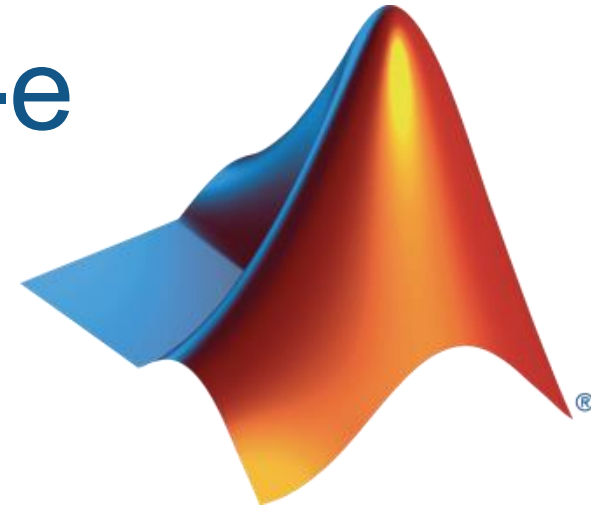


MathWorks presents Electromagnetic design with SyR-e

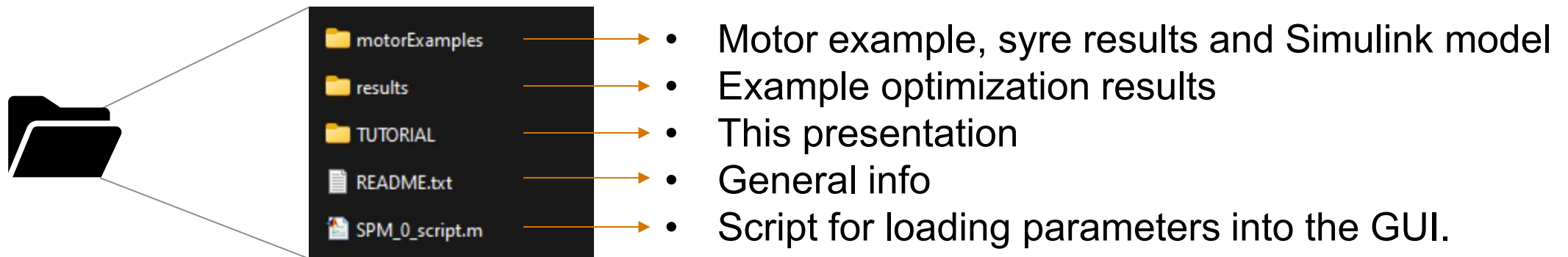
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What is needed for this tutorial?

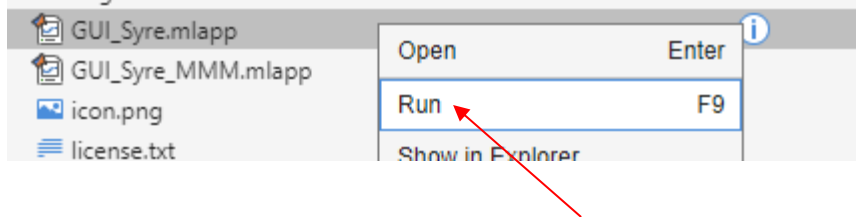
1. Matlab (of course!)
2. Syre
3. This Tutorial

Follow these slides to build the motor. If you encounter any problems, you can use the attached files in this subfolder.



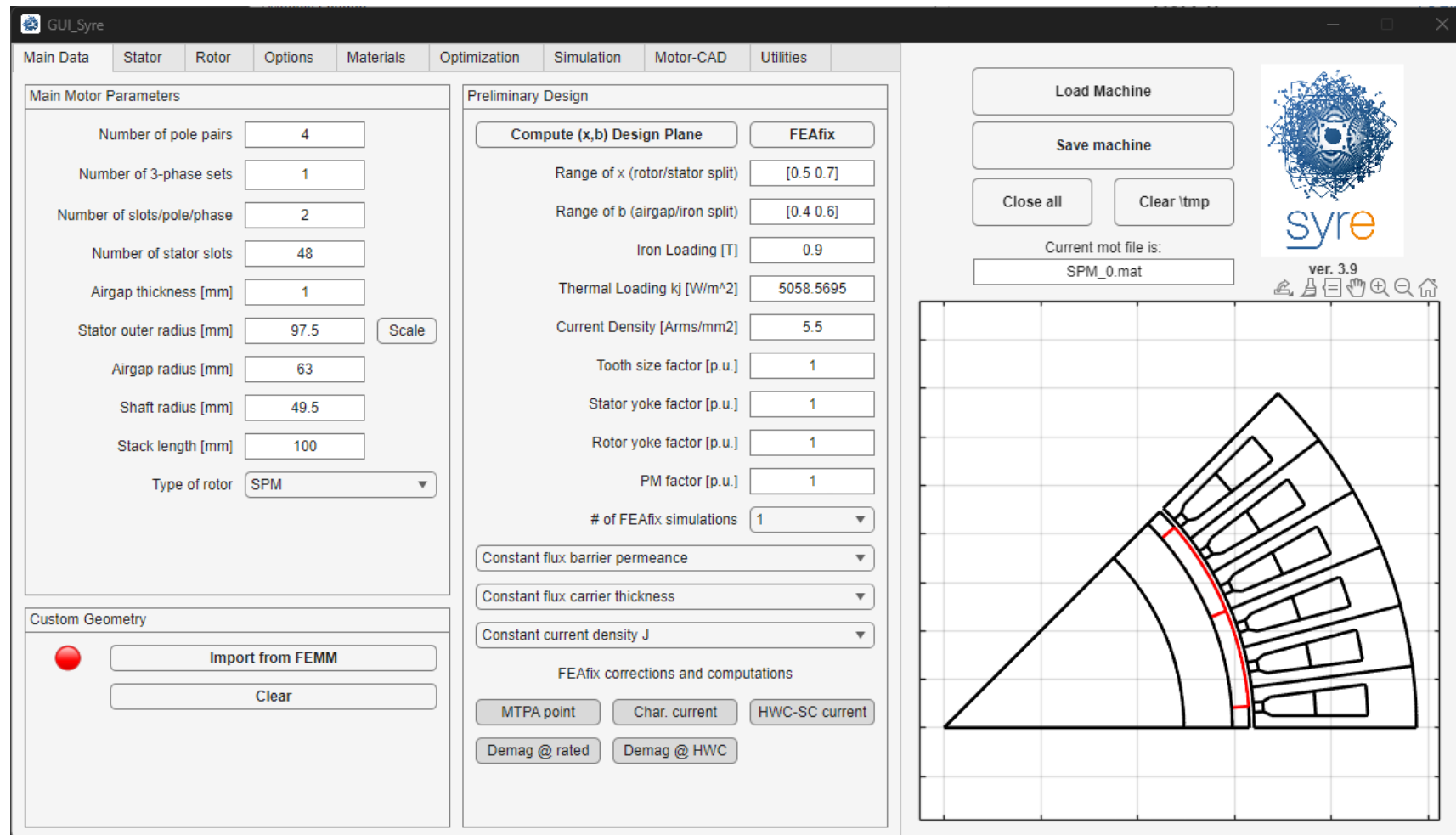
Next steps

- Download SyR-e
<https://it.mathworks.com/matlabcentral/fileexchange/158216-syr-e>
- Unzip it in your favourite location
- Open Matlab
- Open the unzipped syre path on matlab
- Right click "GUI_Syre.mlapp"
 - Run



GUI_Syre – Welcome

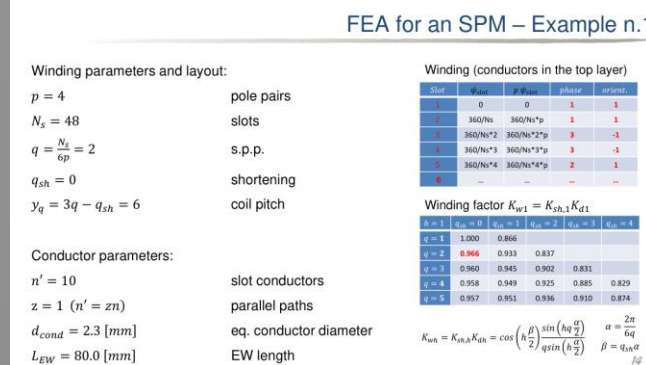
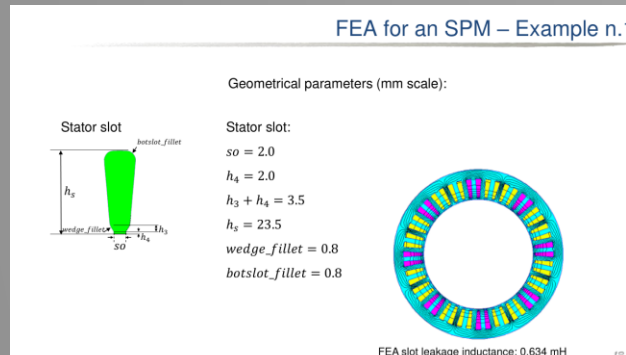
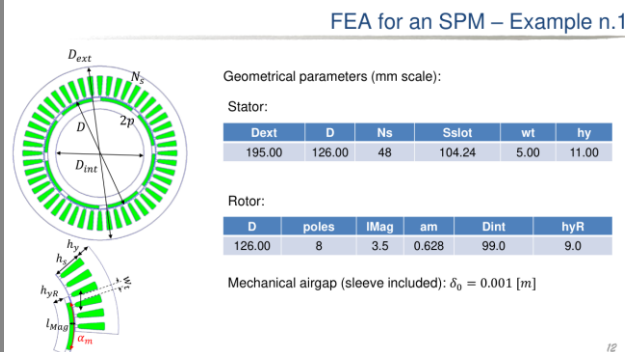
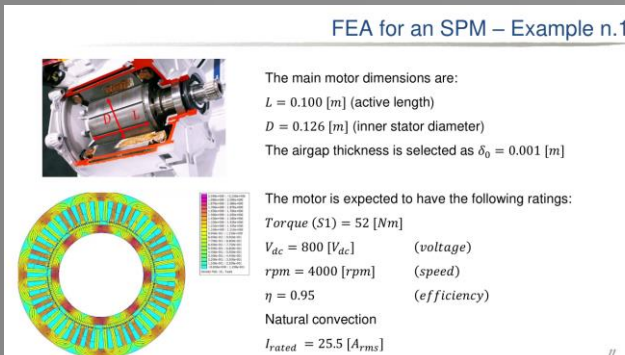
- This is the first tool! Here, you can insert the motor's characteristics, geometry, loads and materials, perform simulations and evaluate flux maps and losses.



