

EE 459/559: Control and Applications of Power Electronics

3ϕ Topic 4: DC/AC (AC/DC) Converters Analysis, Control, and Applications

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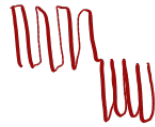
Outline

- Review of dc/ac (ac/dc) converters
-  abc to dq transformation – Clarke and Park Transformations
- Space vector PWM (SVPWM) $\alpha\beta 0$ $dq 0$
- Controller Design Overview 3ϕ
- Applications PV, HVDC, Motor Drives.

Small Power Inverters



Small power inverters



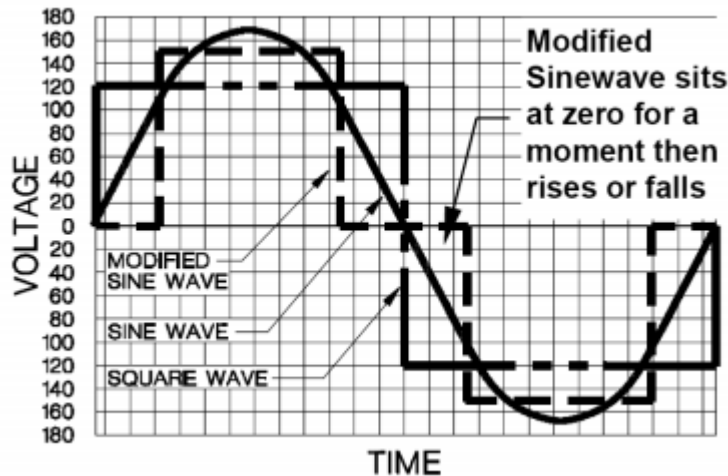
- Small power inverters
 - Take dc power supplied by a battery, such as a 12 V car battery
 - Transform it to a 120 V ac power source at 60 Hz
 - Emulate the power available at an ordinary household electrical outlet

- Applications of small power inverters

- Camping vehicles, boats
- Power appliances in a car: cell phones, radios and televisions

- Pure sine wave inverter

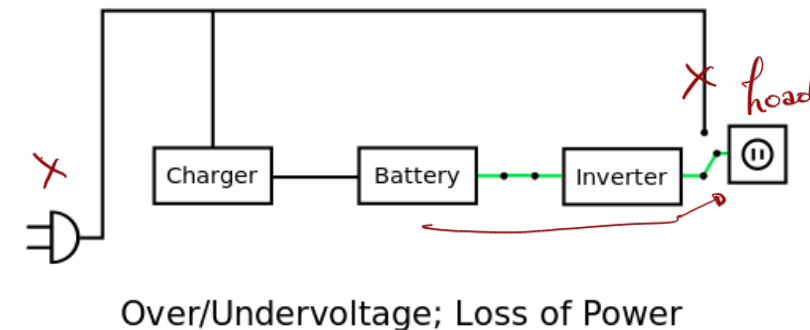
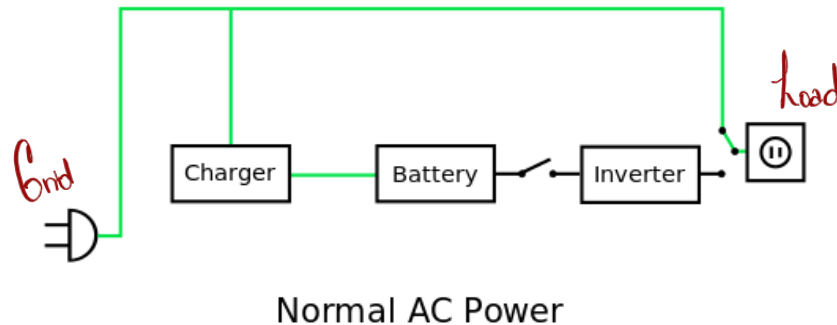
- More expensive due to added circuitry
- Can provide power to all ac electronic devices
- Reduce audible and electric noise



Square, Modified, and Pure Sine Wave

Uninterruptible Power Supply (UPS)

- An electrical apparatus that provides emergency power to a load when the input power source or mains power fails
 - Instantaneous protection from input power interruptions
 - The on-battery runtime of most UPS is relatively short: a few minutes
 - Used to protect computers, data centers, telecommunication equipment, etc



Uninterruptible Power Supply (UPS)



- Example: the largest UPS
 - Fairbanks, Alaska
 - Powers the entire city and nearby rural communities during outages
 - Built by ABB and commissioned in 2003
 - Battery is made up of almost 14,000 nickel-cadmium batteries that can provide 26 MW of power for 15 mins, or up to 40 MW for 7 mins.
 - Facility covers an area bigger than a soccer field.

Motor Drive

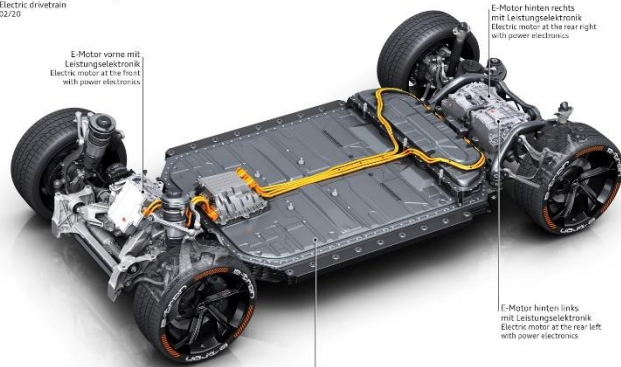
- Electric motor speed control

- Control and feedback circuitry to adjust the final output of the inverter
- The inverter output determine the speed of the motor

- Applications

- Industrial motor driven equipment
- Electric vehicles
- Rail transport system
- Power tools
- Inverter compressors

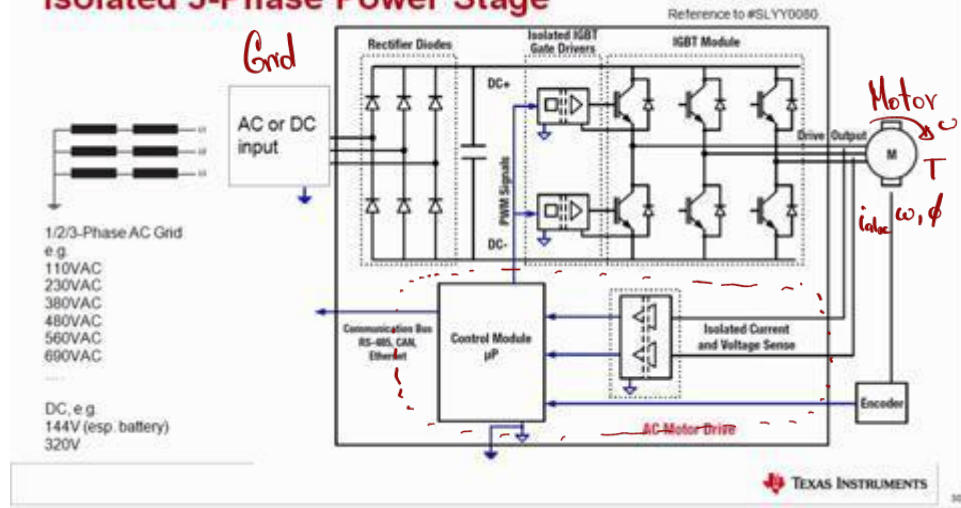
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Flüssigkeitsgekühlte Lithium-Ionen-Batterie mit 86,5 kWh netto
Liquid-cooled lithium-ion battery with 86.5 kWh net



Isolated 3-Phase Power Stage



Motor Drive: control ω , ϕ , torque

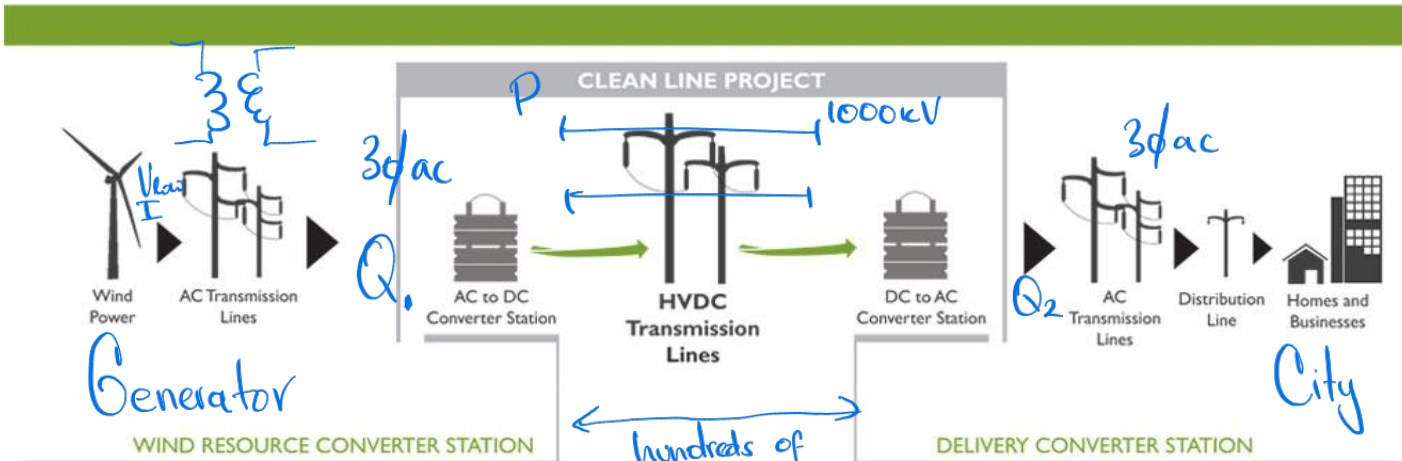
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Servo motor

HVDC

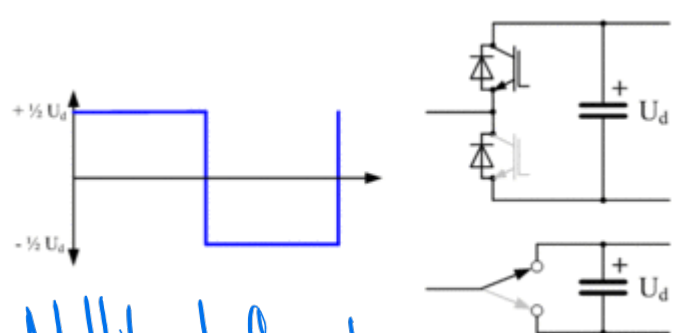
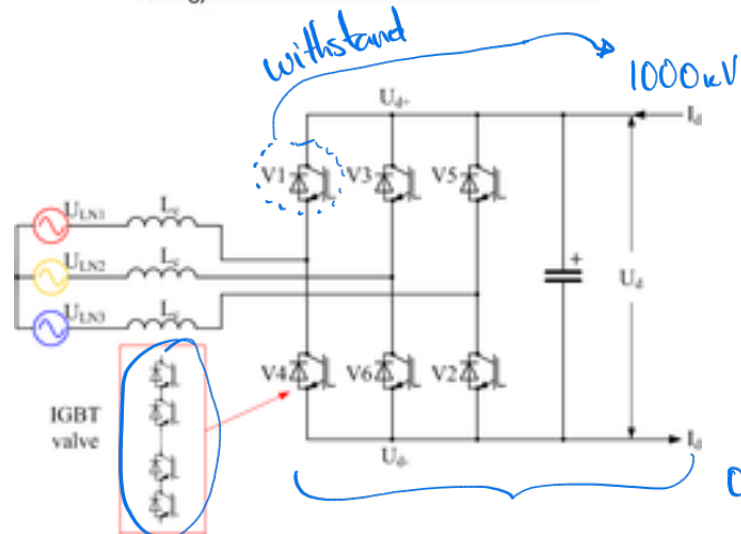
(fixed) $P = \downarrow I V \uparrow$ $\downarrow P_{loss} = \downarrow I^2 R$

DELIVERING RENEWABLE ENERGY WITH HVDC



- Converts energy from AC power to DC power
- Energy is transmitted on the transmission line

- Energy is received from the transmission line
- Converts energy from DC power to AC power
- Connects with existing transmission system

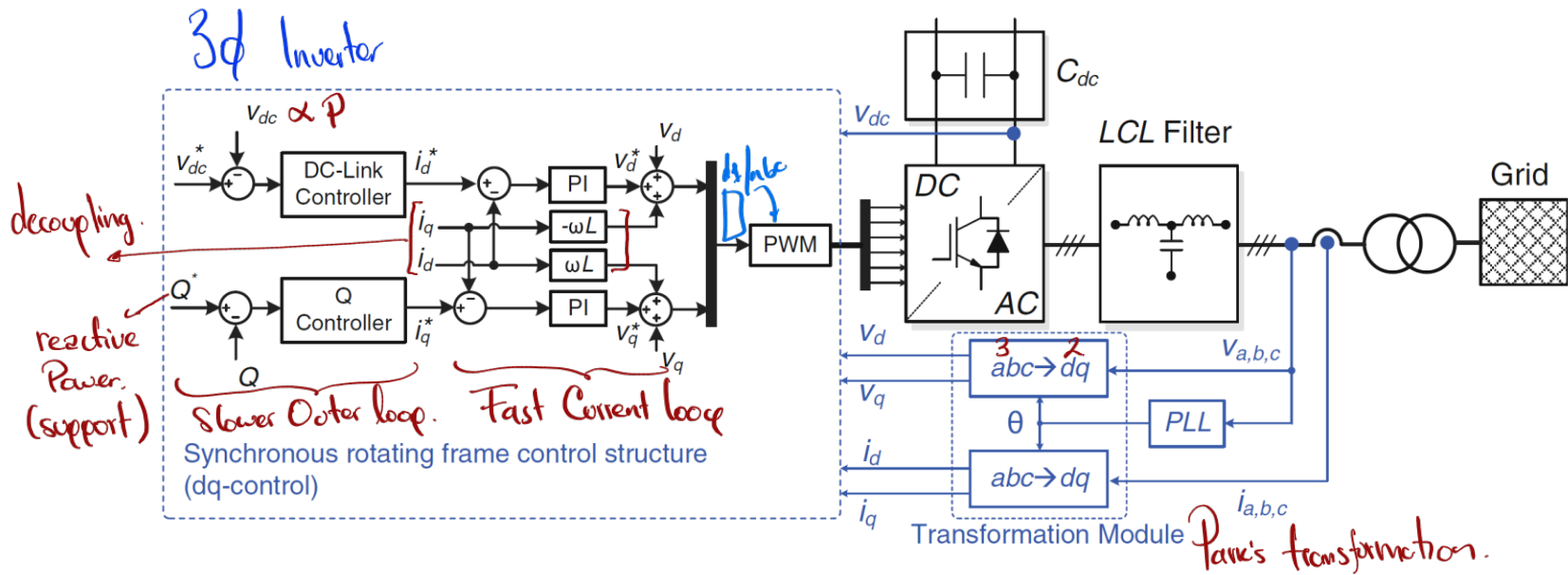
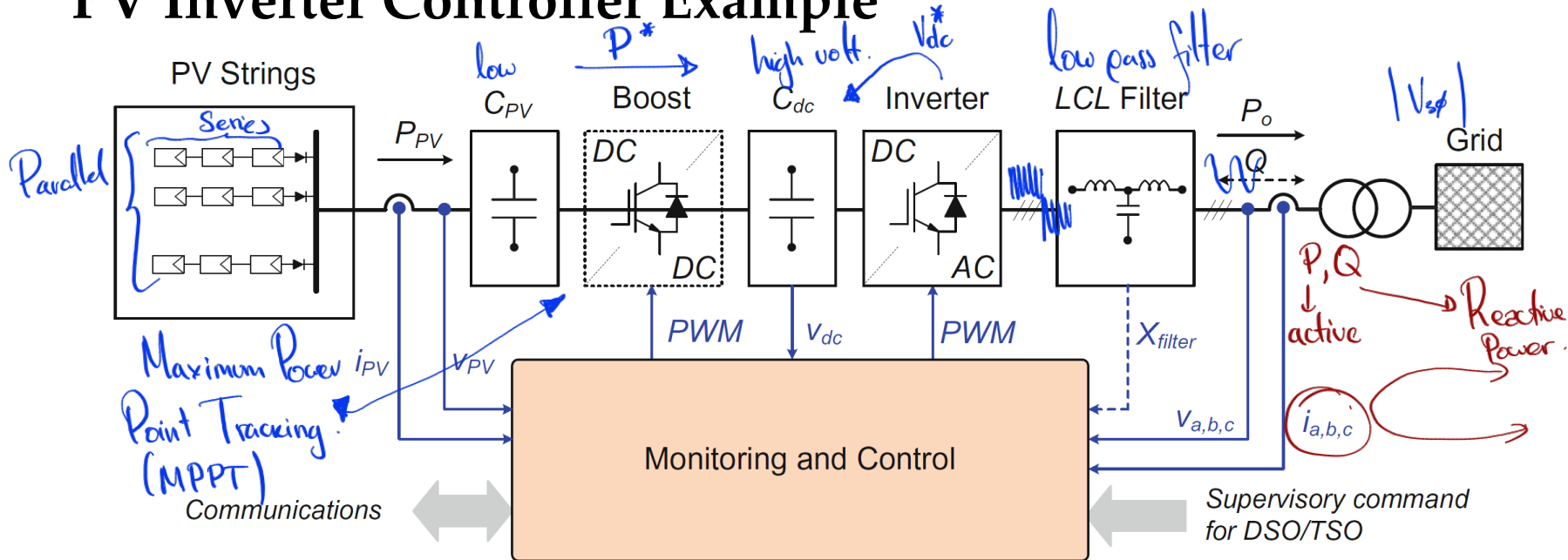


or use Multilevel Converters.

