

PESGM 2020 wind SSO panel session ***Advanced Modelling and Education***

Research and education on wind turbine dynamic modeling

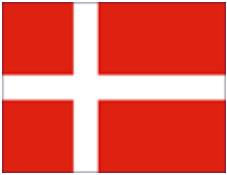
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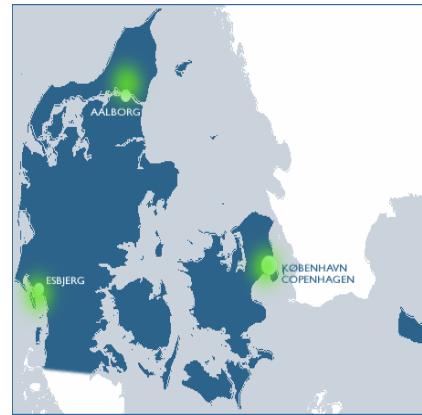


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- ⦿ Humanities

- ⦿ Engineering and Science

- ⦿ Medicine

- ⦿ Social Sciences

- ⦿ IT and Design

AALBORG

- approx. 19,800 students and approx. 3,300 employees

KØBENHAVN

- approx. 3,050 students and approx. 340 employees

ESBJERG

- approx. 500 students and approx. 90 employees



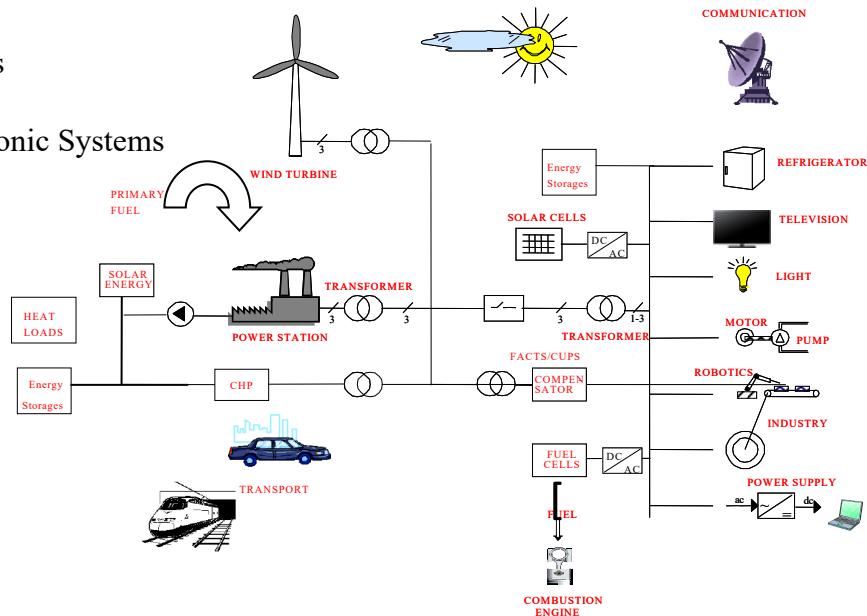
Department of Energy Technology

DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY TECHNOLOGY
AALBORG UNIVERSITY

Sections:

- Electric Power Systems
- Power Electronic Systems
- Electrical Machines,
- Fluid Power and Mechatronic Systems
- Thermofluids
- Thermal Energy Systems

Keywords:
Energy Production,
Energy Distribution,
Energy Consumption,
Energy Control



Research Programs

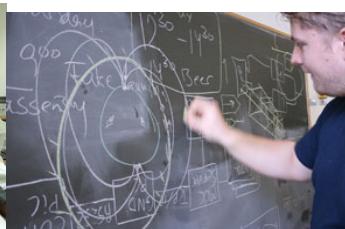
- Wind Power Systems
- Efficient, Intelligent and Reliable Fluid Power Technology
- Offshore Energy Systems
- Advanced Biofuels
- Biogas and Biorefining
- Electro-fuels
- Photovoltaic Systems
- Modern Power Transmission Systems
- Intelligent Energy Systems & Active Networks
- Microgrids
- E-mobility and Industrial Drives
- Fuel Cell Systems
- Battery Storage Systems
- Efficient and Reliable Power Electronics
- Low Power Energy Harvesting and I-solutions
- Multiphase Flows and Heat Transfer
- Electronic Power Grid (Egrid)
- Heating and Cooling

