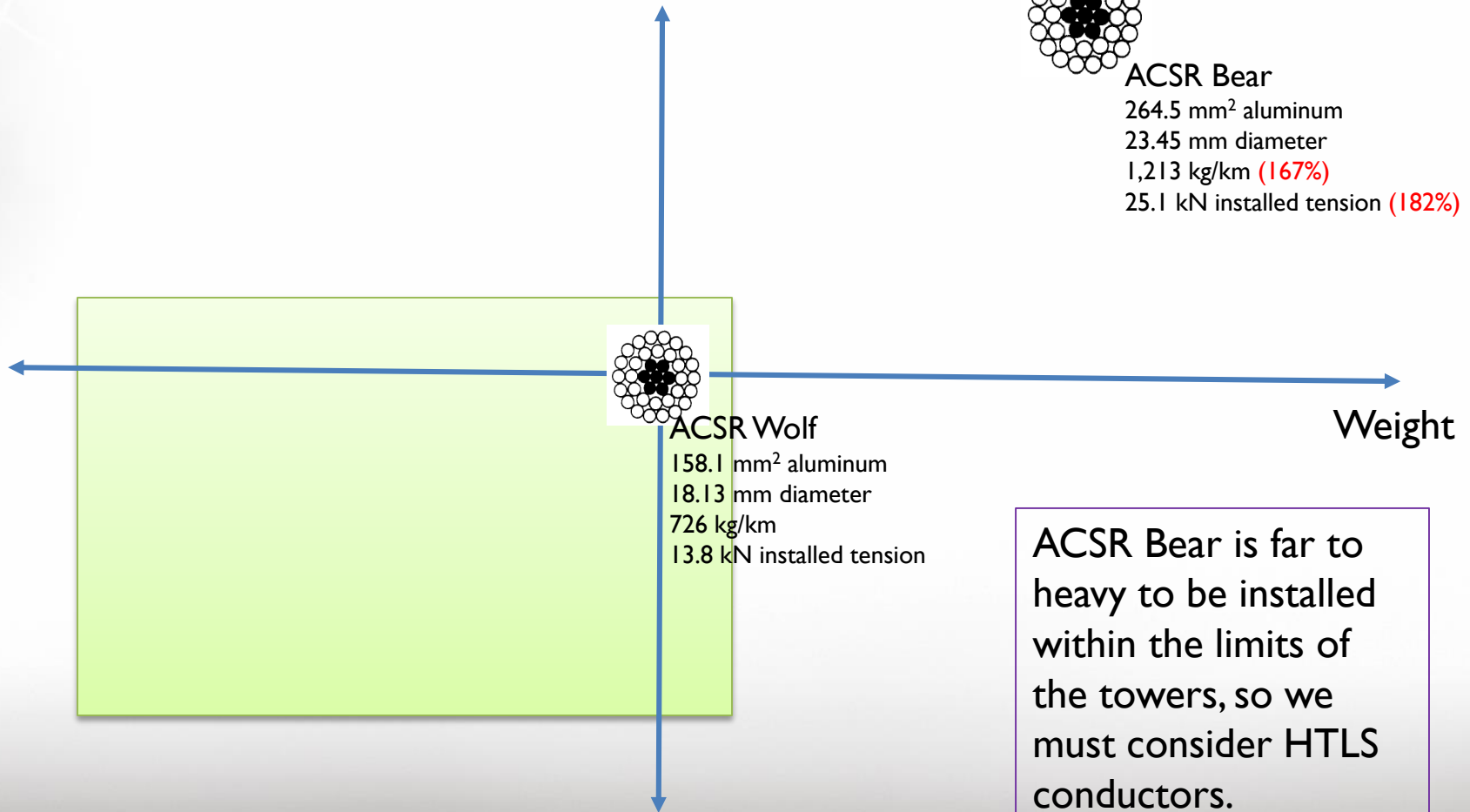
ACSR Bear

264.5 mm² aluminum

23.45 mm diameter

1,213 kg/km (167%)

25.1 kN installed tension (182%)



ACSR Bear is far to heavy to be installed within the limits of the towers, so we must consider HTLS conductors.

