

EECS 2900

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dg control

## Announcements

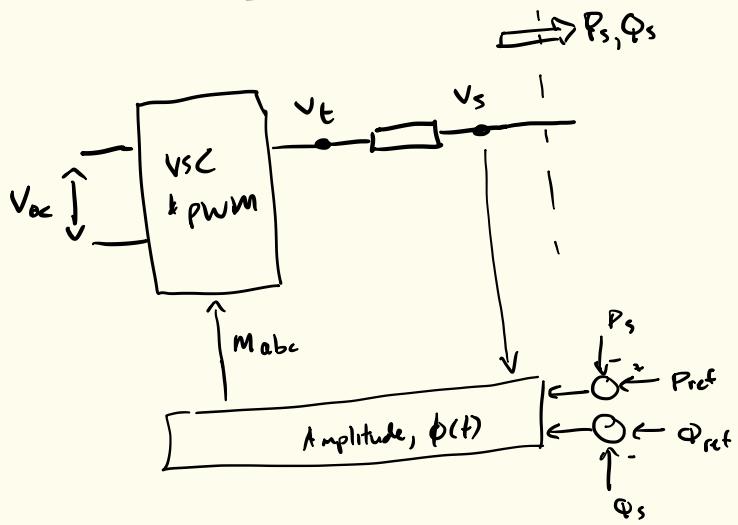
1. Next week : no class
2. 5/6: Make up class, same time & place.
3. Today : end early to do course evals.
4. Last group presentations 5/6 : Lin, Markovic.
5. I will post project writeup requirements this week,
6. Project due 5/14 11:30 am.

## Objectives for today

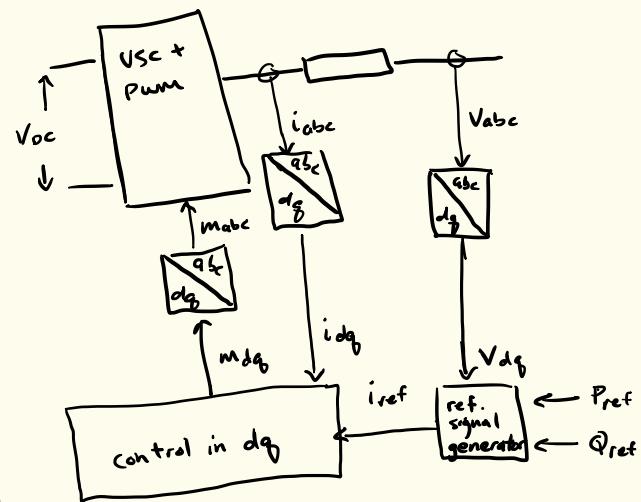
1. Answer question: why not just control terminal voltage?
2. Basic issues in PLL control design
3. Simple extension of 1/2 bridge control to 3 $\phi$  (dq) control.
4. Multi-machine simulation discussion. Importance of local voltage angles.
5. Course evaluations

# VSC : Voltage-mode or current-mode control?

Voltage



Current



Pro: Simple control. Can even decouple

Amplitude and  $\phi$  if voltages are similar

Con:

- No current protection (though it would seem easy enough to - "a protective loop in?")
- Need filter parameters - could be wrong!

Pro: Current limits - can saturate  $i_{ref}$ . Also allegedly better dynamics.

Con: More control complexity, though it's still low.

## Dynamic Model of P-Q controller (8.3.3)

$$L \frac{d\vec{i}}{dt} = - (R + R_{on}) \vec{i} + \vec{V}_t - \vec{V}_s \quad \left( \begin{array}{l} \vec{\cdot} \text{ is a space} \\ \text{phasor} \end{array} \right)$$

$$\text{dq: } \vec{i} = \hat{i}_{dq} e^{j\theta} \quad \text{estimate of phase angle}$$

Objective: Develop a controller to regulate  $i_d$  and  $i_q$  to reference values from signal generator.

## Writing dynamic equations in dq

(In following,  $R' = R + r_{an}$ )

$$L \frac{d[i_d]}{dt} = L[\omega][i_q] - R'[i_d] + [V_{td}] - \underbrace{\hat{V}_s \cos(\omega_o t + \Theta_o - [P])}_{V_{sd}}$$

frequency and phase  
at PCC

$$L \frac{d[i_q]}{dt} = -L[\omega][i_d] - R'[i_q] + [V_{dq}] - \underbrace{\hat{V}_s \sin(\omega_o t + \Theta_o - [P])}_{V_{sq}}$$

$$\frac{d[\theta]}{dt} = [\omega]$$

$\square$  = state variables

$\square$  = control  
variables

- System nonlinear due to  $\omega_i$  terms and  $\cos, \sin$  terms.

## PLL

dq requires good choice of  $w$  and  $\ell$ .