PV Inverters



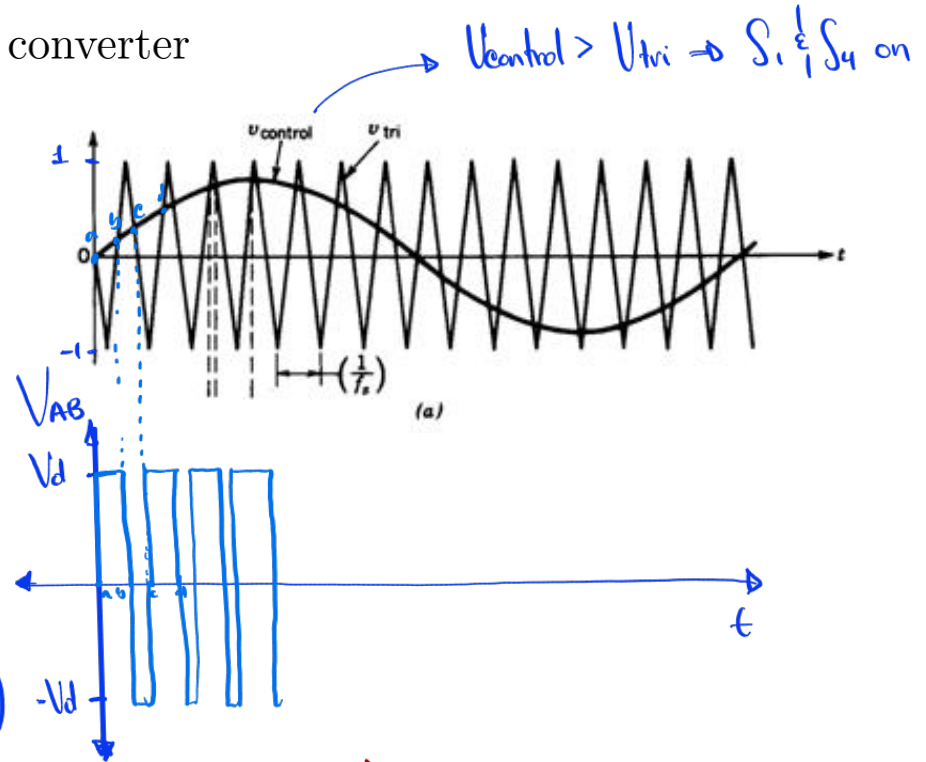
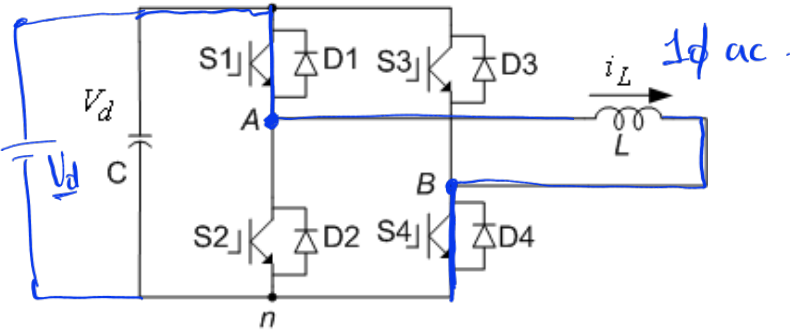
PV Inverter Controller Example



Single Phase: Full Bridge Converter and Sine PWM

H bridge

- Review the operation of the full bridge converter



- Operation:
 - S_1 and S_4 operate at same time
 - S_2 and S_3 operate at same time (complementary to S_1 & S_4)

- What is \hat{V}_{AB} when S_1 & S_4 on? V_d
- " " " " S_2 & S_3 on? $-V_d$

$\hat{V}_{g-d} = 170 \rightarrow \text{min } V_d = 170V$

- When $\hat{V}_{\text{control}} \leq \hat{V}_{\text{tri}}$ the modulation index can be defined as follows:

$$m_a = \frac{\hat{V}_{\text{control}}}{\hat{V}_{\text{tri}}} = \frac{\hat{V}_{AB}}{\hat{V}_d}, \quad 0 \leq m_a \leq 1$$

$m_a = \frac{120(\sqrt{2})}{300} = 0.56$

$\hat{V}_{AB} = m_a \cdot V_d$

$m_a \in [0, 1]$

if $m_a = 1$ $\hat{V}_{AB} = V_d$
max peak ac voltage

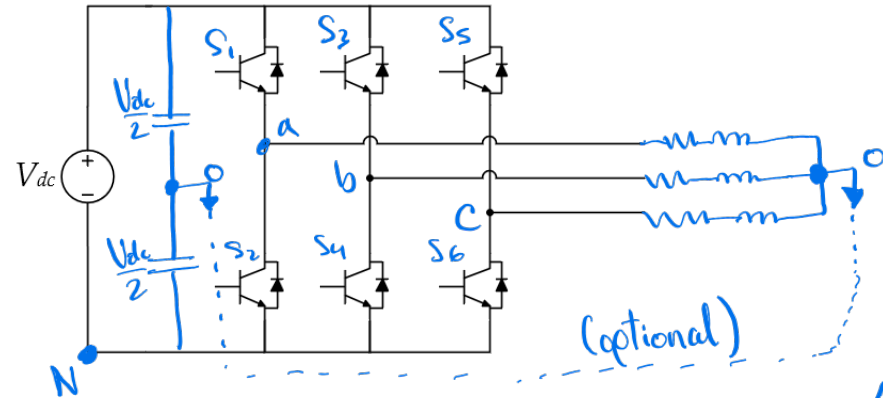
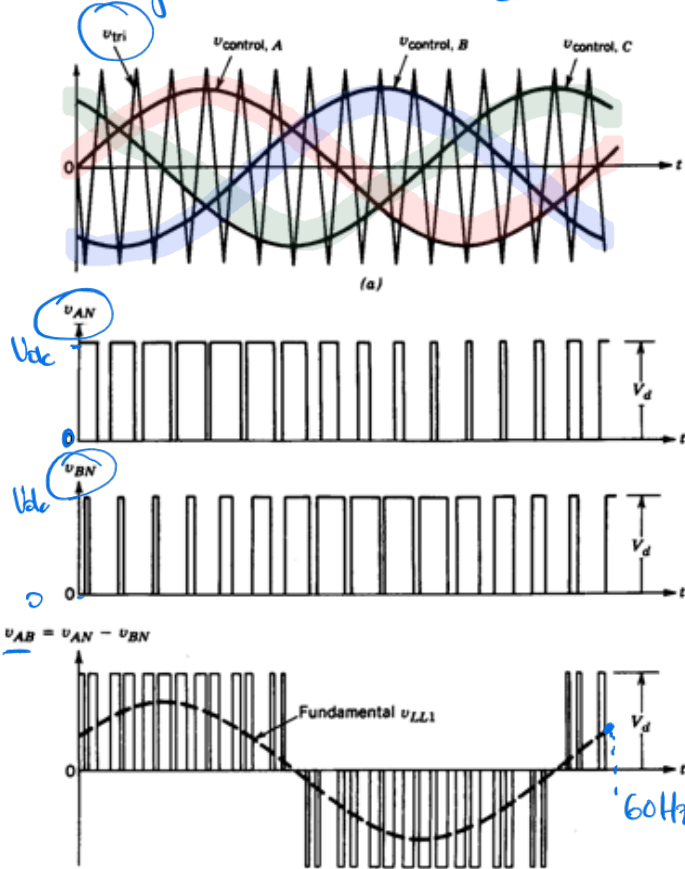
- Assume $V_d = 300V$, if we want $V_{AB} = 120V$ (rms), what is m_a ?
 $m_a \approx 0.56$

Three Phase Inverter

- A three phase inverter is a combination of three

(half-bridge)

1 triangular = carrier = decides F_{sc}



⇒ maximum line to neutral peak voltage $\hat{V}_{Ao} = \frac{V_{dc}}{2}$
 $= \hat{V}_{Bo} = \hat{V}_{Co}$

- Whenever $v_{control,A} > v_{tri} \Rightarrow S_1$ on (S_2 off)
- $v_{control,B} > v_{tri} \Rightarrow S_3$ on (S_4 off)
- $v_{control,C} > v_{tri} \Rightarrow S_5$ on (S_6 off)

Line to line $\Rightarrow V_{AB} = V_{AN} - V_{BN} = V_{Ao} - V_{Bo}$

$$V_{BC} = V_{BN} - V_{CN}$$

$$V_{CA} = V_{CN} - V_{AN}$$

$$\hat{V}_{Ao} = \sqrt{2} V_{Ao} \quad V_{Ao} \text{ (rms)} \quad |V_{LL}| = \sqrt{3} |V_{Ll}|$$

$$|V_{ab}| \text{ (rms)} = \sqrt{3} |V_{Ao}|$$

$$\hat{V}_{Ll} = \sqrt{2} V_{Ll}$$

$$\hat{V}_{Ao} = m_a \frac{V_{dc}}{2}$$

- 3 ϕ power supply, w/ rated voltage of $V_{LL} = 408V$
- Suppose we wanted $m_{a,max} = 0.5$, what is V_{dc} needed?

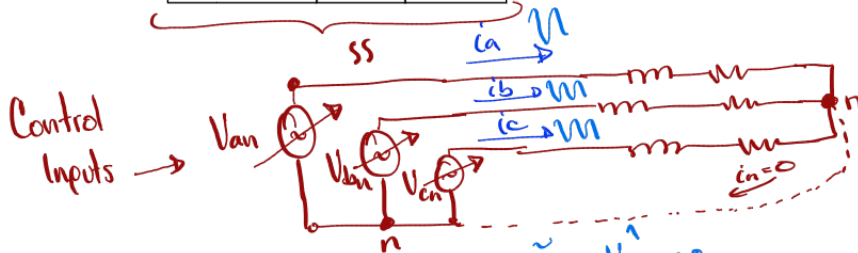
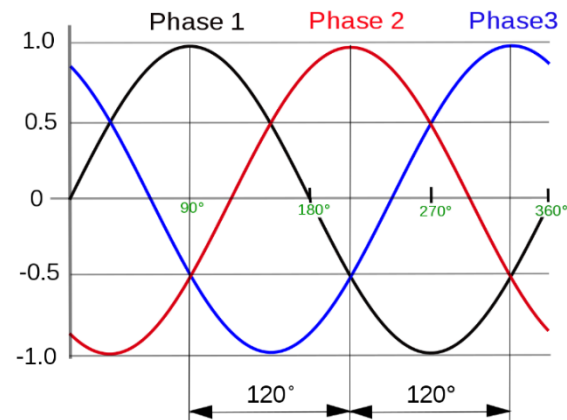
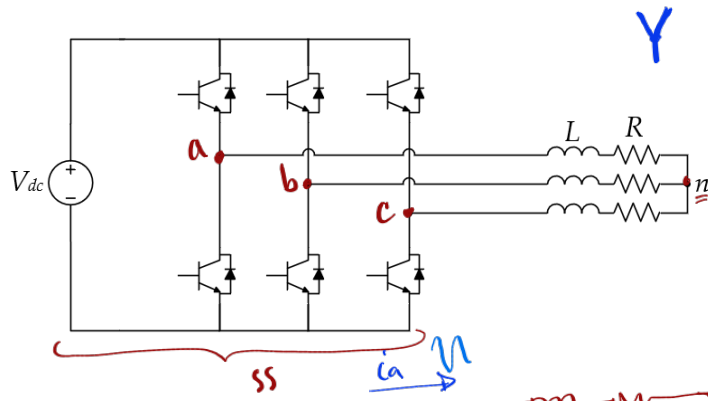
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 - (Park)
 - (Intermediate)
 - $\alpha\beta 0$
 - $dq 0$
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Balanced Three Phase System

Let's look at a balanced three phase system:

- Three voltage sources with equal magnitude but with phase shift of 120°
- Equal loads on each phase (a, b, c)
- Equal impedance on the lines



$$V_{an}(t) = \hat{V}_{\omega} \cos(\omega t) \quad \sim \tilde{V}_{an} = \frac{\hat{V}_{\omega}}{\sqrt{2}} \angle 0^\circ$$

$$V_{bn}(t) = \hat{V}_{\omega} \cos(\omega t - \frac{2\pi}{3}) \quad \sim \tilde{V}_{bn} = \frac{\hat{V}_{\omega}}{\sqrt{2}} \angle -120^\circ$$

$$V_{cn}(t) = \hat{V}_{\omega} \cos(\omega t + \frac{2\pi}{3}) \quad \sim \tilde{V}_{cn} = \frac{\hat{V}_{\omega}}{\sqrt{2}} \angle +120^\circ$$

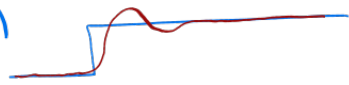
$$p_a(t) = v_{an}(t) \cdot i_a(t)$$

Advantages of Balanced 3 ϕ systems

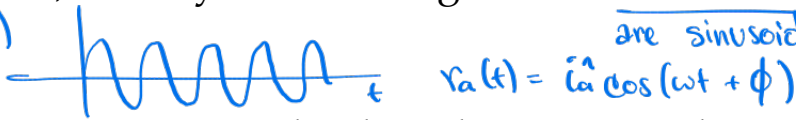
- $i_a + i_b + i_c = 0 = i_n$
Zero neutral current
- Rotating mag. field \Rightarrow easier motor start
- Const. Inst. Power: $P_{3\phi}(t) = p_a(t) + p_b(t) + p_c(t)$
 \Rightarrow Const. Torque (motor) $= \overline{P_{dc}}$

Integral Control

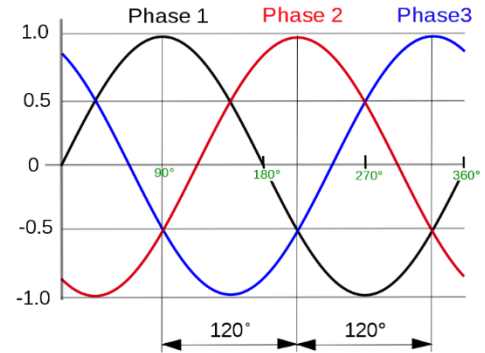
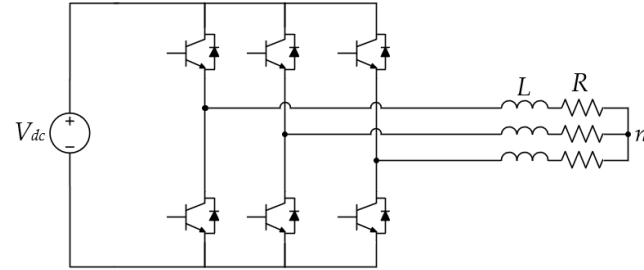
- As we have seen before, integrator (e.g. in PI or integral + state feedback) can be used for tracking constant or step references $v_{int}^* = r(t)$



- However, in ac systems the signals are **not** constant $i_a^*(t) = i_a(t)$ are sinusoidal signals.