4 ACSS conductors meet performance target

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Conductor information

Kumbotsu - Danagundi: ACSS/TW and ACSS round wire OPTIONS

	Base Conductor	Conductor #1	Conductor #2
Type:	ACSR	ACSS/TW	ACSS
Size (mm ² Al - Code Word):	158 - WOLF	170 - ORIOLE	170 - ORIOLE
Aluminum Area (mm ²):	158.1	170.5	170.5
Diameter (mm):	18.130	17.602	18.821
Rated Strength (kN):	69	66	66
Weight (kg/km):	726.0	783.2	783.2
DC Resistance at 20 C (ohms/km):	0.17875	0.16010	0.16010
AC Resistance at 25 C (ohms/km):	0.18285	0.16293	0.16375
AC Resistance at 75 C (ohms/km):	0.21861	0.19580	0.19676
Conductors per phase:	1	1	1
Circuits:	1	1	1
Ampacity (A) at Temperature (C):	70 416	70 437	70 443
Ampacity (A) at Rated Operating Temp (C):	75 449	200 915	200 932
Ampacity (A) at Maximum Temp (C):	100 577	250 1,023	250 1,043
Line Loss (Based on Inputted Peaking Operating Amps Value)			
Steady-State Temperature (°C) at Peak Ampacity:	105	99	97
Resistance at Peak Operating Amps (ohm/km):	0.24074	0.21159	0.21129
First Year Line Losses (MWh):	6,548	5,755	5,747
ACSR 158 - WOLF - Reduces First Year CO ₂ Generated by (MT):		-72	-73
ACSR 158 - WOLF - Reduces First Year Line Losses by (MWh):		-793	-801
ACSR 158 - WOLF - Reduces First Year Line Losses by (%):		-14%	-14%
ACSR 158 - WOLF - Reduces First Year Line Losses by (\$/Year):		-39,635	-40,048
ACSR 158 - WOLF - Line Loss Savings per meter of Conductor (\$/m):		-1.32	-1.33
ACSR 158 - WOLF - Reduces 30 year line loss by (\$):		-1,189,054	-1,201,428
ACSR 158 - WOLF - Reduces 30 year CO ₂ generation by (MT):		-4,756	-4,806

Units	Language	Voltage Type	
Metric	English	AC	CCP v 2.3.2
Environmental Input			
1029.6	Sun Radiation (W/m ²)		<input type="button" value="Set Default Environmental Inputs"/>
35	Ambient Temp. (°C)		
0.61	Wind (m/sec)		
100	Elevation (m)		
0.5	Solar Absorptivity		
0.5	Emissivity		
90	Wind Angle (deg.)		
0	Azimuth of Line (NS=0, EW=90)		
9	Latitude (neg = South)		
February	Month		
15	Day of Month		
12	Time (24 hrs.)		
Clear	Atmosphere		
Load and Generation Cost Assumptions			
10.0	Line Length (km)		
132	Voltage (kV)		
600	Peak Operating Amps		
50%	Load Factor		
29%	Loss Factor		
137	Peak Power per Circuit (MW)		
3	Phases/Circuit		
50	Cost of Energy Generation (\$/MWh)		
0.200	CO ₂ (kg/kWh)		
0%	Load Increase/Year		

ACSS/TW Oriole and ACSS Oriole meet capacity requirements with only slightly higher weight than ACSR Wolf

4 Sag/tension limits ACSS/TW to 600 amp target

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Kumbotsu - Danagundi: ACSS/TW and ACSS round wire OPTIONS

Conductor information

	Base Conductor	Conductor #1	Conductor #2
Type:	ACSR	ACSS/TW	ACSS
Size (mm ² Al - Code Word):	158 - WOLD	170 - ORIOLE	170 - ORIOLE

Units	Language	Voltage Type	
Metric	English	AC	CCP v 2.3.2

Initial Sag and Tension:

	Base Conductor	Conductor #1	Conductor #2
% RTS:	20.0%	24.0%	22.0%
Sag at Initial Sagging Temperature (m):	7.90	7.45	8.13
Initial Tension at Sagging Temperature (kN):	13.8	15.8	14.5

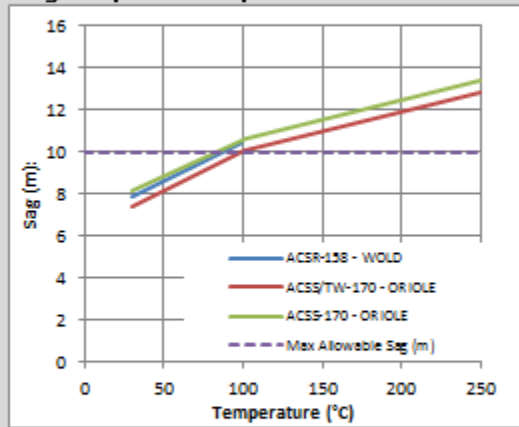
Environmental Input

350	Ruling Span (m)
30	Initial Sagging Temperature (°C)
10.0	Maximum Allowable Sag (m)

Sag/Tension at Above Stringing Temperature:

	Base Conductor	Conductor #1	Conductor #2
Sag at Peak Operating Amps			
Temp(°C):	105	99	97
Sag (m):	10.64	10.02	10.55
Tension (kN):	10.3	11.7	11.2
Sag at Rated Operating Temperature			
Temp(°C):	75	200	200
Sag (m):	9.61	11.94	12.51
Tension (kN):	11.4	9.9	9.4
Sag at Maximum Temperature			
Temp(°C):	100	250	250
Sag (m):	10.50	12.84	13.39
Tension (kN):	10.4	9.2	8.8
Temperature at Maximum Allowable Sag			
Temp(°C):	86	99	82
Sag (m):	10.01	10.02	10.04
Tension (kN):	10.9	11.7	12
Ampacity (A):	511	600	521

Sag Comparison Graph



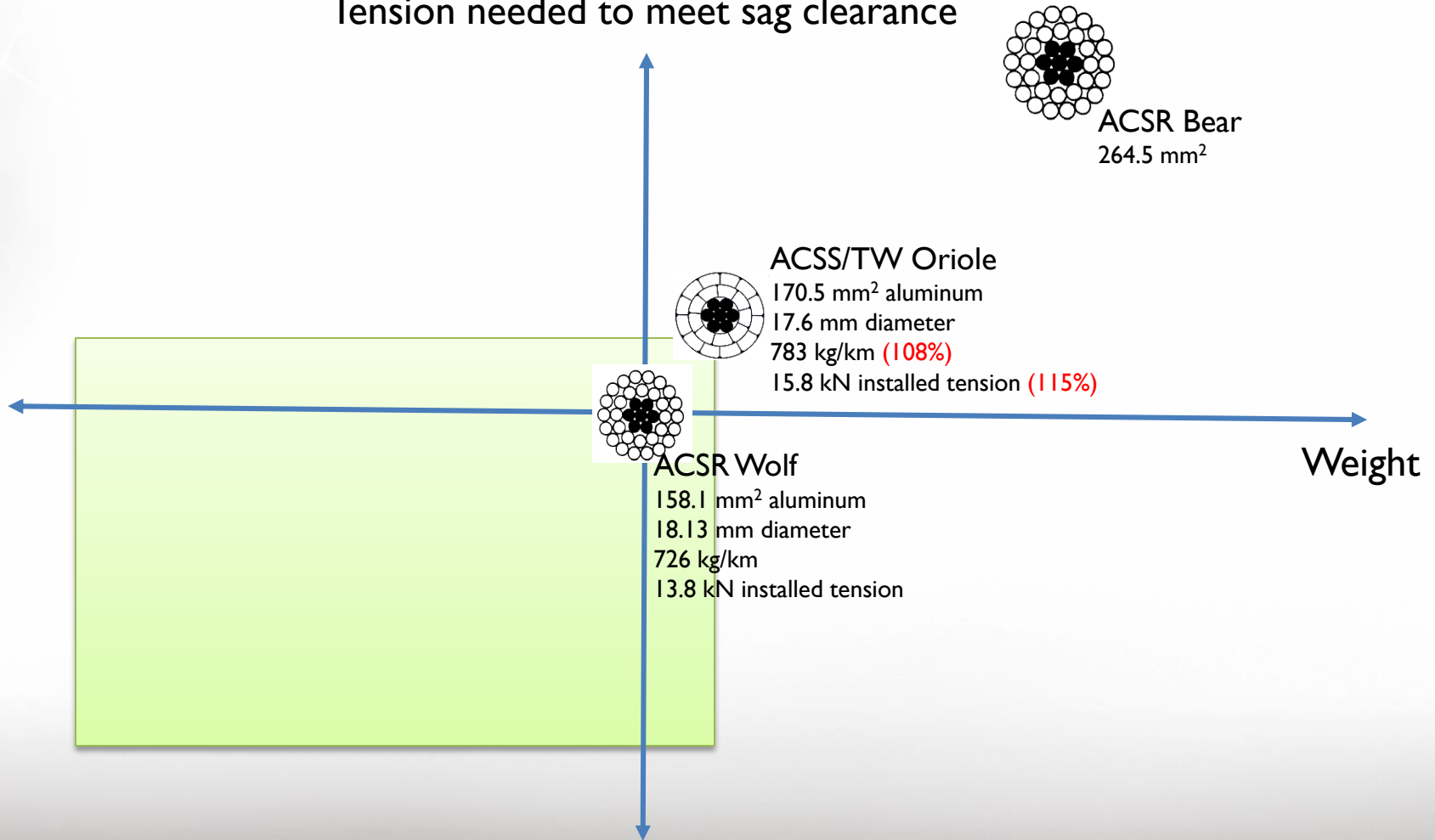
Wind / Ice Conditions

20	Temperature (°C)
90.0	Windspeed (km/hr)
0.00	Safety Factor (N/m)
0.00	Radial Ice Thickness (mm)
0.0	Ice Density (kg/m ³)