The Unique Study at Aalborg University

“The Aalborg Model for Problem Based Learning (PBL)”

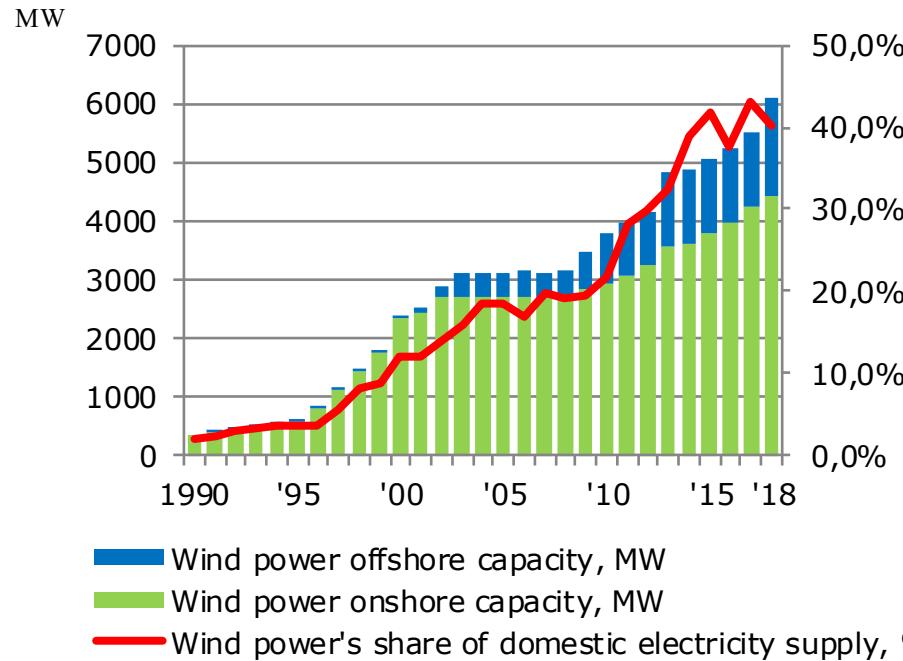
<https://www.en.aau.dk/education/problem-based-learning/>

- Acquire knowledge and skills independently at a high academic level
- Work analytically with interdisciplinary and problem and result oriented methods
- Cooperate with the business community for the solution of professional problems
- Develop the abilities within teamwork
- Be well prepared for the labour market



Wind power capacity and wind power's share of domestic electricity supply

In 2019, 46.9% of the Danish electricity consumption was covered by wind energy, up from 40.7% in the previous year, which had seen lower wind, and 43.4% in 2017.



Source: [Danish Energy Agency](#)

MSc program: Wind Power Systems

The specialisation in ***Wind Power***

Systems focuses on the electrical aspects of wind power systems, covering knowledge of areas such as generators, power electronics, control engineering and power system technology related to wind power applications.



<https://www.en.aau.dk/education/master/energy-engineering/specialisations/wind-power-systems>

MSc program Wind Power System – Case I

2nd Semester

Courses

- Advanced Course in Electrical Power Systems (5 ECTS)
- Advanced Power Electronics and Applications (5 ECTS)
- Optimisation Theory and Reliability (5 ECTS)

Examples of Project Topics (15 ECTS)

- Grid connection of large off-shore wind power plants
- Operation of wind turbines in isolated power systems
- Power quality of grid connected wind turbines.



MSc program Wind Power System – Case II

4th Semester

Master's thesis (30 ECTS)

Examples of Thesis Topics

- Design of power electronic grid interface system for large scale wind turbines
- Optimisation of an energy conversion system in a power system with large scale wind energy
- Performance of the synchronous generator as wind generator
- Assessment of the reliability of wind power systems.



