

# A NOVEL APPROACH TO UNIVERSAL SYSTEM WITH LOSSES THAT FOCUS ON THE ECONOMIC DISPATCH FOR THE ENERGY INTEGRATION IN MICRO GRID AND ACCENTUATE THE HEURISTIC OPTIMIZATION

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## ABSTRACT

Rapid development of renewable infrastructure and popular support for green energy have led to the emergence of hybrid generating systems in power networks that is micro grid. The effective scheduling of all power producing facilities to meet the increasing power demand is one of the most significant challenges in the design and operation of an electric power generation system. Scheduling power generating units to minimize costs and meet system restrictions is an example of economic load dispatch (ELD), a generic operation in the electrical power system. Due to their greater global solution capacity, flexibility, and derivative-free construction, metaheuristic algorithms are rising in favor for addressing ELD problems. This study develops a novel hybrid optimization-based solution model for the ELD problem of integrating renewable resources. In addition, this work takes into account multiple objectives, including the full cost of wind generation, the full cost function of thermal units, and a penalty cost function. The optimal output of thermal power plants is maximized using the hybrid optimization model. Limits, both upper and lower. In addition, the hybrid optimization model selects the best turbines to maximize wind energy production in response to specific needs. The efficiency and viability of the suggested algorithm were demonstrated using test system with 10 units. The Heuristic Optimization techniques is applied to get numerical results for the static and dynamic ELD problem show that the suggested elephant herding optimization (EHO) algorithm outperforms state-of-the-art methods in most of the test situations, proving its superiority and practicality.

**Keywords:** *Green Energy, Hybrid Generating Systems, Economic Load Dispatch, Heuristic Optimization, Elephant Herding Optimization.*

## 1. INTRODUCTION

The cost of generating the power is developing as a critical concern in the management and control of a power system as a result of the rise in power demand and the corresponding rise in the price of energy in the residential and commercial sectors. This report systematically discusses the results of extensive research into the problem at hand. It is more important than ever to reduce electric energy costs because of the interdependence of distributed electrical networks. The economics of the

power system are greatly impacted by even a little decrease in the price of electric energy. Power system engineers' primary responsibility is to investigate the economics of power systems, and one

significant difficulty they face is economic load dispatch (ELD) [1], [6], a subset of the unit commitment issue. Recently Generation dispatch includes both thermal generators and renewable sources [26]. Proper modelling of wind energy sources is necessary for this purpose. The intermittent and random nature of wind energy, however, presents significant

obstacles to power system management. Many researchers have put forth a lot of time and effort, yet many of the existing systems' use of wind is still not ideal. With this, the combination of wind energy and thermal plants and maintaining economic load dispatch is crucial. In this work researchers are driven to find ways to significantly reduce the cost of power generation by the economics of each electricity generation system. Previous work on the ELD problem has made use of numerical techniques like gradient and Lambda iteration methods to find an optimal solution using Heuristic Optimization.

Many fields have been using metaheuristic optimization techniques recently [9]. This study integrates the wind power system with the conventional thermal power-producing unit to provide a solution to ELD, taking into account multiple factors such as combined thermal unit cost function and penalty cost function. And also, in this paper discussed about enhancing usage of wind energy in recent years have seen a meteoric rise in the popularity of wind power, and this trend is expected to continue in the near future. The ELD could be defined as the process of setting generation targets for power plants in order to optimally meet the needs of the entire system's load. The price of a connected system must be maintained low. Electric production expenses can be reduced with careful planning. The primary focus of this research is to determine how to generate the required amount of electricity at the lowest cost. However, environmental issues including fossil fuel emissions and increased energy demand are on the rise. Efficient and cheap transportation helps lessen the amount of pollution released into the air and the amount of fuel consumed. Moreover, addressing the ELD issue is crucial for improving electric system security to prevent accidents like power system collapse.

Gradient and Lambda iteration methods are two examples of popular numerical techniques used to address the ELD problem. As renewable energy sources become more prevalent, however, the optimization problem may become more challenging due to the introduction of nonlinear control variables. However, metaheuristic methods are often believed to be highly effective at quickly resolving high-dimensional ELD problems. The ELD issue in a renewable energy system that combines thermal and wind power was addressed in this study. The ELD issue in a renewable energy system that combines thermal and wind power plants has been addressed in this study. For this work the figure 1 is shown.