ACSS/TW Oriole and ACSS Oriole are sag limited, even when the installed tension exceeds the criteria by 15%

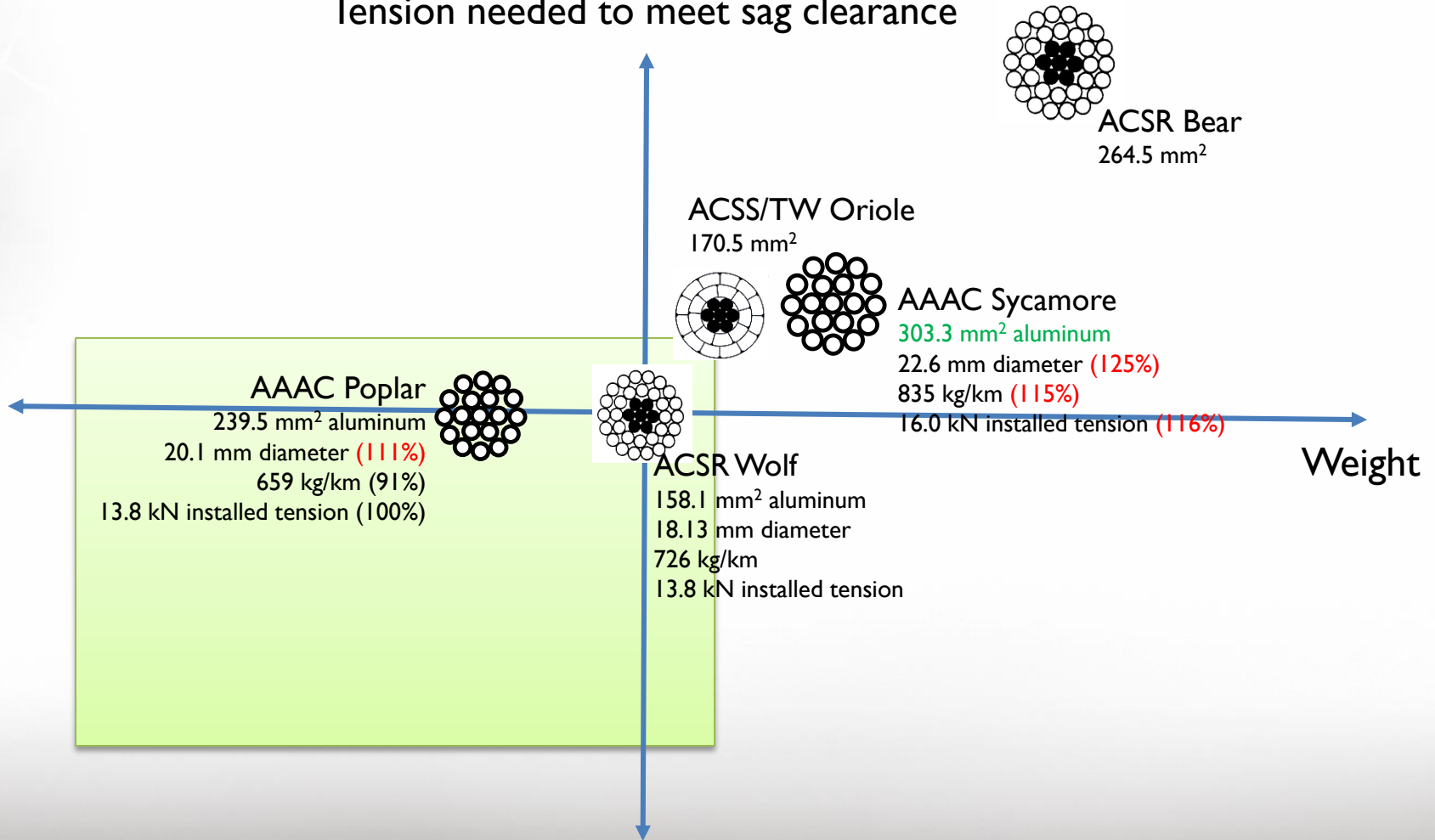