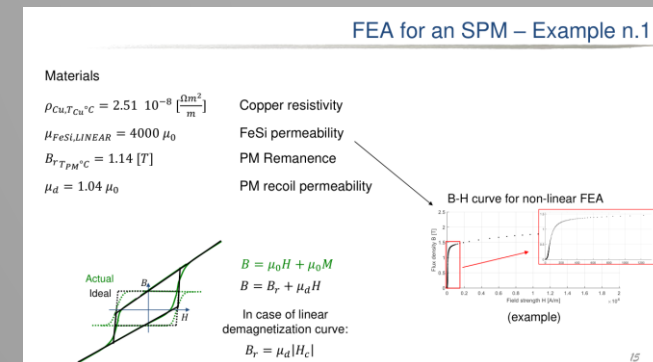
GUI_Syre – setting up parameters

- The second step is to load the parameters of your motor in GUI_syre.
 - We will use the SPM motor use case presented below. This requires us to convert its values into Syre-compatible parameters using 'SPM_0_script.mat'.

How to do it?
Next slide ->



SPM_0 use case



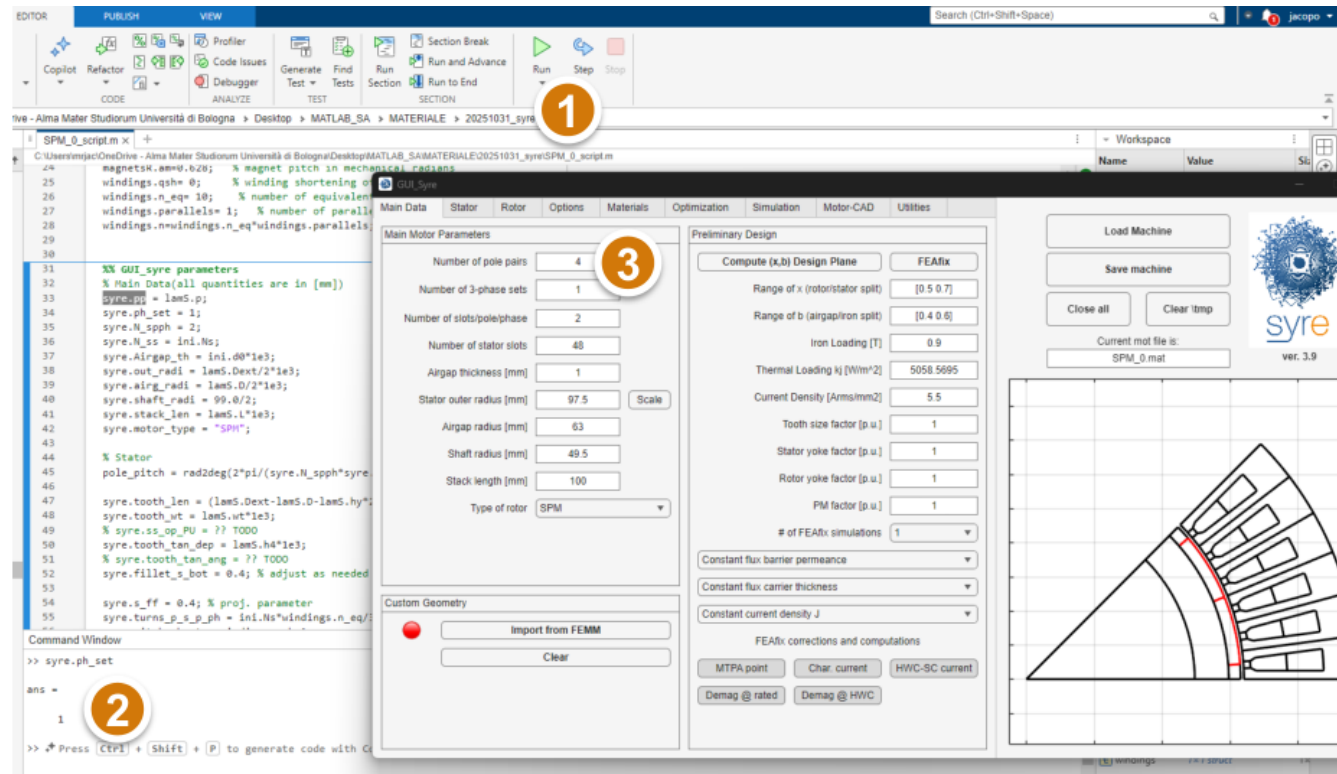
GUI_Syre – setting up parameters

Let's load the parameters in SyR-e

1. Run the script "SPM_0_script.mat"
2. Evaluate each parameter after line `%% GUI_syre parameters`
3. Paste them one by one into the corresponding box in GUI_syre

You need to insert numerical values into the boxes.

You can also directly load the example use-case by pressing 'Load Machine' and then selecting SPM_0.mat



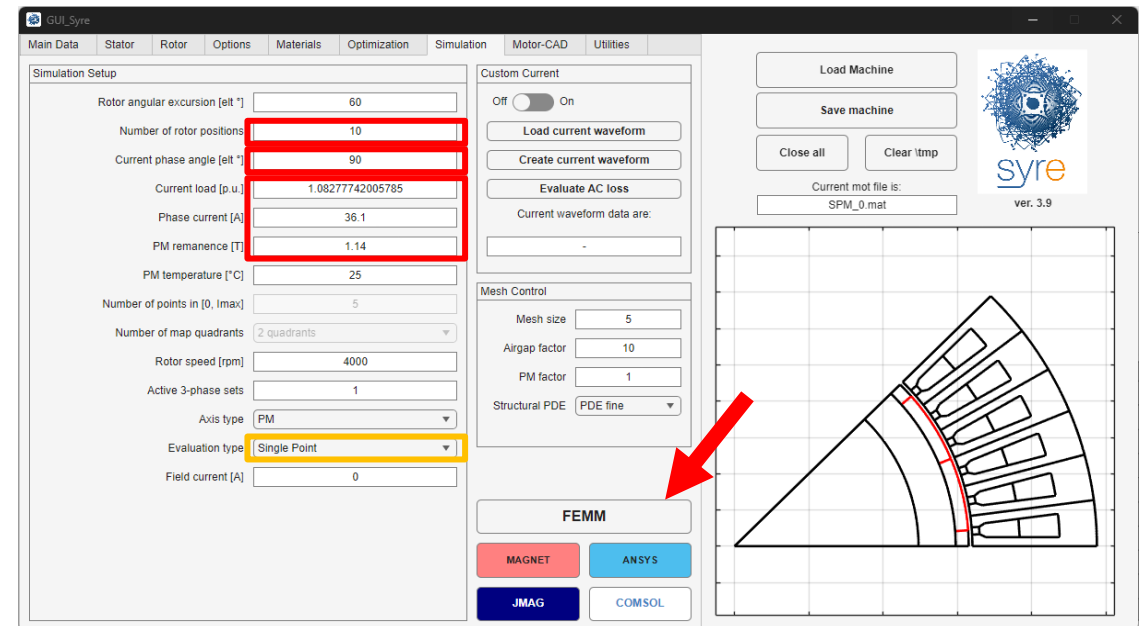
Emotor evaluation – Single point

Now that the machine has been loaded, you are ready for the first evaluation.
We are going to conduct a **"single point"** evaluation.

1. Save machine
2. Set number of positions -> 6 very fast! 20 accurate enough. (you choose)
3. Set current phase angle -> 90 (since it is an SPM!)
4. Set load Current (A or p.u.), PM remenance, Temperature
5. Press FEMM!