One method of reducing the strain on coal-based thermal power plants in terms of coal consumption and, by extension, environmental emissions is to increase the share of electricity generated from nonconventional sources by combining them with coal-based thermal power plants using a Synchronous Generator (SG). Clean and inexpensive, wind power generating lessens environmental impact, generation expenses, the greenhouse effect, and global warming. Wind power [15] is becoming an increasingly important means of electricity generation. Limited predictability, uncertainty, and unpredictability make it troublesome for power system operation. To further operational flexibility for congestion management in both day-ahead and real-time markets, the topic of adaptive scheduling of generation resources is discussed. Stochastic programming and resilient programming are two mainstays of uncertainty-driven optimization issues [19].

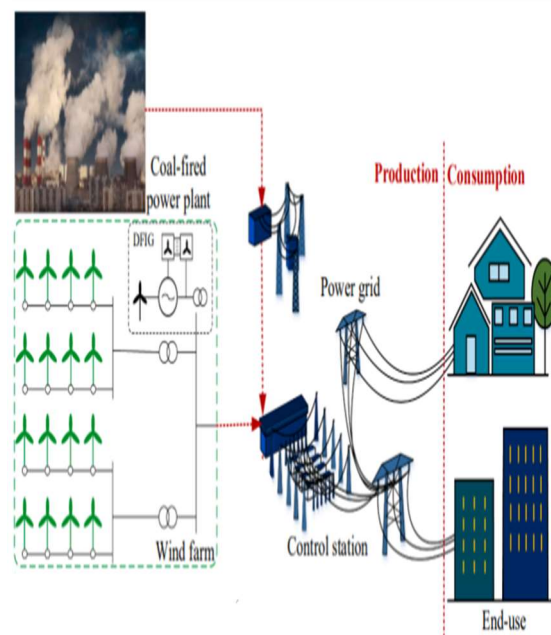


Figure:1 Micro Grid

In this paper problem is solved by optimization techniques such as particle swarm optimization (PSO), Quantum Particle Swarm Optimization (QPSO), Grey Wolf Optimization (GWO), Ant Colony Optimization (ACO) and elephant herding optimization (EHO) and compared with each other. From this solution it may give optimized solution for constraints based economic load dispatch with losses. These Heuristic Optimizations techniques are considered.

## 2. FORMULATION OF THE PROBLEM

The participation of generators in meeting the demand might reduce their operating costs by using economic dispatch. The cost-minimizing objective function is

$$F_i(P_i) = \sum_{i=1}^n (a_i P_i^2 + b_i P_i + c_i)$$

where the  $i^{\text{th}}$  generator's cost coefficients are  $a_i$ ,  $b_i$ ,  $c_i$

The problem's equality and inequality constraints are

Balance of power equations:

$$\sum_{i=1}^m P_i - P_D - P_L = 0$$

Transmission loss:

$$P_L = \sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{j=1}^n P_i B_{ij} P_j$$

Distinct Boundaries for Operation:

$$P_i^{\min} \leq P_i \leq P_i^{\max}$$

### 2.1 INTEGRATION OF WIND FARM INTO ECONOMIC DISPATCHING

When it comes to doling out resources, "Weibull" has a cumulative distribution function of

$$F_v(V) = 1 - e^{-\left(\frac{V}{c}\right)^k}$$

For the Weibull distribution, we have the probability function

$$F_v(V) = \left(\frac{K}{c}\right) \left(\frac{V}{c}\right)^{K-1} e^{-\left(\frac{V}{c}\right)^k}$$

where the shape factors and scale factors,  $k$  and  $c$ , are respectively.

According to the type of power generating system [23] that is being investigated, the number of variables that affect the relationship between the initial wind power and the entire electrical power include the efficiency of the "generator, the wind rotor, the gearbox," as well as the inverter. The purpose of the streamlined framework that is used for the standard wind penetration device is to classify the connection between wind power and wind speed.

$$W = \begin{cases} 0, & (V < v_{in} \text{ or } V \geq v_{out}) \\ w_r, & (v_r \leq V < v_{out}) \\ \left(\frac{V-v_{in}}{v_r-v_{in}}\right), & (v_{in} \leq V < v_r) \end{cases}$$

For a particular time period, we can estimate the power production by using

$$P = P_w \times f_v(V)$$

Production costs for wind energy are

$$C_j(P_j) = d_j(P_j)$$

Currently, the revised power-balance equation is

$$\sum_{i=1}^m P_i + \sum_{j=1}^n P_j - P_D - P_L = 0$$

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#### Algorithm 1 EHO

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**Input:**

Initialize the maximum generation  $t_{\max}$ , the size of population  $N$ , the number of clans  $c$ , and the upper and lower bounds  $x_{\max}$  and  $x_{\min}$ .

