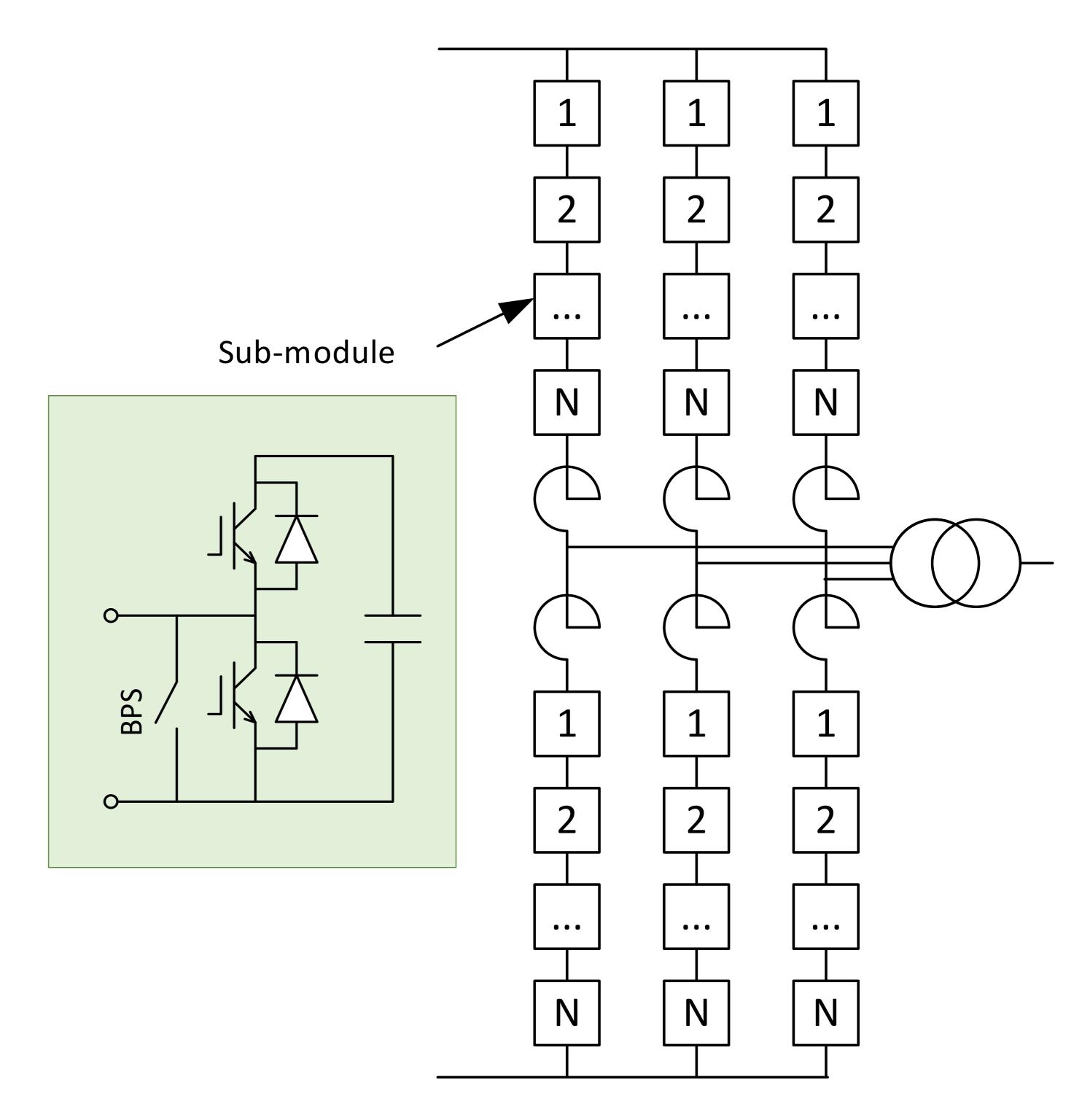