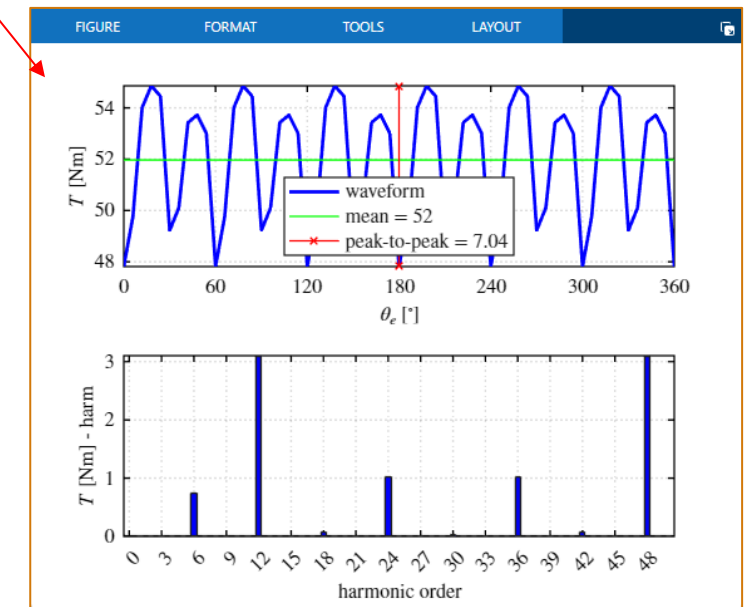
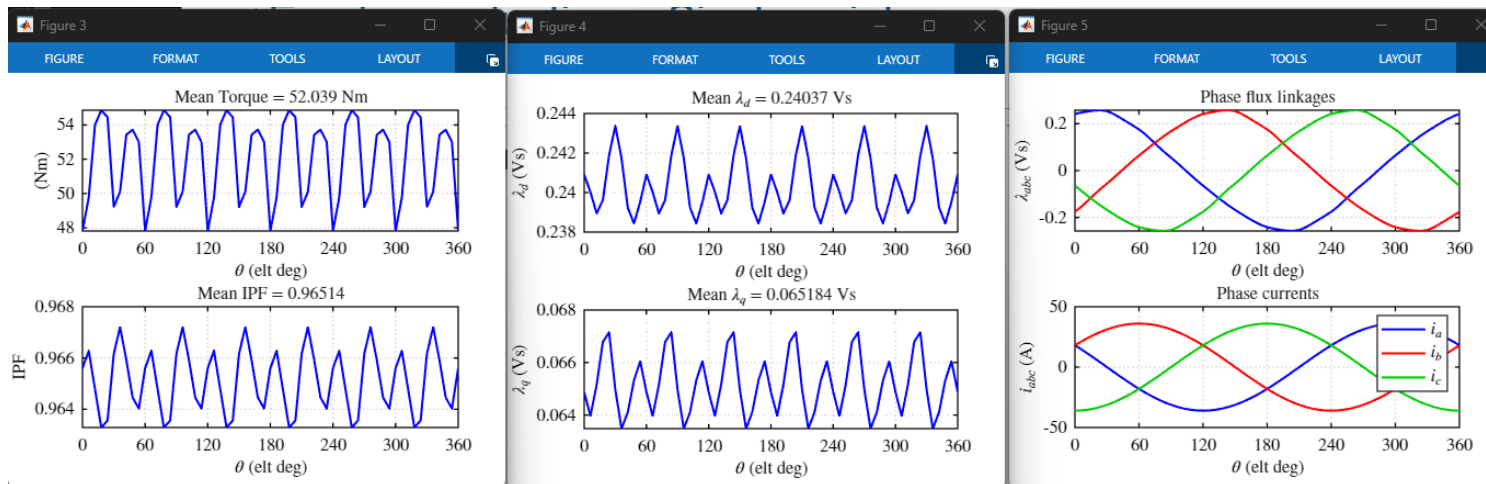
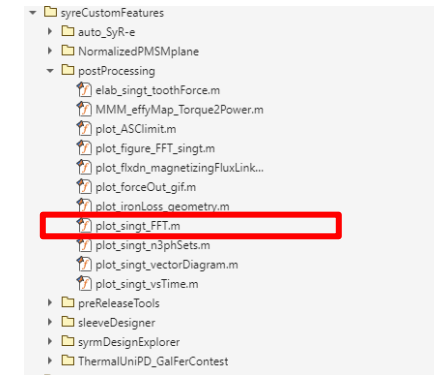
This evaluation is helpful to validate the motor's geometry in a fast way!

*Always save the machine before running any FEMM evaluations!
The simulation uses the last saved geometry.*



Emotor evaluation – Single point

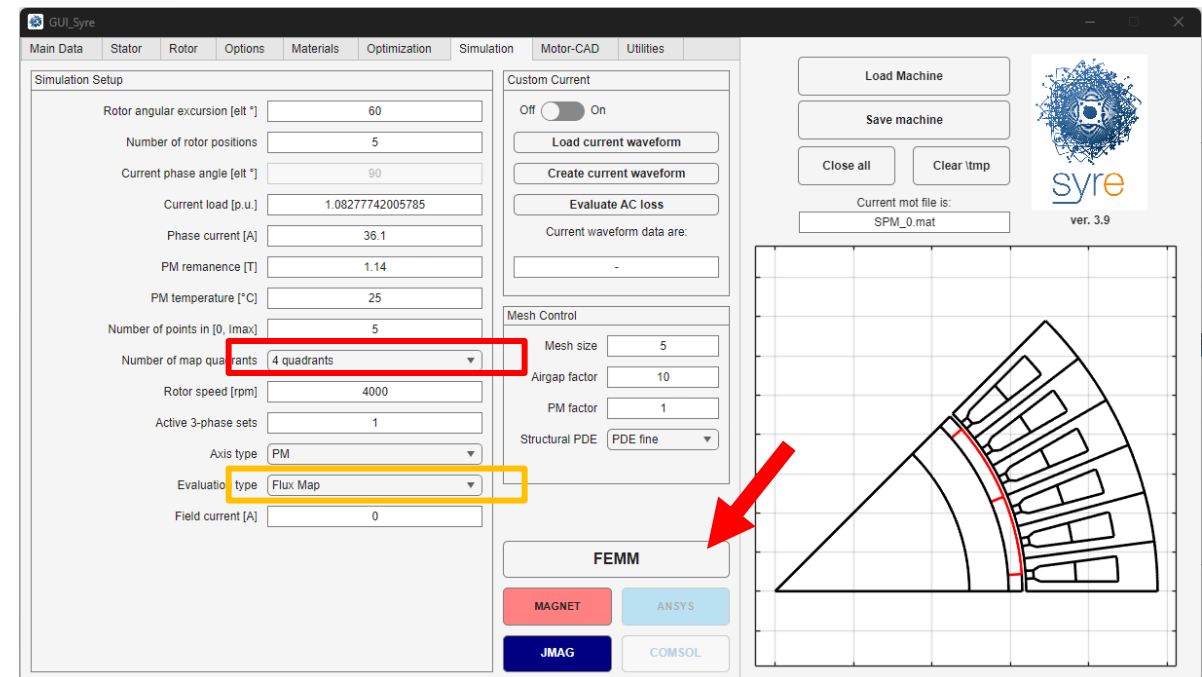
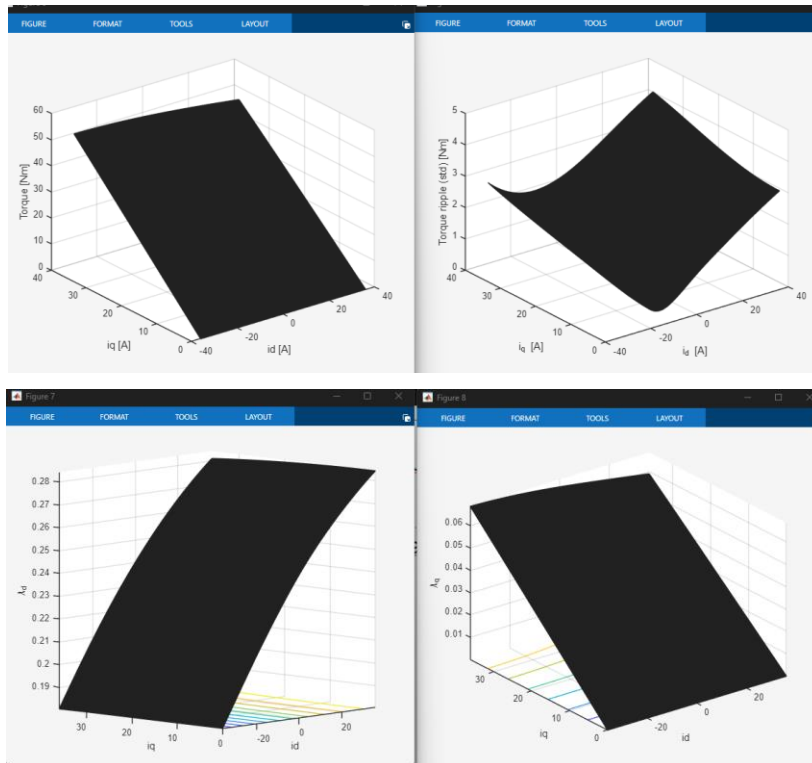
- A lot of figures pop out!
- **You can find more interesting figures using the function "plot_singt_FFT"** (run it in command window)
 - After running it, select the motor's single point result. You will find it in the following folder: `MOTORXX_results/FEA results/T_eval_XX_ZZ_Yydeg/MOTORXX_OpPointResults.mat`
 - There are other interesting functions to discover in "postprocessing"



Emotor evaluation – Flux Map

Now evaluate the flux maps

- (Useful for the next passage, GUI_syre_MMM.mlapp and simulink)
- 2 quadrants -> have a rapid look at the maps.
- 4 quadrants -> Better compatibility with Simulink. But it will take longer!



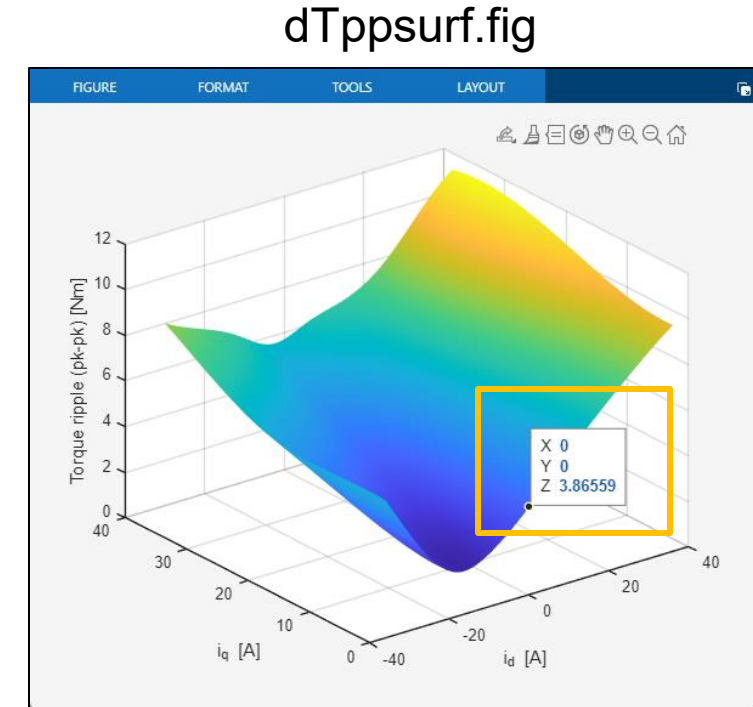
Optimization – problem statement

During the evaluation we can see an interesting output

- High torque ripple! 3.8Nm

To see the plot with colours, use this script:

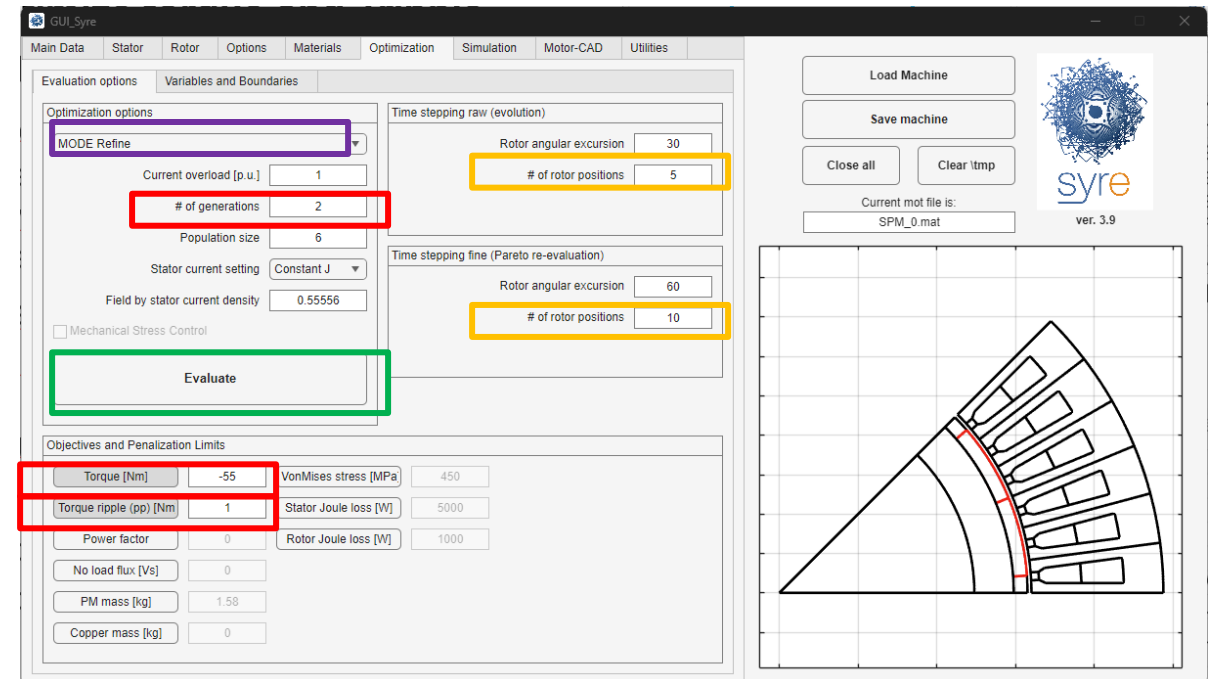
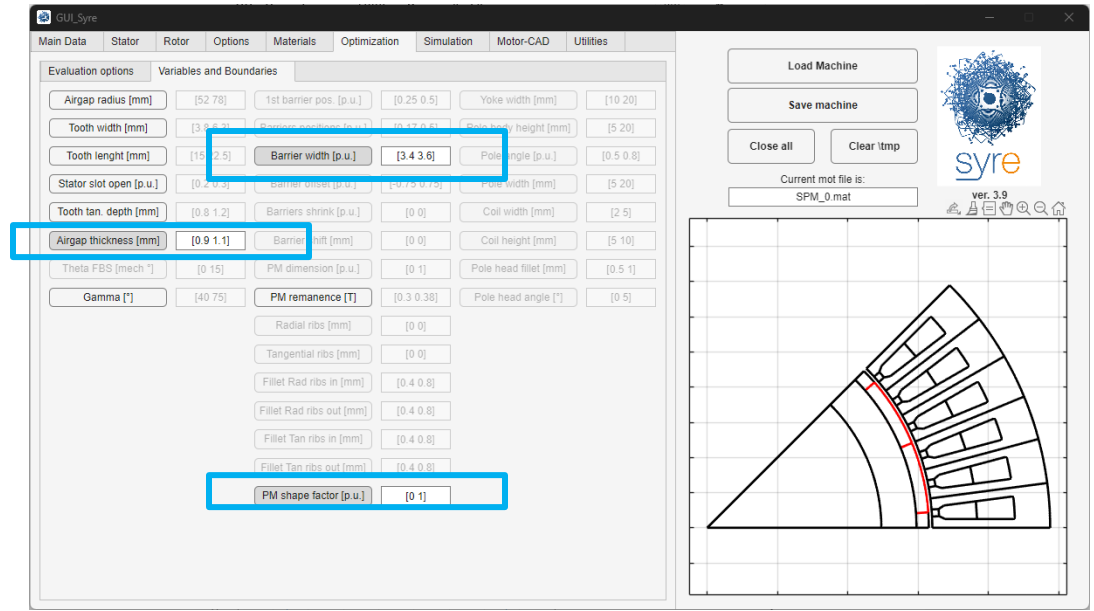
```
surf_objs = findobj(fig, 'Type', 'surface');  
for i = 1:length(surf_objs)  
    set(surf_objs(i), 'EdgeColor', 'none');  
end
```



Optimization – setting

Let's optimize for torque and Tripple

- Select MODE Refine
- Set evaluation numbers
 - # generations=2
(raw) # rorot position = 5
(fine) # rorot position = 10
- Set variables and boundaries
 - Barrier width [3.4 3.6]
 - PM shape factor [0 1]
 - airgap thickness [0.9 1.1]
- Set objectives targets (at least 2)
 - Torque -55 Nm
 - Torque ripple 1 Nm
- Press EVALUATE

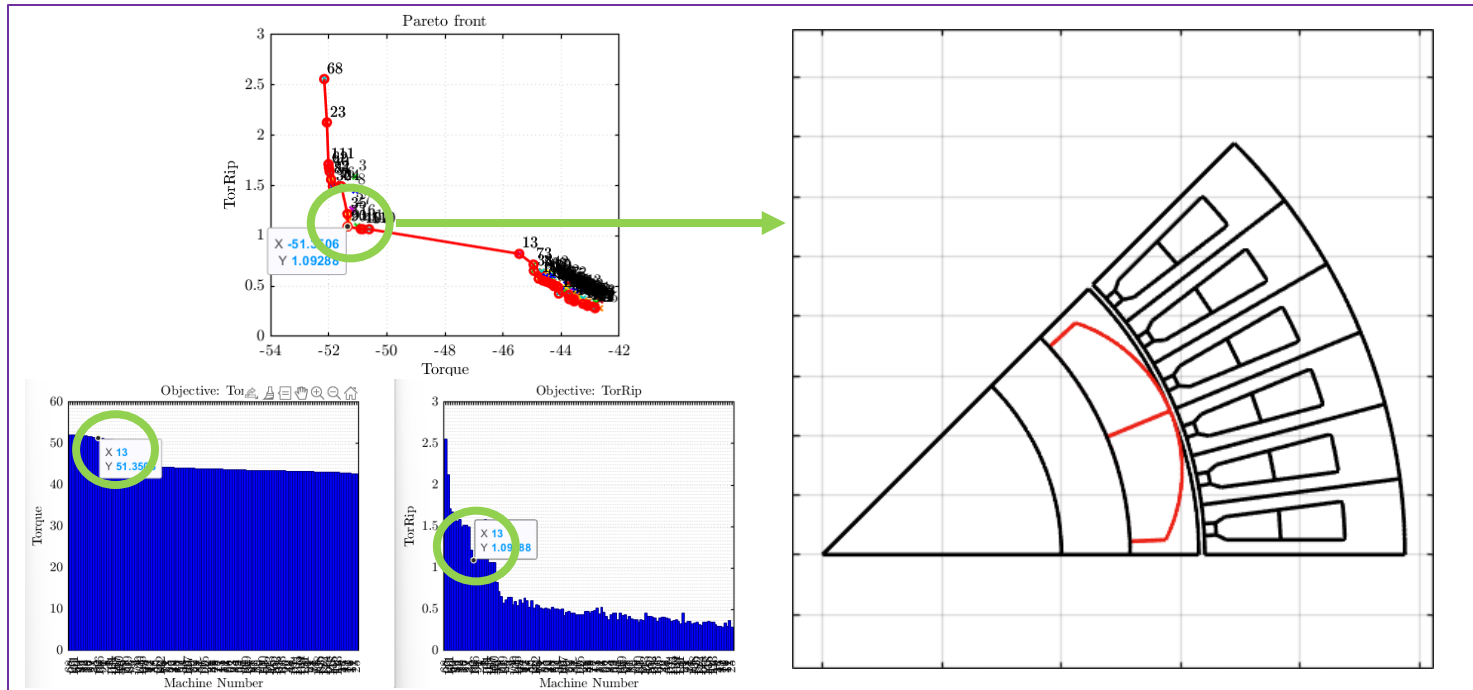


This is just a FAST EXAMPLE

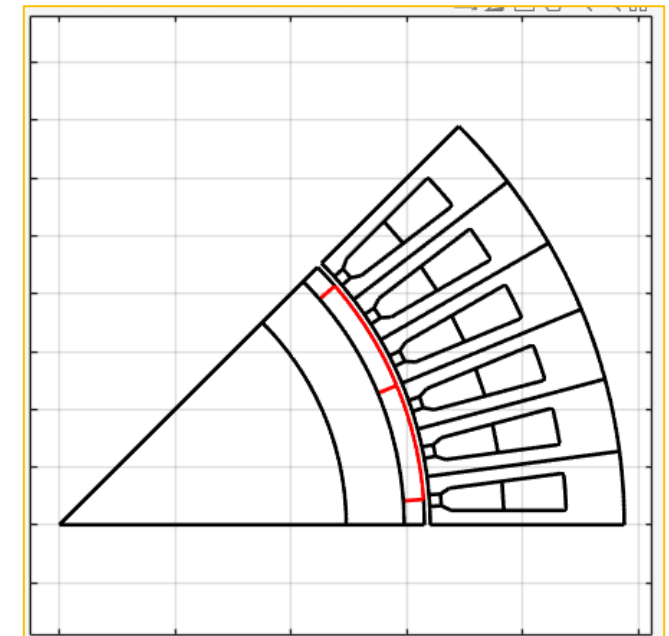
Optimization – results

- Now you can choose your favourite motor # on the pareto front
- The motors are saved in *results/OUT_YYYYMMDD/mot_XX.mat*
 - You can load this motor, evaluate its maps etc...

