



# Case study

## Harmonic Distortion In a Steel Plant with Induction Furnaces

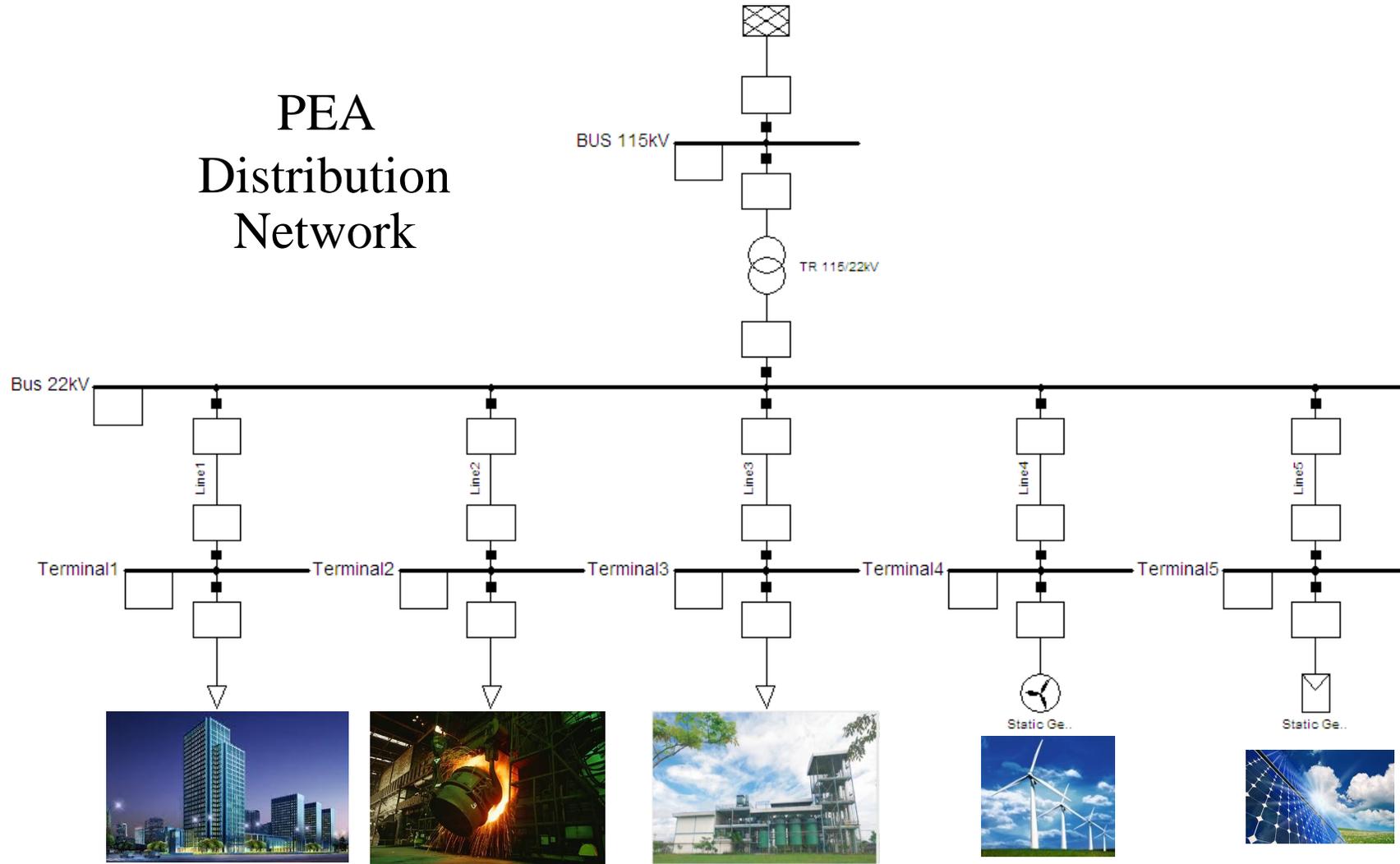
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## PEA Distribution Network





