

PV and Battery Energy Storage System Along With SOC Control Method for a Dual-Inverter-Fed Open-End Winding Induction Motor Drive

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Abstract:

This paper introduces an incorporated solution for a photo-voltaic (PV) and battery energy storage- fed water-pump drive framework, which utilizes an open-end winding induction machine (OEWIM). The double inverter-bolstered OEWIM drive accomplishes the usefulness of a three-level inverter and obliges low esteem dc-transport voltage. This aides in an ideal course of action of PV modules, which could keep away from expansive strings and aides in enhancing the PV execution with wide transfer speed of working voltage. It additionally decreases the voltage rating of the dc-join capacitors and exchanging gadgets utilized as a part of the framework.

The proposed control method accomplishes a reconciliation of both most extreme force point following and SOC control for the proficient usage of the PV boards and the engine. The proposed control plan obliges the detecting of PV voltage and current just. In this manner, the framework obliges less number of sensors. All the diagnostic, recreation, and test consequences of this work under distinctive ecological conditions are exhibited in this paper.

INTRODUCTION:

An induction motor can run only at its rated speed when it is connected directly to the main supply. However, many applications need variable speed operations. This is felt the most in applications where input power is directly proportional to the cube of motor speed. In applications like the induction motor-based centrifugal pump, a speed reduction of 20% results in an energy savings of approximately 50%. Driving and controlling the induction motor efficiently are prime concerns in today's energy conscious world. With the advancement in the semiconductor fabrication technology, both the size and the price of semiconductors have gone down drastically.

This means that the motor user can replace an energy inefficient mechanical motor drive and control system with a Variable Frequency Drive (VFD). The VFD not only controls the motor speed, but can improve the motor's dynamic and steady state characteristics as well. In addition, the VFD can reduce the system's average energy consumption. Although various induction motor control techniques are in practice today, the most popular control technique is by generating variable frequency supply, which has constant voltage to frequency ratio. This technique is popularly known as VF control. Generally used for open-loop systems, VF control caters to a large number of applications where the basic need is to vary the motor speed and control the motor efficiently. It is also simple to implement and cost effective.

II. BASIC:

Topology of A Dual inverter-fed OPEN-END winding motor drive with Two DC SOURCES Fig. 1 presents basic structure of a dual inverter-fed open end winding induction motor drive with two standard voltage source inverters with pulse width modulation, which are supplied by two separate dc-link sources with voltages V_{dc1} and V_{dc2} [3]. Separate dc supply is used for each inverter to block the flow of third harmonic currents.

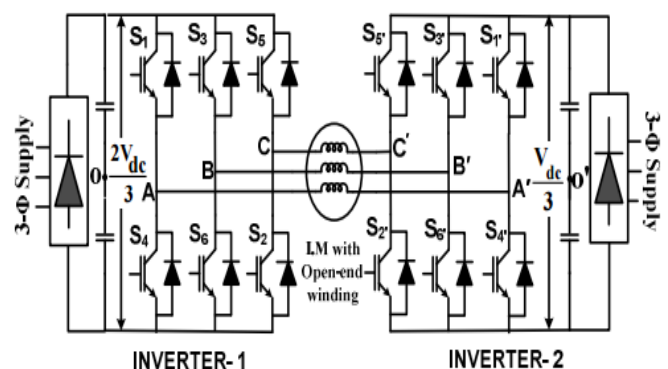


Fig 1 Dual two-level inverter fed open-end winding topology

The dual-inverter fed open-end winding induction motor configuration offers an elegant alternative to the existing multilevel inverter configurations such as NPC, Flying capacitor and the cascaded H-bridge for induction motor drives [1]-[8]. One of the advantages of open-end winding configuration is that multilevel inversion is achieved by using the conventional two two-level inverters as a basic building block. A power circuit configuration to realize a four-level inverter with open-end winding induction motor, which employs two inverters with DC-link voltages in the ratio of 2:1 is reported in [4], is shown in Fig. 1. To suppress the zero-sequence components in the motor phases, each inverter is operated with an isolated DC power supply.

II. MODELING OF THE PROPOSED SYSTEM:

A proposed configuration of the solar PV-powered pumping system is shown in Fig. 2, which comprises of: 1) solar PV array; 2) dual-inverter namely Inverters I and II; 3) three-phase OEWIM with pump load; and 4) controller block which consists of MPPT and DSAZE PWM algorithm. These components are described in detail in the following sections.