- An integrator **cannot** be directly use to track a sine/ac reference



Internal Model Principle: for whatever $r(t)$ you want to track, the controller must internally generate the same type of signal.

- What can we do?

$$\frac{r(t)}{s} \rightarrow \frac{R(s)}{s} \text{ (Integrator)}$$

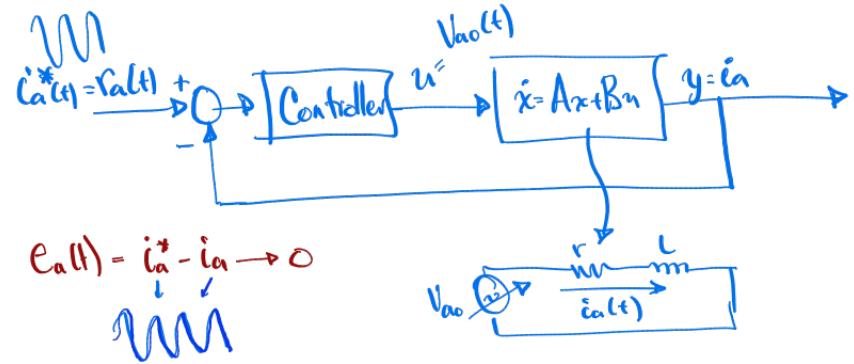
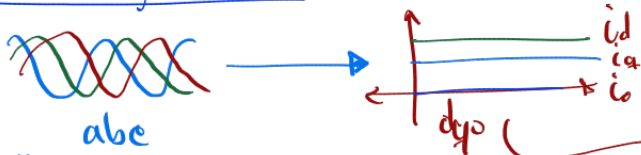
$$\frac{\omega^2}{s^2 + \omega^2} \text{ (resonant)}$$

One approach

- Resonant Controller (RC)
Prop. + Resonant (PR)

- Coordinate Transformation

ac \rightarrow dc
(abc \rightarrow dq0)



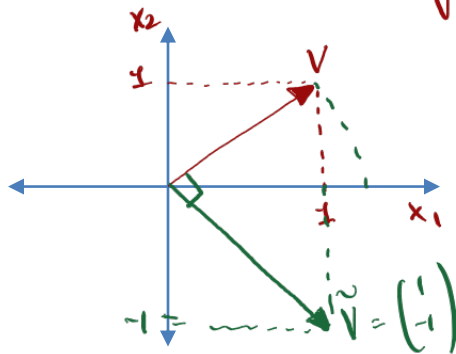
$$e_a(t) = i_a^* - i_a \rightarrow 0$$

Use PI, or State + Integral control

Transformations

2 Dimension $\cong \mathbb{R}^2$, $x \in \mathbb{R}^2 \Rightarrow x = \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix}$, $T(x) : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ $Tx = y$ $y \in \mathbb{R}^2$

- One particular type of transformation that we will use later is known as **angle rotation**



$$v = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$T_\theta = \begin{pmatrix} \cos(\theta) & \sin(\theta) \\ -\sin(\theta) & \cos(\theta) \end{pmatrix}$$

θ : specified clockwise rotation by θ

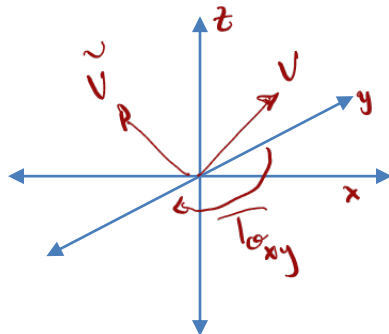
$$\tilde{v} = T_\theta v \quad \tilde{v} = \text{vector } v \text{ rotated clockwise by } \theta \text{ (radians)}$$

- Example Rotate v by 90° ($\frac{\pi}{2}$) clockwise

$$\tilde{v} = T_{\frac{\pi}{2}} v = \begin{bmatrix} \cos(\frac{\pi}{2}) & \sin(\frac{\pi}{2}) \\ -\sin(\frac{\pi}{2}) & \cos(\frac{\pi}{2}) \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

3 Dimensions $\cong \mathbb{R}^3$

- In three dimensions, we can also define similar transformations



$$v \in \mathbb{R}^3 \Rightarrow v = \begin{pmatrix} v_1 \\ v_2 \\ v_3 \end{pmatrix} \quad T : \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3 \Rightarrow Tv = \tilde{v} \in \mathbb{R}^3$$

- Rotate along the x - y plane (clockwise)

$$T_{\theta_{xy}} = \begin{pmatrix} \cos(\theta) & \sin(\theta) & 0 \\ -\sin(\theta) & \cos(\theta) & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Clarke and Park Transformation

Edith Clarke



Born	February 10, 1883 Howard County, Maryland
Died	October 29, 1959 (aged 76)
Residence	Massachusetts, United States
Nationality	American
Fields	Electrical Engineering
Institutions	General Electric University of Texas at Austin
Alma mater	Vassar College Massachusetts Institute of Technology
Notable awards	National Inventors Hall of Fame

First female professor in Electrical Engineering in the country

$$abc - \alpha\beta 0$$



Robert H. Park

Robert H. Park (March 15, 1902 – February 18, 1994) was an American electrical engineer and inventor, best known for the Park's transformation, used to simplify the analysis of three-phase electric circuits. His related 1929 concept paper ranked second, when looking at the impact of all twentieth century power engineering papers.^{[1][2]} Park was an IEEE Fellow and a member of the National Academy of Engineering.^{[3][4]}

Park was born on March 15, 1902, in Strasbourg, when his father urban sociologist Robert E. Park was studying in Germany. Back in the United States Park lived in Wollaston, Massachusetts and earned in 1923 a degree in electrical engineering at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. After this he went to the Royal Institute of Technology in Stockholm, Sweden to improve his knowledge on operational calculus.^{[5][6]}

$$abc - dq 0$$

$$* abc \rightarrow \alpha\beta 0 \rightarrow dq 0$$

} Park's 1929 paper is voted the second most important paper in Power Engineering (1900-1999)

Milestone Achievement Papers

The final four papers are:

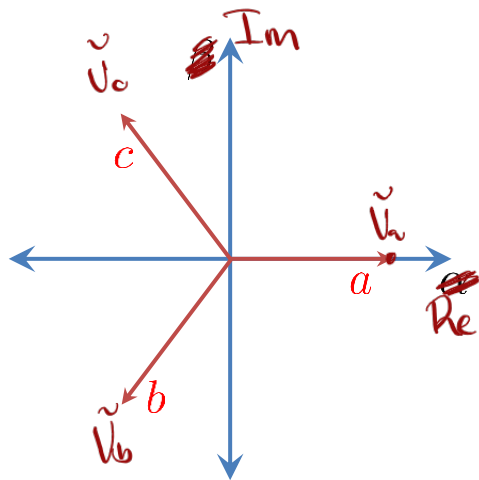
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Clarke Transformation

- Clarke transformation (alpha-beta transformation)

- A transformation matrix to change three phase signals onto the $\alpha\beta$ axes



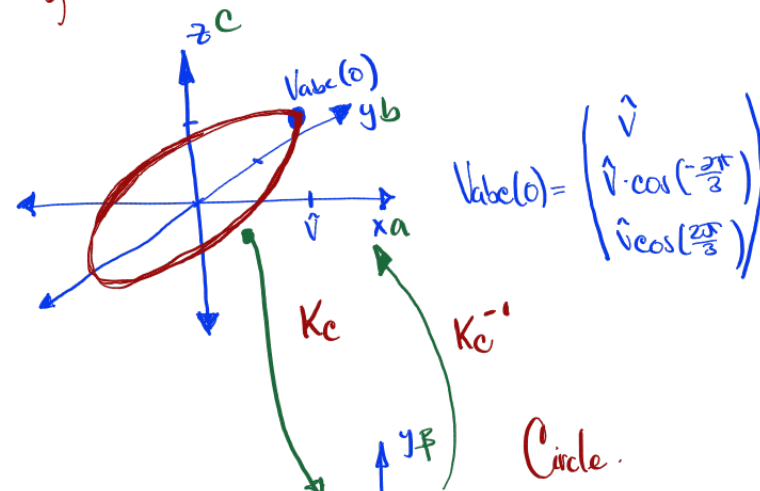
$$V_{\alpha\beta 0} = K_C V_{abc}$$

- $$V_{abc} = \begin{pmatrix} V_a(t) \\ V_b(t) \\ V_c(t) \end{pmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^3$$

- $$V_{abc} = \begin{pmatrix} \hat{V} \cos(\omega t) \\ \hat{V} \cos(\omega t - 2\pi/3) \\ \hat{V} \cos(\omega t + 2\pi/3) \end{pmatrix}$$

Clarke's Transform.

$$K_C = \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -\frac{1}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} \\ 0 & \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} & -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \end{bmatrix}$$



$$V_{abc}(t) = \begin{pmatrix} \hat{V} \cos(\omega t) \\ \hat{V} \cos(\omega t - 2\pi/3) \\ \hat{V} \cos(\omega t + 2\pi/3) \end{pmatrix}$$

$$V_a(t) = V \cos(\theta(t)) \rightarrow \tilde{V}_a = \frac{V}{\sqrt{2}} \angle 0^\circ$$

$$V_b(t) = V \cos(\theta(t) - 2\pi/3) \rightarrow \tilde{V}_b = \frac{V}{\sqrt{2}} \angle -120^\circ$$

$$V_c(t) = V \cos(\theta(t) + 2\pi/3) \rightarrow \tilde{V}_c = \frac{V}{\sqrt{2}} \angle +120^\circ$$

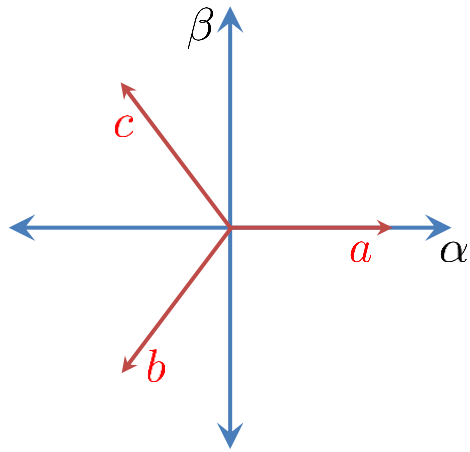
$$V_{abc} = \begin{pmatrix} V_a(t) \\ V_b(t) \\ V_c(t) \end{pmatrix} \quad V_{\alpha\beta 0} = \begin{pmatrix} V_\alpha(t) \\ V_\beta(t) \\ V_0(t) \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} V_\alpha(t) \\ V_\beta(t) \\ V_0(t) \end{bmatrix} = \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -\frac{1}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} \\ 0 & \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} & -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} V_a(t) \\ V_b(t) \\ V_c(t) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} V_\alpha \\ V_\beta \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\bullet V_0(t) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (V_a(t) + V_b(t) + V_c(t)) = 0 \text{ (Balanced)}, \quad V_\alpha = \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} \frac{\hat{V}}{2} \cos(\omega t), \quad V_\beta = \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} \frac{\hat{V}}{2} \sin(\omega t)$$

Inverse Clarke Transformation

- The inverse Clarke transformation can then be used to obtain the abc values from the alpha/beta components



$$V_{abc} = K_C^{-1} V_{\alpha\beta 0}$$

Inverse Clarke Transformation

$$K_C^{-1} = \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \\ -\frac{1}{2} & \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \\ -\frac{1}{2} & -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \end{bmatrix}$$

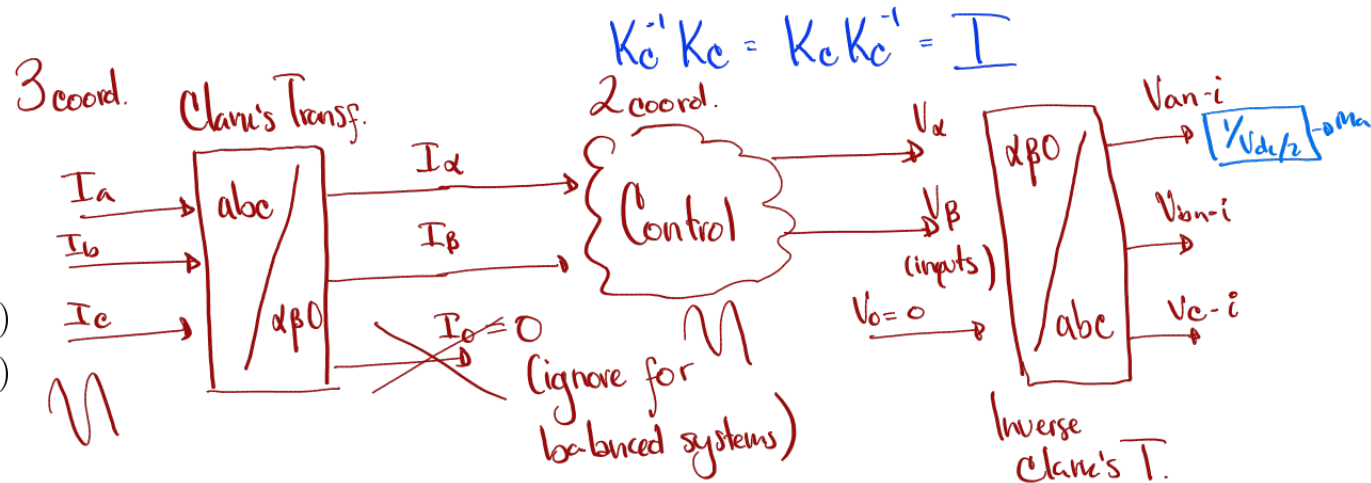
$\alpha\beta 0 \rightarrow abc$

$$V_a(t) = V \cos(\theta(t))$$

$$V_b(t) = V \cos(\theta(t) - 2\pi/3)$$

$$V_c(t) = V \cos(\theta(t) + 2\pi/3)$$

$$V_{abc} = \begin{pmatrix} V_a(t) \\ V_b(t) \\ V_c(t) \end{pmatrix} \quad V_{\alpha\beta 0} = \begin{pmatrix} V_\alpha(t) \\ V_\beta(t) \\ V_0(t) \end{pmatrix}$$