**Output:**

The best solution  $x_{best}$ .

- 1:
  - 2: Initialize population and parameters  $\alpha$ ,  $\beta$ ,  $r$ .
  - 3: Calculate and sort the fitness of every initialized agents.
  - 4: Save the best  $m$  elephants.
  - 5: Divide the initial population into  $c$  clans.
  - 6: **while**  $t < t_{\max}$  **do**
  - 7:     **for**  $ci = 1 : c$  **do**
  - 8:         Generate  $x_{new,ci,j}$  and update  $x_{ci,j}$  based on (8)
  - 9:         **for**  $j = 2 : n_{ci}$  (the number of elephants in clan  $ci$ ) **do**
  - 10:             Generate  $x_{new,ci,j}$  and update  $x_{ci,j}$  based on (7).
  - 11:         **end for**
  - 12:     **end for**
  - 13:     **for**  $ci = 1 : c$  **do**
  - 14:         Replace the agent with the worst fitness  $x_{worst,ci}$  based on (10).
  - 15:     **end for**
  - 16:     Calculate and update the fitness values according to each position.
  - 17:     Sort the entire population according to fitness.
  - 18:     Replace the worst agents with the  $m$  generated agents' elites.
  - 19:      $t = t + 1$
  - 20: **end while** **return**  $x_{best}$
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### 3. ELEPHANT HERDING OPTIMIZATION

The primary objective of EHO is to simulate the herding behaviour of elephants in their natural environment, where the collective intelligence of the herd enables the elephants to locate the safest and most efficient routes to resources and to avoid potential threats. This collective behaviour, when applied to the context of optimization [27], is utilized to identify optimal solutions to complex problems. The algorithm begins by randomly seeding a population of candidates for the optimal solution to the problem. Each of these answers stands in for a different elephant's location in the search space. The elephants are herded and organized into different groups. Each herd is a different collection of options. Each herd's elephants share their location updates based on both their own observations and the information provided by other members of the herd. A leader elephant is chosen from each herd using its fitness or objective function score. A herd of elephants will follow their leader into potentially fruitful regions of the search

space. The elephants in a herd shift about according to the leader's instructions and their own inclination to explore new areas. Both the current leader and the best answer found so far are guiding forces for the movement. Elephants from different herds will periodically speak to one another in order to provide information about the relative fitness of the leaders and to encourage mutual exploration. When a termination requirement, such as a fitness threshold or exhaustion of computer resources, is fulfilled, the algorithm stops iterating the herding and movement steps.

Instructional Strategy Illustration show in fig2

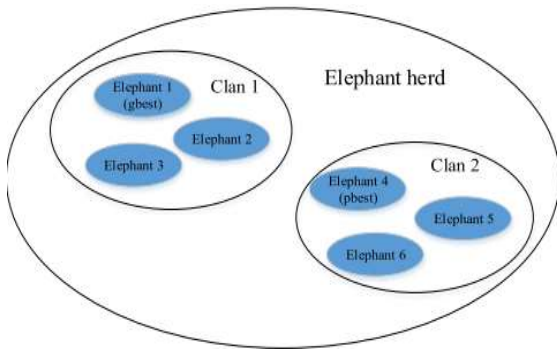


Fig: 2 Instructional Strategy Illustration

**4. Additional Approaches:**

Particle swarm optimization (PSO) is a population-based optimization method that takes its cues from the herd mentality of animals like birds and schools of fish. Particle swarm optimization (PSO) iteratively updates the positions and velocities of a collection of particles (potential solutions) as they travel around the search space in pursuit of the best possible answer. Every particle's motion is affected by both its own and its neighbours' best-known positions. By tweaking these coordinates and rates of travel across multiple iterations, the algorithm seeks to converge on the global optimum. Incorporating quantum mechanical ideas into the algorithm, Quantum Particle Swarm Optimization (QPSO) is a variation of PSO. QPSO exploits quantum superposition and entanglement to update particle positions, rather than conventional probability. The goal is to make the algorithm better at exploring the search space and less likely to converge too quickly. Inspired by the social structure and hunting strategies of grey wolves, Grey Wolf Optimization (GWO) is a natural-based optimization method. The program effectively explores and exploits the search space by