A. PV Source Model:

The PV source was modeled by using PV cell current-voltage characteristic equation as follows [29]:

$$i_{pvcell} = i_L - i_0 \left(e^{\frac{q(v_{pvcell} + i_{pvcell} R_s)}{nkT}} - 1 \right) \quad (1)$$

where i_{pvcell} is PV cell current,
 i_L is photocurrent,
 i_0 is diode saturation current,
 n is diode quality or ideality factor,
 k is Boltzmann constant,
 q is electron charge,
 T is panel operating temperature in Kelvin,
 R_s is PV cell series resistance, and
 V_{pvcell} is PV cell voltage (V).

The output of PV source is connected to inverter with dc-bus capacitance C_{pv} . By applying KCL at input of the inverter [from Fig. 2]

$$i_{pv} = i_c + i_{inv} \quad i_{pv} = C_{pv} \frac{dv_{pv}}{dt} + i_{inv} \quad (2)$$

Integral solution of (2) is the voltage v_{pv} across capacitance C_{pv} , which is used by the PV model to calculate the PV source current. The inverter current i_{inv} is the current drawn by Inverters I and II. Further dual inverter has two series connected equal value capacitors across the dc link. These capacitors share equal voltage with respect to the common point "o" as shown in Fig. 2.

B. Modular Three-Level Dual-Inverter Model

Dual inverter used in the proposed configuration is modeled using switching functions [30]. To model dual inverter, switching function SW (where W can be A, B, C, A', B' or C' depending on the phase and number of inverter) requires the logic generated from the PWM controller. It has value 1 and -1 which represents turn ON of top and bottom switch, respectively, for the given leg or phase of the inverter. The modular dual inverter shown in Fig. 2 consists of six poles (a, b, c, a', b', and c') and 12 switches (two switches per pole). The value of the pole voltages in a particular phase can be $\pm V_{pv}/2$ depending on the switch (whether top or bottom) is turned ON. If top switch of phase "a", S1 is turned ON, the pole voltage v_{ao} is $+V_{pv}/2$ and when bottom switch of phase "a", S4 is turned ON, then the pole voltage v_{ao} is $-V_{pv}/2$. Thus, pole voltage of Inverter I can be given as

$$v_{ao} = S_A V_{pv} / 2 ; v_{bo} = S_B V_{pv} / 2 ; v_{co} = S_C V_{pv} / 2. \quad (3)$$

Similarly, pole voltage of Inverter II can be given as

$$v_{a'o} = S_{A'} V_{pv} / 2 ; v_{b'o} = S_{B'} V_{pv} / 2 ; v_{c'o} = S_{C'} V_{pv} / 2. \quad (4)$$

The motor phase voltage $v_{aa'}$ is given by

$$v_{aa'} = V_{pv} / 2 [2/3 (S_A - S_{A'}) - 1/3 ((S_B - S_{B'}) + (S_C - S_{C'}))] \quad (5)$$

Similarly, the other phase voltages $v_{bb'}$, $v_{cc'}$ of the inverter output can be derived for the system. Further, the input inverter current i_{inv} can also be derived using switching functions. Current flowing through Inverter I is given by

$$i_{inv1} = 1/2 (S_A + 1) i_{aa} + 1/2 (S_B + 1) i_{bb} + 1/2 (S_C + 1) i_{cc} \quad (6)$$

Current flowing through the Inverter II is given by

$$i_{inv2} = 1/2 (S_A + 1)(-i_{aa}) + 1/2 (S_B + 1)(-i_{bb}) + 1/2 (S_C + 1)(-i_{cc}). \quad (7)$$

The net current flowing through the dual inverter is

$$i_{inv} = 1/2 i_{aa}(S_A - S_A) + 1/2 i_{bb}(S_B - S_B) + 1/2 i_{cc}(S_C - S_C). \quad (8)$$

Thus, the previous values of phase voltage and current can be used by the Simulink model of OEWIM, which is discussed in the next section.

B.OEWIM Model:

An OEWIM [28] is obtained by opening the neutral point of the star-connected stator windings of a normal three-phase IM. The winding diagram of three-phase OEWIM is shown in Fig. 3. For modeling and analysis, the decoupled form of OEWIM is considered. For transforming the stator ($\varphi = \theta$) and the rotor parameters ($\varphi = \beta$) to decoupled form, the transformation matrix used is given as follows:

$$\begin{bmatrix} x_{qy} \\ x_{dy} \\ x_{0y} \end{bmatrix} = \frac{2}{3} \begin{bmatrix} \cos \phi & \cos(\phi - 2\pi/3) & \cos(\phi + 2\pi/3) \\ \sin \phi & \sin(\phi - 2\pi/3) & \sin(\phi + 2\pi/3) \\ 1/2 & 1/2 & 1/2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_{aa'} \\ x_{bb'} \\ x_{cc'} \end{bmatrix} \quad (9)$$

where θ is the angle between the stator as-axis and the quadrature (q) axis, β is the angle between rotor ar-axis and the q-axis, also $\beta = \theta - \theta_r$, θ_r is the angle between rotor ar-axis and stator as-axis (see Fig. 3), parameter x can be either voltage “v” or current “i” or flux linkage “λ” and subscript parameter y can be “s” or “r.” The subscript “s” denotes the parameters of stator and the subscript “r” denotes the parameters of rotor.