E.g. consider  $\rho(0)=0$  and  $w \equiv 0$

$\Rightarrow \rho = 0 + t$  and the dq transform is actually  $d\beta$ .

So we need a PLL = Phase locked loop.

Remember  $V_{sq} = \hat{V} \sin(\omega_0 t + \theta_0 - \rho) \Rightarrow \rho = \omega_0 t + \theta_0 \Rightarrow V_{sq} = 0$

So we'll seek a feedback control law that drives  $(\omega_0 t + \theta_0 - \rho)$  to zero.

But as we'll see it can't go all the way to zero.

## PLL designs

foundational feedback control Law.

transfer function, design by classical methods:

$$\frac{d\varphi}{dt} = H \hat{V}_s \sin(\omega_0 t + \Theta_0 - \varphi) = H V_{sq}$$

don't want this  $\equiv 0$ , otherwise  $\frac{d\varphi}{dt} \equiv 0$  and

we don't track the phase

$\Rightarrow$  There will be some error.

But good control design can make this very small. Textbook is fuzzy on this.

$\Rightarrow$  Best case outcome

1.  $\varphi$  has frequency  $\omega_0 \Rightarrow \omega_0 t + \Theta_0 - \varphi = \text{constant} = e$
2.  $\Theta$  is small.

## PLL design, CTD

### Confounding issues

1. Phase (ABC) imbalance

2. Harmonics

example:

$$\Rightarrow \vec{V}_s = \hat{V}_s e^{j(\omega_0 t + \Theta_0)} + k_1 \hat{V}_s e^{-j(\omega_0 t + \Theta_0)} \\ + k_5 \hat{V}_s e^{j(5\omega_0 t + \Phi_5)}$$

-ive seq. component

$\Rightarrow$  Steady state PLL

$$V_{sq} = -k_1 \hat{V}_s \sin(2\omega_0 t + 2\Theta_0) - k_5 \hat{V}_s \sin(6\omega_0 t + \Theta_0 + \Phi_5)$$

= f'n of  $2\omega_0$ ,  $6\omega_0$ .

Since  $\frac{\partial \varphi}{\partial t} = H V_{sq}$ , these harmonics can distort estimate of  $\varphi$ .

## PLL design, Ctd

Phase imbalance is the most severe factor. Solutions

1. Xfr fn has strong low pass characteristic.

→ But this compromises bandwidth

2. Plop zeros at  $\omega_2$   $\rightarrow$  eliminates ripple there.

→ But if  $\omega \neq \omega_2$  your controller parameters may not work well.

Example in book shows phase imbalance generates inst. error of

3-4 Hz. — SEE PPT SLIDES.

This is a real thing — Converters have cut off line due to faulty measurements.

## More on Current Control

PCC P+Q:

$$P_s(+)=\frac{3}{2}(V_{sd}i_d + V_{sq}i_q) = \frac{3}{2}V_{sd}i_d$$

$$Q_s = \frac{3}{2}(-V_{sd}i_q + V_{sq}i_d) = -\frac{3}{2}V_{sd}i_q$$

if  $V_{sq} = 0$  (true for a good PLL)

$$\Rightarrow i_{dref} = \frac{2}{3} \frac{P_{sref}}{V_{sd}}, \quad i_{qref} = -\frac{2}{3} \frac{Q_{sref}}{V_{sd}}$$

so with a good PLL and fast  $i_{ref}$  tracking, P+Q can be independently controlled.

## Even More on current control

Let's return to current dynamics, assuming  $\omega = \omega_0$

$$L \frac{di_d}{dt} = L\omega_0 i_B - R' i_d + v_{td} - v_{sd}$$

$$L \frac{di_q}{dt} = -L\omega_0 i_d - R' i_q + v_{eb} - v_{sq}$$

We can control  $v_{td}$  and  $v_{eb}$  to make  $i_B$  and  $i_q$  follow the references.

But the equations are coupled, which could complicate control design.

A cool trick.

(<sup>st</sup>, Remember,

$$V_{td} = m_d \frac{V_{dc}}{2} \quad , \quad V_{tg} = m_g \frac{V_{dc}}{2}$$

Here is the trick:

$$(F) \quad m_d = \frac{2}{V_{dc}} (u_d - L\omega_0 i_g + V_{sd})$$

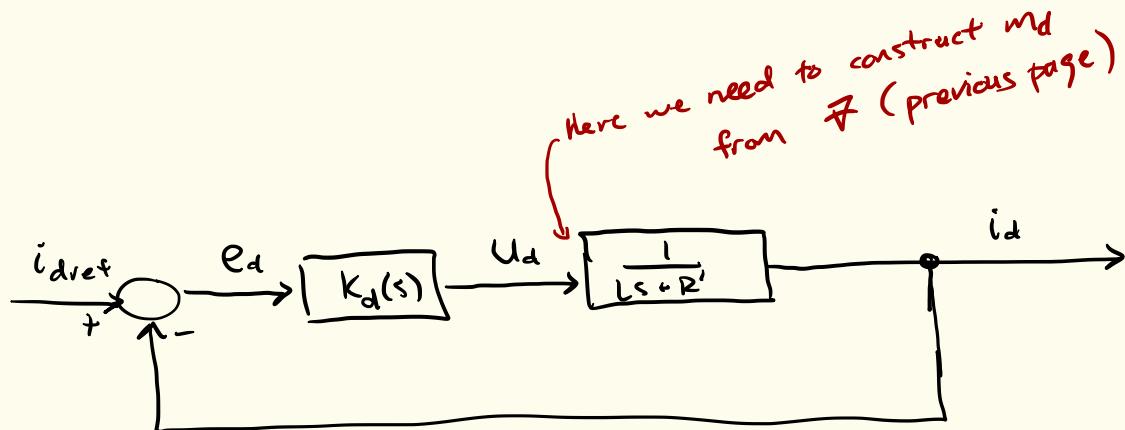
$$m_g = \frac{2}{V_{dc}} (u_g - L\omega_0 i_d + V_{sg})$$



$$L \frac{di_d}{dt} = -R' i_d + u_d$$

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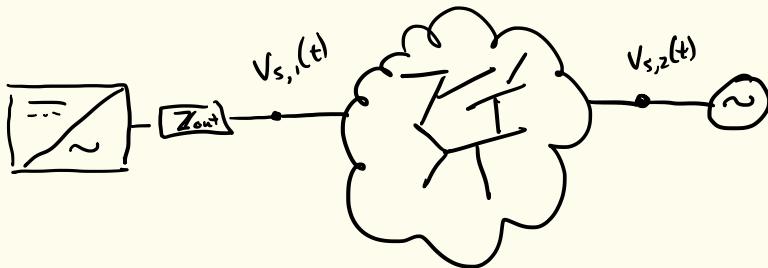
Now we can control  $i_d$  and  $i_g$  independently



- We can construct exactly the same architecture for  $i_g$ .
- Also, since system is linear, we can set  $k_g = k_d$
- Simple 1<sup>st</sup> order filter  $\rightarrow$  PI control loop in  $K(s)$ .
- Design follows same procedure as Ch 3, half bridge control.

Have a look at today's power point slides ...

## Comment on multi-machine models



Transformations and reference angles:

dg transform must be done relative to local  $V_s$

## Kundur Explanation for transformations (ch 13.3)

Let  $\omega_0 = 2\pi f_0$  = nominal (constant) system frequency

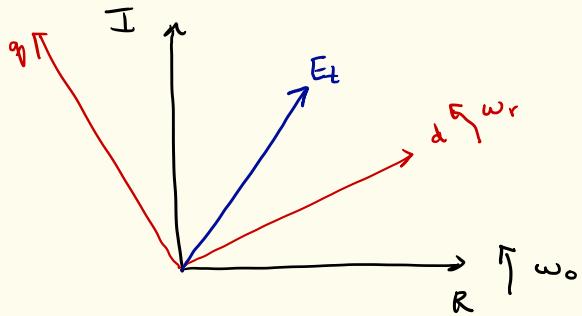
$\Delta\omega_r$  = per unit rotor speed deviation  $\left( \frac{\omega - \omega_0}{\omega_0} \right)$

$$\frac{d \Delta\omega_r}{dt} = \frac{1}{2H} (T_m - T_e - k_o \Delta\omega_r)$$

$$\frac{d \delta}{dt} = \omega_0 \Delta\omega_r \quad (= 0 \text{ if machine speed equals } \omega_0)$$

## Kundur Explanation, Ctd

1. Define a system rotating reference frame. All network and static load calcs done here.



This has similar properties to d-q, but does not change speed

2. Measure local generator angle (or  $V_s$  in PLL) relative to this frame.

3. Convert voltage components btwn d-q & "R-I"  
  - machine
  - network

4. Network currents follow Ohm's law.

## AC side equivalent circuit

Let  $V_{sq}(t) = \hat{V}_s \cos(\Theta)$

(Shift back  $\frac{2\pi}{3}$ ,  $\frac{4\pi}{3}$  for b & c.)

$$v_{ta}(t) = \hat{V}_t \cos(\Theta + \delta)$$

$$i_a(t) = \hat{i} \cos(\Theta - \phi)$$

$$\begin{aligned}\Rightarrow \vec{V}_s &= \hat{V}_s e^{j\Theta} \\ \vec{V}_t &= \hat{V}_t e^{j\delta} e^{j\Theta} \\ \vec{i} &= \hat{i} e^{-j\phi} e^{j\Theta}\end{aligned}$$