- Advantages: Design controller for 2 coordinates only (α, β)
- Disadvantage: $\alpha\beta$ components are still ac (sinusoidal)

Summary of Clarke Transformation

- Clarke transformation can be used to reduce a three phase system into orthogonal components (alpha, beta, 0)
- If the system is balanced, the V_0 component is always 0

$$V_a(t) = V \cos(\theta(t))$$

$$V_b(t) = V \cos(\theta(t) - 2\pi/3)$$

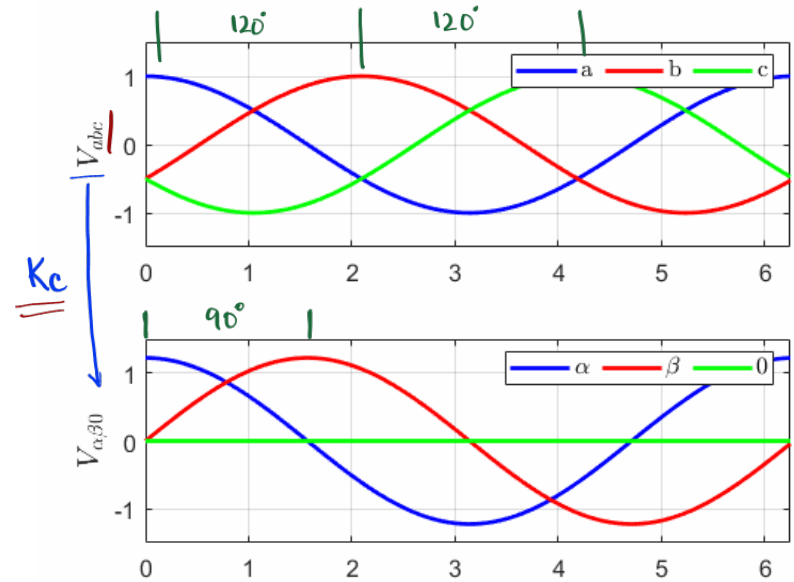
$$V_c(t) = V \cos(\theta(t) + 2\pi/3)$$

$$V_{abc} = \begin{pmatrix} V_a(t) \\ V_b(t) \\ V_c(t) \end{pmatrix} \quad V_{\alpha\beta 0} = \begin{pmatrix} V_\alpha(t) \\ V_\beta(t) \\ V_0(t) \end{pmatrix}$$

$$V_{\alpha\beta 0} = K_C V_{abc} \quad V_{abc} = K_C^{-1} V_{\alpha\beta 0}$$

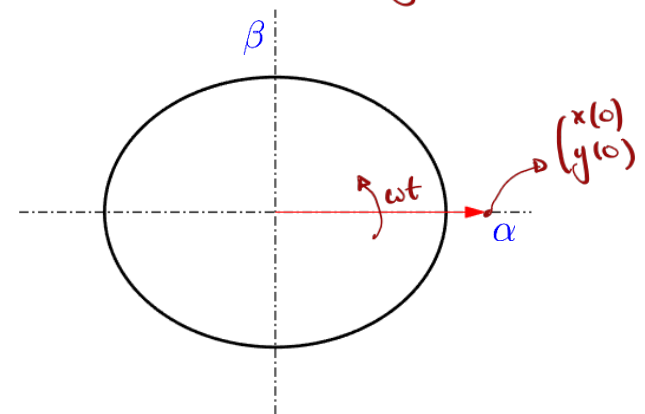
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→ Power Invariant Clarke's Transformation



$$V_\alpha = \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} \cdot \frac{3}{2} \cos(\omega t) \quad V_\beta = \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} \cdot \frac{3}{2} \sin(\omega t)$$

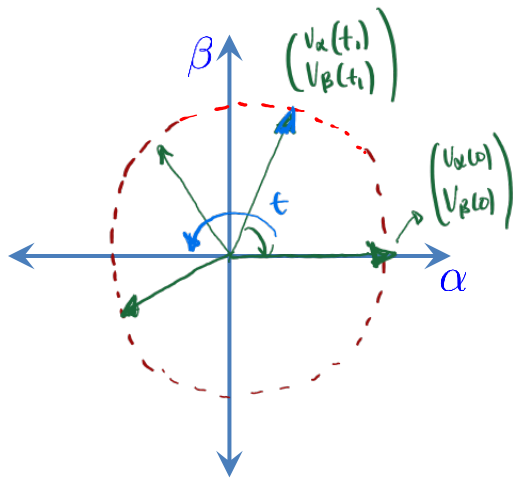
$x(t)$ $y(t)$



Park Transformation

- Park transformation (direct-quadrature transformation (dq))

- The dq transformation changes a three phase system into **dc values/signals**. (PI, Integrators)
- This can be done by first converting to alpha/beta/0 components, and then do an angle rotation matrix!



$\alpha, \beta, 0$ first

$$V_{dq0} = K_{PC} V_{\alpha\beta 0}$$

$t=0 \quad V_d(0) = \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} \cdot \frac{3}{2} \hat{V}$
 $V_q(0) = 0$

$\theta = \omega t = 2\pi f t \quad f = 60\text{Hz}$

$$\begin{bmatrix} V_d \\ V_q \\ V_0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \cos(\theta) & \sin(\theta) & 0 \\ -\sin(\theta) & \cos(\theta) & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} V_\alpha \\ V_\beta \\ V_0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$V_\alpha = \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} \cdot \frac{3}{2} \hat{V} \cos(\omega t)$
 $V_\beta = \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} \cdot \frac{3}{2} \hat{V} \sin(\omega t)$
 $\tilde{V} = \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} \cdot \frac{3}{2} \hat{V}$

• Ignore V_0 component (balanced systems)

$$\begin{bmatrix} V_d \\ V_q \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \cos(\omega t) & \sin(\omega t) \\ -\sin(\omega t) & \cos(\omega t) \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} V_\alpha = \tilde{V} \cos(\omega t) \\ V_\beta = \tilde{V} \sin(\omega t) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \tilde{V} \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

- for this case, $V_d = \tilde{V}$
 $V_q = 0$
 $\phi = 0$

$V_d = \tilde{V} \cos^2(\omega t) + \tilde{V} \sin^2(\omega t) = \tilde{V}$
 $V_q = \tilde{V} \cos(\omega t) \sin(\omega t) - \tilde{V} \sin(\omega t) \cos(\omega t) = 0$

- If $\phi \neq 0$, $V_d \neq 0$, $V_q \neq 0$ (constant values)

$$\begin{bmatrix} V_a(t) \\ V_b(t) \\ V_c(t) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} V_d(t) \\ V_q(t) \\ V_0(t) \end{bmatrix}$$

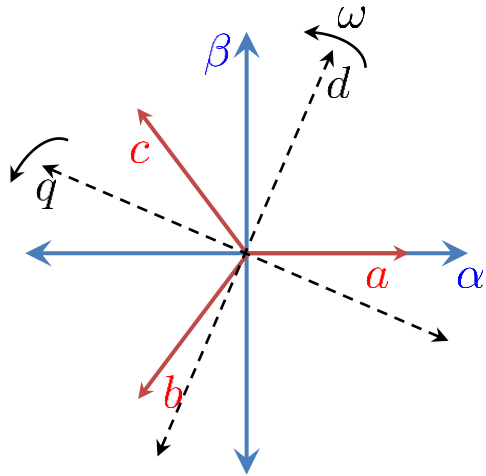
$$V_a(t) = V \cos(\theta(t))$$

$$V_b(t) = V \cos(\theta(t) - 2\pi/3)$$

$$V_c(t) = V \cos(\theta(t) + 2\pi/3)$$

Park Transformation (2)

- Park transformation (direct-quadrature transformation (dq))
 - The dq transformation changes a three phase system into **dc values**



$$V_{dq0} = \underline{K_P} V_{abc} \quad (\text{Skips Clarke's transformation})$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} V_d \\ V_q \\ V_0 \end{bmatrix} = \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} \begin{bmatrix} \cos(\theta) & \cos(\theta - 2\pi/3) & \cos(\theta + 2\pi/3) \\ -\sin(\theta) & -\sin(\theta - 2\pi/3) & -\sin(\theta + 2\pi/3) \\ \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} & \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} & \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} V_a \\ V_b \\ V_c \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} V_a(t) &= \hat{V} \cos(\theta(t) + \phi) \\ V_b(t) &= \hat{V} \cos(\theta(t) - 2\pi/3 + \phi) \\ V_c(t) &= V \cos(\theta(t) + 2\pi/3 + \phi) \end{aligned}$$

$$V_0 = \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} (V_a + V_b + V_c) = 0$$

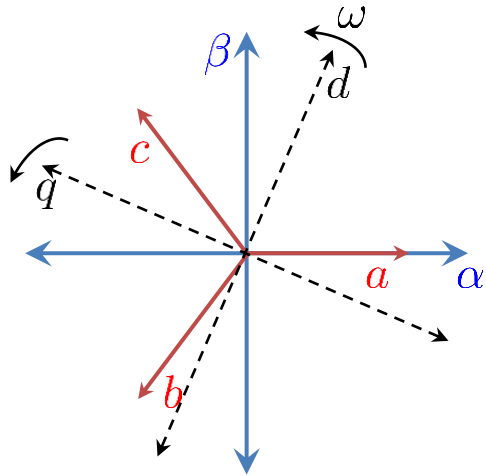
$$\text{When } \phi = 0 \quad \underline{V_d = \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} \cdot \frac{3}{2} \hat{V}}, \quad \underline{V_q = 0}$$

When $\phi \neq 0$ $V_d \neq 0$ $V_q \neq 0$ Constant elements. (DC components)

$$V_{abc} = \begin{pmatrix} V_a(t) \\ V_b(t) \\ V_c(t) \end{pmatrix} \quad V_{dq0} = \begin{pmatrix} V_d(t) \\ V_q(t) \\ V_0(t) \end{pmatrix}$$

Inverse Park Transformation

- The inverse park transformation converts the $dq0$ components back to abc



$$V_{abc} = K_P^{-1} V_{dq0}$$

Power invariant Transf.

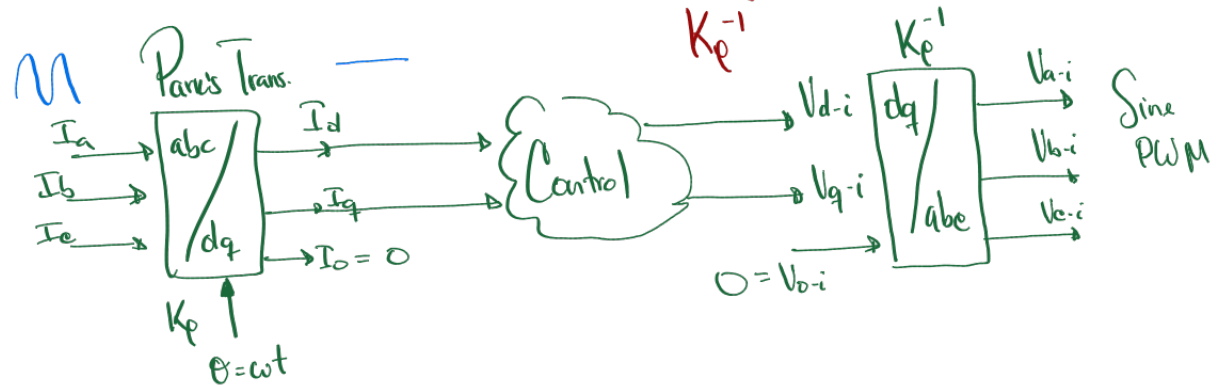
$$K_P K_P^{-1} = K_P^{-1} K_P = I$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} V_a \\ V_b \\ V_c \end{bmatrix} = \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} \begin{bmatrix} \cos(\theta) & -\sin(\theta) & \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \\ \cos(\theta - 2\pi/3) & -\sin(\theta - 2\pi/3) & \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \\ \cos(\theta + 2\pi/3) & -\sin(\theta + 2\pi/3) & \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} V_d \\ V_q \\ V_0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$V_a(t) = V \cos(\theta(t))$$

$$V_b(t) = V \cos(\theta(t) - 2\pi/3)$$

$$V_c(t) = V \cos(\theta(t) + 2\pi/3)$$



$$V_{abc} = \begin{pmatrix} V_a(t) \\ V_b(t) \\ V_c(t) \end{pmatrix} \quad V_{dq0} = \begin{pmatrix} V_d(t) \\ V_q(t) \\ V_0(t) \end{pmatrix}$$

Summary of Park Transformation

- Park transformation can be used to transform a three phase system into **dc** components!
- **If the system is balanced, the V_0 component is always 0!**

$$V_a(t) = V \cos(\theta(t) + \phi)$$

$$V_b(t) = V \cos(\theta(t) - 2\pi/3 + \phi)$$

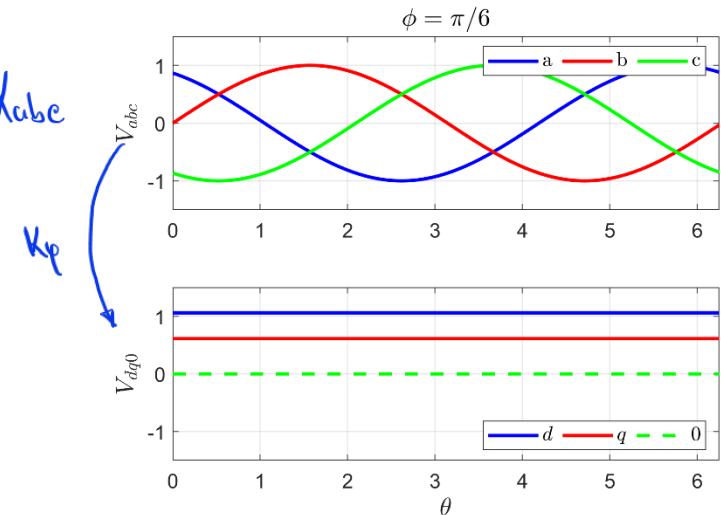
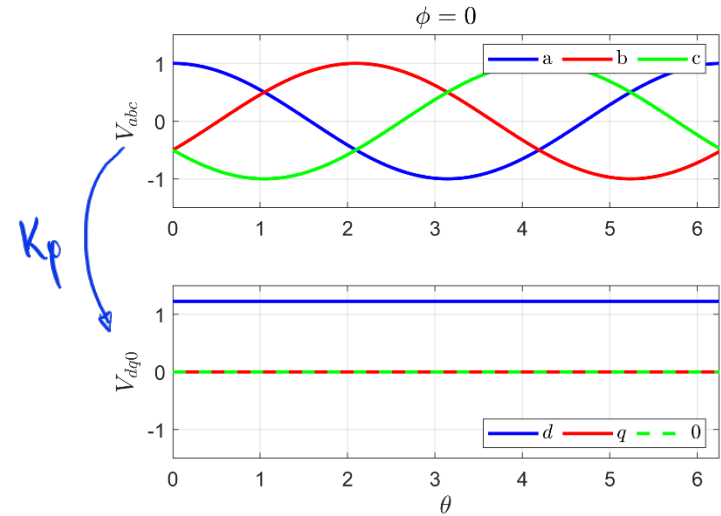
$$V_c(t) = V \cos(\theta(t) + 2\pi/3 + \phi)$$

$$V_{abc} = \begin{pmatrix} V_a(t) \\ V_b(t) \\ V_c(t) \end{pmatrix} \quad V_{dq0} = \begin{pmatrix} V_d(t) \\ V_q(t) \\ V_0(t) \end{pmatrix}$$

$$V_{dq0} = K_P V_{abc} \quad V_{abc} = K_P^{-1} V_{dq0}$$

$$K_P = \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} \begin{bmatrix} \cos(\theta) & \cos(\theta - 2\pi/3) & \cos(\theta + 2\pi/3) \\ -\sin(\theta) & -\sin(\theta - 2\pi/3) & -\sin(\theta + 2\pi/3) \\ \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} & \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} & \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \end{bmatrix}$$