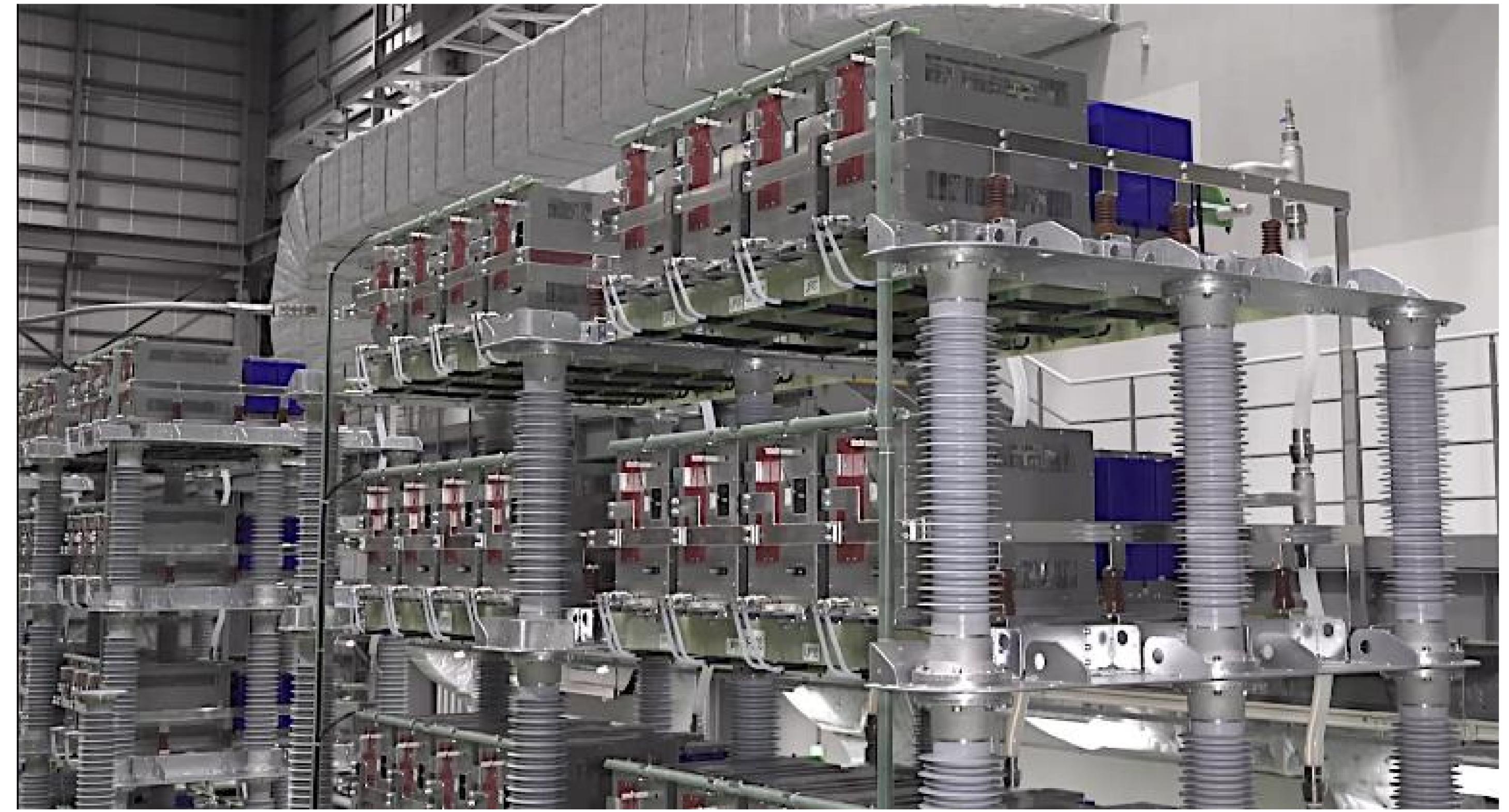
# HVDC-Diamond®