modelling the leadership hierarchy of alpha, beta, and delta wolves. Wolves locations stand in for different solutions, and the program iteratively adjusts their locations to discover the best one shown fig4 - Process Diagram. The foraging habits of ants served as inspiration for the development of Ant Colony Optimization (ACO), an optimization method. The travelling salesman problem is one type of combinatorial optimization that works especially well with this method. Artificial ant colonies (ACO) work together to systematically investigate a search space by leaving pheromone trails as they travel. In general, ants will take the route with the highest concentration of pheromones, and this will encourage the trajectories that lead to the best solutions over time shown in fig3ACO Process Diagram:

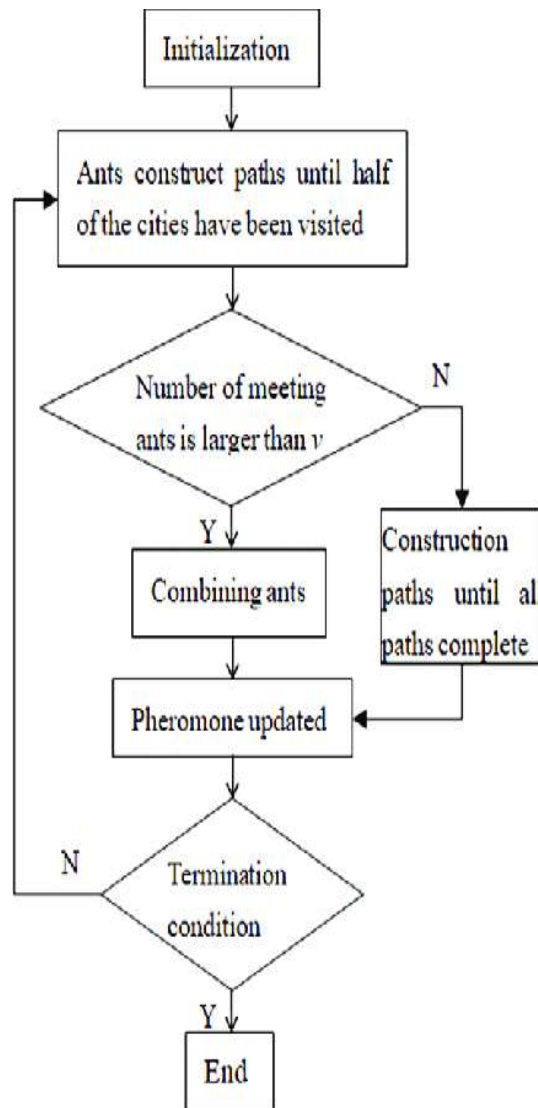


Fig3: Process Diagram

GWO Process Diagram:

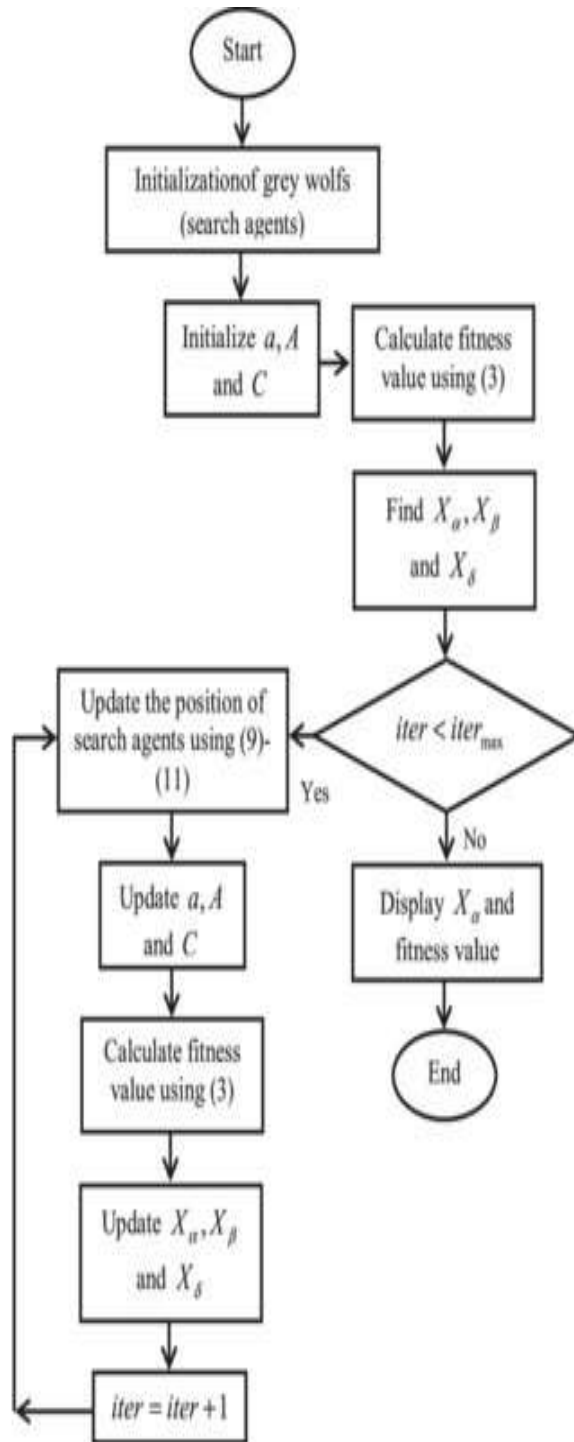


Fig4: Process Diagram

**5. RESULTS AND DISCUSSIONS**

We put the proposed Heuristic Optimization methods to the test on one system. In the table 1 below,

we can see the cost coefficients for ten thermal power generators, as well as the test system that was examined to minimize operating costs. First Issue: Testing Systems with ten Generators

*Table 1: Coefficients Of Fuel Cost For Ten Generator Test Systems*

Unit	$a_i$	$b_i$	$c_i$
1	0.00123	8.92	730
2	0.009800	7.42	525
3	0.001420	8.52	823
4	0.002263	8.88	818
5	0.001164	8.83	823
6	0.001625	8.12	841
7	0.001122	8.41	745
8	0.001318	8.91	543
9	0.001418	8.53	568
10	0.001432	8.00	653

From the above data of a, b, c with some iterations using Elephant Herding Optimization (EHO) the cost value for ten units is given below in table 2 and compared with ant colony algorithm (ACO), Grey

Wolf Optimization (GWO), particle swarm optimization (PSO) and Quantum Particle Swarm Optimization (QPSO) for 10 units.

*Table 2: The Convectonal Test System's Dispatch Compared And Contrasted Is Given Below*

Parameter	PSO	QPSO	ACO	GWO	EHO
P1(MW)	32.89	31.86	33.12	35.89	33.12
P2(MW)	64.60	62.15	66.60	66.23	68.60
P3(MW)	54.85	55.85	52.19	49.25	53.22
P4(MW)	33.47	34.47	35.47	34.12	34.26
P5(MW)	64.10	65.10	62.25	67.10	64.12
P6(MW)	55.1	56.1	55.1	49.3	50.2
P7(MW)	28.6	29.6	30.6	31.6	32.6
P8(MW)	58.27	57.23	58.23	61.27	50.99
P9(MW)	50.12	51.12	52.12	53.12	54.12
P10(MW)	36.12	34.15	34.12	32.15	34.88
PT(MW)	478.12	477.63	479.82	479.98	476.13
PL(MW)	2.7	2.56	2.51	2.56	2.45
TOC (Rs/h)	708	708.12	705.99	706.11	705.11