Ph.D Course

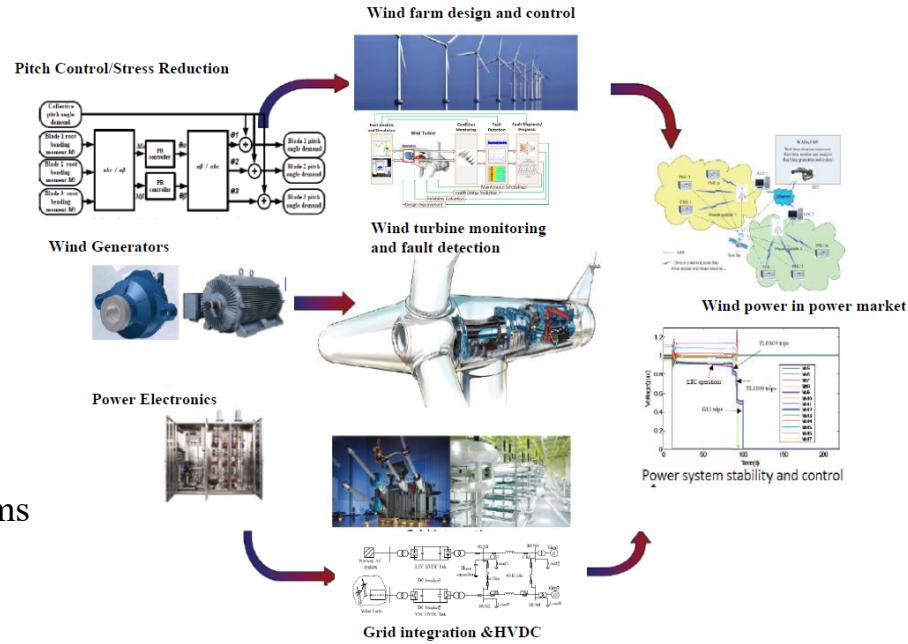
The aim of *Ph.D Courses* is to train the Ph.D students from universities and engineers from companies in the field of wind power system.

Industrial Ph.D Courses in the field of wind power system

- Introduction to Wind Power Systems (Generation and Integration)
- Introduction to Voltage Stability of Electric Power Systems
- Stability of modern power systems with high penetration of renewable energy

Research program: Wind Power Systems

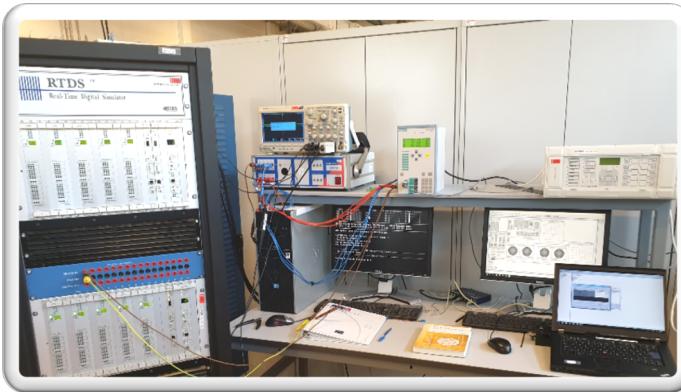
- Pitch Control/Stress Reduction
- Optimal Design of Generators
- Power Electronics Interface
- Wind Turbine Control
- Wind Farm Design and Control
- Wind Turbine Monitoring and Fault Detection
- Wind Power Integration and Interaction with Grid
- Stability of Power System Large Scale Wind Farms
- Economics and Power Market of Wind Power



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Laboratory for research and education

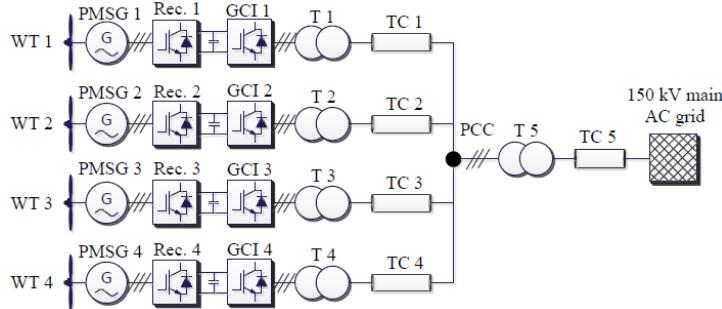
- DFIG-based Wind Turbine test systems
- Real Time Digital Simulator (RTDS)
- dSPACE Real Time Controller
- PLECS RT Box-based Real Time Simulator
- California Instrument (Grid simulator)
- Phasor Measurement Unit (PMU)
- LabVIEW Real Time Operation systems
- DC Wind Power Network Test system
- Modular Multi-level Converters for Wind Power Systems
- Microgrid Test Platform
- Solid-State Transformer Test Platform