The dynamic d–q model of an OEWIM is described by

$$v_{qs} = R_s i_{qs} + \omega(L_{ls} i_{ds} + L_m (i_{ds} + i_{dr})) + p\lambda_{qs} \quad (10)$$

$$v_{ds} = R_s i_{ds} - \omega(L_{ls} i_{qs} + L_m (i_{qs} + i_{qr})) + p\lambda_{ds} \quad (11)$$

$$v_{qr} = R_r i_{qr} + (\omega - \omega_r)(L_{lr} i_{dr} + L_m (i_{ds} + i_{dr})) + p\lambda_{qr} \quad (12)$$

$$v_{dr} = R_r i_{dr} - (\omega - \omega_r)(L_{lr} i_{qr} + L_m (i_{qs} + i_{qr})) + p\lambda_{dr} \quad (13)$$

where R_r is rotor resistance, R_s is stator resistance, L_{ls} is stator leakage inductance, L_{lr} is rotor leakage inductance, L_m is mutual inductance between stator and rotor winding, ω is the synchronous speed, ω_r is the electrical speed of motor, and p denotes the time derivative. Also, here $v_{qr} = v_{dr} = 0$, since rotor bars are short-circuited.

The expression for the electromagnetic torque T_{em} is given by

$$T_{em} = 3/2 P/2 L_m [i_{qs} i'_{dr} - i_{ds} i'_{qr}] \quad (14)$$

Where, P is the number of poles.

The mechanical equation governing the OEWIM-pump drive is expressed as follows:

$$T_{em} = J d\omega_{mech}/dt + B\omega_{mech} + T_L \quad (15)$$

where J is motor inertia (kg-m²), B is centrifugal load torque coefficient, T_L is load torque (N •m), and ω_{mech} is instantaneous angular velocity of motor shaft (rad/s).

III. OPERATION AND ANALYSIS OF THE PROPOSED SYSTEM:

The proposed dual inverter is operated by using the decoupled PWM strategy. It incorporates simple V/f control for the efficient operation of system below the rated speed. The proposed PWM strategy requires the information of magnitude and angle of the reference voltage vector. The magnitude is calculated and controlled by the MPPT algorithm and the angle “α” is the function of time and fundamental frequency of reference

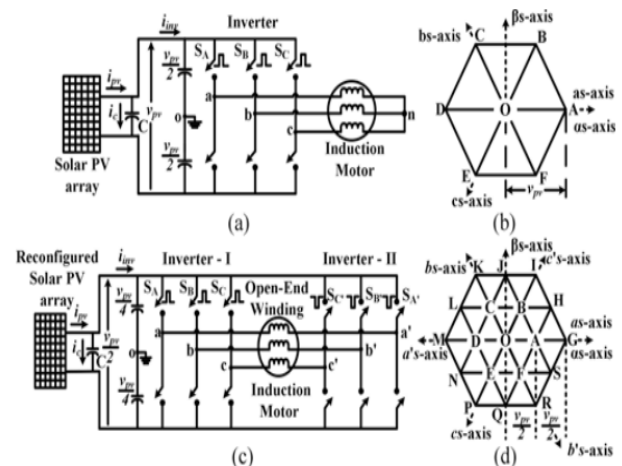


Fig. 4. Demonstration and comparison of dc-bus voltage requirement for Hbridge and dual-inverter systems. (a) Schematic circuit diagram of the two-level H-bridge inverter with input dc voltage (PV voltage) of “ V_{pv} .” (b) Space vector locations of voltage vector obtained from two-level inverter. (c) Schematic circuit diagram of dual-inverter-fed OEWIM drive with input dc voltage (PV voltage) of “ $V_{pv}/2$.” (d) Space vector locations of voltage vector obtained from three-level dual-inverter scheme.

modulating waveform. The reference voltage vector $|v_{sr}|$ is further divided into two decoupled components $|v_{sr}|/2$ and $|v_{sr}|/2 (180 + \alpha)$. The decoupled components are then given as the reference vector for Inverters I and II, respectively, as shown in Fig. 2, for generation of required output voltage. Thus, using decoupled PWM configuration has the benefit of double output voltage.