This is just an example.



Optimized #13



Original

fix #1 – syre to SPM

- You might encounter some problems when loading the motor.
 - Follow these steps:

Unrecognized field name "AngleSpanOfPM".

Error in `back_compatibility` (line 1330)
`dataSet.ALPHAdeg = dataSet.AngleSpanOfPM;`
 ~~~~~

Error in `GUI_Syre/LoadMachinePushButtonPushed` (line 3736)  
`[dataSet,geo,per] = back_compatibility(dataSet,geo,per);`  
 ~~~~~

Error in `appdesigner.internal.service.AppManagementService/executeCallback` (line 13)
`callback(appOrUserComponent, event);`
 ~~~~~

Error in `matlab.apps.AppBase>@(source,event)executeCallback(ams,app,callback,requiresEventData,event)` (line 54)  
`newCallback = @(source, event)executeCallback(ams, ...`  
 ~~~~~

[Explain Error](#)

Error using `appdesservices.internal.interfaces.model.AbstractModel/executeUserCallback` (line 282)
 Error while evaluating Button PrivateButtonPushedFcn.

- Go to `mfiles/back_compatibility.m`
 - Modify from line **1330**

Now it woks



```
dataSet.ALPHAdeg = dataSet.AngleSpanOfPM;
dataSet.ALPHApu = dataSet.AngleSpanOfPM/180;
end
dataSet = rmfield(dataSet,'ThicknessOfPM');
dataSet = rmfield(dataSet,'AngleSpanOfPM');
flagClear = 1;
```

Before

```
if isfield(dataSet,'AngleSpanOfPM')
    dataSet.ALPHAdeg = dataSet.AngleSpanOfPM;
    dataSet.ALPHApu = dataSet.AngleSpanOfPM/180;
    dataSet = rmfield(dataSet,'AngleSpanOfPM');
end
end
dataSet = rmfield(dataSet,'ThicknessOfPM');
flagClear = 1;
```

After

Demagnetization analysis

The maximum current before demagnetization can be approximated with:

$$I_{max,pk} = \frac{2p}{N} \left[\left(L_{mag} + \delta_0 \frac{\mu_d}{\mu_0} \right) k_s H_{ci,\vartheta} - \delta_0 \frac{B_r}{\mu_0} \right]$$

- $I_{max,pk}$: Maximum allowable peak phase current [A].
- p : pole pairs.
- N : active conductors in series per phase.
- L_{mag} : Radial thickness of the permanent magnet [m].
- δ_0 : Equivalent air-gap length (incluso eventuale fattore di Carter) [m].
- μ_d (o μ_{rec}): Recoil permeability of the magnet (typically $\approx 1.05 \cdot \mu_0$ for NdFeB).
- μ_0 : Magnetic permeability of vacuum ($4\pi \times 10^{-7}$ [H/m])
- k_s : Safety margin coefficient (typically 0.8 to 0.9)
- $H_{ci,\vartheta}$: Intrinsic coercive force at the operating temperature ϑ [A/m].
- B_r : Remanence (residual induction) of the magnet at the operating temperature [T].

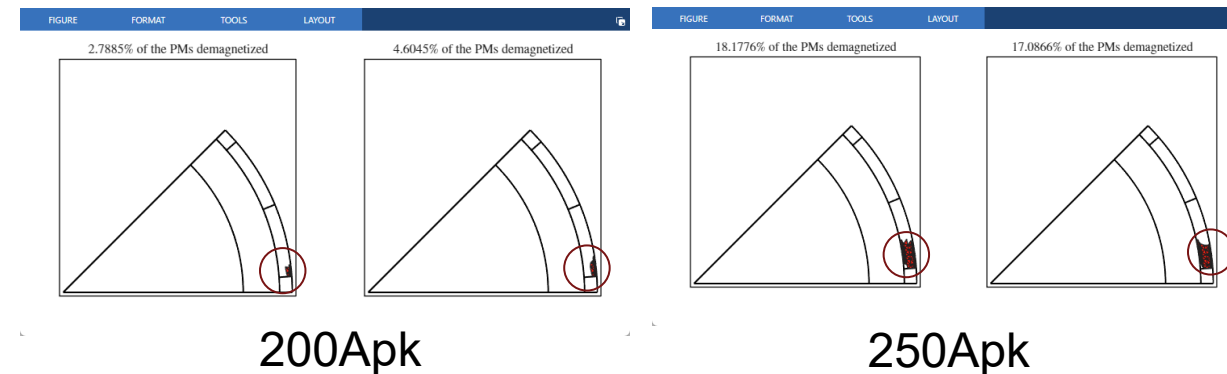
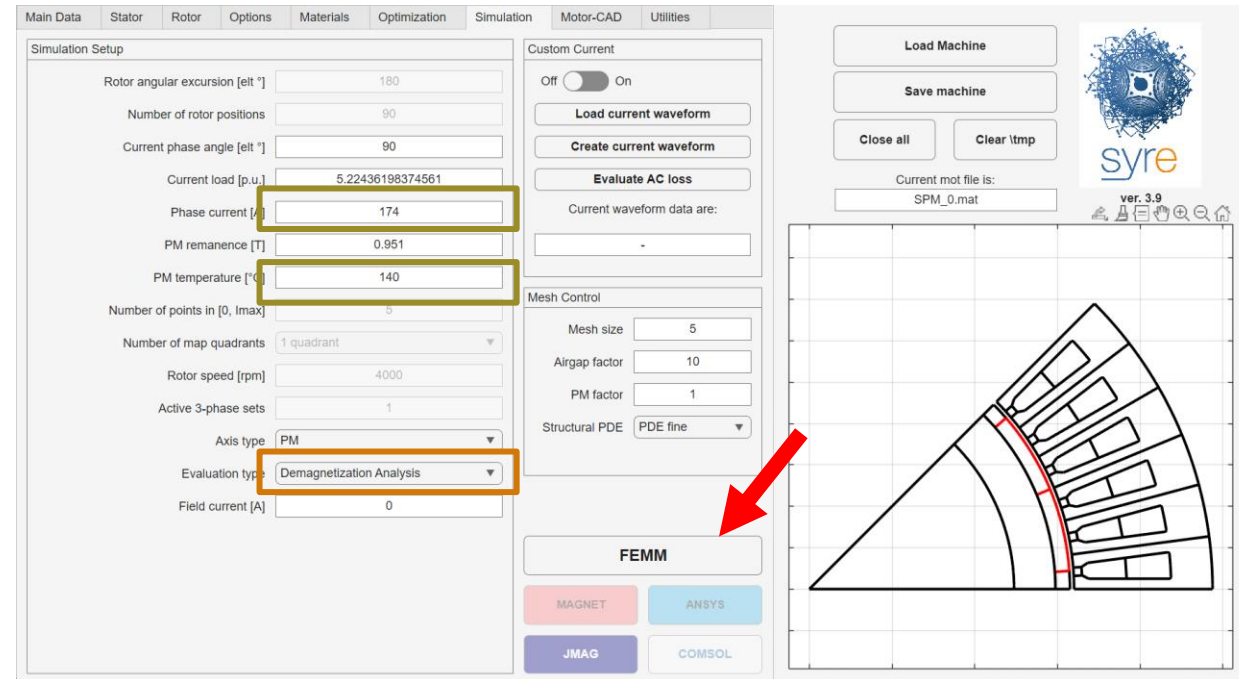
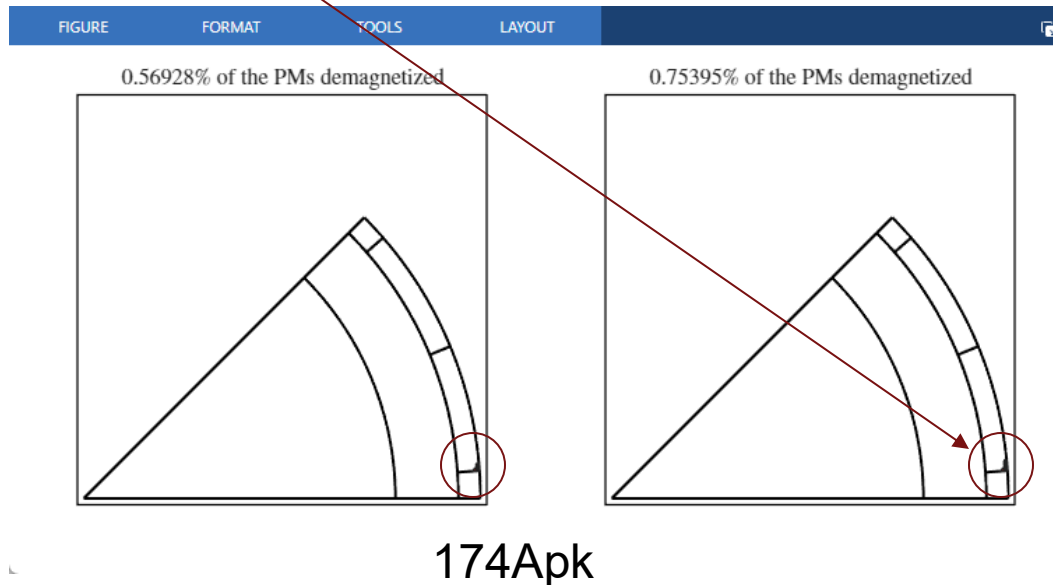
The formula gives the following demagnetisation current for the use case: [151;174] A (@140degC)

Demagnetization analysis – Use case

You can evaluate this also on syre:

1. Select Demagnetization analysis
2. Set PM temperature, phase current
3. Press femm

Results:



GUI_Syre_MMM – Welcome

- **Next tool!** Load maps, evaluate control maps, create simulink model

GUI_Syre_MMM

Main | Scaling & Skewing | Torque-Speed | syreDrive | Waveform | Thermal

Models Loaded

Model	Load	Plot	Save	Print
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> dq Flux Map	Load	Plot	Save	Print
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> dqf Flux Map	Load	Plot	Save	
<input type="checkbox"/> dq Iron Loss Map	Load	Plot	Save	
<input type="checkbox"/> AC Loss Model	Load	Plot	Save	
<input type="checkbox"/> Demagnetization Limit	Load	Plot	Save	