## Introduction

### Power Quality Evaluation in Distribution Network Kao Yoi (KHY) 115/22kV Substation

Parameter	EN50160	Phase	CP 95%
RMS Voltage	22 kV $\pm$ 5% (20.9-23.1 kV)	AB	22.90 kV
		BC	23.01 kV
		CA	22.93 kV
Power Frequency	$\pm$ 1% 49.5-50.5 Hz*		50.08 Hz
Voltage Unbalance	2%		0.51%
Voltage Distortion	8%	A	4.28%
		B	4.41%
		C	4.91%
Voltage Flicker	Plt $\leq$ 1	A	0.45
		B	0.46
		C	0.42

\*for 99.5% of week

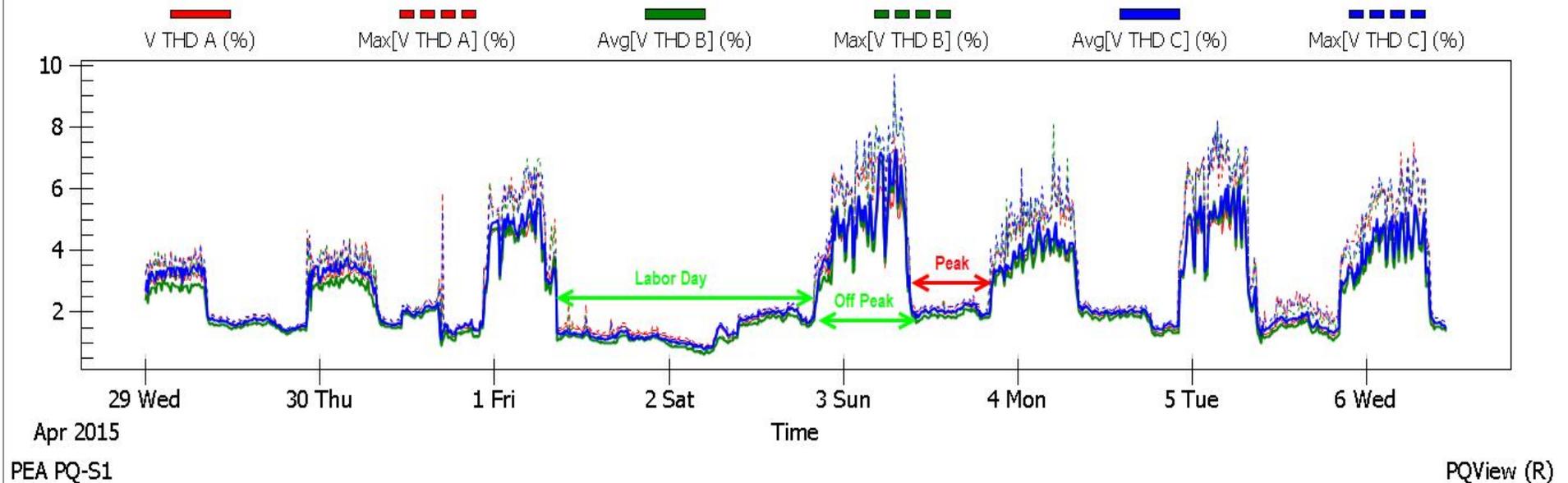
THDv exceed 4% (The Harmonic Regulations for The Commercial and Industrial (PRC-PQG-01/1998) in Thailand)



# Introduction

## Kao Yoi (KHY) 115/22kV Substation

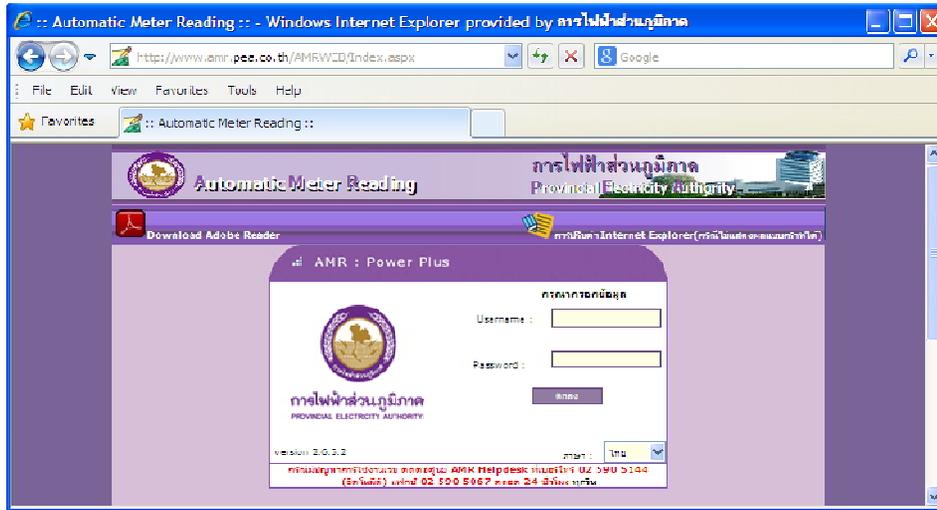
KHY-TP2 - V THD A, V THD B, V THD C  
From 4/29/2015 to 5/7/2015