Mapping conductors within limitations

Tension needed to meet sag clearance



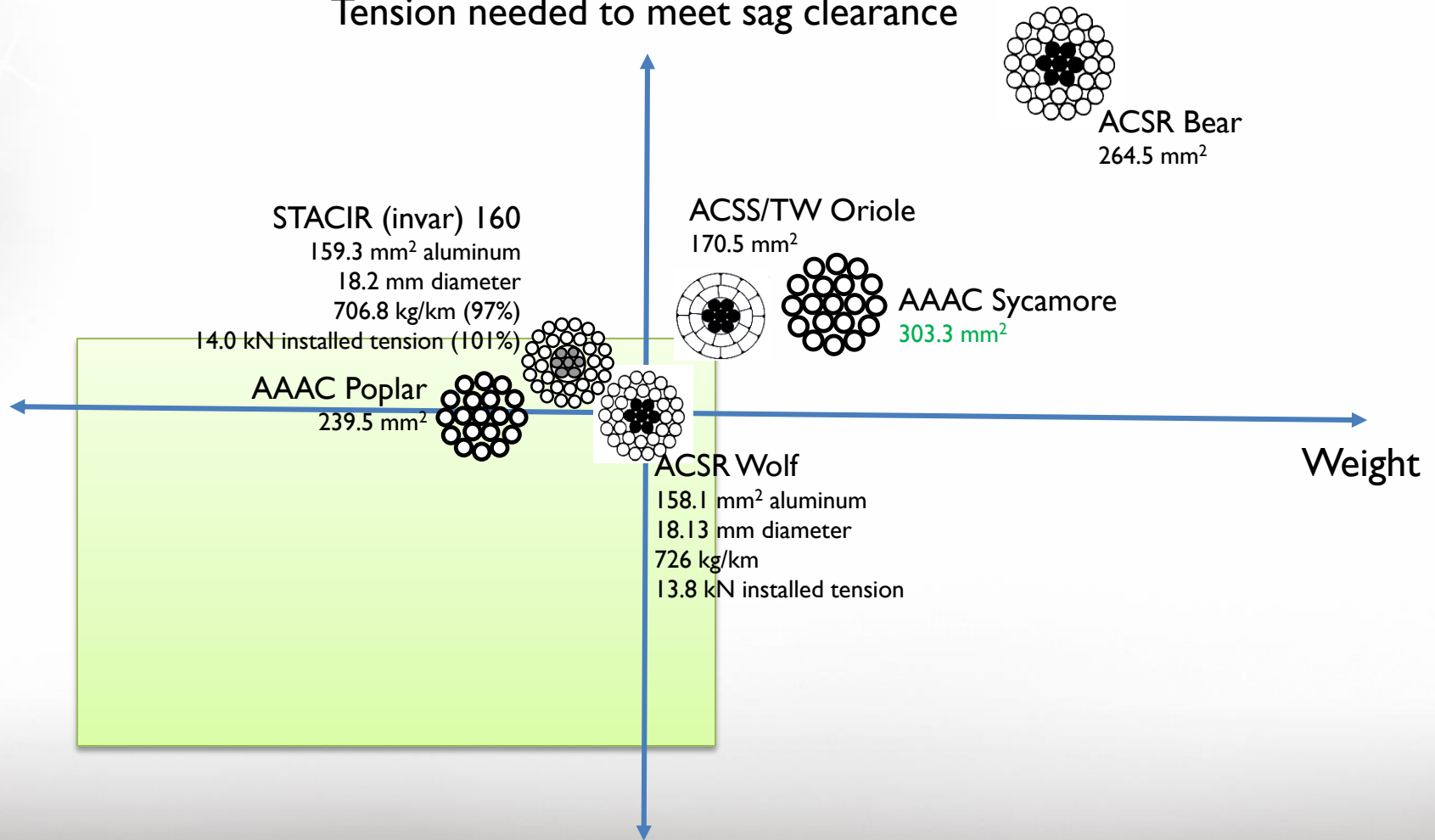
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