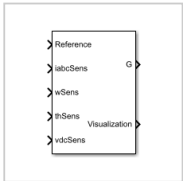


# PMSM Field-Oriented Control

Permanent magnet synchronous machine field-oriented control

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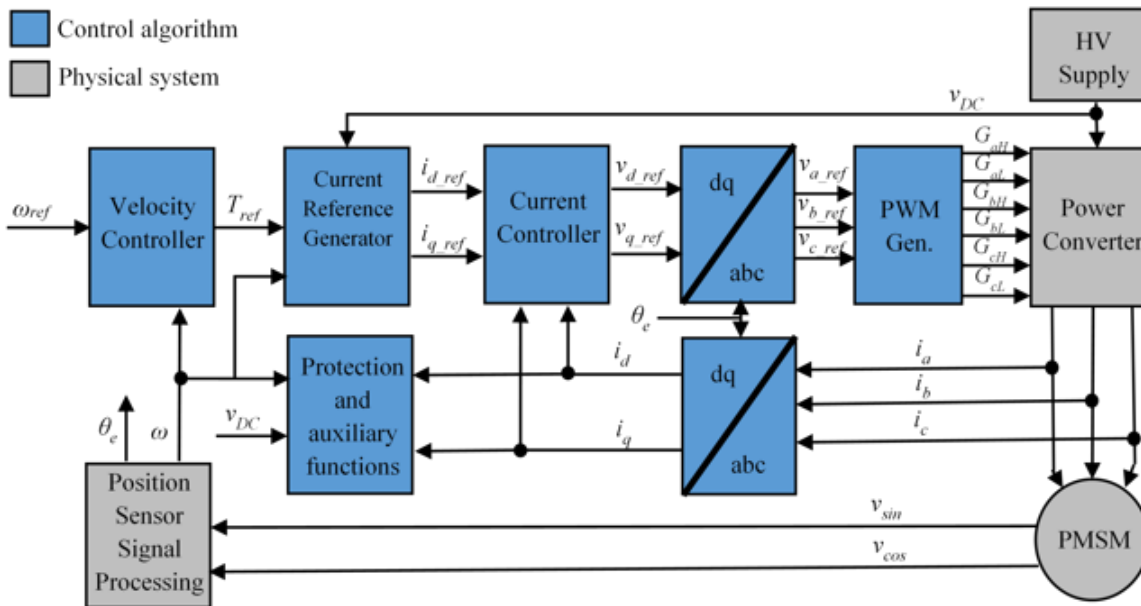
## Description

The PMSM Field-Oriented Control block implements a field-oriented control structure for a permanent magnet synchronous machine (PMSM). Field Oriented Control (FOC) is a performant AC motor control strategy that decouples torque and flux by transforming the stationary phase currents to a rotating frame. Use FOC when rotor speed and position are known and your application requires:

- High torque and low current at startup.
- High efficiency.

## Equations

The PMSM FOC structure decouples the torque and flux by using the rotor d-q reference frame. This diagram shows the overall architecture of the block.



In the diagram:

- $\omega$  and  $\omega_{ref}$  are the measured and reference angular velocities, respectively.
- $T_{ref}$  is the reference electromagnetic torque.
- $i$  and  $v$  are stator currents and voltages and subscripts  $d$  and  $q$  represent the  $d$ -axis and  $q$ -axis, and subscripts  $a$ ,  $b$ , and  $c$ , represent the three stator windings.
- $\theta_e$  is the rotor electrical angle.
- $G$  is a gate pulse, subscripts  $H$  and  $L$ , represent high and low, and subscripts  $a$ ,  $b$ , and  $c$  represent the three stator windings.

You can choose to implement either velocity or torque control with the `Control` mode parameter. The block implements velocity control exactly as shown in the diagram. The block implements torque control by removing the Velocity Controller block and accepting the reference torque directly.

### Assumptions

The machine parameters are known.

### Limitations

The control structure is implemented with a single sample rate.

### Ports

#### Input

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✓ **Reference — System reference**  
scalar

System reference specified as torque reference in N\*m or velocity reference in rad/s, depending on the control mode selected.

**Data Types:** single | double

▼ **iabcSens — Measured phase currents**  
vector

Measured stator phase currents, in A.

**Data Types:** single | double

▼ **wSens — Rotor speed**  
scalar

Measured mechanical angular velocity of rotor, in rad/s.

**Data Types:** single | double

▼ **thSens — Rotor angle**  
scalar

Measured mechanical angle of rotor, in rad.