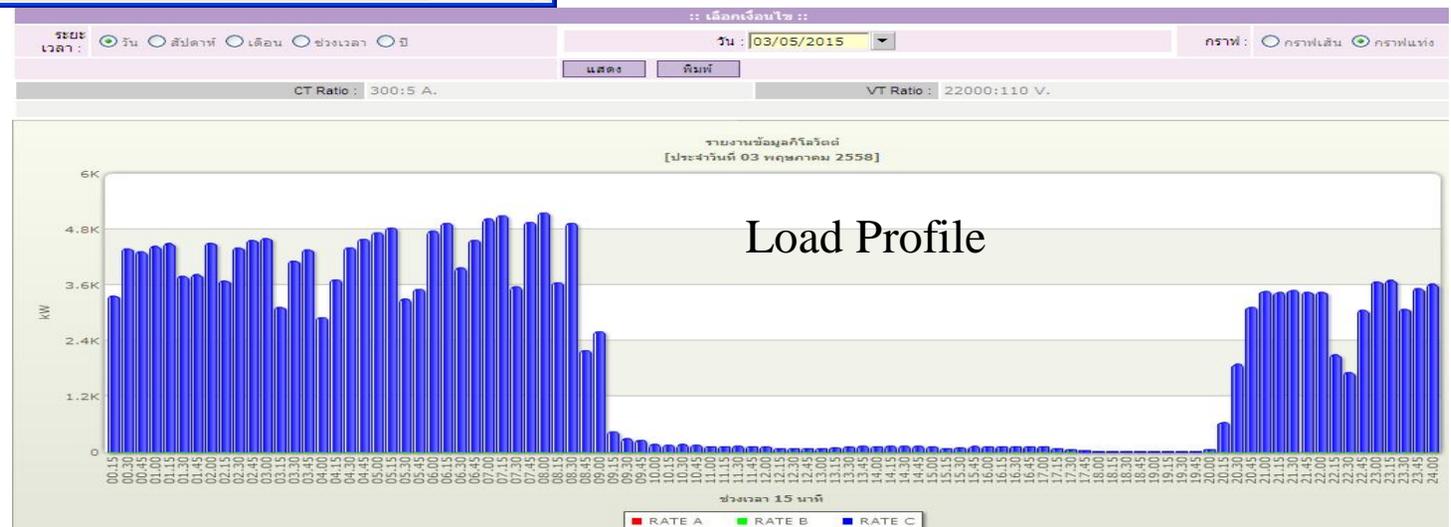
Harmonic increase on Off Peak (10 PM-9 AM)