Many research/industrial projects with various focuses and relevant models developed and tools used

- Innovative Wind Conversion Systems (10-20MW) For Offshore Applications (EU-FP7-INNWIND)
- Comparison of Different Generator Configurations (EU-FP6-UPWIND)
- North Sea Region Programme POWER CLUSTER (EU-Project)
- Norwegian Centre for Offshore Wind Energy (International Project)
- Research on DC Network Connection with a Novel Wind Power Generator System (International Project)
- Dynamic wind turbine model - from wind to grid (International Project)
- Development of a Secure, Economic and Environmentally-friendly Modern Power System (National Project)
- Operation of power systems with large scale of wind power and energy storage systems (National Project)
- Modelling and Simulation of Wind Power & VSC-HVDC and Its Application in Offshore Wind Power Integration (International Project)
- Research on Modelling and Simulation Technology for Large-Scale Wind Turbine (International Project)

Effect of reactive power characteristic of offshore wind power plant on low-frequency stability

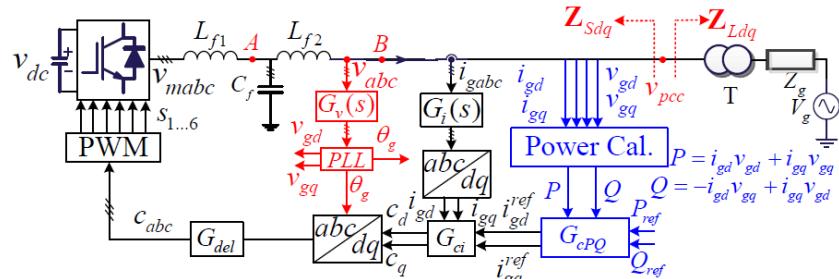


Typical configuration of an HVAC connected offshore wind power plant

Impacts of
 Active Power Injection
 Reactive Power Injection
 Number of Paralleled Grid-Connected Inverters

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Effect of Active and Reactive Power on q-axis Impedance



Control structure of grid-side converters of PMSGs.

$$Z_{qq}^{PCL} = -\frac{\Gamma_1 + \Gamma_2 P^{ref} + \Gamma_3 Q^{ref}}{A}$$

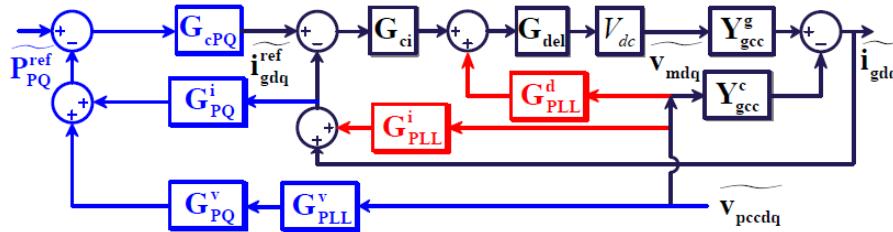
where Γ_1 , Γ_2 and Γ_3 are shown as follows.

$$\Gamma_1 = L_f s + \frac{G_{del} G_{ci} (1 + G_{cPQ} V_{PCC,d}^s)}{2} = \Gamma_{1_1}s + \Gamma_{1_2}$$

$$\Gamma_2 = \frac{G_{ci} G_{cPQ} G_{del} L_f s}{V_{PCC,d}^s} + \dots$$

$$\frac{G_{ci}^2 G_{cPQ} G_{del}^2 V_{dc} (1 + G_{cPQ} V_{PCC,d}^s)}{2 V_{PCC,d}^s} = \Gamma_{2_1}s + \Gamma_{2_2}$$

$$\Gamma_3 = \frac{G_{ci} G_{cPQ} G_{del} \omega_1 L_f}{V_{PCC,d}^s}$$



Control block diagram of GCI with power control loop, current control loop and PLL

Then, phase angle of Z_{qq}^{PCL} at specific angular frequency ω_0 can be derived as follows.

$$\angle Z_{qq}^{PCL}|_{s=j\omega_0} = -180^\circ + \arctan \frac{(\Gamma_{1_1} + \Gamma_{2_1} P^{ref})\omega_0}{\Gamma_{1_2} + \Gamma_{2_2} P^{ref} + \Gamma_3 Q^{ref}}$$