A. Low Input DC-Bus Voltage Requirement of Dual Inverter for OEWIM-Pump Drive

To analytically verify the low input dc-bus voltage requirement, a comparison between two-level and dual-inverter-fed OEWIM is done. Both the inverters are compared for generating the same output voltage vector with different values of input PV source voltage. The low input voltage requirement of dual inverter for an OEWIM drive is demonstrated in Fig. 4. Let the PV source voltage required to generate the rated instantaneous IM phase voltage v_{an} is V_{pv} as shown in Fig. 4(a). From Fig. 4(a) and (b), the inverter output voltage, v_{an} , v_{bn} , and v_{cn} can be obtained using the inverter pole voltage, v_{ao} , v_{bo} , and v_{co} ; and switching functions SA , SB , and SC as follows:

$$V_{an} = v_{ao} - v_{no} = (2/3 SA - 1/3 (SB + SC)) V_{pv}/2 \quad (16)$$

where v_{no} is common-mode voltage given by

$$v_{no} = 1/3 (v_{ao} + v_{bo} + v_{co}) = 1/3 (SA + SB + SC) V_{pv}/2 \quad (17)$$

Thus, the space vector location of reference voltage vector $\rightarrow OA$ [see Fig. 4(b)] can be generated by the switching functions $SA = 1$, $SB = -1$, and $SC = -1$. Substituting these values into (17) will result in the phase voltage, v_{an} as $2V_{pv}/3$. Now, consider the three-phase, three-level dual inverter connected to an OEWIM as shown in Fig. 4(c). Let the input PV source voltage is $V_{pv}/2$, which is half of the voltage taken for two-level H-bridge inverter.

Now, the dual inverter output phase voltage $\rightarrow OG$ [see Fig. 4(d)] is given as

$$V_{aa'} = v_{ao} - v_{ao}' - v_{oo}' \quad (18)$$

where v_{oo} is the common mode voltage [see Fig. 4(c)] which is given by

$$v_{oo}' = 1/3 V_{pv}/4 [(SA - SA') + (SB - SB') + (SC - SC')]. \quad (19)$$

Therefore, $v_{aa'}$ is given by

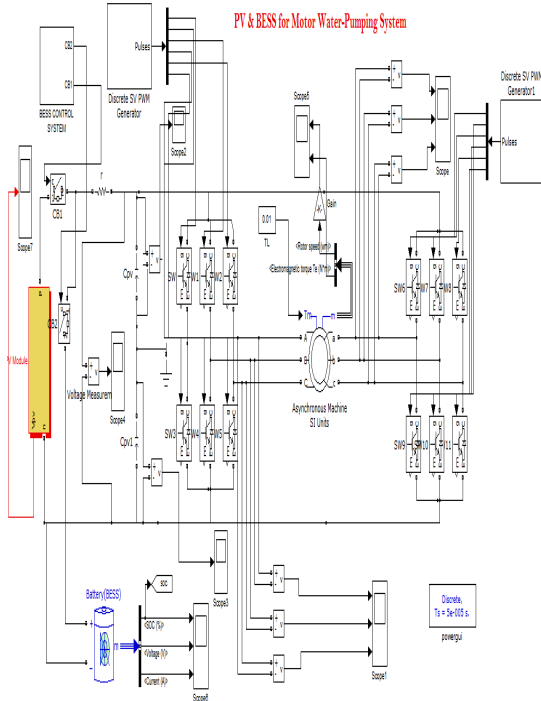
$$V_{aa'} = [2/3 (SA - SA') - 1/3 [(SB - SB') + (SC - SC')]] V_{pv}/4 \quad (20)$$

So, to generate voltage vector $\rightarrow OG$ [see Fig. 4(d)], the switching functions required are $SA = 1$, $SB = -1$, and $SC = -1$; $SA' = -1$, $SB' = 1$, and $SC' = 1$. Substituting these values in (20), results in the phase voltage of magnitude $2V_{pv}/3$ corresponding to phase aa' . Hence, to generate the phase voltage of $2V_{pv}/3$, the PV source voltage required in case of two-level inverter is V_{pv} and in case of dual inverter connected to OEWIM is $V_{pv}/2$. However, the DSAZE PWM technique [22] needs excess 15% of dc-link voltage to generate the rated motor phase voltage.