# Introduction



## AMR (Automatic Meter Reading) Via PEA Web Application

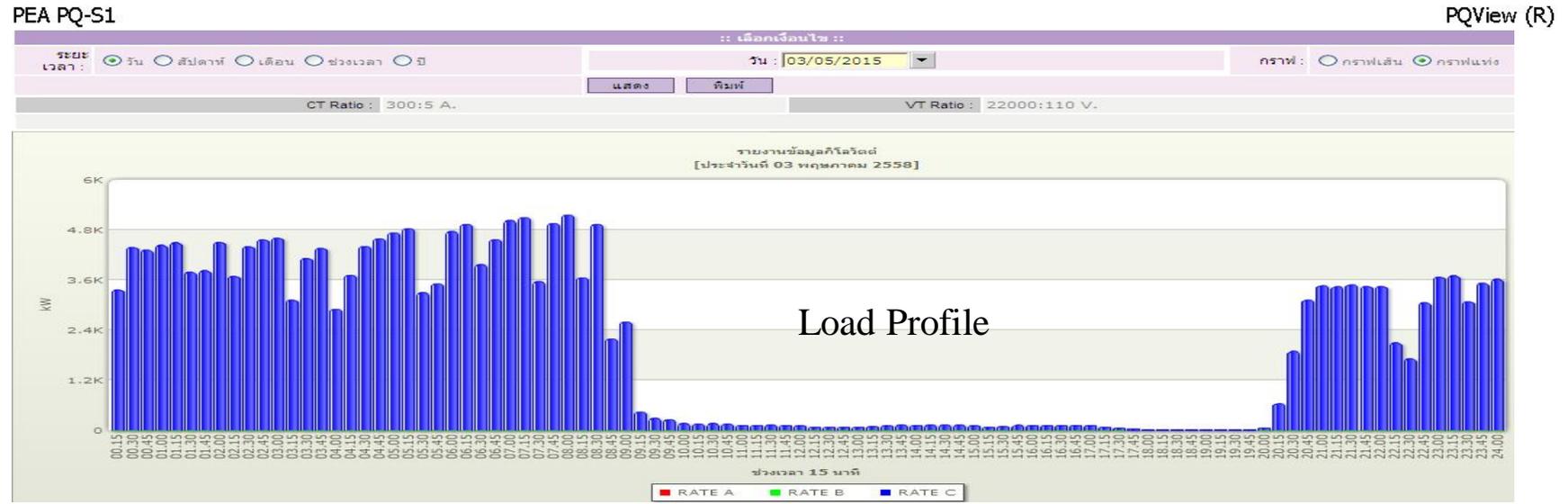
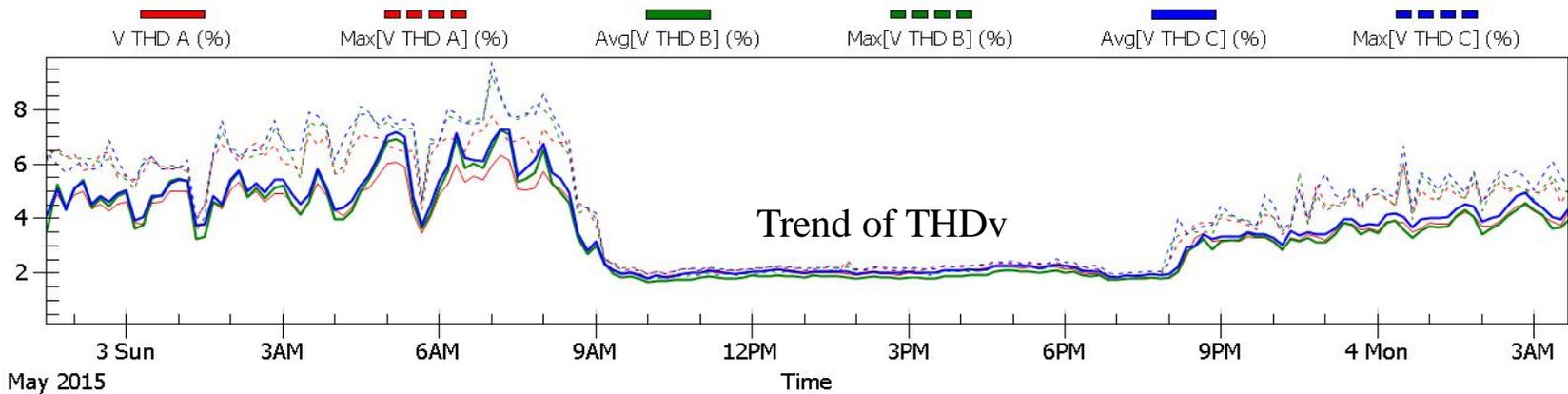