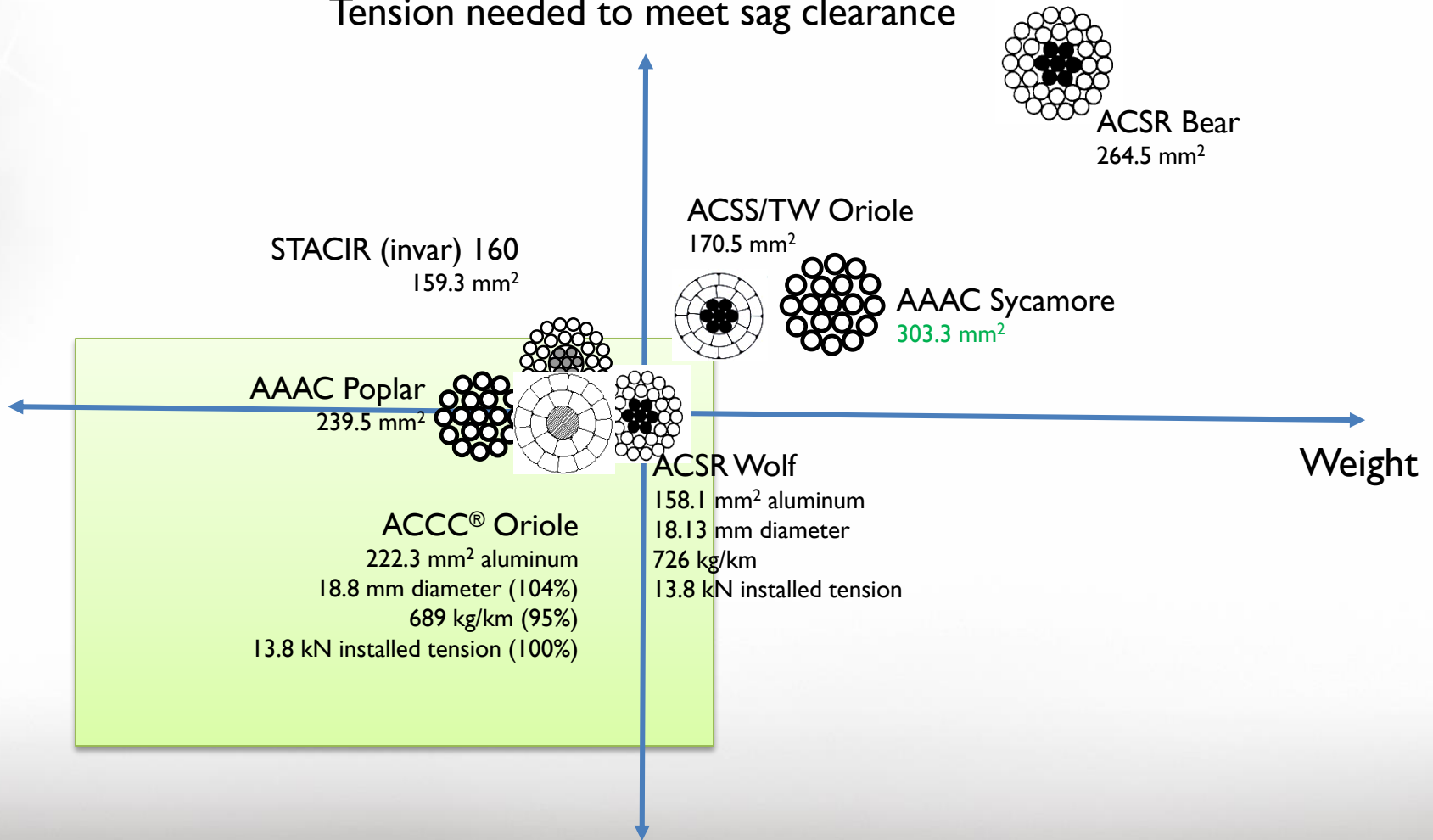
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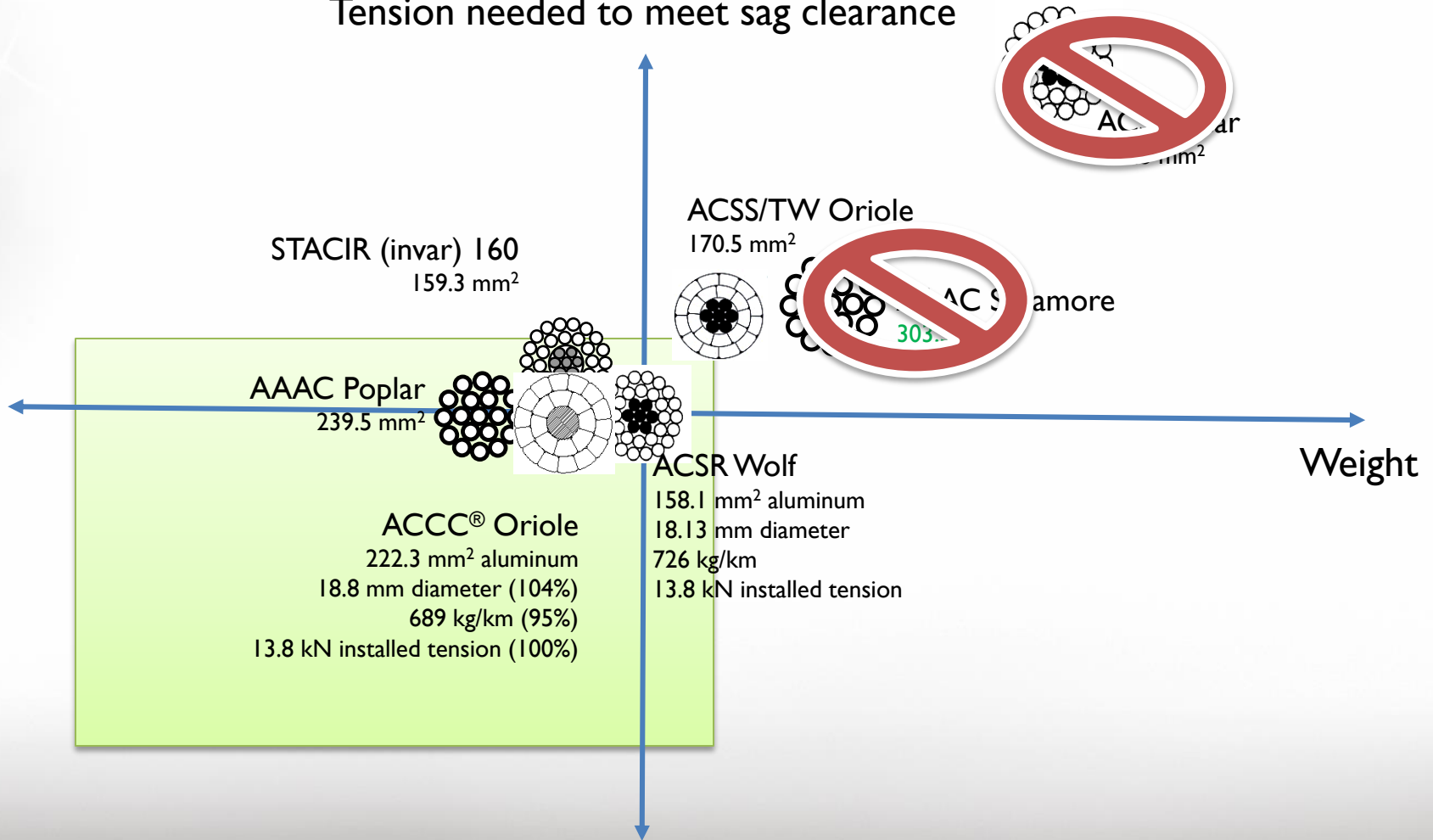