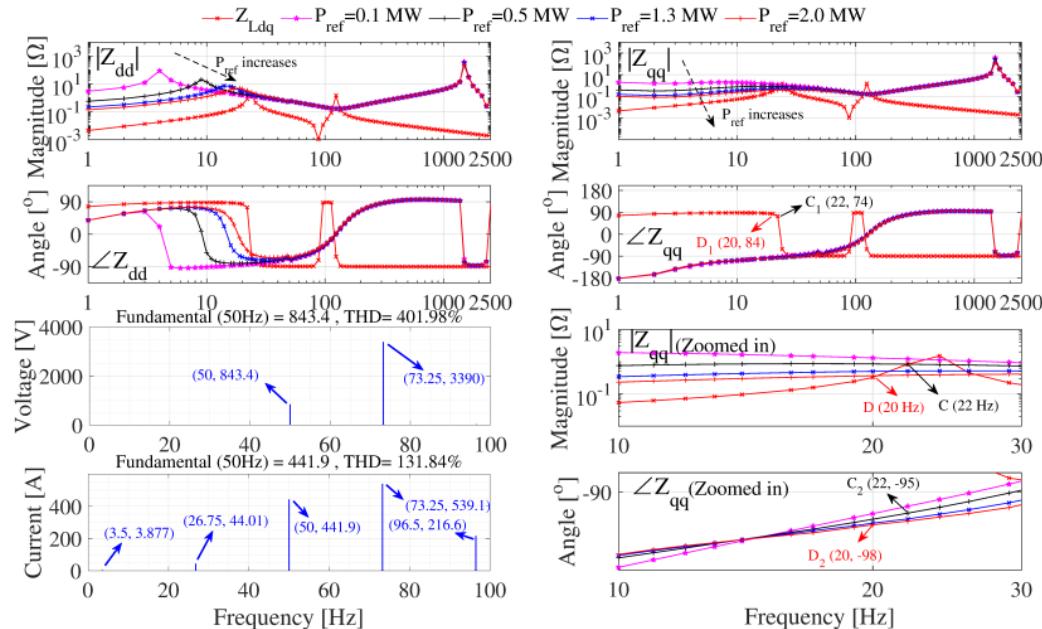
Therefor, to guarantee the passivity of q-axis impedance component, i.e.,

$$\angle Z_{qq}^{PCL} \in (-90^\circ, -0^\circ) \Leftrightarrow \Gamma_{1_2} + \Gamma_{2_2} P^{ref} - \Gamma_3 |Q^{ref}| < 0$$

$$|Q^{ref}| > |Q_{min}| = \frac{\Gamma_{1_2} + \Gamma_{2_2} P_{ref}}{\Gamma_3}, \quad \text{or} \quad P^{ref} < P_{max} = \frac{-\Gamma_{1_2} + \Gamma_3 |Q_{ref}|}{\Gamma_{2_2}}$$

Impact of Active Power Injection

$Q_{ref}=0$ and different P_{ref} :



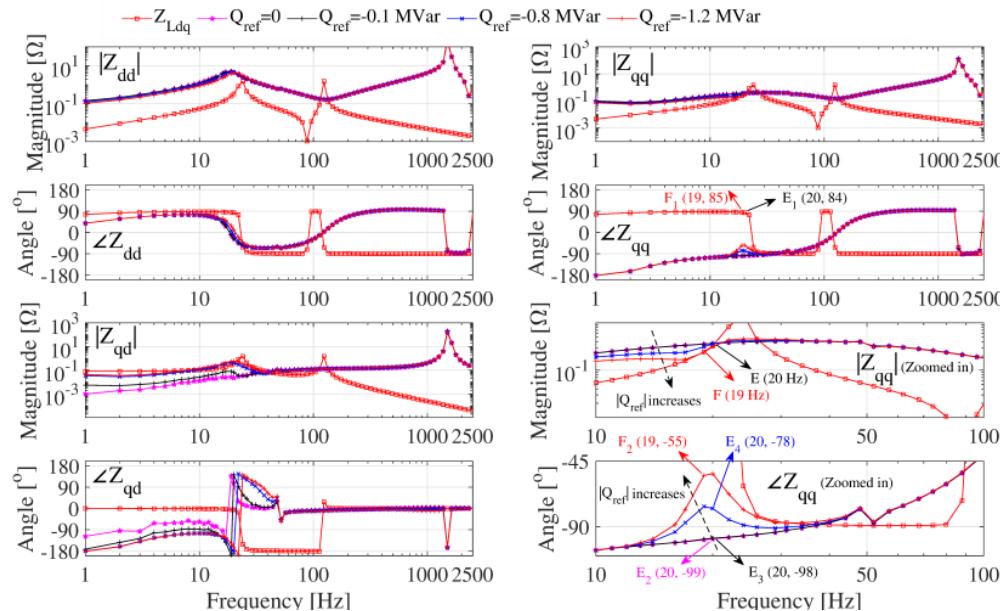
Impedance-based stability analysis of GCI 1 connected with 19 km transmission cable with different P_{ref} .