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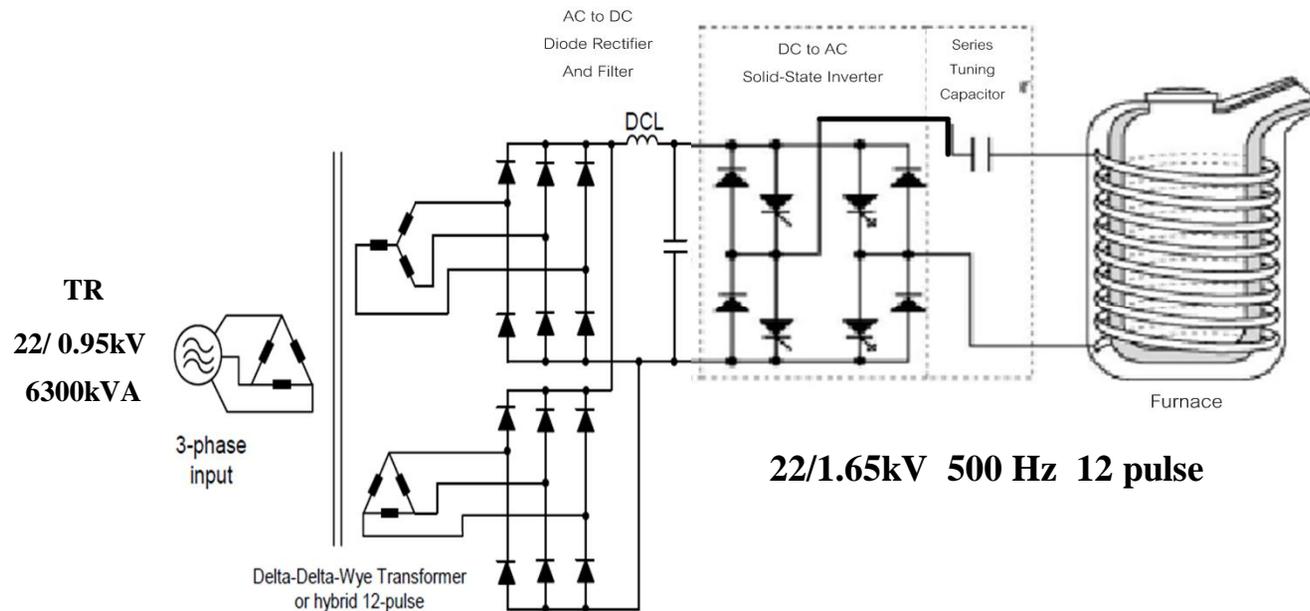


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**KHY-TP2 - V THD A, V THD B, V THD C**  
From 4/29/2015 to 5/7/2015



# Induction Furnace

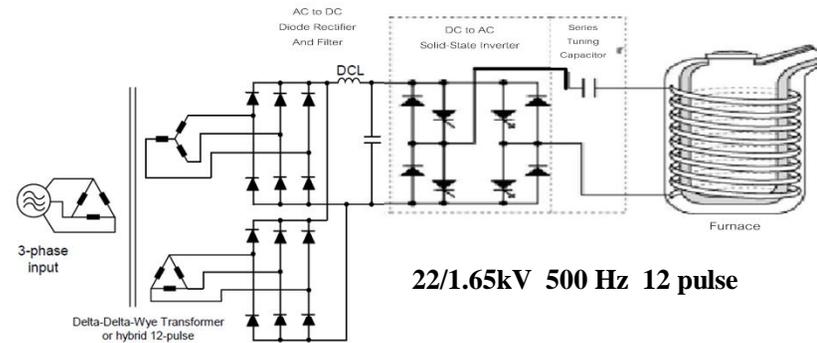


For the 12 Pulse system the input current will have theoretical harmonic components at the following multiples of fundamental frequency: 11, 13, 23, 25, etc.