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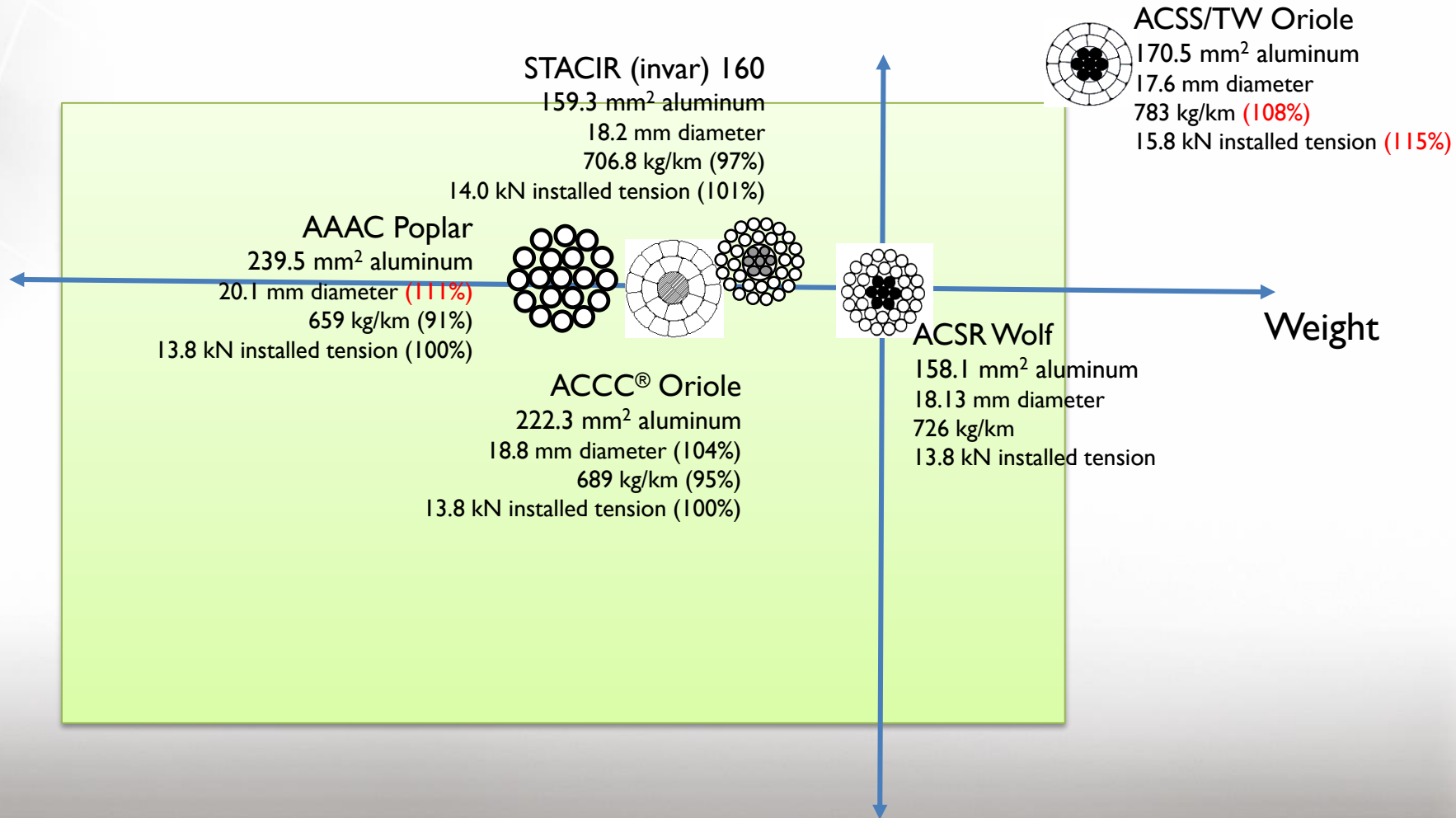
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Relative conductivity CO2 generation