### A flexible, MMC-based HVDC transmission systems

The development of Voltage-Source Converters (VSC) based technology represents a key breakthrough for the electric power industry. Compared to conventional Line Commutated Converter (LCC) HVDC technology, VSC-based HVDC systems have faster responsiveness, independent control of active and reactive power, and a more compact physical footprint. These advantages have expanded the market for HVDC technology into new applications, such as integrating offshore wind farms, black starting islanded loads, and supplying passive networks.



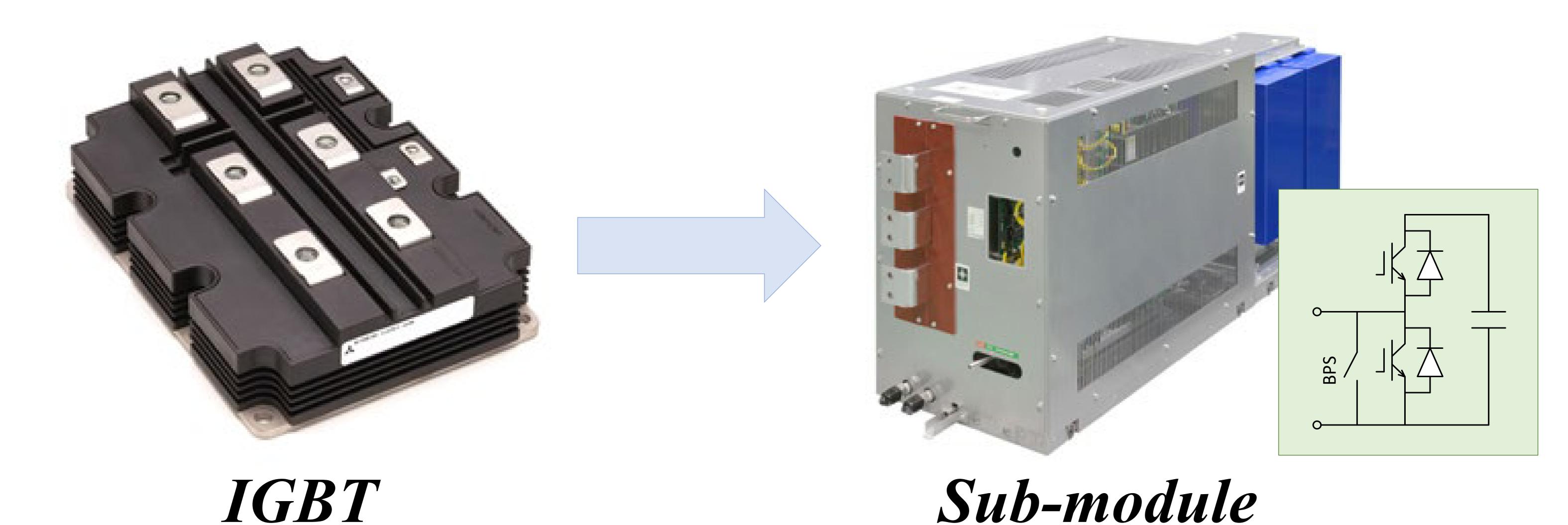




### Sub-module Design

### Market leading technology

- Mitsubishi Electric 6.5 kV IGBT devices (seamless integration and improved quality control)
- High reliability (fit < 70)