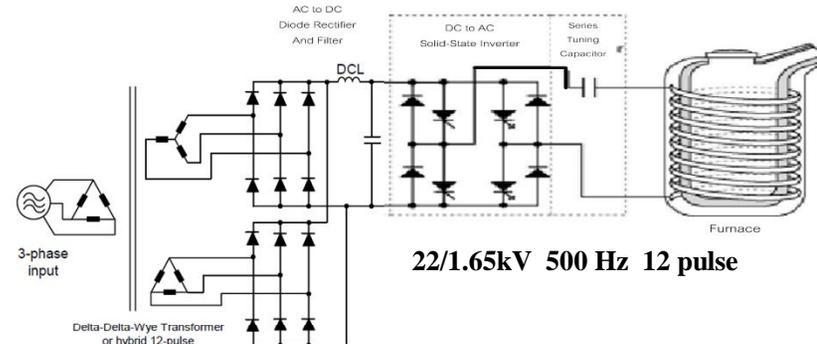
# Induction Furnace

## Induction Furnaces in a Steel Plant:

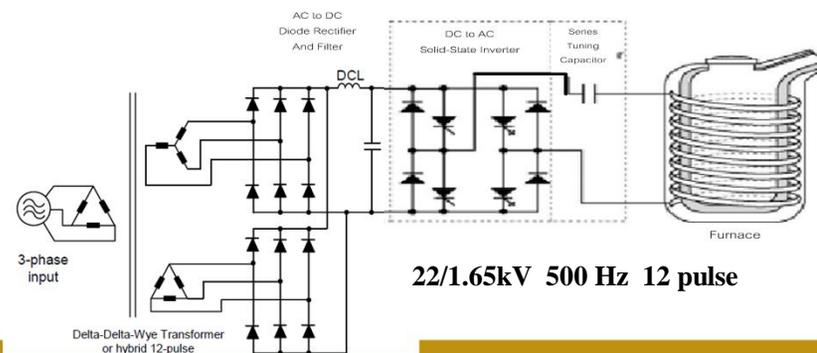
**Induction Furnace No.1**  
TR1 22/ 0.95kV 6300kVA