Time-domain simulation results of GCI 1 connected with 19 km transmission cable with different P_{ref} .

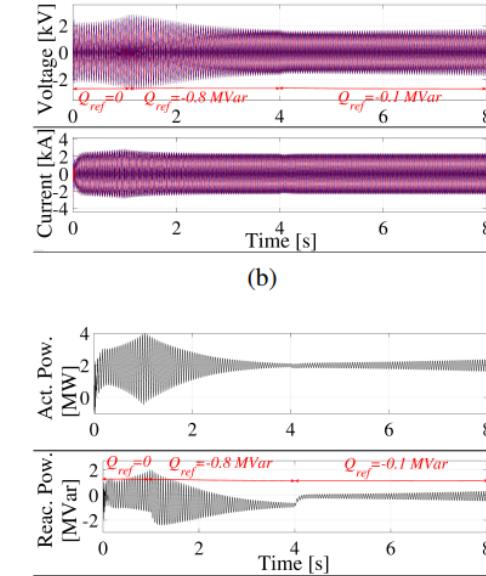
High P_{ref} increases the possibility of SSO.

Impact of Reactive Power Injection

$P_{ref}=2$ MW and different Q_{ref} :



Impedance-based stability analysis of GCI 1 connected with 19 km transmission cable with $P_{ref}=2$ MW and different Q_{ref} .

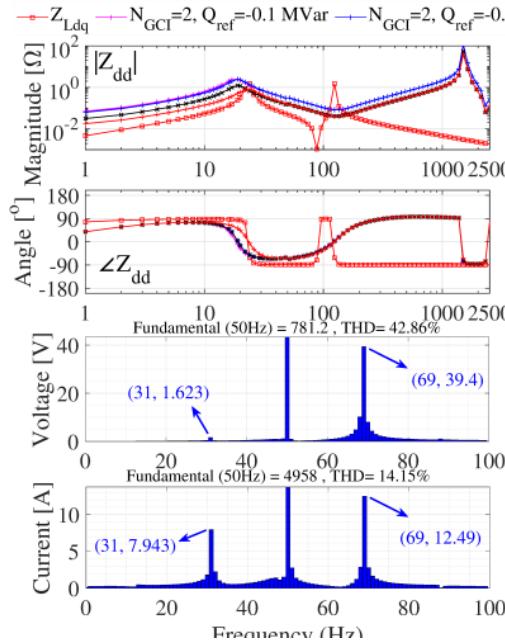


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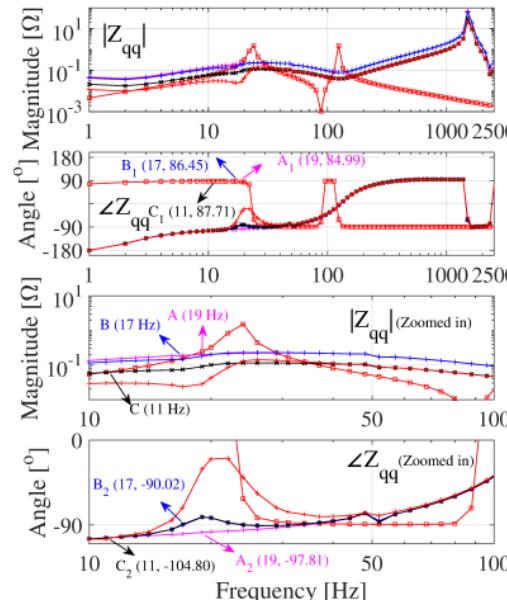
Reactive power may be adjusted to stabilize the low frequency oscillation.