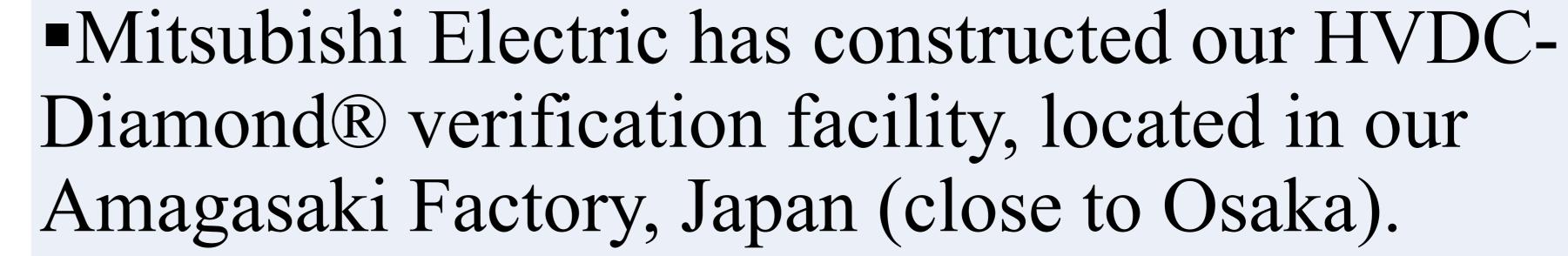


400 kV valve tower

## Verification Facility

#### Full-scale components

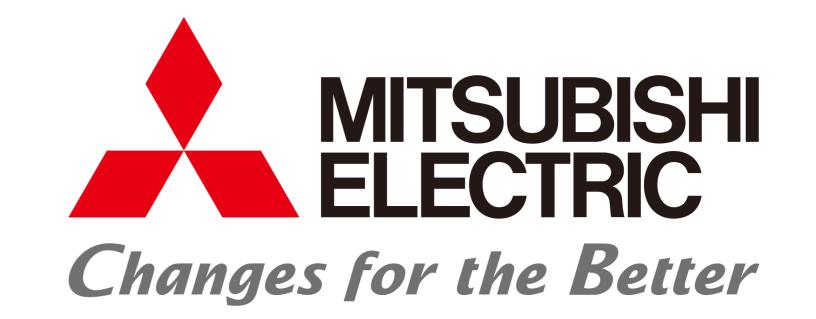
Rating	Value
Active Power	±50 MW
Nominal DC Voltage	$\pm 21 \text{ kV}$
Nominal DC Current	± 1190 A



■The HVDC-Diamond® verification facility is designed to perform rigorous testing, such as performance, heat-run, protection and control, etc.



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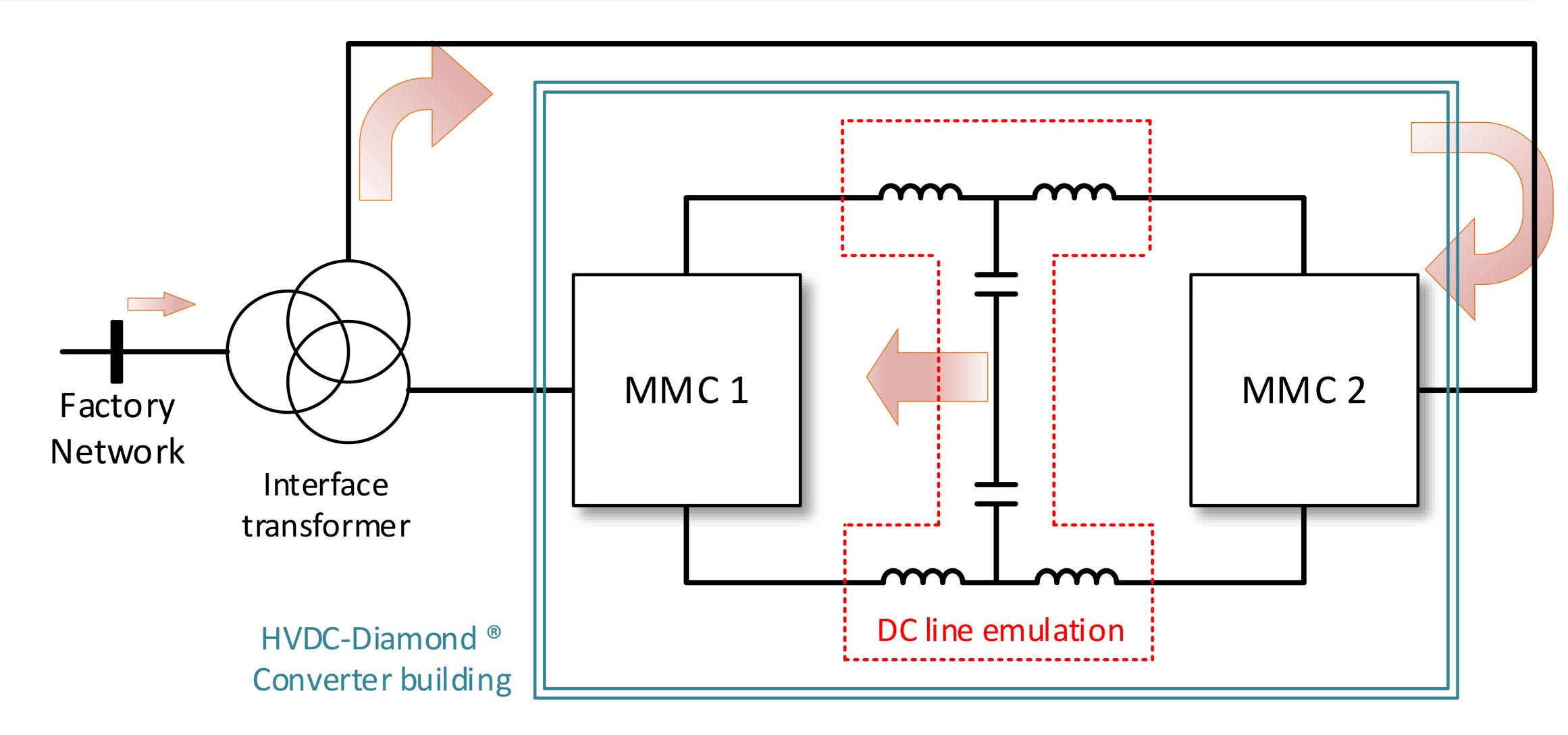