**Induction Furnace No.2**  
TR2 22/ 0.95kV 6300kVA

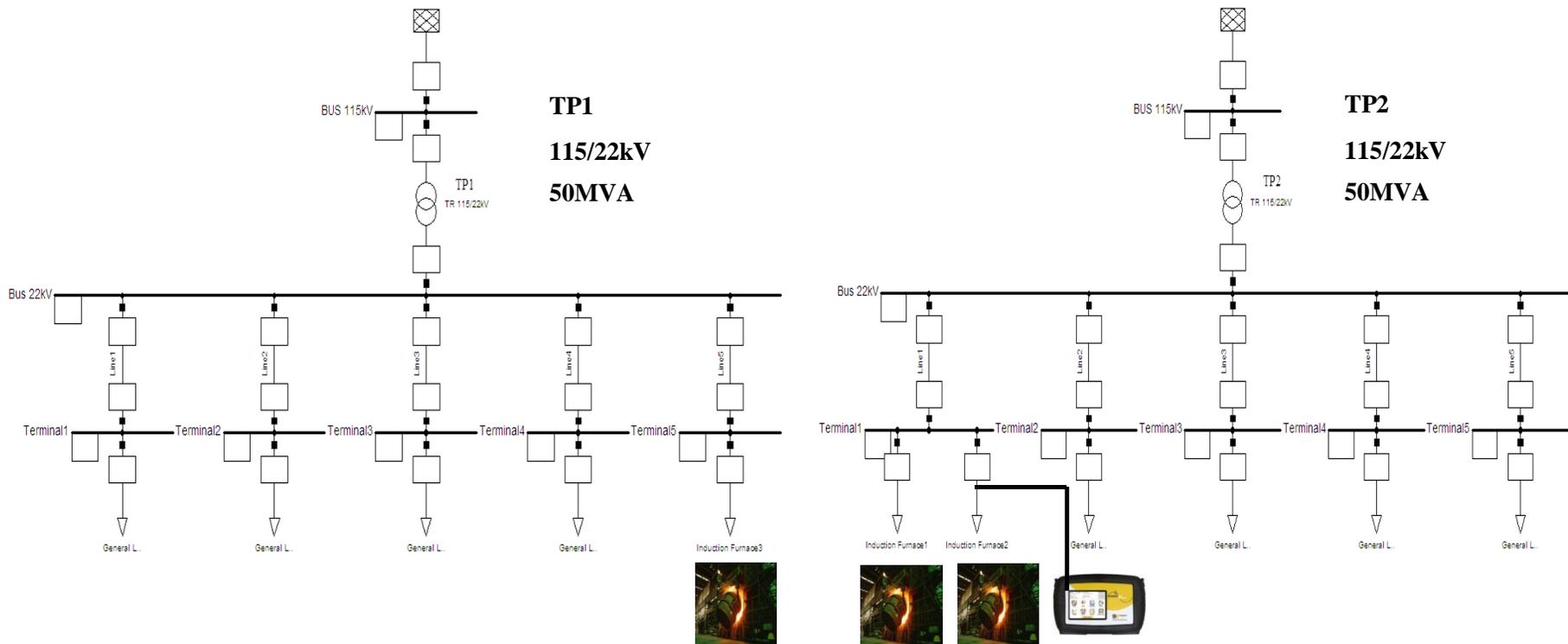


**Induction Furnace No.3**  
TR3 22/ 0.95kV 6300kVA



# Instrument and Evaluate

## Kao Yoi (KHY) Substation



**Dranetz BMI PowerVisa@PCC**



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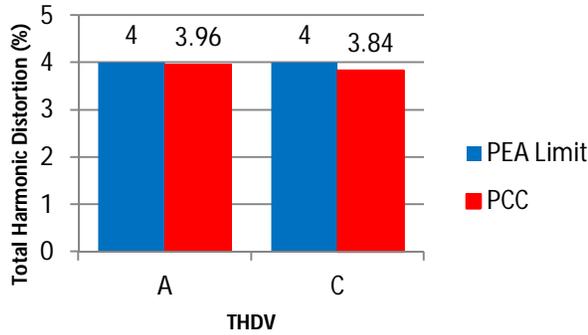
Harmonic Standard In Thailand : PRC - PQG - 01 / 1998 The Harmonic Regulations for The Commercial and Industrial

Voltage at PCC. (kV)	Total harmonic distortion (%)	Total harmonic distortion in each Order (THDV%)	
		Odd order	Even order
0.4	5	4	2
22 and 24	4	3	1.75
33	3	2	1
69	2.45	1.63	0.82
115 and above	1.5	1	0.5

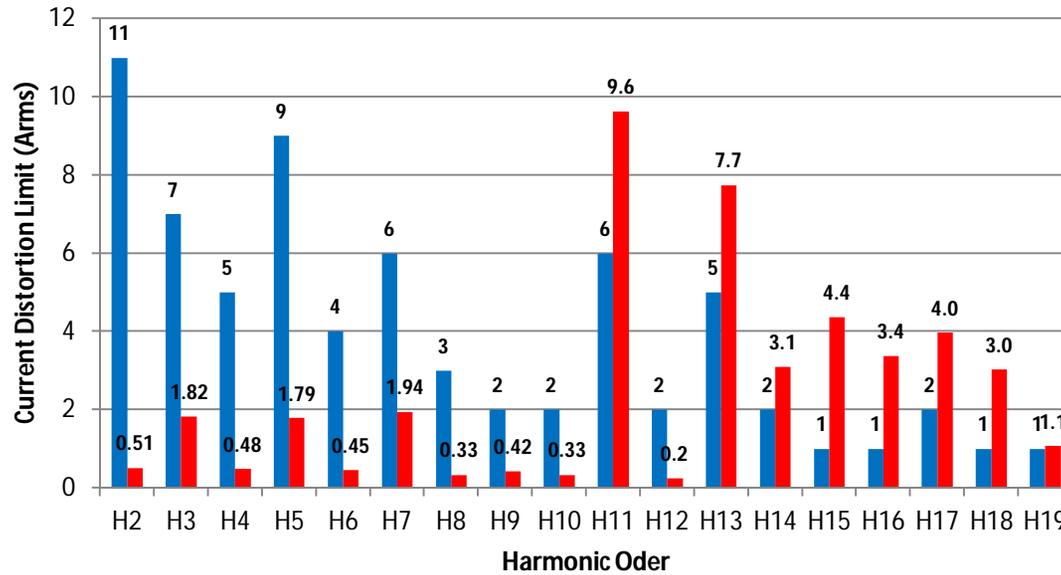
Voltage at PCC. (kV)	Current distortion limits in each order (Arms)																		
	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	
0.4	48	34	22	56	11	40	9	8	7	19	6	16	5	5	5	6	4	6	
11 and 12	13	8	6	10	4	8	3	3	3	7	2	6	2	2	2	2	1	1	
22, 24 and 33	11	7	5	9	4	6	3	2	2	6	2	5	2	1	1	2	1	1	
69	8.	5.	4.	7.	3.	4.	2.	1.	1.	4.	1.	4.	1.	1	1	1.	1	1	
	8	9	3	3	3	9	3	6	6	9	6	3	6			6			
115 and above	5	4	3	4	2	3	1	1	1	3	1	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	

# Instrument and Evaluate

Results:



%THDv less than 4%



THDi order 11<sup>th</sup>, 13<sup>th</sup>, 14<sup>th</sup>, 15<sup>th</sup>, 16<sup>th</sup>, 17<sup>th</sup>, 18<sup>th</sup> are exceed PEA limit