$X_{dq0} = K_P X_{abc}$
 $X = V, I$



$\theta = \omega t = 2\pi f t$ $f = 60\text{Hz}$

Clarke and Park Transformation for Balanced Systems

- If the three phase system is known to be balanced, we can ignore the 0 component
- This simplifies the equations significantly

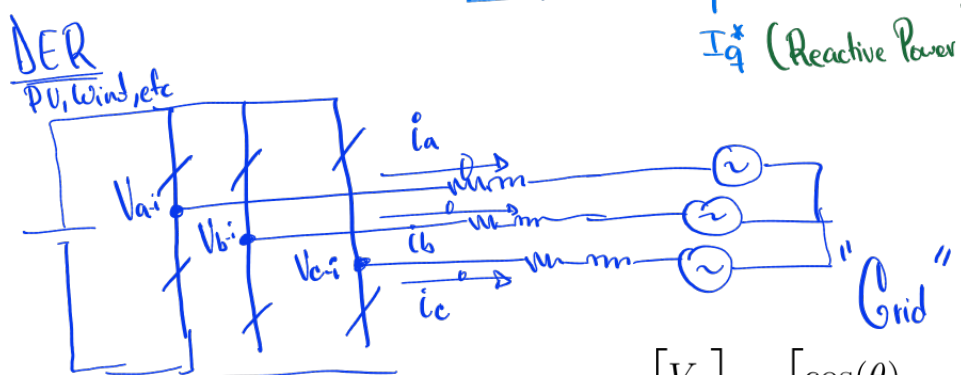
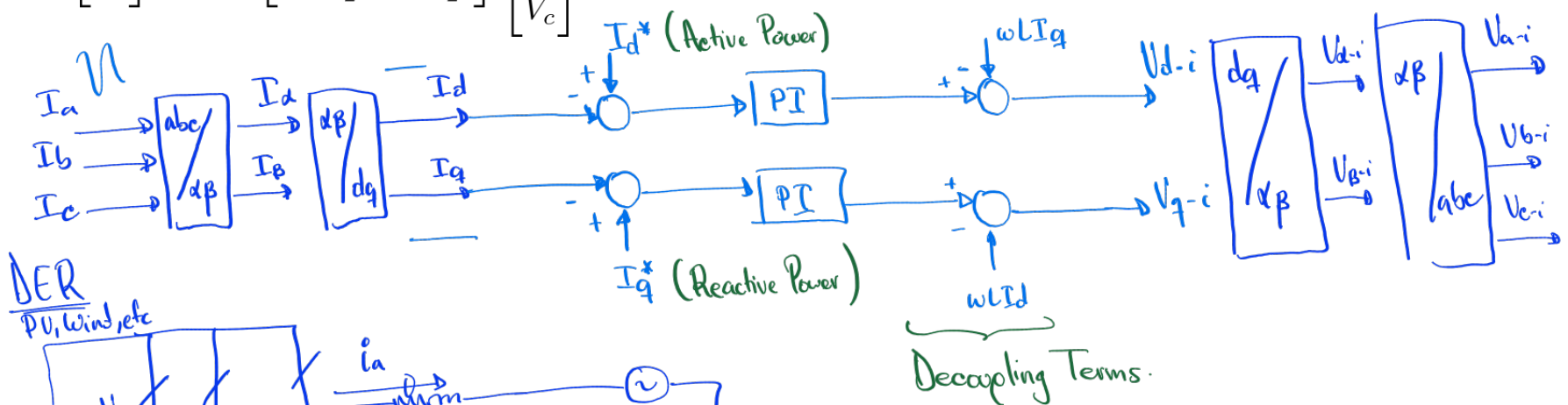
Current Control in dq frame.

Clarke's

Park's

$$\begin{bmatrix} V_\alpha \\ V_\beta \end{bmatrix} = \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -\frac{1}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} \\ 0 & \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} & -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} V_a \\ V_b \\ V_c \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} V_d \\ V_q \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \cos(\theta) & \sin(\theta) \\ -\sin(\theta) & \cos(\theta) \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} V_\alpha \\ V_\beta \end{bmatrix}$$



$$\begin{bmatrix} V_\alpha \\ V_\beta \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \cos(\theta) & -\sin(\theta) \\ \sin(\theta) & \cos(\theta) \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} V_d \\ V_q \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} V_a \\ V_b \\ V_c \end{bmatrix} = \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ -\frac{1}{2} & \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \\ -\frac{1}{2} & -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} V_\alpha \\ V_\beta \end{bmatrix}$$

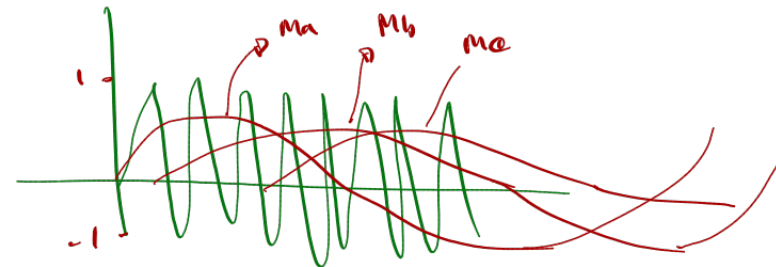
Decoupling Terms.

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Sine-PWM



$$V_{an}(t) = m_a(t) \cdot \frac{V_{dc}}{2}, m_a(t) \in [-1, 1]$$

Max. peak line to neutral voltage
using Sine PWM is $\frac{V_{dc}}{2}$

Space Vector PWM: Switching Signals to Vabc-o

- The alpha/beta transformation can be used to modulate a three phase inverter
- Let's analyze all of the switching signals for a three phase inverter!

• What are V_{AO}, V_{BO}, V_{CO} as a function of S_1, S_3, S_5 ? $\Rightarrow V_{Ai}, V_{Pi}$

- $V_{AO} = f(S_1, S_3, S_5, V_{dc})$ (Not trivial) if $S_1=1 \Rightarrow V_{AN} = V_{dc}$
 $S_1=0 \Rightarrow V_{AN} = 0$

- $V_{AN} = S_1 V_{dc}, V_{BN} = S_3 V_{dc}, V_{CN} = S_5 V_{dc}$

- $V_{AB} = V_{AO} - V_{BO} = V_{AN} - V_{BN} = (S_1 - S_3) V_{dc}$

- $V_{BC} = V_{BO} - V_{CO} = V_{BN} - V_{CN} = (S_3 - S_5) V_{dc}$

- $V_{CA} = V_{CO} - V_{AO} = V_{CN} - V_{AN} = (S_5 - S_1) V_{dc}$

\Rightarrow 3 ϕ balanced system: $V_{AO} + V_{BO} + V_{CO} = 0$

$$V_{BC} - V_{AB} = V_{BO} - V_{CO} - (V_{AO} - V_{BO}) = 2V_{BO} - V_{CO} - V_{AO} = 2V_{BO} - (V_{AO} + V_{CO}) = 3V_{BO}$$

$$V_{BC} - V_{AB} = 3V_{BO} = [(S_3 - S_5) - (S_1 - S_3)] V_{dc} = [2S_3 - S_1 - S_5] V_{dc} *$$

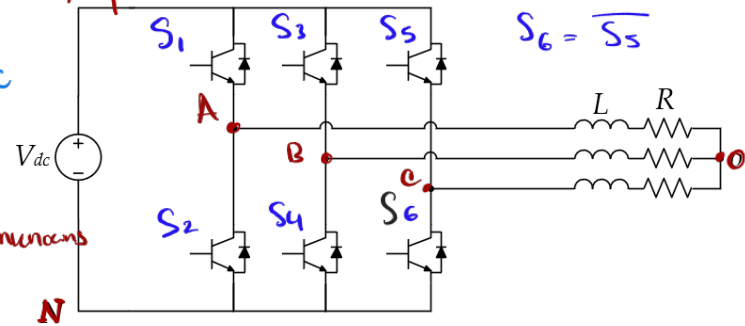
$\Rightarrow V_{BO} = \frac{V_{dc}}{3} (-S_1 + 2S_3 - S_5)$, Similarly:

$$V_{AO} = \frac{V_{dc}}{3} (2S_1 - S_3 - S_5)$$

$$V_{CO} = \frac{V_{dc}}{3} (-S_1 - S_3 + 2S_5)$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} V_{AO} \\ V_{BO} \\ V_{CO} \end{bmatrix} = \frac{V_{dc}}{3} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 & -1 \\ -1 & 2 & -1 \\ -1 & -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} S_1 \\ S_3 \\ S_5 \end{bmatrix} *$$

$$S_2 = \overline{S_1} \\ S_4 = \overline{S_3} \\ S_6 = \overline{S_5}$$



3 eqns, 3 unknowns

- 3 independent switches: S_1, S_3, S_5
 $S_{1,3,5} \in \{0, 1\}$

- How many switching combinations does have?

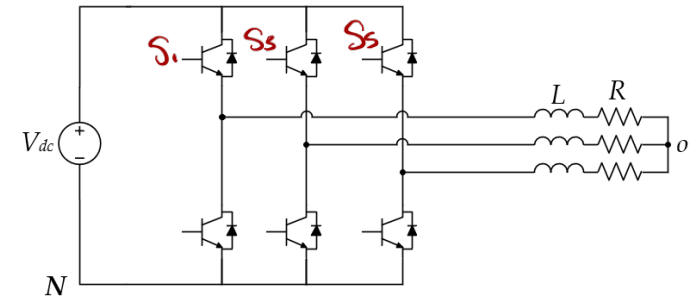
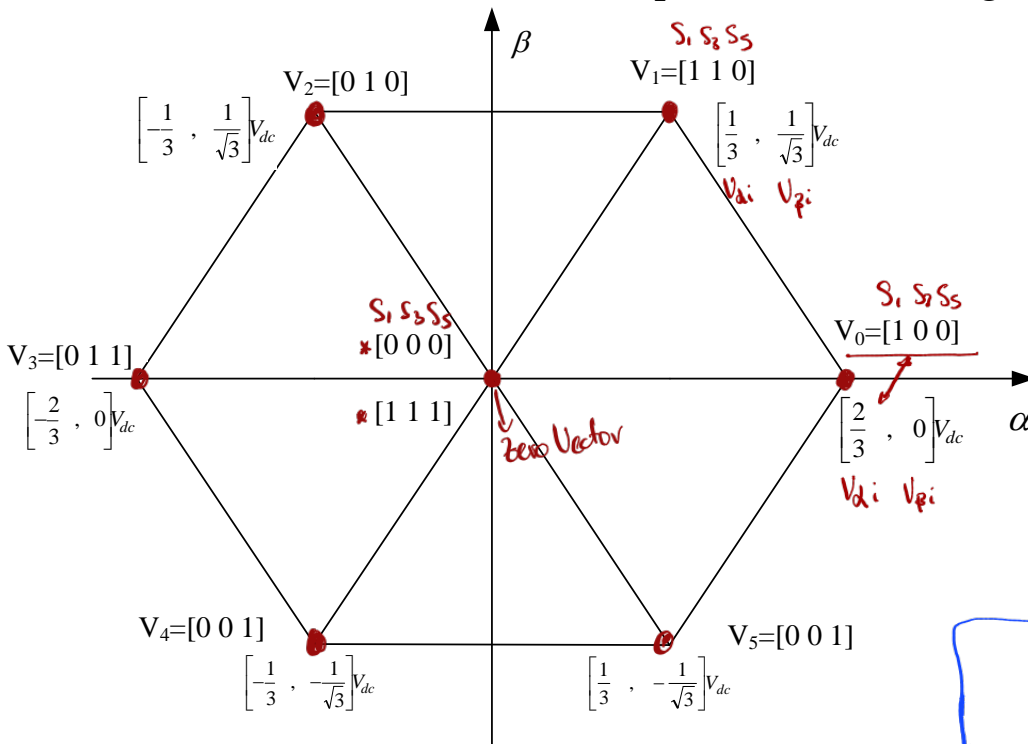
$$2^3 = 8$$

S_5	S_3	S_1
0	0	0
0	0	1
0	1	0
0	1	1
1	0	0
1	0	1
1	1	0
1	1	1

What about $\begin{bmatrix} V_{\alpha} \\ V_{\beta} \\ V_0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} ? \\ ? \\ ? \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} S_1 \\ S_3 \\ S_5 \end{bmatrix} ?$

Space Vector PWM: Switching Signals to Alpha/Beta

- We can then convert each possible switching combination (8) to alpha/beta component



Goal: Obtain $\begin{pmatrix} V_{\alpha} \\ V_{\beta} \end{pmatrix}$ as a function of S_1, S_2, S_3 .
 - We can use Clarke's transformation (Not Power Inv.)