Control Trajectories

☒ Control Trajectories Load Plot Save Print

Method: LUT Evaluate

Inductance and Anisotropy Maps

Map	Eval	Plot	Save
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Inc. Inductance Map	Eval	Plot	Save
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> App. Inductance Map	Eval	Plot	Save

Inverse Model

Model	Eval	Plot	Save
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Inverse dq Flux Map	Eval	Plot	Save
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Inverse dqf Flux Map	Eval	Plot	Save

SyR-e Magnetic Model Manipulation

Load Save to WorkSpace

New Save As Close all

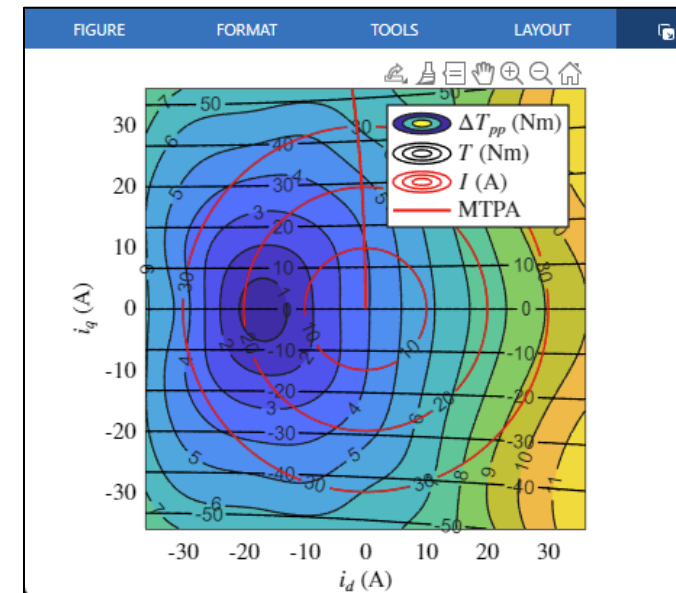
Motor Ratings

Motor name	SPM_0		
Pathname	C:\Users\vmrjac\OneDrive - Alma Mater Studiorum Universi		
Motor type	PM	Axis type	PM
Rated power [W]	15998.2486	Rated torque [Nm]	48.2184
Rated speed [rpm]	3168.3315	Maximum speed [rpm]	5000
Rated current [Apk]	33.31	Max current [Apk]	36.06
DC link voltage [V]	565	Phase resistance [Ohm]	0.18625
PM temperature	25	Winding temperature	120
Stack length [mm]	100	End winding length [mm]	106.4939
Turns in series per phase	80	Number of 3phase sets	1
Inertia [kg m^2]	0.0067566		

Syre_MMM – Main

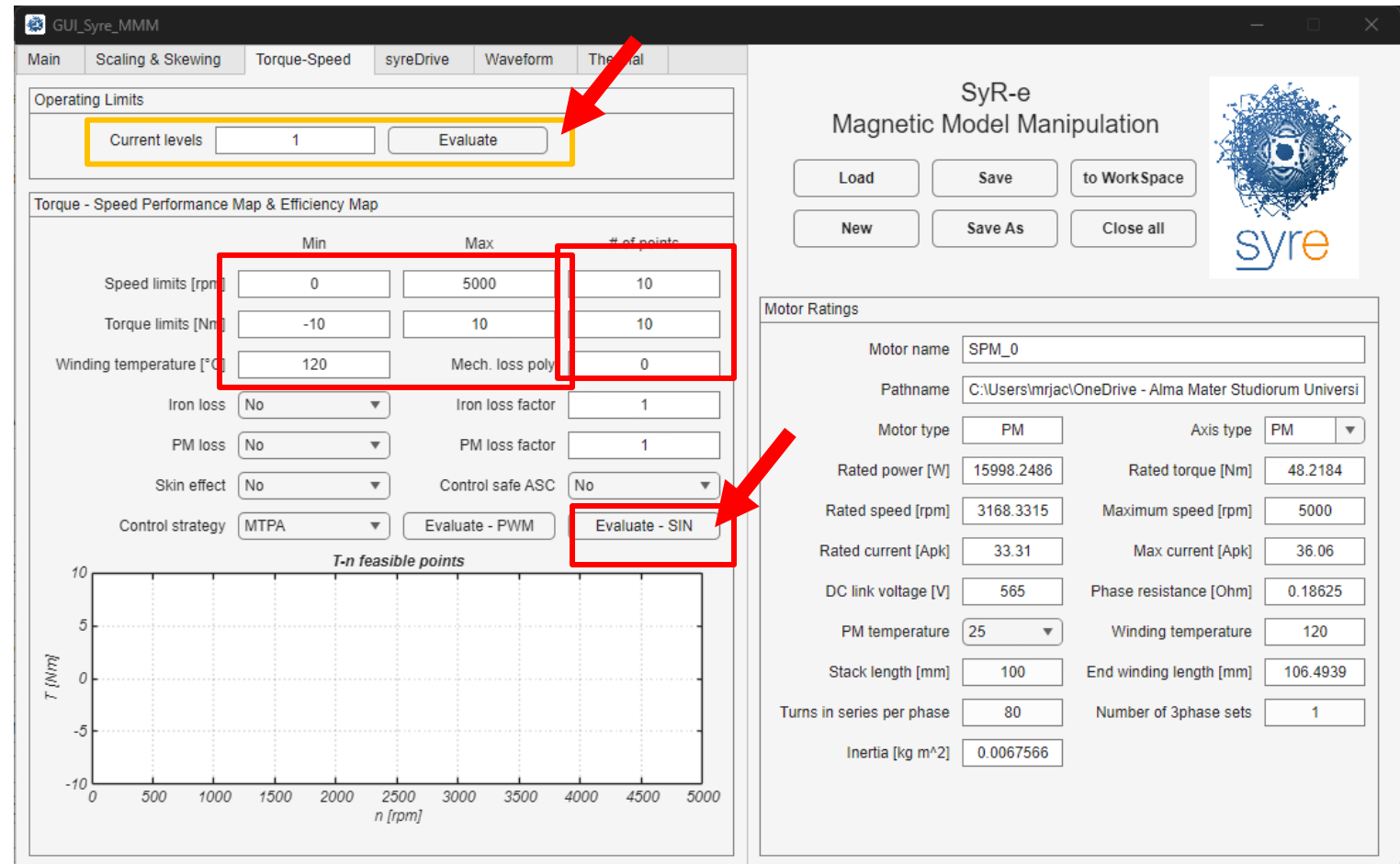
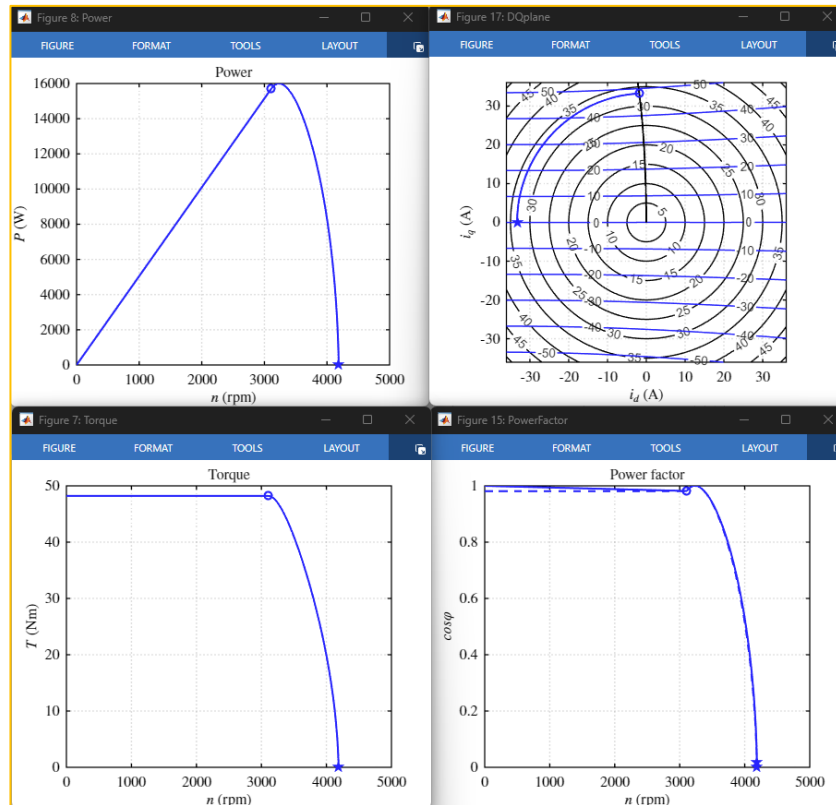
Load everything you have done from syre to syre_MMM

1. Load Motor
2. Load maps
 1. dq flux map
MOTORXX_results/FEA results/F_map_YYAYxWWAW_ZZdeg_4Q/fdfq_idiq_nXXX.mat
 2. Control Trajectories
"Evaluate" (it will take some minutes)
 3. Inc. Inductance Map / App. Inductance Map
"Evaluate"
 4. Inerse dq Flux Map
"Evaluate"
3. Save it! (do it for all the maps)



Syre_MMM – Torque-Speed

Let's evaluate the torque-speed maps & op. limits



Syre_MMM – syreDrive

- Create simulink model (CCG or whatever you prefer)

GUI_Syre_MMM

Main | Scaling & Skewing | Torque-Speed | syreDrive | Waveform | Thermal

Model Setup

Model type: Average
Motor model: Controlled Current Generators (CCG)
Flux maps model: dq Model
Control type: Torque control
Control strategy: FOC
Iron Loss Model: No
AC Loss Model: No

Create Simulink Model
RUN Simulink Model
Create PLECS Model

Converter data

PWM frequency [Hz]: 10000
ON threshold [V]: 0
Internal resistance [Ohm]: 0.0001
Dead time [us]: 1