**Data Types:** single | double

▼ **vdcSens — DC-link voltage**  
scalar

Measured DC-link voltage, in V.

**Data Types:** single | double

**Output**

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▼ **G — Gate pulses**  
vector

Six pulse waveforms that determine switching behavior in the attached power converter.

**Data Types:** single | double

Visualization — Visualization signals  
bus

Bus containing signals for visualization, including:

- Reference
- wElectrical
- iabc
- theta
- Vdc
- PwmEnable
- TqRef
- TqLim
- idqRef
- idq
- vdqRef
- modWave

**Data Types:** single | double

Parameters

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General

Control Mode — Control mode strategy  
Torque control (default) | Velocity control

Specify either a torque control or velocity control strategy.

Nominal dc-link voltage (V) — Rated DC voltage  
300 V (default) | positive number

Nominal DC-link voltage of the electrical source.	
✕	<b>Maximum power (W) — Maximum power</b> 35000 W (default)   positive number
Maximum machine power.	
✕	<b>Maximum torque (N*m) — Maximum torque</b> 250 N*m (default)   positive number
Maximum machine torque.	
✕	<b>Number of rotor pole pairs — Pole pairs</b> 8 (default)   positive integer
Number of permanent magnet pole pairs on the rotor.	
✕	<b>Inverter dc-link voltage threshold (V) — DC-link voltage threshold</b> 100 V (default)   positive number
Voltage threshold to activate the power inverter.	
✕	<b>Fundamental sample time (s) — Block sample time</b> 5e-6 (default)   positive number
Fundamental sample time for the block.	
✕	<b>Control sample time (s) — Control sample time</b> 1e-4 (default)   positive number
Sample time for the control system.	

Outer Loop

▼ **Control Type — Control type strategy**  
PI control (default) | P control | P-PI control

Specify the type of the control strategy.

▼ **Controller proportional gain — Proportional gain of PI controller**  
1 (default) | positive number

Proportional gain of the PI controller.

▼ **Controller integral gain — Integral gain of PI controller**  
1 (default) | positive number

Integral gain of the PI controller.

▼ **P controller proportional gain — Proportional gain of P controller**  
1 (default) | positive number

Proportional gain of P controller.

▼ **Integral anti-windup gain — Anti-windup gain**  
1 (default) | positive number

Anti-windup gain of the PI controller.

▼ **Current references — Current reference strategy**  
Zero d-axis control (default) | Lookup-table based | Automatically generated lookup-table

Select the current reference strategy.

✓ **Mechanical speed vector, `wMechanical` (rpm) — Rotor speed lookup vector**  
[0, 3000] rpm (default) | positive monotonically increasing vector

Speed vector used in the lookup tables for determining current references.

✓ **Torque reference vector, `TqRef` (N\*m) — Torque reference lookup vector**  
[-100, 0, 100] N\*m (default) | positive monotonically increasing vector

Torque vector used in the lookup tables for determining current references.

✓ **DC-link voltage vector, `Vdc` (V) — DC-link voltage lookup vector**  
[300, 350] V (default) | positive monotonically increasing vector

: DC-link voltage vector used in the lookup tables for determining current references.

✓ **D-axis current reference matrix, `id(wMechanical,TqRef,Vdc)` (A) — Reference d-axis current values**  
`zeros(2,3,2)` A (default) | real matrix

Direct-axis current reference lookup data.

✓ **Q-axis current reference matrix, `iq(wMechanical,TqRef,Vdc)` (A) — Reference q-axis current values**  
`zeros(2,3,2)` A (default) | real matrix

Quadrature-axis current reference lookup data.

✓ **Modulation factor — Modulation factor**  
1 (default) | positive scalar

Safety factor used to compute the maximum allowed phase voltage for current references generation.

#### Dependencies

This parameter is only visible when **Current references** is set to Automatically generated lookup-table.

✓ **Permanent magnet flux linkage (Wb) — PM Flux Linkage**  
0.04 Wb (default) | positive scalar

Peak permanent magnet flux linkage.

✓ **D-axis inductance (H) — Inductance of d-axis**  
0.00024 (default) | positive scalar

Direct-axis inductance.

✓ **Q-axis inductance (H) — Inductance of q-axis**  
0.00029 (default) | positive scalar

Quadrature-axis inductance.

✓ **Stator resistance (Ohm) — Resistance of stator**  
0.01 (default) | positive scalar

Stator resistance per phase.

