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 - 3. Present Work with diagrams
 - 4. Implementation
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Abstract:

This project presents Teaching Learning Based Optimization (TLBO) approach to minimize power loss and energy cost by optimal placement of capacitors in radial distribution systems. The proposed algorithm is based on two basic concept of education namely teaching phase and learning phase. In first phase, learners improve their knowledge or ability through the teaching methodology of teacher and in second part learners increase their knowledge by interactions among themselves. To check the feasibility, the proposed method is applied on standard 15, 33, 69 and 85 bus radial distribution systems. Numerical experiments are included to demonstrate that the proposed TLBO can obtain better quality solution than many existing techniques like genetic algorithm (GA), particle swarm optimization (PSO), direct search algorithm (DSA) and mixed integer linear programming (MILP) approach.

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