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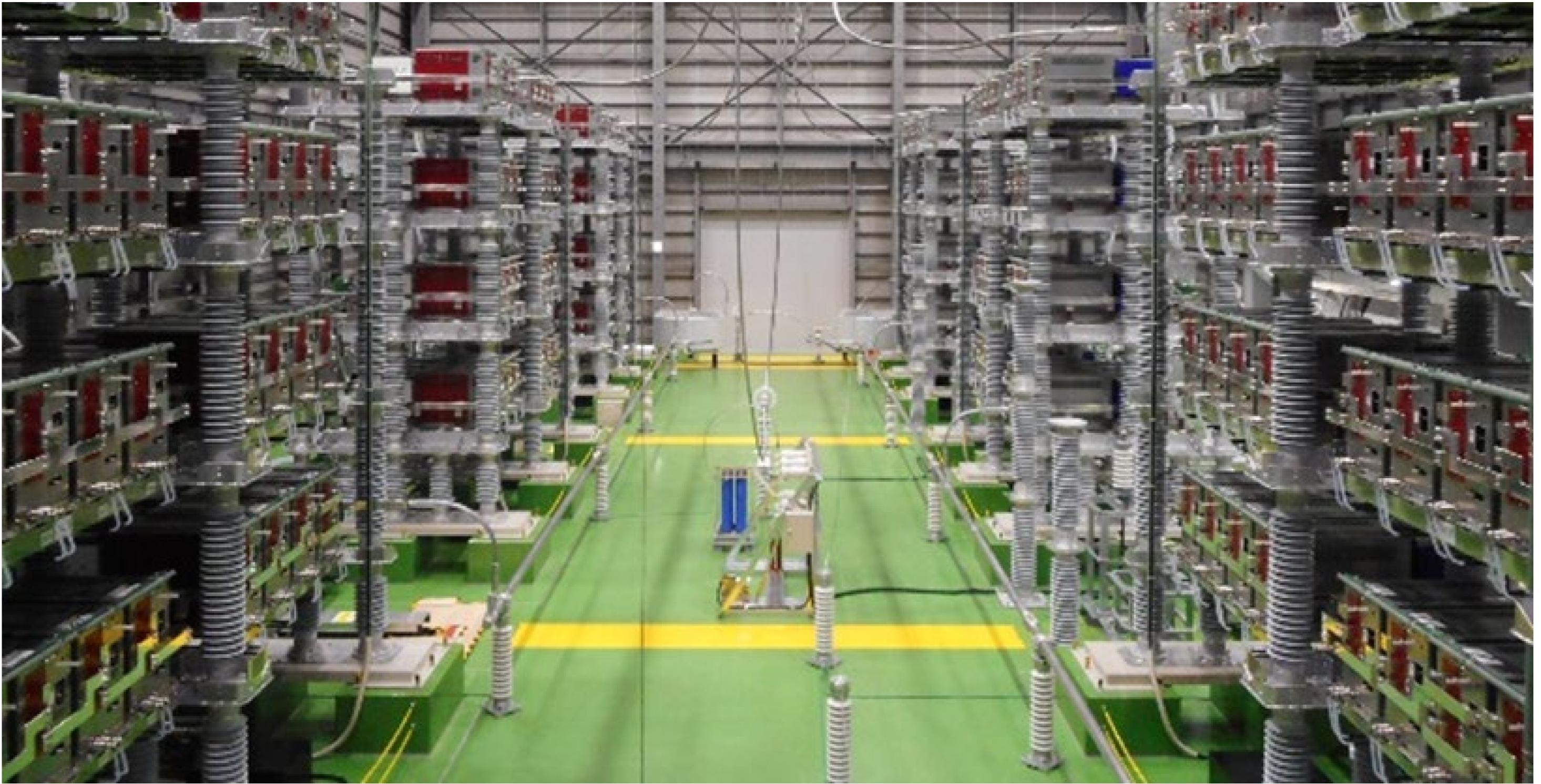
### Full functionality for technology de-risking