Sensorless control

Enable SS control: Off ☐ On ☒
Low speed region (HF voltage injection)
Injected signal: Sinusoidal
Demodulation: Current
High speed region
Position error est.: APP

SyR-e Magnetic Model Manipulation

Load Save to WorkSpace
New Save As Close all

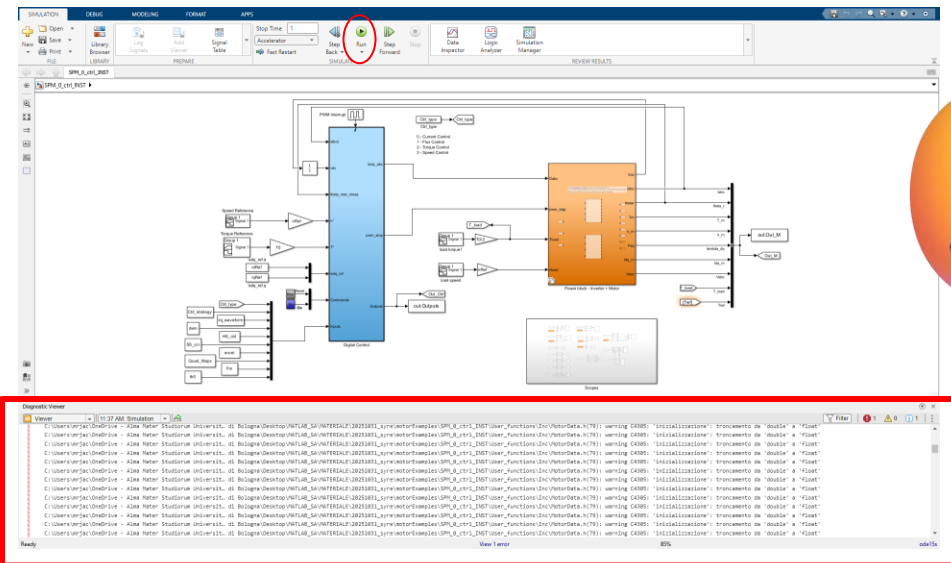
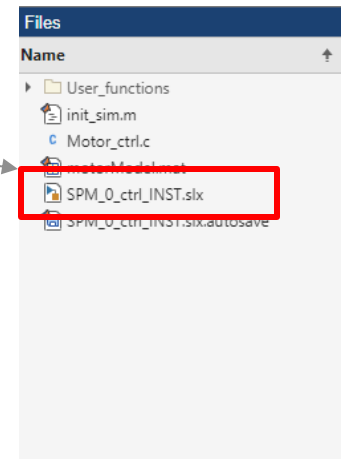
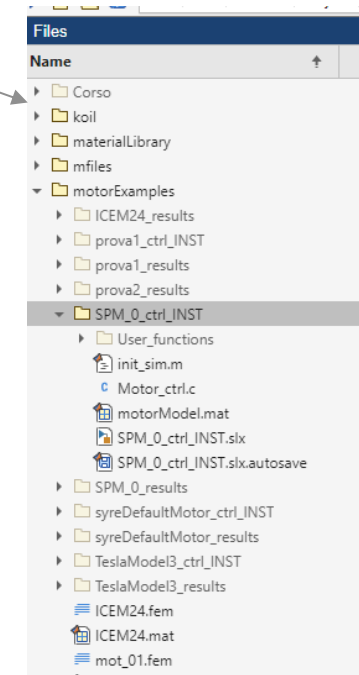
Motor Ratings

Motor name: SPM_0
Pathname: C:\Users\mrjac\OneDrive - Alma Mater Studiorum Universi
Motor type: PM Axis type: PM
Rated power [W]: 15998.2486 Rated torque [Nm]: 48.2184
Rated speed [rpm]: 3168.3315 Maximum speed [rpm]: 5000
Rated current [Apk]: 33.31 Max current [Apk]: 36.06
DC link voltage [V]: 565 Phase resistance [Ohm]: 0.18625
PM temperature: 25 Winding temperature: 120
Stack length [mm]: 100 End winding length [mm]: 106.4939
Turns in series per phase: 80 Number of 3phase sets: 1
Inertia [kg m^2]: 0.0067566

Simulink model - Initialization

Let's play with Simulink!

- Open the simulation path on matlab
 - Double click on the folder containing the model
`\motorExamples\MOT_XX_ctrl_INST\`
- Open the Simulink model: *MOT_XX_ctrl_INST.slx*
- Run the simulation in simulink
 - ERROR! Let's fix it!



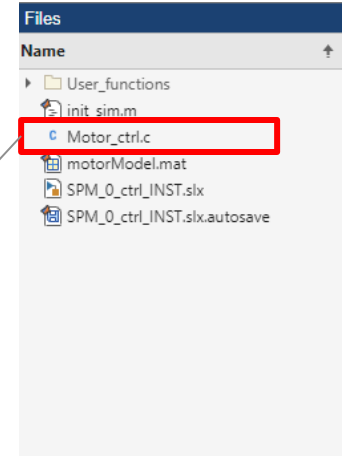
Fix #2 – control algorithm in C for Simulink

- Open Motor_ctrl.c
 - Line 562
Add “float delta_MTPV_max=90;”
 - Save

Now it woks

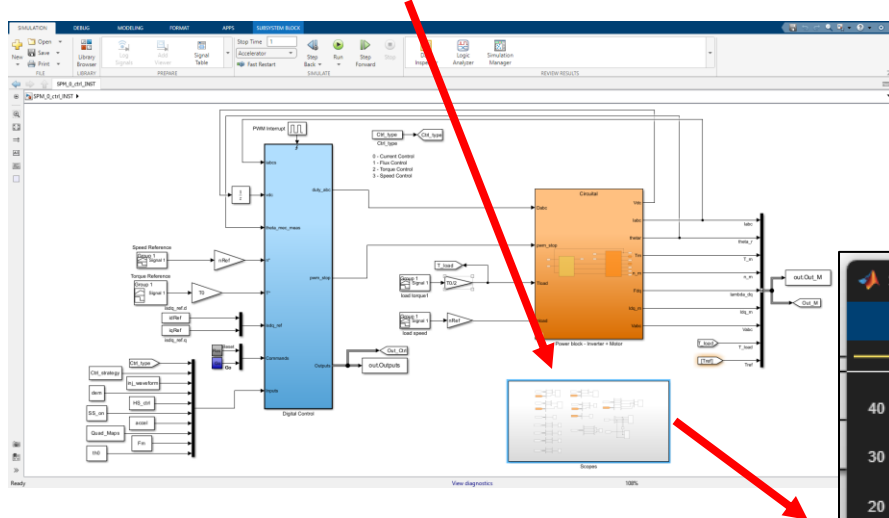


```
C:\Users\mrjac\OneDrive - Alma Mater Studiorum Università di Bologna\Desktop\MATLAB_SA\MATERIALE\20251031_sy
556
557
558      //-----Delta Regulator-----//
559
560      delta_par.kp = OMEGA_DELTA*lambda_ref/iqs_par.kp;
561      delta_par.ki = delta_par.kp*OMEGA_DELTA*Ts;
562      float delta_MTPV_max=90;
563      if(Quad_Maps==0 || Quad_Maps==2){
564          delta_var.ref = delta_MTPV_max;
565          delta_var.fbk = fabs(delta)*180/PI;
566      }
567      if(Quad_Maps==1){
568          if(T_ref>0){
569              delta_var.ref = delta_MTPV_max;
570              delta_var.fbk = delta*180/PI;
571          }
572          else{
```

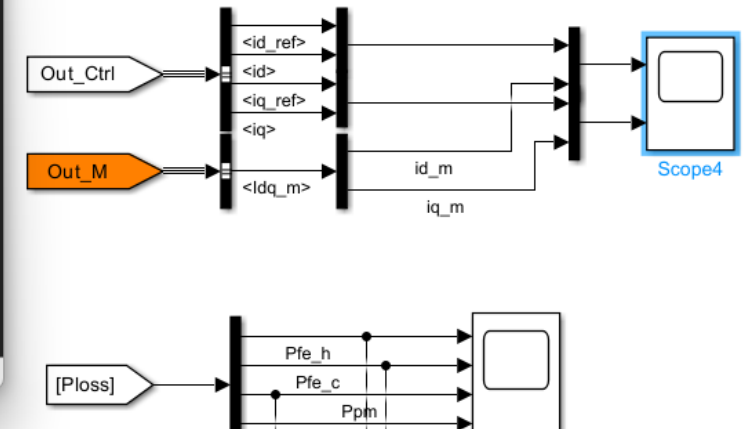
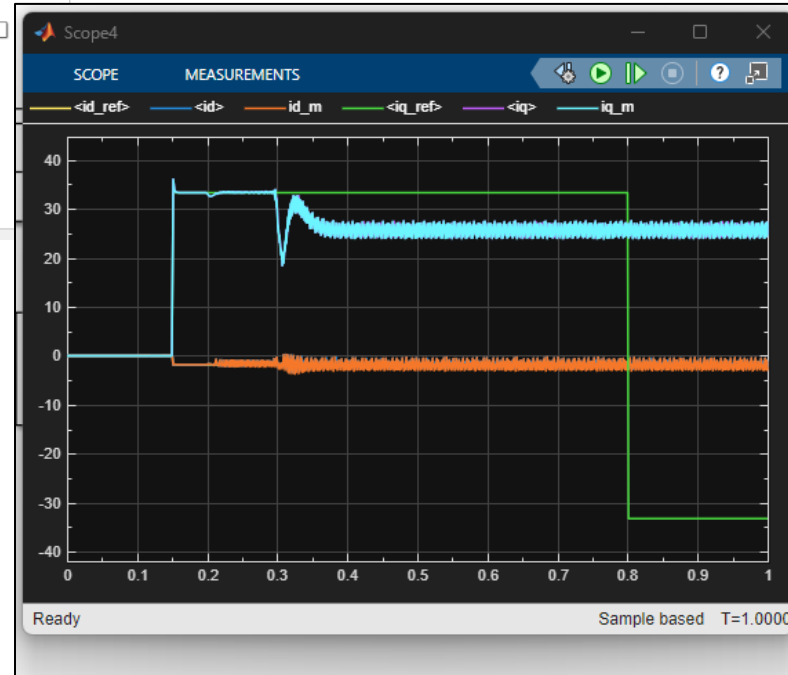