	S_1	S_2	S_3	$V_{\alpha i}$	$V_{\beta i}$	
1	0	0	0	0	0	→ Zero Vector
2	0	0	1	$-\frac{1}{3}$	$-\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$	
3	0	1	0	$-\frac{1}{3}$	$\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$	
...	0	1	1	$-\frac{2}{3}$	0	
...	1	0	0	$\frac{2}{3}$	0	
...	1	0	1	$\frac{1}{3}$	$-\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$	
...	1	1	0	$\frac{1}{3}$	$\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$	
8	1	1	1	0	0	→ Zero Vector

$$\begin{bmatrix} V_{\alpha i} \\ V_{\beta i} \end{bmatrix} = \frac{2}{3} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \\ 0 & \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} & -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} V_{Ao} \\ V_{Bo} \\ V_{Co} \end{bmatrix}$$

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$$\begin{bmatrix} V_{\alpha i} \\ V_{\beta i} \end{bmatrix} = \frac{2}{3} \cdot \frac{V_{dc}}{3} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \\ 0 & \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} & -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 & -1 \\ -1 & 2 & -1 \\ -1 & -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} S_1 \\ S_2 \\ S_3 \end{bmatrix}$$

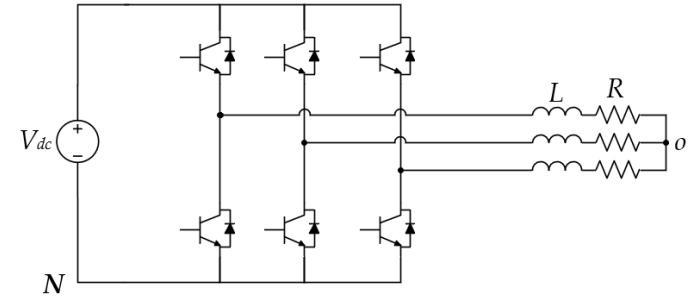
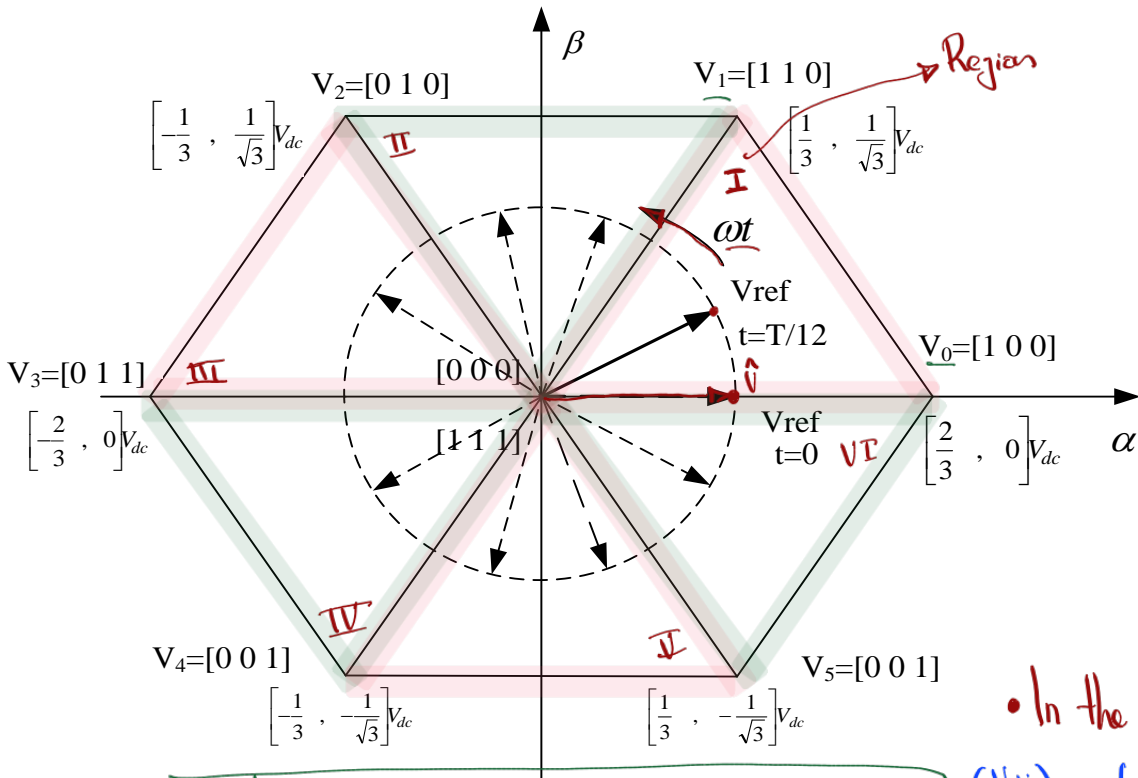
$S_{1,2,3} \in \{0, 1\}$
 only 8 possible combinations!

Try a few cases...
 for $S_1, S_2, S_3 = 001$

$$\begin{bmatrix} V_{\alpha i} \\ V_{\beta i} \end{bmatrix} = V_{dc} \begin{bmatrix} \frac{2}{3} & -\frac{1}{3} & \frac{1}{3} \\ 0 & \frac{\sqrt{3}}{3} & -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{3} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} S_1 \\ S_2 \\ S_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{2}{3} \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \cdot V_{dc}$$

Space Vector PWM: Rotating Reference Signal

- **Rotating Reference:** in the $\alpha\beta$ plane formed by the Clark transformation of balanced three phase voltages (currents).



• Consider a certain "desired" inverter voltage:

$$V_{a-i} = \hat{V} \cos(\omega t + \phi)$$

$$V_{b-i} = \hat{V} \cos(\omega t + \phi - 2\pi/3)$$

$$V_{c-i} = \hat{V} \cos(\omega t + \phi + 2\pi/3)$$

• In the $\alpha\beta$ frame (not power invariant transformation):

$$\begin{pmatrix} V_{\alpha i} \\ V_{\beta i} \end{pmatrix} = \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -\frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \\ 0 & \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} & -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} V_a \\ V_b \\ V_c \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{matrix} V_{\alpha i} = \hat{V} \cos(\omega t + \phi) \\ V_{\beta i} = \hat{V} \sin(\omega t + \phi) \end{matrix}$$

Standard Clarke

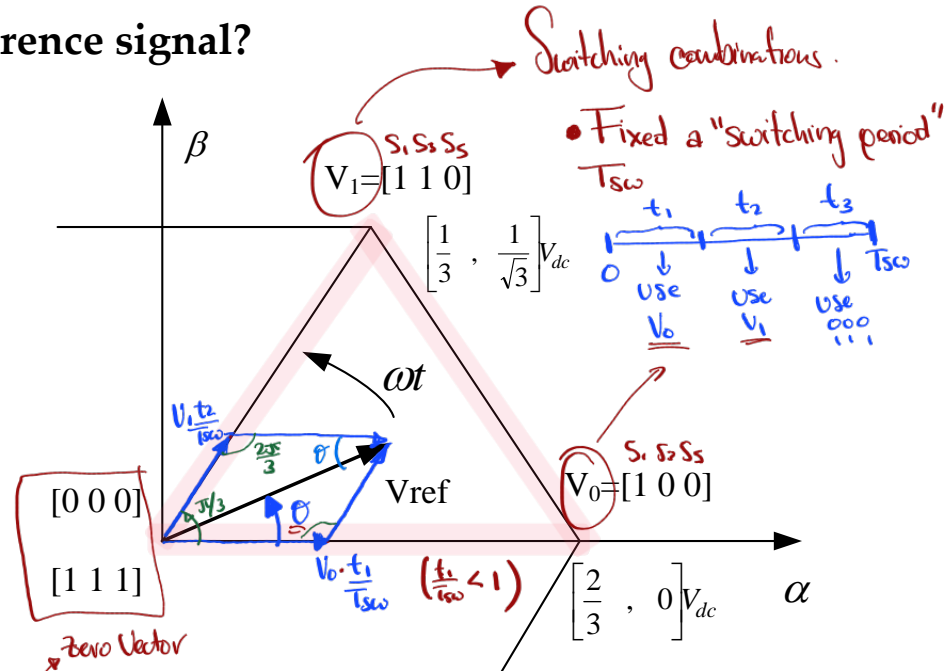
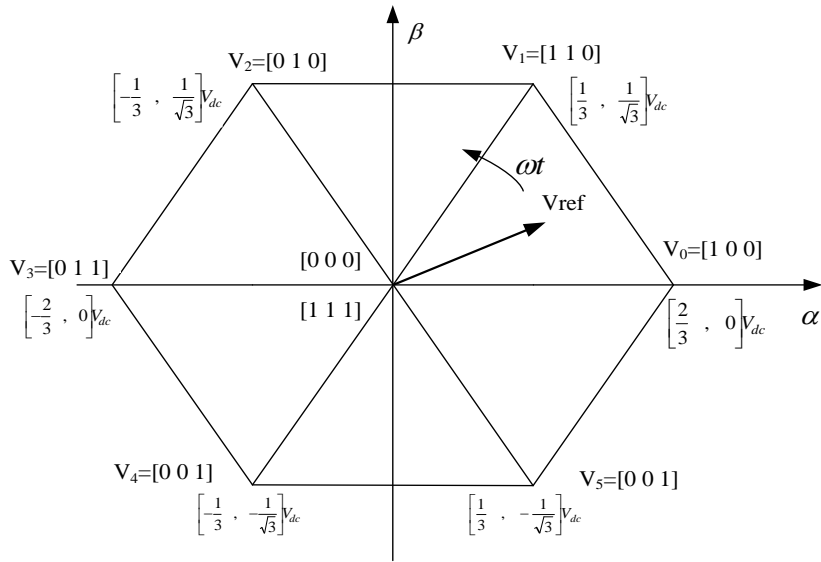
Mag = $\sqrt{V_{\alpha i}^2 + V_{\beta i}^2} = \hat{V}$
 ang = $\tan^{-1} \left(\frac{V_{\beta i}}{V_{\alpha i}} \right) = \omega t + \phi$
 Same magnitude.

if $\phi = 0 \Rightarrow$ Mag = \hat{V}
 angle = ωt . (rotating vector)

• Main idea: if the vector $\begin{pmatrix} V_{\alpha i} \\ V_{\beta i} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \hat{V} \cos(\omega t + \phi) \\ \hat{V} \sin(\omega t + \phi) \end{pmatrix}$ is in region I, use switching combinations. $S_0 \hat{=} \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$, $S_1 \hat{=} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$ and $\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$ to "approximate" it! Similar for other regions. (average)

SVPWM: Reference Synthesis with Switching Vectors

- How can we approximate a rotating reference signal?



- Fix a switching period T_{sw} and define 3 times t_1, t_2, t_3 s.t. $t_1 + t_2 + t_3 = T_{sw}$

- If $T_{sw} \ll \frac{1}{f} = T_f$ then V_{ref} is approximately constant during T_{sw} .

- Goal: Approximate V_{ref} an "average" during one T_{sw} , i.e.:

$$V_{ref} \approx \underbrace{V_0 \cdot \frac{t_1}{T_{sw}}}_{\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}} + \underbrace{V_1 \cdot \frac{t_2}{T_{sw}}}_{\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}} + \underbrace{V_2 \cdot \frac{t_3}{T_{sw}}}_{\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}}$$

- Unknowns: t_1, t_2, t_3 , We can use the "law of sines"

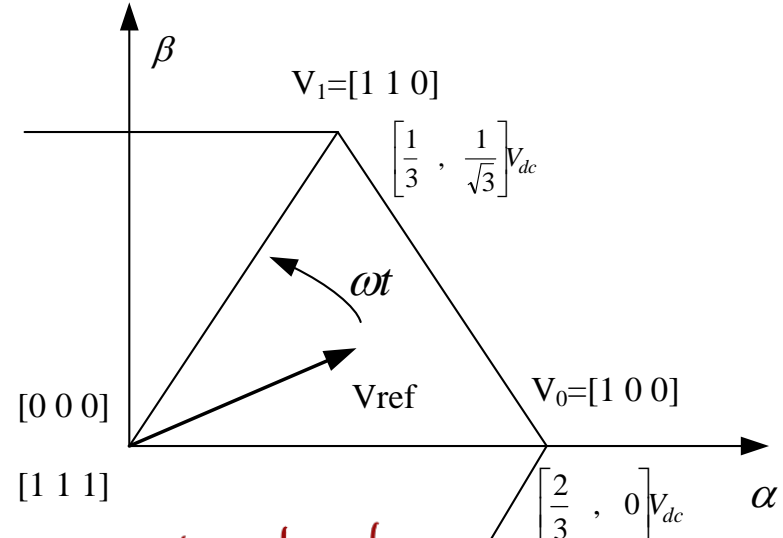
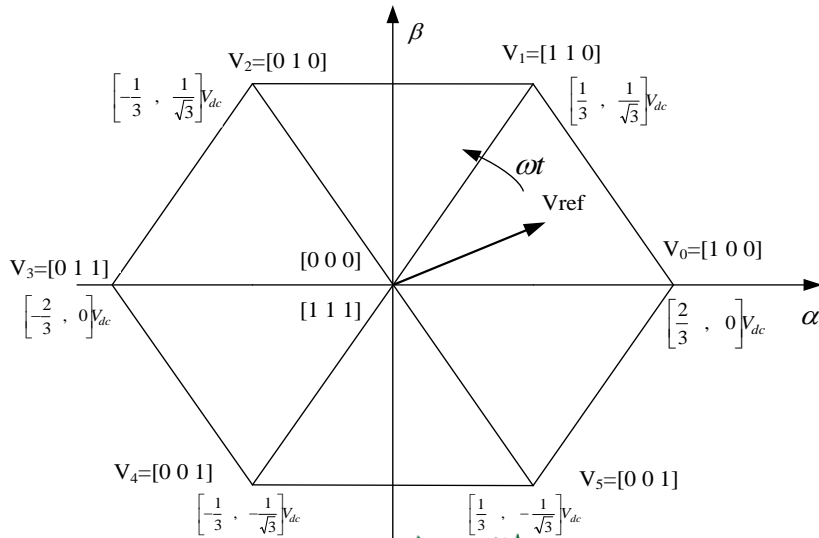
$$\frac{|V_{ref}|}{\sin(\frac{2\pi}{3})} = \frac{|V_0| \cdot \frac{t_1}{T_{sw}}}{\sin(\frac{\pi}{3} - \theta)} = \frac{|V_1| \cdot \frac{t_2}{T_{sw}}}{\sin(\theta)}$$

$$|V_{ref}| = \sqrt{V_{\alpha i}^2 + V_{\beta i}^2}$$

$$\theta = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{V_{\beta i}}{V_{\alpha i}}\right)$$

SVPWM: Reference Synthesis with Switching Vectors

- How can we approximate a rotating reference signal?



Goal: $V_{ref} = \frac{2}{3}V_{dc}e^{j\theta} = \frac{1}{3}V_{dc} + j\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}V_{dc}e^{j\theta}$

$$V_{ref} = V_0 \cdot \frac{t_1}{T_{sw}} + V_1 \cdot \frac{t_2}{T_{sw}} + V_2 \cdot \frac{t_3}{T_{sw}}$$

for t_1 : $\frac{|V_{ref}|}{\sin(\frac{2\pi}{3})} = \frac{|V_0| \cdot \frac{t_1}{T_{sw}}}{\sin(\frac{\pi}{3} - \theta)}$

$$= \frac{\frac{2}{3} \cdot V_{dc} \cdot \frac{t_1}{T_{sw}}}{\sin(\frac{\pi}{3} - \theta)}$$

$S_1=1$
 $S_2=0$
 $S_3=0$

$S_0 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} T_{sw}$

$$t_1 = \frac{3}{2} \cdot \frac{T_{sw}}{V_{dc}} \cdot \frac{\sin(\frac{\pi}{3} - \theta)}{\sin(\frac{2\pi}{3})} \cdot |V_{ref}|$$

for t_2 : $\frac{|V_{ref}|}{\sin(\frac{2\pi}{3})} = \frac{|V_1| \cdot \frac{t_2}{T_{sw}}}{\sin(\theta)}$

$$= \frac{\frac{2}{3} \cdot V_{dc} \cdot \frac{t_2}{T_{sw}}}{\sin(\theta)}$$

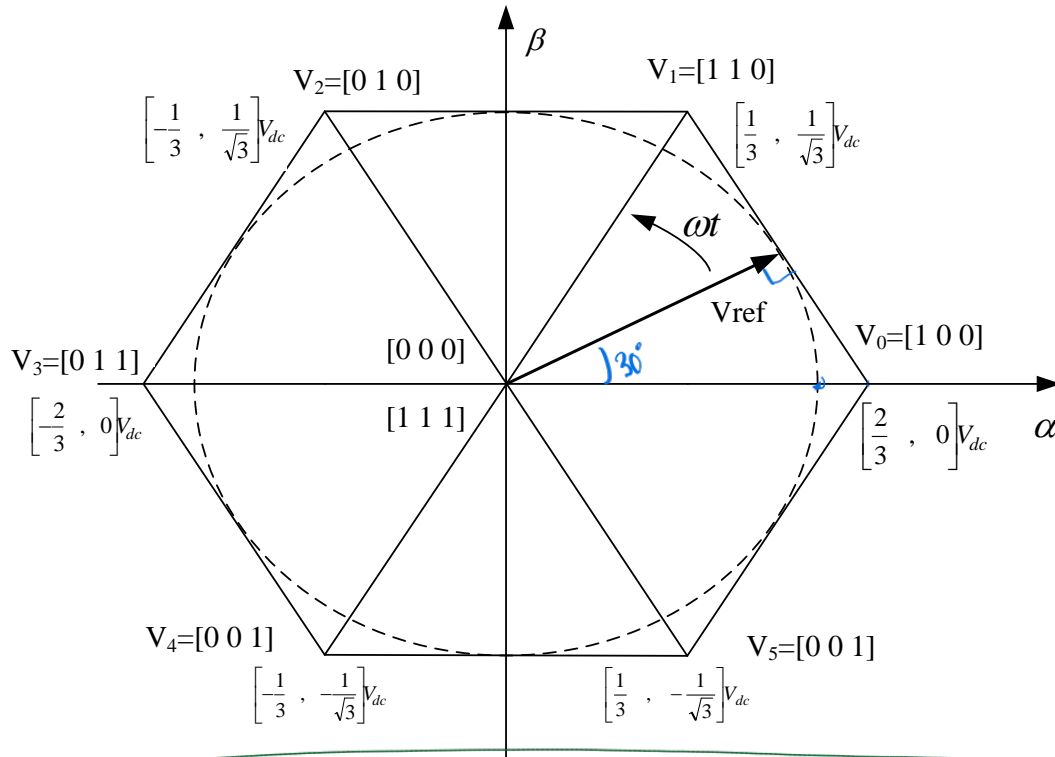
$$t_2 = \frac{3}{2} \cdot \frac{T_{sw}}{V_{dc}} \cdot \frac{\sin(\theta)}{\sin(\frac{2\pi}{3})} \cdot |V_{ref}|$$

• What about t_3 ?

$$T_{sw} = t_1 + t_2 + t_3 \Rightarrow t_3 = T_{sw} - t_1 - t_2$$

SVPWM: Voltage Capability

- How does SVPWM compare to Sine PWM?