The system is designed to circulate power between two converters, so that the factory network is only required to supply the system loss. A wide-range of testing is possible, enabling all core sub-systems to be verified, such as:

- •Control, protection and communication systems
- •Long-term heat-runs
- Cooling systems
- •Start-up and shut-down procedures



#### Valve Hall

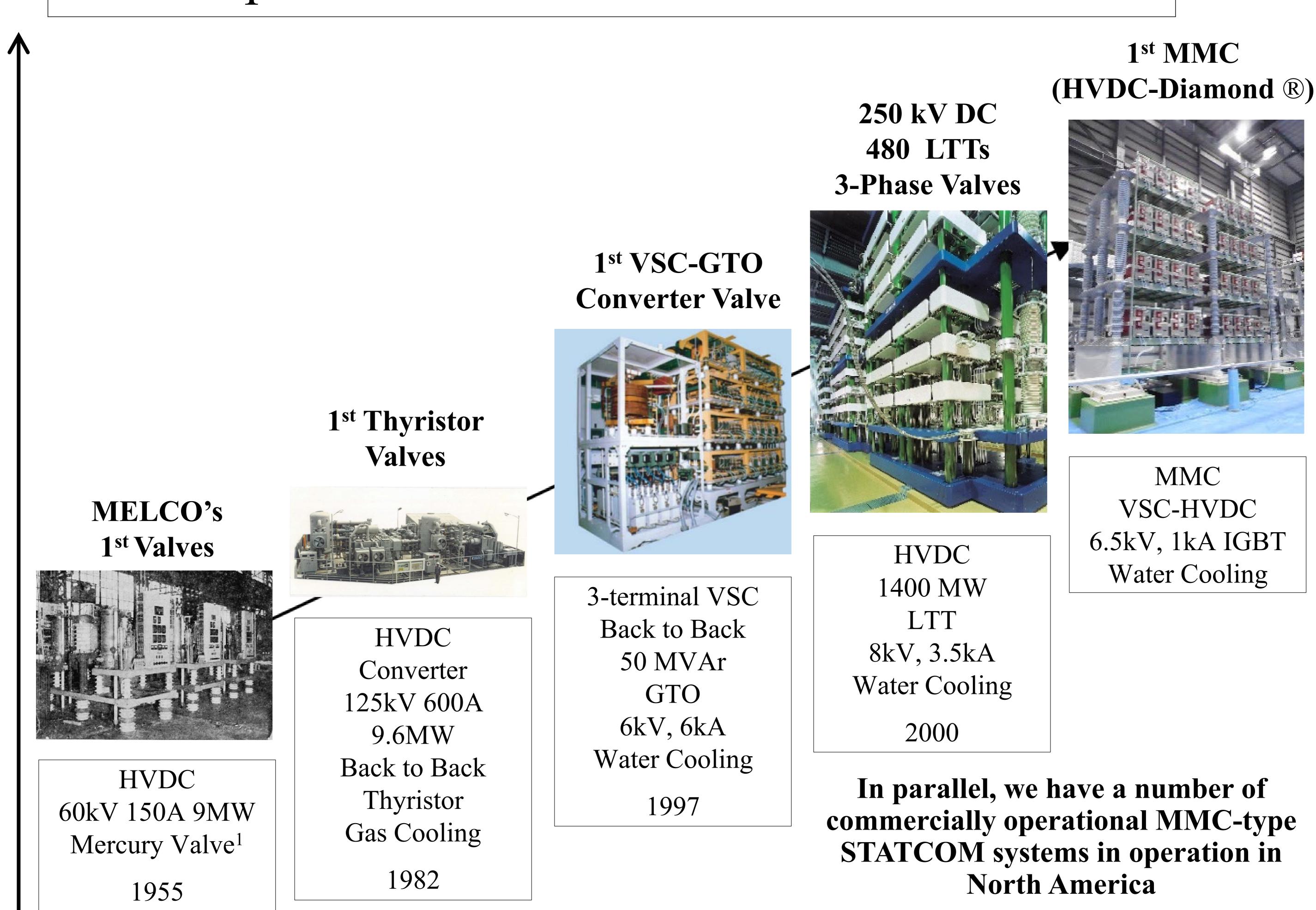




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### HVDC Development History

#### A proven track-record and world firsts



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