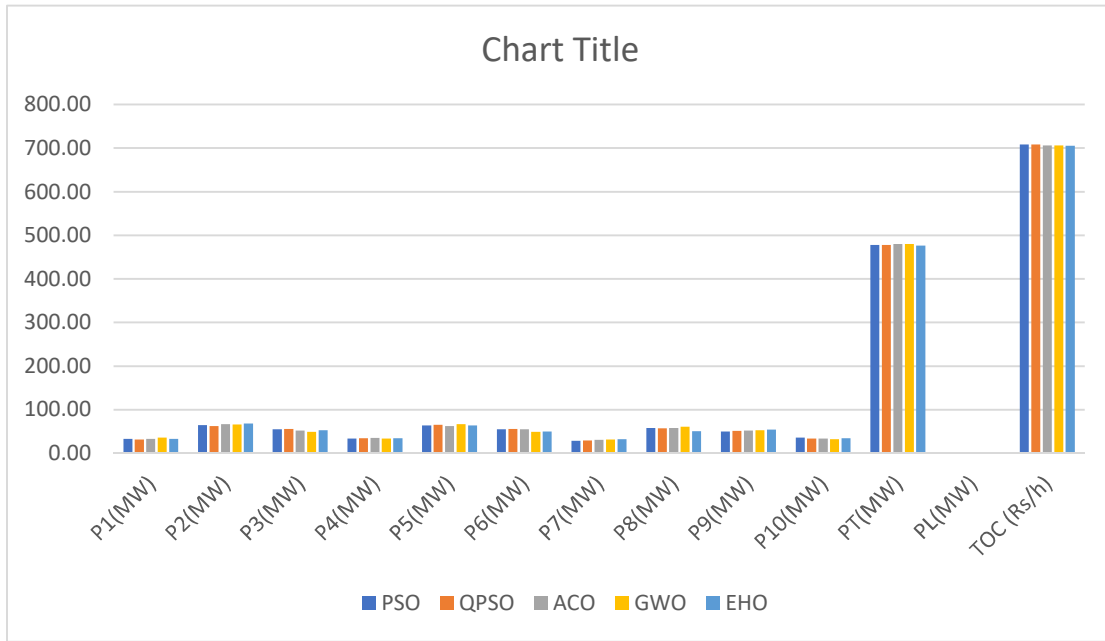


Table3: Economic Dispatch For Wind Thermal System Using Elephant Herding Optimization (EHO):

P1	P2	P3	P4	P5	P6	P7	P8	P9	P10	PW1	PW2	PL	TOC(Rs/h)
28.55	66.55	48.99	29.15	60.11	47.55	29.66	48.22	50.28	30.88	29.44	15.78	1.88	672.4181

In Table 3, ED is performed by taking into account both thermal and wind energy systems [29] concurrently. The table clearly shows that when wind power is added to the system, costs and losses are minimized.

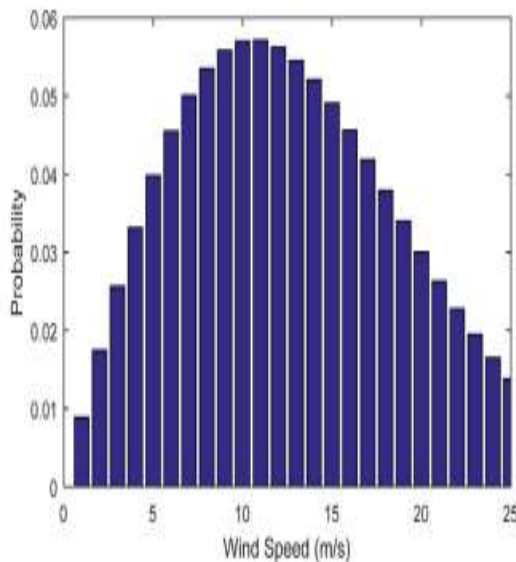


Fig 5: Distribution Of Wind Speed Probabilities

Using the Weibull distribution function, we can predict how much power will be generated by wind farms and factor that into the test system as a negative demand. For different gust strengths, the probability density curve is shown in Fig. 5.

10 unit system with losses is considered and renewable energy sources such as wind energy is included.

**6. CONCLUSION**

In this study, economic dispatch model for combined wind and thermal power systems is introduced. For wind thermal systems, Elephant Herding Optimization (EHO) is used to tackle the static economic dispatch problem. The IEEE 30 bus system is used to with wind-powered scenarios, and the results are compared to those of several alternative approaches. Maximum wind power extraction can be achieved with careful planning and accurate forecasting, as shown by the outcomes. It has been noticed that power generators gain from greater use of renewable energy sources, and that this trend also aids in reduc-

ing emissions. The utilization Heuristic Optimization i.e., Elephant Herding Optimization algorithm for the purpose of economic load dispatch in systems that make use of both wind energy and thermal sources is a method that shows promise. The capability of EHO to manage complexity, optimize costs, and promote grid stability may help to the development of energy systems that are more efficient and sustainable.

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