## Inner Loop

✓ **D-axis current proportional gain — D-axis proportional gain**  
1 (default) | positive number

Proportional gain of the PI controller used for direct-axis current control.

✓ **D-axis current integral gain — D-axis integral gain**  
100 (default) | positive number

Integrator gain of the PI controller used for direct-axis current control.



✓ **D-axis current anti-windup gain — D-axis anti-windup gain**  
1 (default) | positive number

Anti-windup gain of the PI controller used for direct-axis current control.

✓ **Q-axis current proportional gain — Q-axis proportional gain**  
1 (default) | positive number

Proportional gain of the PI controller used for quadrature-axis current control.

✓ **Q-axis current integral gain — Q-axis integral gain**  
100 (default) | positive number

Integrator gain of the PI controller used for quadrature-axis current control.

✓ **Q-axis current anti-windup gain — Q-axis anti-windup gain**  
1 (default) | positive number

Anti-windup gain of the PI controller used for quadrature-axis current control.

✓ **Axis prioritization — Axis prioritization for voltage limiter**  
q-axis (default) | d-axis | d-q equivalence

Prioritize or maintain ratio between  $d$ - and  $q$ -axis when the block limits voltage.

✓ **Enable zero cancellation — Feedforward zero cancellation**  
off (default) | on

Enable or disable zero cancellation on the feedforward path.

✓ **Enable pre-control voltage — Precontrol voltage**  
on (default) | off

Enable or disable precontrol voltage.

✓ **Machine parameters — Machine parameterization**  
Constant parameters (default) | Lookup table based parameters

Specify how to parameterize the machine.

- Constant parameters — Specify machine parameters that are constant throughout the simulation.
- Lookup table based parameters — Specify machine parameters as lookup tables that depend on current.

✓ **D-axis inductance for feed-forward pre-control (H) — Feedforward d-axis inductance**  
0.00024 (default) | positive scalar

Direct-axis inductance for feedforward precontrol.

✓ **Q-axis inductance for feedforward precontrol (H) — Feedforward q-axis inductance**  
0.00029 (default) | positive scalar

Quadrature-axis inductance for feed-forward pre-control.

✓ **Permanent magnet flux linkage for feedforward pre-control (H) — Feedforward flux linkage**  
0.04 (default) | scalar

Permanent magnet flux linkage for feedforward pre-control.

✓ **D-axis current vector,  $i_d$  (A) — D-axis current breakpoint vector**  
[-200,0,200] A (default) | monotonically increasing vector

Direct-axis current vector used in the lookup tables for parameters determination. For constant machine parameters, do not change the default.

- ✓ **Q-axis current vector,  $i_q$  (A) — Q-axis current breakpoint vector**  
[ -200, 0, 200 ] A (default) | monotonically increasing vector

Quadrature-axis current vector used in the lookup tables for parameters determination. For constant machine parameters, do not change the default.

- ✓ **Ld matrix,  $L_d(i_d, i_q)$  (H) — D-axis inductance lookup data**  
 $0.0002 * \text{ones}(3, 3)$  H (default) | positive matrix

$L_d$  matrix used as lookup table data. For constant machine parameters change only the constant factor, for example,  $L_d * \text{ones}(3, 3)$ .

- ✓ **Lq matrix,  $L_q(i_d, i_q)$  (H) — Q-axis inductance lookup data**  
 $0.0002 * \text{ones}(3, 3)$  H (default) | positive matrix

$L_q$  matrix used as lookup table data. For constant machine parameters change only the constant factor, for example,  $L_q * \text{ones}(3, 3)$ .

- ✓ **Permanent magnet flux linkage matrix,  $\text{PM}(i_d, i_q)$  (Wb) — Flux linkage lookup data**  
 $0.04 * \text{ones}(3, 3)$  Wb (default) | real matrix

Permanent magnet flux linkage matrix used in the lookup table. For constant machine parameters change only the constant factor, for example,  $\text{psim} * \text{ones}(3, 3)$ .

## PWM

- ✓ **PWM method — Pulse width modulation method**  
SVM: space vector modulation (default) | SPWM: sinusoidal PWM

Specify the waveform technique.

- ✓ **Sampling mode — Wave-sampling method**  
Natural (default) | Asymmetric | Symmetric

Specify whether the block samples the modulation waveform when the waves intersect or when the carrier wave is at one or both of its boundary conditions.

✓ **Switching frequency (Hz) — Switching rate**  
1000 (default) | positive integer

Specify the rate at which you want the switches in the power converter to switch.

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