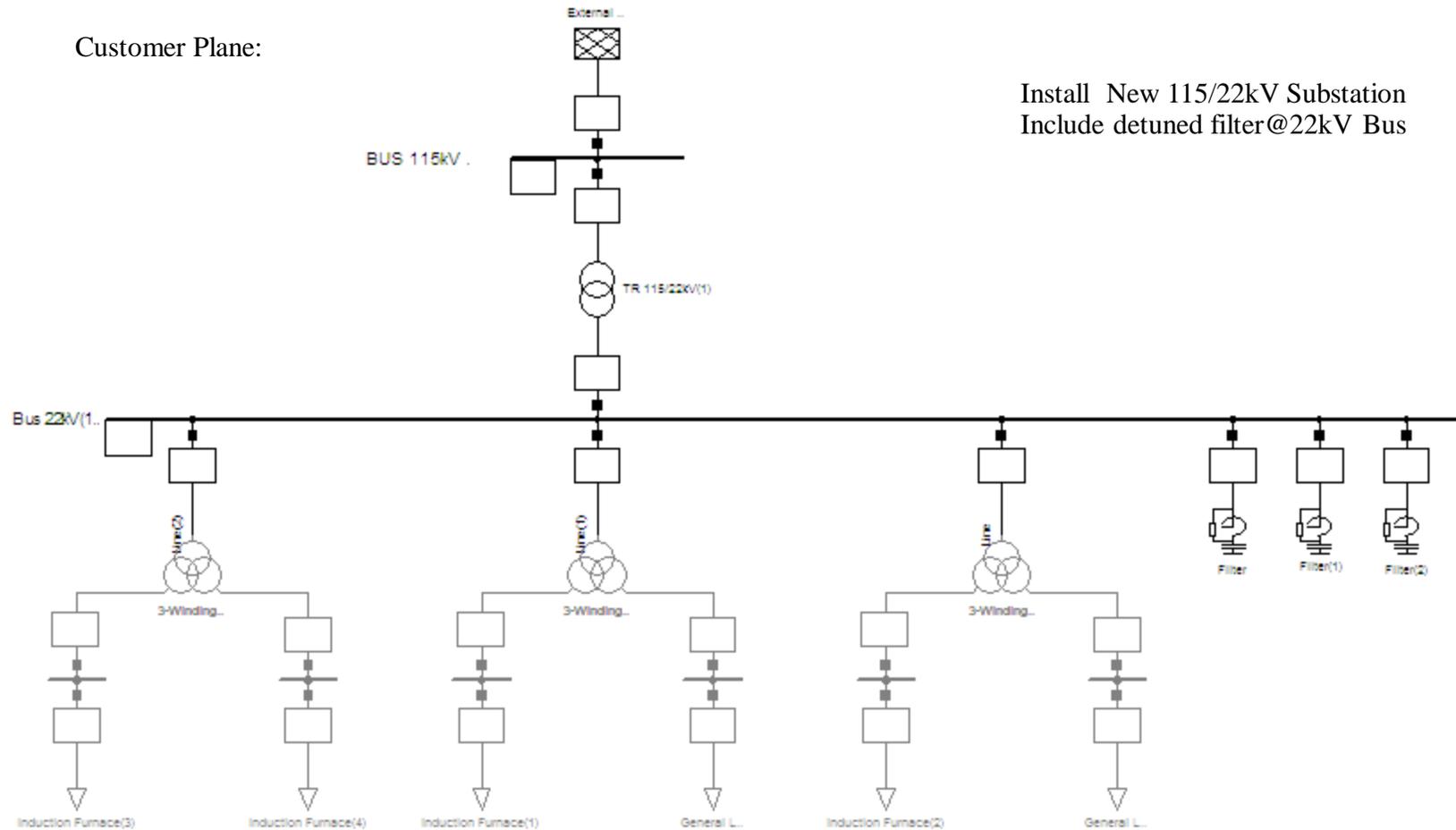


## Solution

- Install Tuned Filter or
- Detune Filter or
- Active Filter

Customer Plane:

Install New 115/22kV Substation  
Include detuned filter@22kV Bus





## Conclusion

- For decrease of harmonic distortion in a steel plant with induction furnace the customer should install harmonic filter for decrease of harmonic order 11<sup>th</sup>, 13<sup>th</sup>, 14<sup>th</sup>, 15<sup>th</sup>, 16<sup>th</sup>, 17<sup>th</sup>, 18<sup>th</sup> that are exceed PEA limit



Thank You

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