Impact of Number of Paralleled Grid-Connected Inverters

$P_{ref}=2$ MW and different number of paralleled GCIs:



Impedance-based stability analysis of the whole OWPP.



Time-domain simulation results of the whole OWPP.

More converters tends to make system unstable, and more reactive power may help to stabilize the system

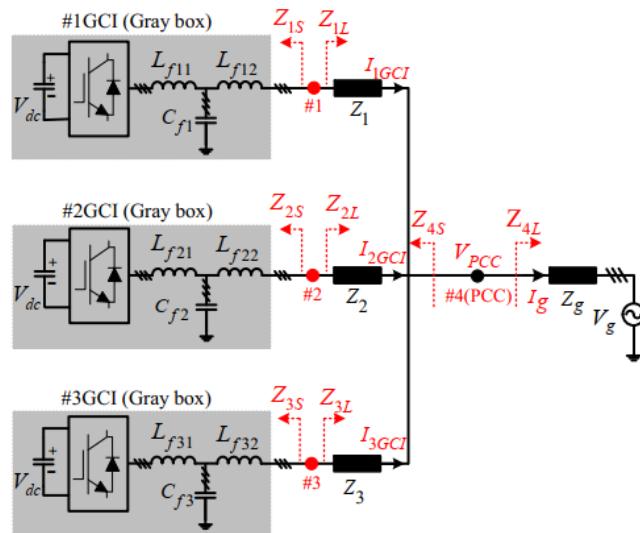
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Result Summary

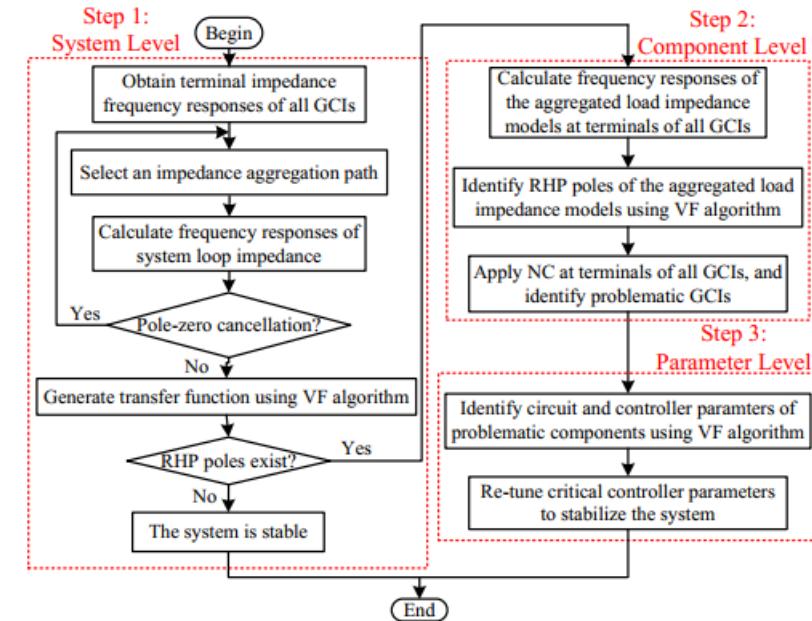
- A power electronic system may become unstable in low-frequency range if active power reference is increased or converter number is increased.
- The reactive power control may help to stabilized the system.

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A Gray-Box Hierarchical Oscillatory Instability Source Identification Method of Multiple-Inverter-Fed Power Systems



Circuit configuration of the multi-paralleled converter system.

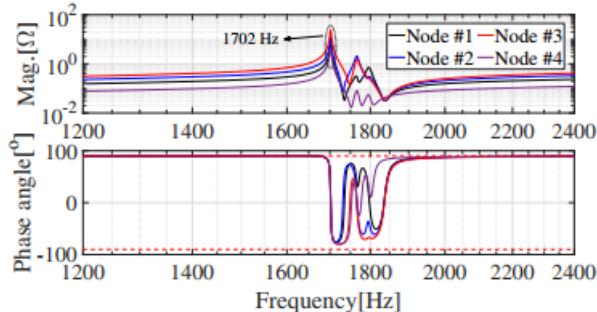


Flowchart of the gray box-based hierarchical three-level harmonic instability source identification method.