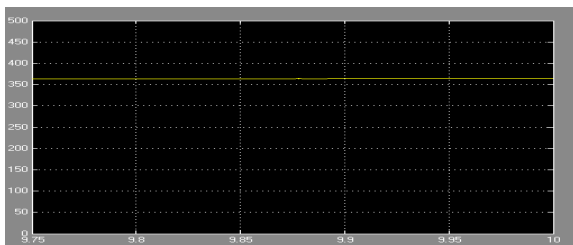
IV. SIMULATION RESULTS:

Simulation is performed using MATLAB/SIMULINK software. Simulink library files include inbuilt models of many electrical and electronics components and devices such as diodes, MOSFETS, capacitors, inductors, motors, power supplies and so on. The circuit components are connected as per design without error, parameters of all components are configured as per requirement and simulation is performed.

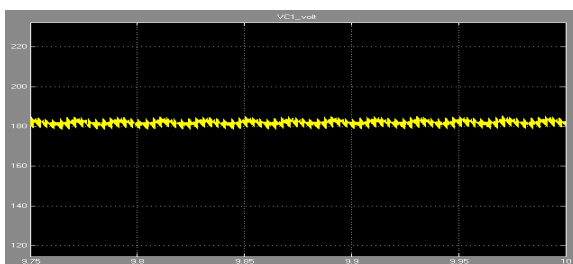
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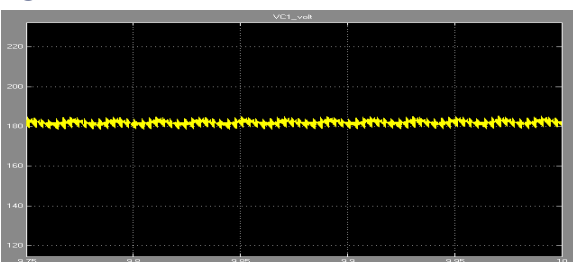
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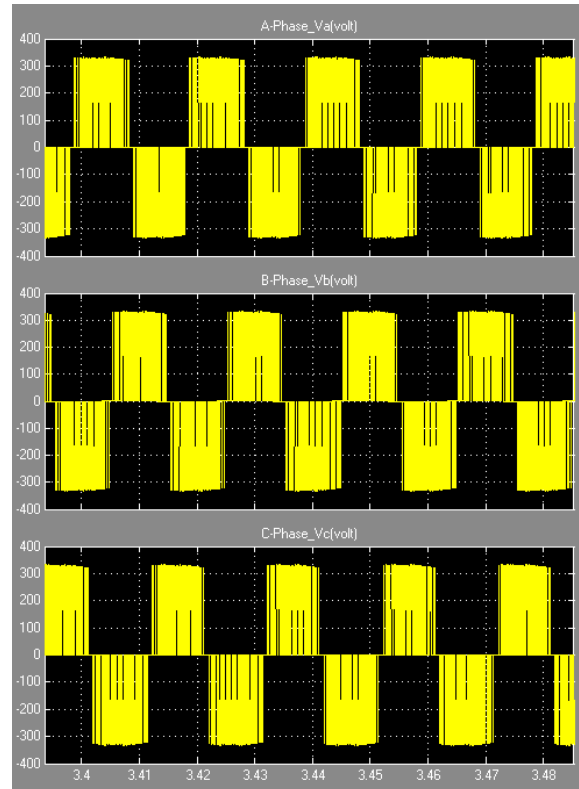
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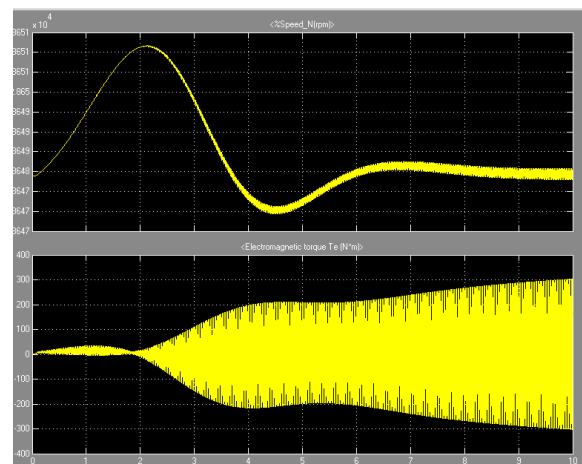
c)V C2



d)Inverter output



e)Speed & Torque



V. CONCLUSION:

This paper presents a solution for a photo-voltaic (PV) and battery energy storage- fed water-pump drive, which utilizes an open-end winding induction machine (OEWIM). The double inverter-bolstered OEWIM drive accomplishes the usefulness of a three-level inverter and oblige low esteem dc-transport voltage. This proposed inverter is simulated in MATLAB/SIMULINK software.

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