	ACSR	STACIR	ACSS/TW	AAAC	ACCC
Aluminum Area mm2	158.1	159.3	170.5	239.5	222.3
%IACS	61.20%	60%	63%	52.50%	63%
Relative conductivity	97	96	107	126	140
Resistance at 600 amps (ohm/km)	0.2407	0.2259	0.2116	0.1739	0.1578
Annual line losses (MWh)	6,548	6,146	5,755	4,713	4,293
CO2 Generated (MT)	1,310	1,229	1,151	943	859
Reduced CO2 versus ACSR (MT)	0	80	159	367	451
Reduced CO2 per KM (MT)	0	8	16	37	45
% Reduction CO2 Generation	0%	6%	12%	28%	34%

- With all other design conditions the same on this short (10km) 132kv line, conductor choices can reduce CO2 generation by 6 to 34%, versus an overloaded ACSR Wolf.

Bigger lines equals bigger results

120 Circuit Mile AEP Project Example

345 kV Line – Replace ACSR with ACCC

- Increased line capacity by 75% with 625 amp emergency reserve
- Reduced line losses by 30%
- Line loss reduction saves 141,580 MWh / year (= \$7.1M @ \$50/MWh)
- **Emission reductions saves 57,798 Metric Tons CO₂ / year**
 - This equates to removing over 12,000 cars from the road
 - Line loss reduction also frees up over 16 MW of generation

Notes:

Double bundled conductor. Load factor Assumption = 34%

US National Average CO₂ = 1.372# / kWh. (1 car = 4.75 MT CO₂ / year)

Regional Impact in South East Asia

- 18 million MT reduction of CO₂ every year

Country	MWh/Year*	CO ₂ MMT**	5% losses (MWh)	30% saving	CO ₂ reduction
Indonesia	216,200,000	477 MMT	10,810,000	3,243,000	7.2 MMT
Thailand	164,800,000	258 MMT	8,240,000	2,472,000	3.9 MMT
Malaysia	131,600,000	216 MMT	6,580,000	1,974,000	3.2 MMT
Vietnam	157,480,000	146 MMT	7,874,000	2,362,200	2.2 MMT
Philippines	76,000,000	87 MMT	3,800,000	1,140,000	1.3 MMT
Myanmar	7,144,000	13 MMT	357,200	107,160	0.2 MMT
Cambodia	991,000	5 MMT	49,550	14,865	0.1 MMT
Laos	12,240,000	3 MMT	612,000	183,600	0.05 MMT
TOTAL	766,455,000	1,205 MMT	38,322,750	11,496,825	18 MMT

* Source: Worldbook: Statistical Review of World Energy 2014, and EIA – International Energy Statistics 2014

** Source: Enerdata 2013

1-2% lower GHG generation

- Using or changing to efficient conductors reduces line losses by 1 – 2 % and CO₂ generation by the same amount.
- Renewable generation benefits through 1-2% more delivered power.
- Better efficiency and better return on capital projects go hand in hand (it is not double counting), so efficiency also generates more profitability for minimal capital cost increase.