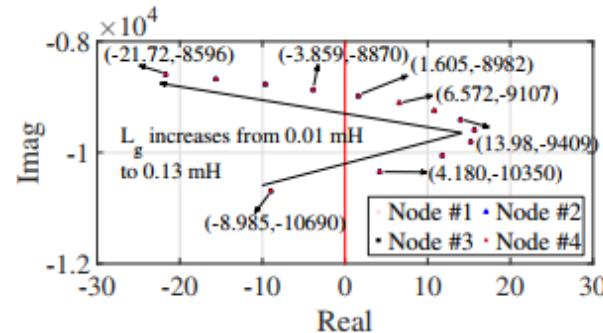
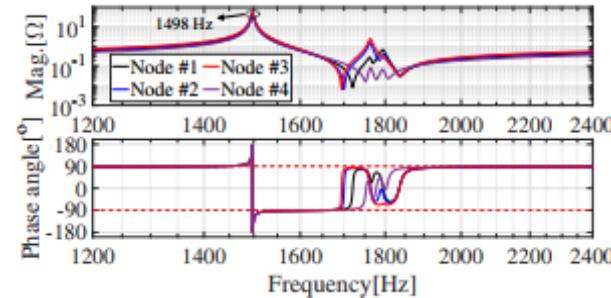
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A Gray-Box Hierarchical Oscillatory Instability Source Identification Method

Stable cases ($l(Zg)$ is 1 km): Step 1



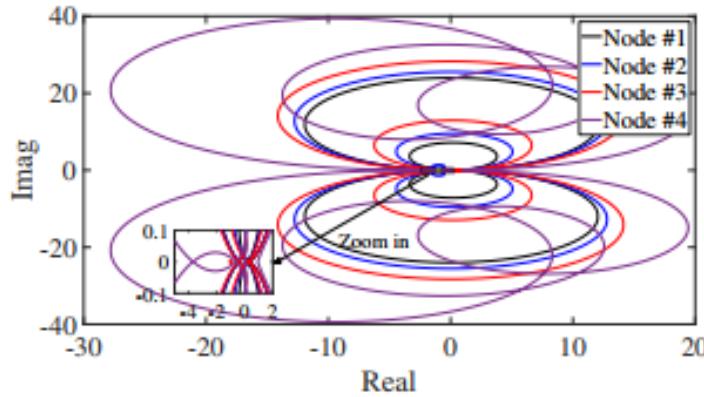
Unstable cases ($l(Zg)$ is 6 km): Step 1



It can be seen that the resonance frequencies 1702 Hz and 1498 Hz are accurately identified using VF algorithm, where $10690=(2\pi)=1701$ Hz and $9409=(2\pi)=1498$ Hz.

A Gray-Box Hierarchical Oscillatory Instability Source Identification Method

Unstable cases ($l(Z_g)$ is 6 km): Step 2



Nyquist plots of the impedance ratios $\frac{Z_{iL}}{Z_{iS}}$ ($i \in [1, 4]$) when $l(Z_g) = 6$ km.

It can be seen that node #3 is weakest, because the Nyquist plot at node #3 is closest to $(-1, j0)$ among nodes #1, #2, and #3.

Unstable cases ($l(Zg)$ is 6 km): Step 3

To confirm the situation, different parameters of the three capacitor-current feedback active damping coefficients may be adopted. $K_{cp1}=\{0.6, 0.6, 0.6\}$, $K_{cp2}=\{0.6, 0.6, 0.85\}$, and $K_{cp3}=\{0.85, 0.6, 0.6\}$.

$I(Z_g) = 6 \text{ km}$		
K_{cp1}	$13.98 \pm j9409$	-1720
K_{cp2}	$-1.643 \pm j9505$	-1730
K_{cp3}	$1.222 \pm j9486$	-1728

It can be seen that if the capacitor-current-feedback active damping coefficient of the #3 converter is re-tuned, the critical zeros moved from RHP to LHP.

A Gray-Box Hierarchical Oscillatory Instability Source Identification Method of Multiple-Inverter-Fed Power Systems

Result Summary

- The method of stability assessment at system, component and parameter levels is presented.
- The proposed method integrates the conventional eigenvalues based and impedance-based stability analysis methods by extracting eigenvalues from the impedance frequency responses.

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Summary

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