SVPWM has a better dc bus voltage utilization factor

$0.577 > 0.5$

$0.577 V_{dc} > 0.5 V_{dc}$

SVPWM > SPWM

Sine-PWM

$$\hat{V}_i = \hat{m}_i \cdot \frac{V_{dc}}{2} \quad i = a, b, c$$

$\hat{m}_i \in [0, 1] \rightarrow$ max peak volt. is $\frac{V_{dc}}{2}$

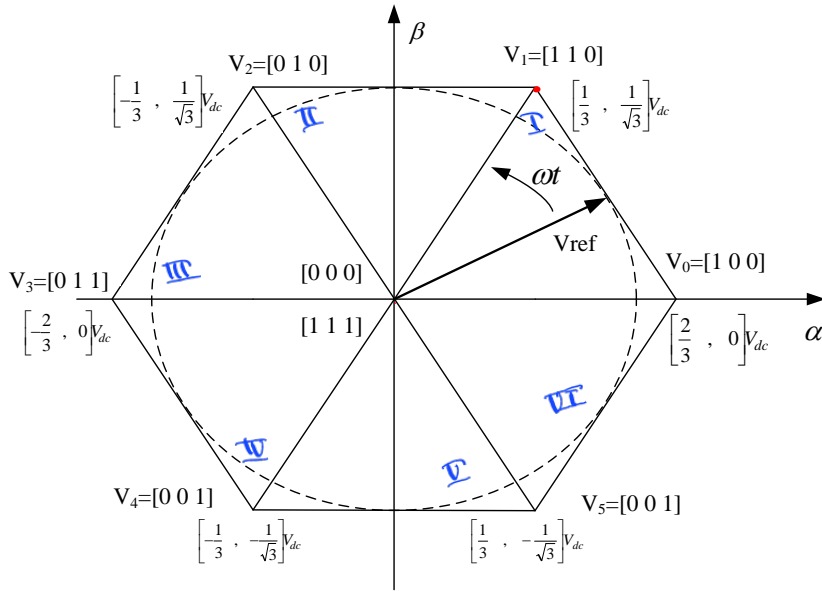
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max peak voltage is $\hat{V}_i = \frac{2}{3} \cdot V_{dc} \cdot \cos(30^\circ)$

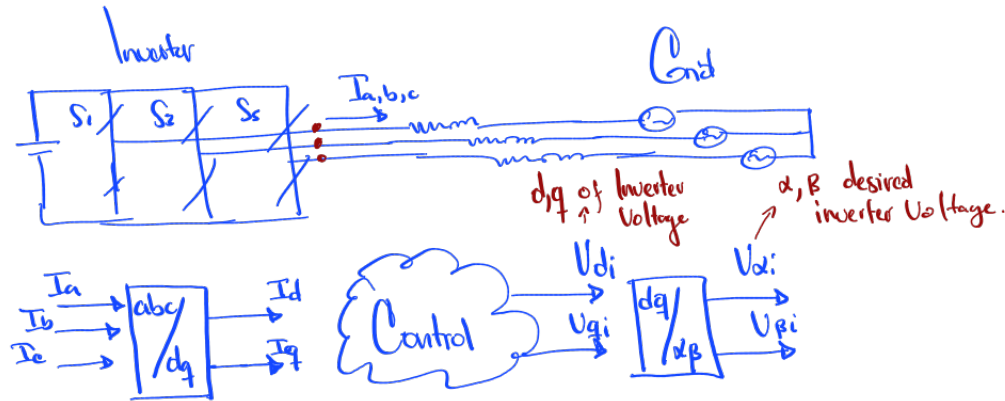
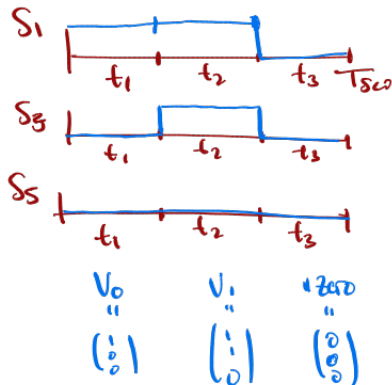
$$\hat{V}_i = 0.577 V_{dc}$$

SVPWM: Summary

Steps to implement SVPWM



• for sector I:



1) Obtain desired inverter voltage in α/β frame, $V_{\alpha i}, V_{\beta i}$

2) Compute $V_{ref1} = \sqrt{V_{\alpha i}^2 + V_{\beta i}^2}$ $\theta = \tan^{-1}(\frac{V_{\beta i}}{V_{\alpha i}})$

3) Decide which sector you are on (I, II, ..., VI) and switching combinations to use:

I: $V_0 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, V_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, (1) | (0)$

II: V_1, V_2

III: V_2, V_3

4) Compute the times t_1, t_2, t_3 given fixed T_{sw} .

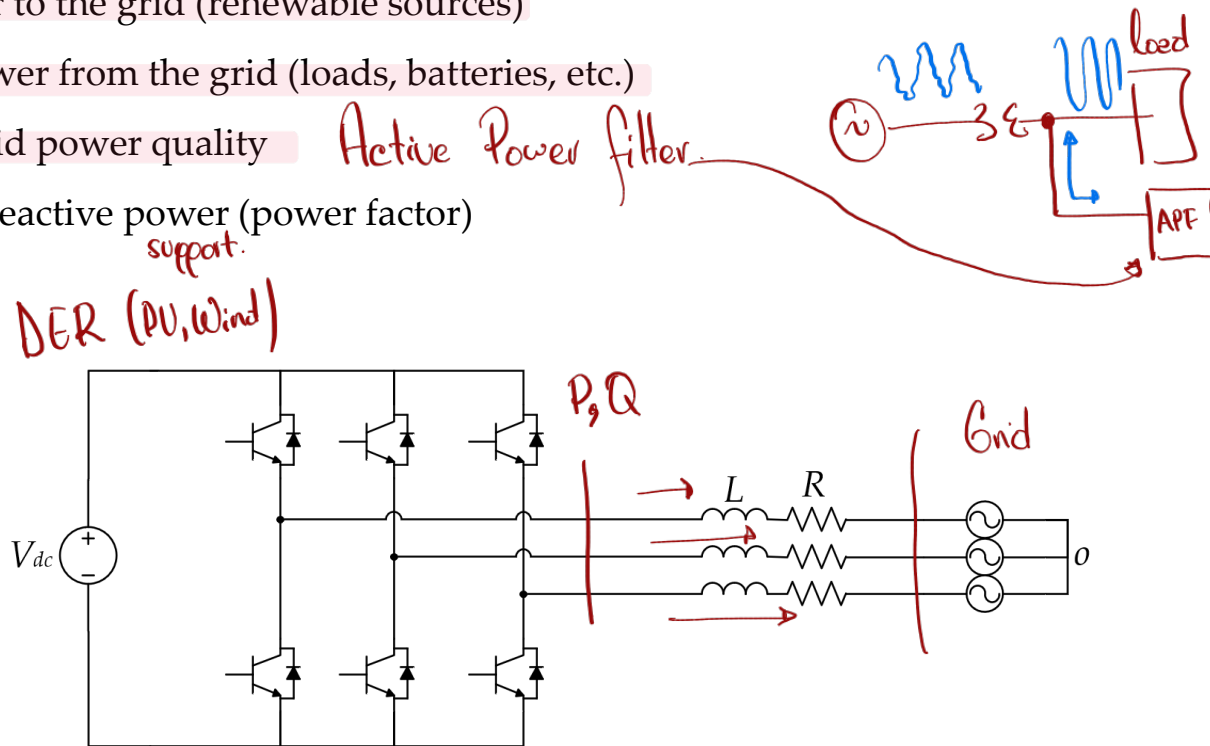
I: $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \downarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \downarrow \text{zero} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} | \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$

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Motivation for Inverter Control

- The transformations we have learned can help us in controlling a three phase inverter to the grid
- Motivations for grid connections:
 - Send power to the grid (renewable sources)
 - Receive power from the grid (loads, batteries, etc.)
 - Improve grid power quality *Active Power filter.*
 - Help with reactive power (power factor) *support.*
 -



Active Power in Alpha/Beta and DQ Coordinates

- The instantaneous power of a three phase system can be computed as follows:

$$P_{3\phi}(t) = P_{3\phi} = V_{a_n} I_a + V_{b_n} I_b + V_{c_n} I_c = \underline{\text{Constant}}$$

$V_{a_n}(t) I_a(t) + \dots + \dots$

Power Invariant

$$K_C = \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -\frac{1}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} \\ 0 & \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} & -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \end{bmatrix}$$

- Derive this power in terms of α/β and dq coordinates

Instantaneous Power = $P_{3\phi}(t) = V_{a_n}(t) I_a(t) + V_{b_n}(t) I_b(t) + V_{c_n}(t) I_c(t)$

$$\Rightarrow P_{3\phi}(t) = \langle V_{abc}, I_{abc} \rangle = V_{abc}^T I_{abc} = (V_{a_n} \ V_{b_n} \ V_{c_n}) \begin{pmatrix} I_a \\ I_b \\ I_c \end{pmatrix}$$

$$V_{abc} = \begin{pmatrix} V_{a_n}(t) \\ V_{b_n}(t) \\ V_{c_n}(t) \end{pmatrix}, I_{abc} = \begin{pmatrix} I_a(t) \\ I_b(t) \\ I_c(t) \end{pmatrix}$$

$V_{abc} \in \mathbb{R}^3 \quad I_{abc} \in \mathbb{R}^3$

In $dq0$ frame: $P_{3\phi}(t) = (K_C^{-1} V_{dq0})^T (K_C^{-1} I_{dq0})$

$$= V_{dq0}^T \underbrace{(K_C^{-1})^T K_C^{-1}}_{I_{3 \times 3}} I_{dq0}$$

$$V_{dq0} = \begin{pmatrix} V_d \\ V_q \\ V_0 \end{pmatrix} = K_C V_{abc} \Leftrightarrow V_{abc} = K_C^{-1} V_{dq0}$$

$$I_{abc} = K_C^{-1} I_{dq0}$$

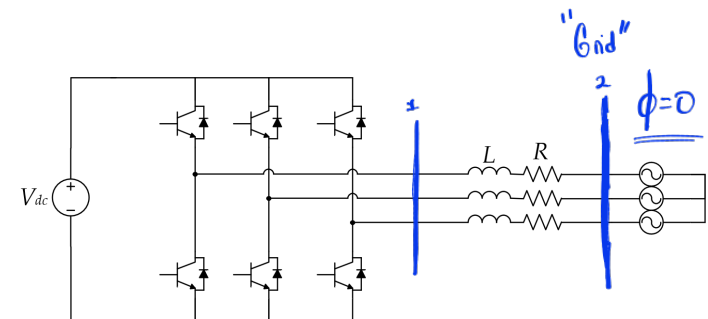
$$(AB)^T = B^T A^T$$

$$K_C^{-1} = K_C^T \quad (\text{Power Invariant})$$

$$\Rightarrow P_{3\phi}(t) = V_{dq0}^T I_{dq0} = V_d I_d + V_q I_q + V_0 I_0$$

$$P_{3\phi} = V_d I_d + V_q I_q \quad (\text{Balanced})$$

In $dq0$ frame: $P_{3\phi}(t) = V_d I_d + V_q I_q \quad (\text{Balanced})$



Complex Power: Active and Reactive Power

- For ac systems, we can also define the complex/apparent power as follows:

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$$\begin{aligned} \text{(Apparent Power)} \quad \underline{S_{3\phi}} &= 3\tilde{V}\tilde{I}^* \text{ (phasors)} = (\tilde{V}_a\tilde{I}_a + \tilde{V}_b\tilde{I}_b + \tilde{V}_c\tilde{I}_c) \\ &= \underbrace{P_{3\phi}}_{\text{Real}} + j\underbrace{Q_{3\phi}}_{\text{Imag.}} \end{aligned}$$

$\tilde{V}_a = V_{rms} \angle \theta_v$
 $\tilde{I}_a = I_{rms} \angle \theta_i$

- When we transform a set of three phase signals into α/β or dq , we can also think of complex numbers (why? α, β and d, q are separated by 90° or orthogonal components)

• Apparent Power in $\alpha\beta$: $S_{3\phi} = (V_{\alpha\beta})(I_{\alpha\beta})^*$

$$\begin{aligned} S_{3\phi} &= (V_\alpha + jV_\beta)(I_\alpha - jI_\beta) \\ &= (V_\alpha I_\alpha - jV_\alpha I_\beta + jV_\beta I_\alpha - j^2 V_\beta I_\beta) \end{aligned}$$

$$S_{3\phi} = \underbrace{(V_\alpha I_\alpha + V_\beta I_\beta)}_{\text{Active Power}} + j \underbrace{(V_\beta I_\alpha - V_\alpha I_\beta)}_{\text{Reactive Power}}$$

