WIND POWER UNIT

Capacities and Projects developed in CEDER











PEPA I (Small Wind Turbines Test Facility. 1st stage)

CAPACITIES

- ✓ Characterization and development of small wind turbines (maximum of 6 kW)
 - > Power performance curve certification
 - > Acoustic noise emissions certification.
 - > Durability certification.
 - > Safety and operation certification.
 - > Test of **components** (generator, gear box, blades, etc.)
- ✓ Collaboration with manufacturers, government, etc.
- ✓ Collaboration in the validation of **normative** for small wind turbines.
- ✓ Wind pumping.

Capacities

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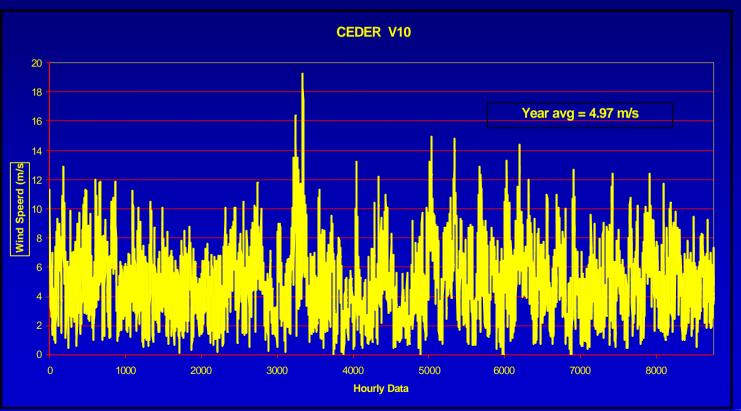
Batteries bank up to 300 V.

Continuous monitoring system with current capacity for 48 channels.

Charges: simulation of consumptions.

Inverters/chargers: versatility in the tests with batteries.

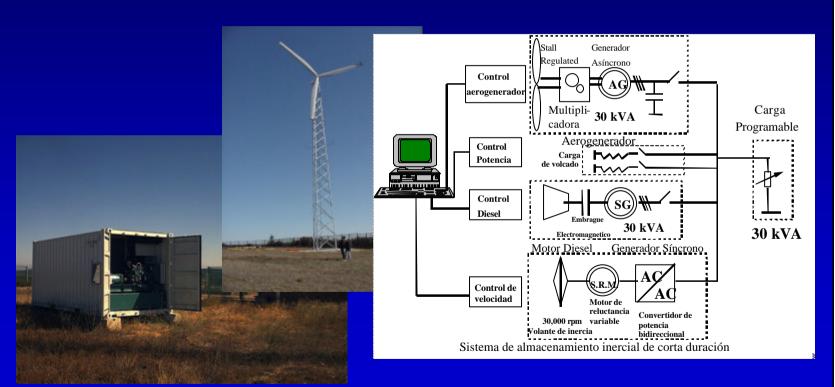
Average velocity





SEDUCTOR Project

Configuration of the wind-diesel-fluwheel system





Wind pumping

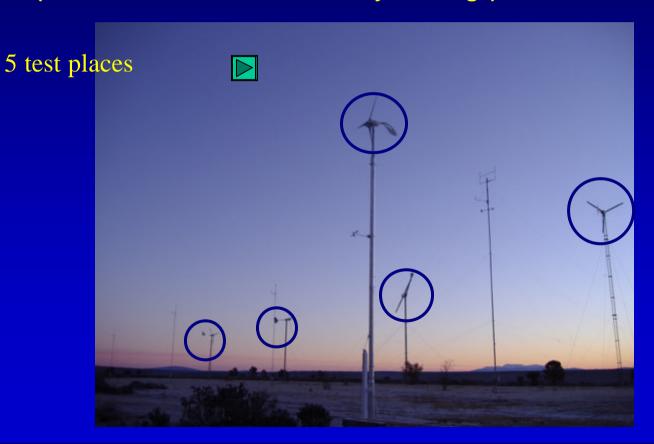
Test bed of wind systems for water pumping



• Maximum depth: 200 m

• Maximum flow: 50 m³/h

PEPA II (Small Wind Turbines Test Facility. 2nd stage)



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- ✓ Characterization and development of small wind turbines (maximum of 25 kW).
 - > Power performance curve certification.
 - > Acoustic noise emissions certification.
 - > Durability certification.
 - > Safety and operation certification.
 - > Test of **components** (generator, gearbox, blades etc.).
- ✓ Test of inverters.
- ✓ Study of hybrid systems isolated and connected to weak grids.



- ✓ Possibility of increasing the test places easily:
 - ✓ Installation, design and characterization of new systems. For example: wind-hydrogen, wind-desalation.
- ✓ Studies of the quality of energy in wind turbines connected to the grid.

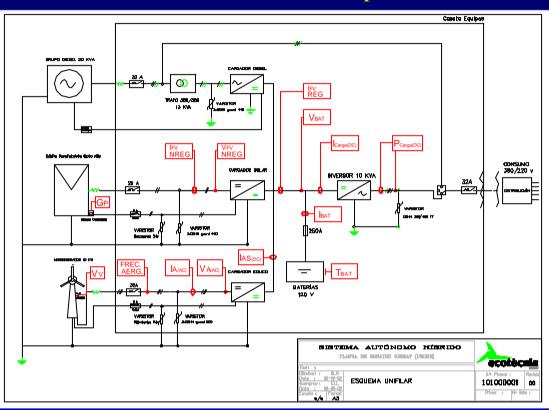
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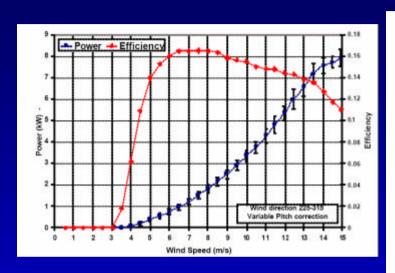
- Global system and of each of its parts characterization.
- Development of a methodology and of **design** tools. Validation with a real system.
- Development of distributed **control**, **supervisor control** and **management** systems.

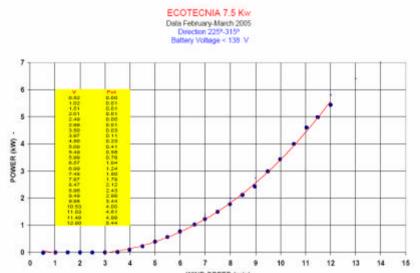
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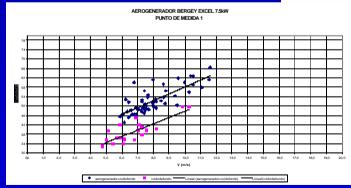
72 parameters measured



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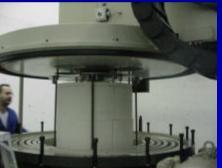




FLYWHEELS

- ✓ Development of kinetic storage with high rotational speed.
 - ➤ Development of design and manufacture capacity of flywheels with high rotational speed with **compound** materials.
 - ➤ Development of **test procedures** with flywheels and other components at high velocity.
 - ➤ Carrying out **centrifugal tests** at high rotational velocity (up to 60,000 rpm and 120°C):
 - ✓ Mechanical fatigue cycles.
 - ✓ Thermal fatigue.
 - ✓ Breakage.







PREDICTION OF WIND RESOURCES

- ✓ Development of **prediction tools** of wind power from wind data and wind power measured in CEDER.
 - Development of adaptation tools in complex
 Prediction Numeric Models.
 - Development of prediction models from temporal series.
 - Development of prediction models for high resolution physical models (MM5, WRF).
 - Development of specific tools for micro-scale prediction.



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