Simulink model – Results #1

- Investigate the "scopes" section

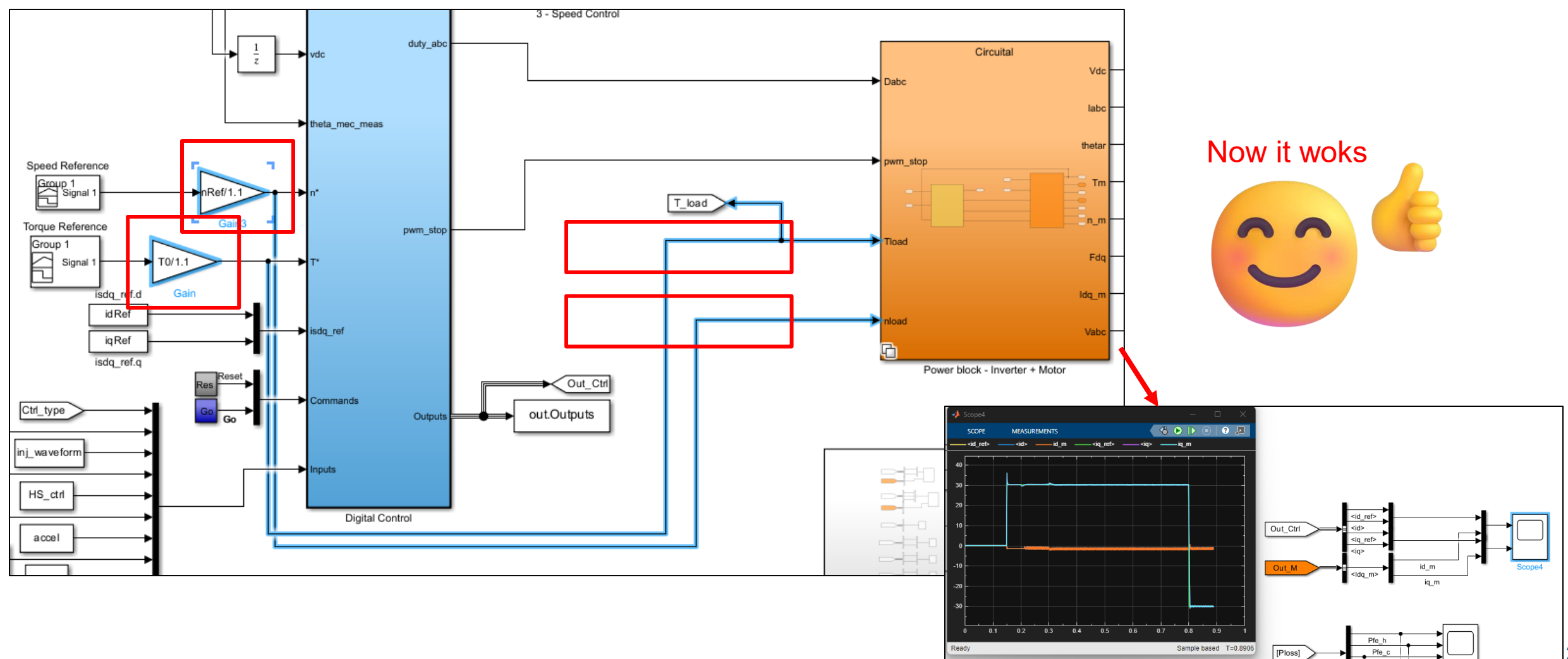


What is that??
Not very nice...



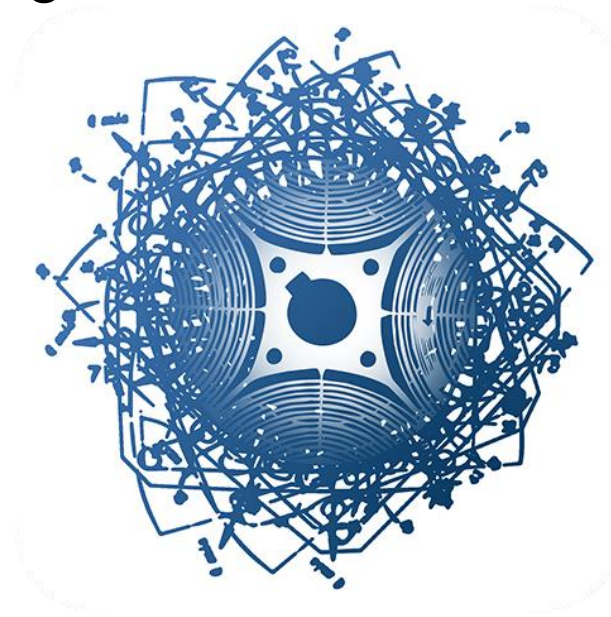
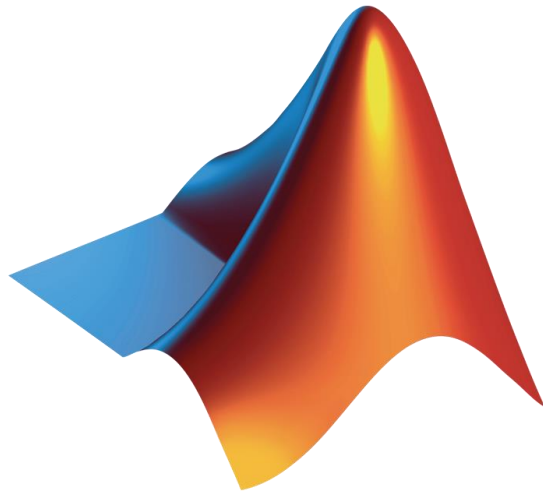
Simulink model – Results #2

- Reduce a bit nRef and T0, and short circuit their output to the power block



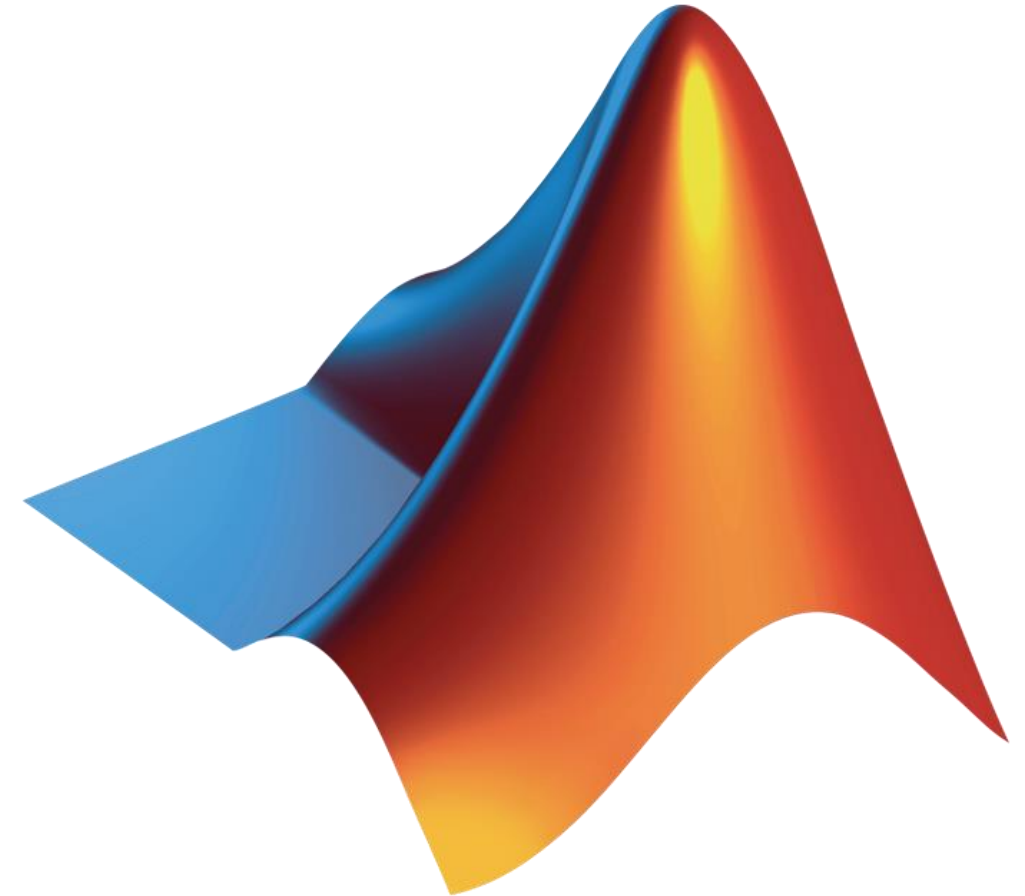
Main takeaways

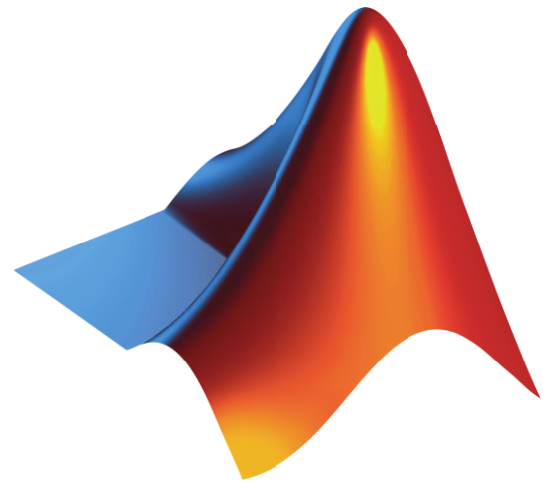
- Evaluation of a motor, knowing its geometry, materials, loads...
- Geometry optimization.
- MTPA/MTPV Map creation.
- Model for simulation in simulink/simscape.
- Export models to your favourite motor design/CAD software



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