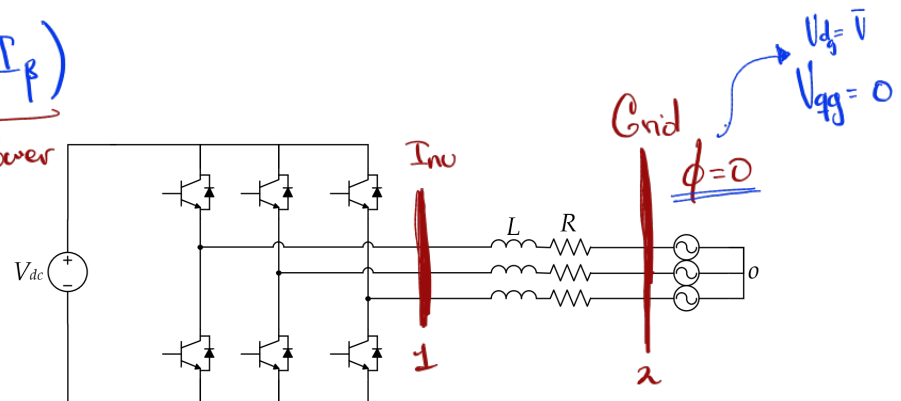
$$\Rightarrow V_{\alpha\beta} = V_\alpha + jV_\beta$$

$$V_{dq} = V_d + jV_q$$

$$I_{\alpha\beta} = I_\alpha + jI_\beta$$

$$P_{3\phi} = V_\alpha I_\alpha + V_\beta I_\beta = V_d I_d + V_q I_q$$

$$Q_{3\phi} = V_\beta I_\alpha - V_\alpha I_\beta = V_q I_d - V_d I_q$$



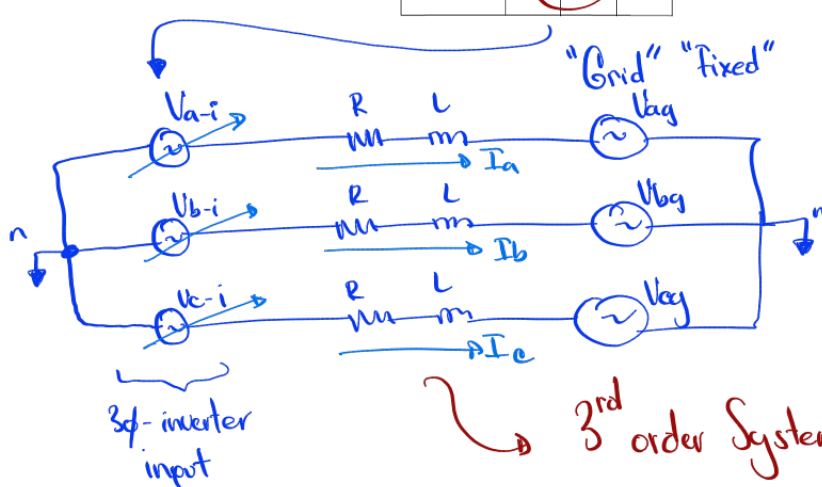
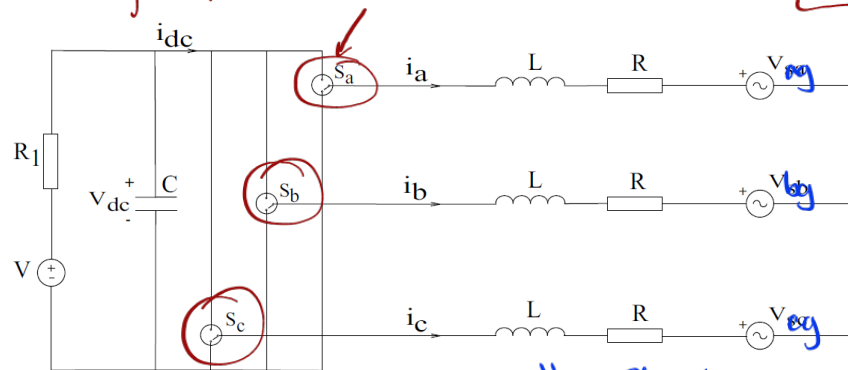
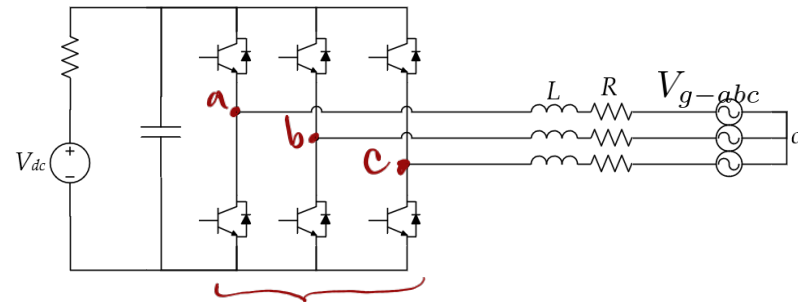
Three Phase Inverter State Space Modeling

- Analyze a grid connected three phase inverter
- Simplify the model by adding voltage and current sources

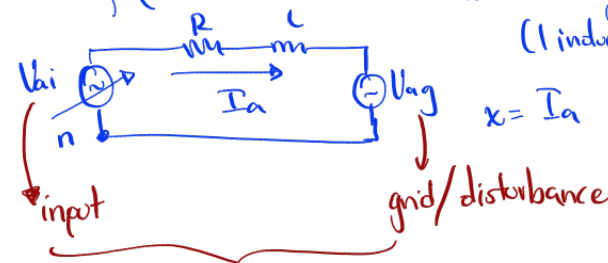
⇒ Devise a "dynamic" model of 3φ-inverter

Linear: $\dot{x} = Ax + Bu$

nonlinear: $\dot{x} = f(x, u)$



"Per Phase" of phase "a"



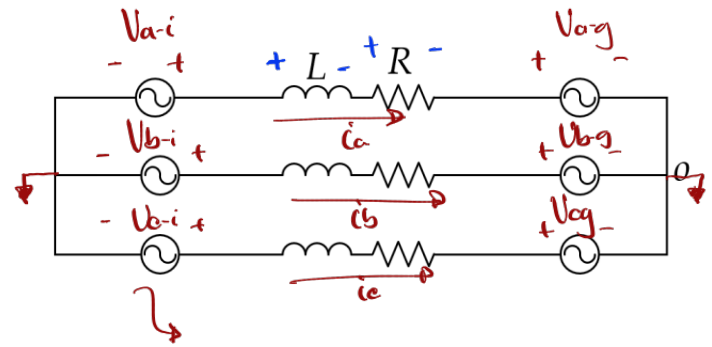
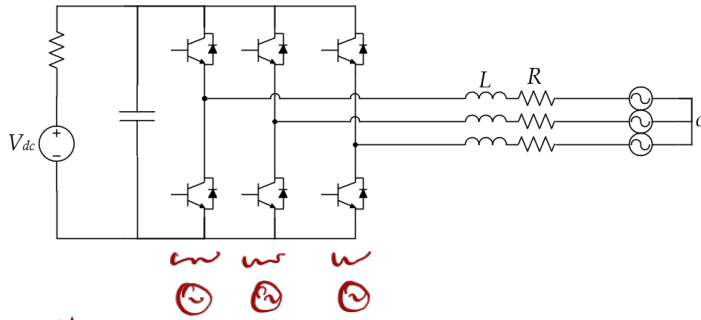
1st order system (1 inductor)

$x = I_a$

3rd order System $x = \begin{pmatrix} I_a \\ I_b \\ I_c \end{pmatrix}$

AC Side State Space Equations (abc)

- Derive the state space equations in "abc"



- Derive the current equation for phase a, b, c.

$$\left\{ \frac{di_j}{dt} = -\frac{R}{L} i_j + \frac{1}{L} V_{j-i} - \frac{1}{L} V_{j-g} \quad j = a, b, c \right.$$

a: $-V_{a-i} + L \frac{di_a}{dt} + R i_a + V_{a-g} = 0$

b: $-V_{b-i} + L \frac{di_b}{dt} + R i_b + V_{b-g} = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{d}{dt}$

c: $-V_{c-i} + L \frac{di_c}{dt} + R i_c + V_{c-g} = 0$

$$\underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} i_a \\ i_b \\ i_c \end{bmatrix}}_{\text{abc}} = \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} -\frac{R}{L} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -\frac{R}{L} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -\frac{R}{L} \end{bmatrix}}_A \begin{bmatrix} i_a \\ i_b \\ i_c \end{bmatrix} + \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{L} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{1}{L} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{1}{L} \end{bmatrix}}_B \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} V_{a-i} \\ V_{b-i} \\ V_{c-i} \end{bmatrix}}_{\text{abc-i}} + \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} -\frac{1}{L} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -\frac{1}{L} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -\frac{1}{L} \end{bmatrix}}_B \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} V_{a-g} \\ V_{b-g} \\ V_{c-g} \end{bmatrix}}_{\text{abc-g}}$$

3rd order Linear Time Invariant system

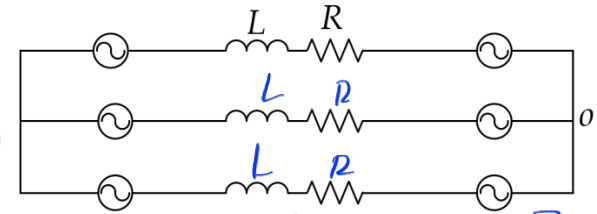
$$\dot{x} = Ax + Bu + P V_g$$

- The system of equations are decoupled \Rightarrow "a" doesn't affect "b, c"

- Disadvantages i) 3 states, ii) $V_{a-g}, V_{b-g}, V_{c-g}$ are sinusoidal ac

AC Side State Space Equations (Alpha/Beta)

- Derive the state space equations in $\underline{\alpha/\beta}$ frame.
- Assumption: The 3 phase system is "balanced" $\rightarrow V_0$ (zero component)
- The State Space model in abc can be written as:



$$X = \underline{I}, V \quad [X_{\alpha\beta 0} = K_C X_{abc}]$$

$$X_{abc} = K_C^{-1} X_{\alpha\beta 0} \quad V_{\alpha\beta 0} = K_C V_{abc}$$

- In $\alpha\beta 0$ frame, the system becomes as follows:

$$L \frac{d\underline{i}_{abc}}{dt} = -R \underline{i}_{abc} + V_{abc-i} - V_{abc-g}$$

Constant Transform.

$$K_C = \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -\frac{1}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} \\ 0 & \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} & -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$L \frac{d(K_C^{-1} \underline{i}_{\alpha\beta 0})}{dt} = -R K_C^{-1} \underline{i}_{\alpha\beta 0} + K_C^{-1} V_{\alpha\beta 0-i} - K_C^{-1} V_{\alpha\beta 0-g}$$

$$\underline{i}_{abc} = \begin{pmatrix} i_a \\ i_b \\ i_c \end{pmatrix} \quad V_{abc-i} = \begin{pmatrix} V_{a-i} \\ V_{b-i} \\ V_{c-i} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow K_C \left[L K_C^{-1} \frac{d\underline{i}_{\alpha\beta 0}}{dt} = -R K_C^{-1} \underline{i}_{\alpha\beta 0} + K_C^{-1} V_{\alpha\beta 0-i} - K_C^{-1} V_{\alpha\beta 0-g} \right]$$

$$V_{abc-g} = \begin{pmatrix} V_{a-g} \\ V_{b-g} \\ V_{c-g} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\rightarrow \boxed{L \frac{d\underline{i}_{\alpha\beta 0}}{dt} = -R \underline{i}_{\alpha\beta 0} + V_{\alpha\beta 0-i} - V_{\alpha\beta 0-g}}$$

$$\rightarrow \left. \begin{aligned} L \frac{d\underline{i}_\alpha}{dt} &= -R i_\alpha + V_{\alpha-i} - V_{\alpha-g} \\ L \frac{d\underline{i}_\beta}{dt} &= -R i_\beta + V_{\beta-i} - V_{\beta-g} \end{aligned} \right\}$$

Second Order system

Drawback: ac, sinusoidal signals.

$$\rightarrow \cancel{L \frac{d\underline{i}_0}{dt} = -R i_0 + V_{0-i} - V_{0-g} = 0} \quad (\text{ignore for balanced systems})$$

AC Side State Space Equations (dq)

- Transform the equations from α/β to dq

The state space equation for the inverter in $\alpha\beta$ frame can be written as:

$$L \frac{d\dot{i}_{\alpha\beta}}{dt} = -R \dot{i}_{\alpha\beta} + V_{\alpha\beta-i} - V_{\alpha\beta-g}$$

$$\dot{i}_{\alpha\beta} = \begin{pmatrix} i_\alpha \\ i_\beta \end{pmatrix}$$

$$V_{\alpha\beta-i} = \begin{pmatrix} V_{\alpha-i} \\ V_{\beta-i} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$V_{\alpha\beta-g} = \begin{pmatrix} V_{\alpha-g} \\ V_{\beta-g} \end{pmatrix}$$

Transform to dq frame:

$$L \frac{d(K_{pc}^{-1}(t) \dot{i}_{dq}(t))}{dt} = -R K_{pc}^{-1}(t) \dot{i}_{dq} + K_{pc}^{-1}(t) V_{dq-i} - K_{pc}^{-1}(t) V_{dq-g}$$

$$K_{pc} \left[L \frac{dK_{pc}^{-1}(t) \dot{i}_{dq}}{dt} + L K_{pc}^{-1}(t) \frac{d\dot{i}_{dq}}{dt} \right] = \text{SAME}$$

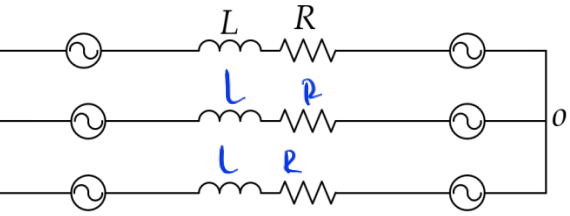
new/extra

$$\frac{d}{dt} K_{pc}^{-1}(t) = \frac{d}{dt} \begin{pmatrix} \cos(\omega t) & -\sin(\omega t) \\ \sin(\omega t) & \cos(\omega t) \end{pmatrix} = \omega \begin{pmatrix} -\sin(\omega t) & -\cos(\omega t) \\ \cos(\omega t) & -\sin(\omega t) \end{pmatrix}$$

* coupling term*

$$\Rightarrow \left\{ L \frac{d\dot{i}_{dq}}{dt} = -R \dot{i}_{dq} + V_{dq-i} - V_{dq-g} - L K_{pc} \frac{dK_{pc}^{-1}}{dt} \cdot \dot{i}_{dq} \right.$$

$$\omega \begin{bmatrix} \cos(\omega t) & \sin(\omega t) \\ -\sin(\omega t) & \cos(\omega t) \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} -\sin(\omega t) & -\cos(\omega t) \\ \cos(\omega t) & -\sin(\omega t) \end{bmatrix} = \omega \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$



$$\begin{bmatrix} V_d \\ V_q \end{bmatrix} = \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} \cos(\omega t) & \sin(\omega t) \\ -\sin(\omega t) & \cos(\omega t) \end{bmatrix}}_{K_{pc}(t)} \begin{bmatrix} V_\alpha \\ V_\beta \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} V_\alpha \\ V_\beta \end{bmatrix} = \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} \cos(\omega t) & -\sin(\omega t) \\ \sin(\omega t) & \cos(\omega t) \end{bmatrix}}_{K_{pc}^{-1}(t)} \begin{bmatrix} V_d \\ V_q \end{bmatrix}$$

$$X_{dq} = K_{pc}(t) X_{\alpha\beta}$$

$$X_{\alpha\beta} = K_{pc}^{-1}(t) X_{dq}$$

$$X_{dq} = \begin{pmatrix} x_d \\ x_q \end{pmatrix}, X_{\alpha\beta} = \begin{pmatrix} x_\alpha \\ x_\beta \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\omega \begin{bmatrix} \cos(\omega t) & \sin(\omega t) \\ -\sin(\omega t) & \cos(\omega t) \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} -\sin(\omega t) & -\cos(\omega t) \\ \cos(\omega t) & -\sin(\omega t) \end{bmatrix}$$

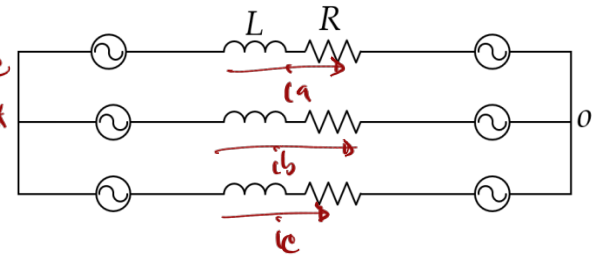
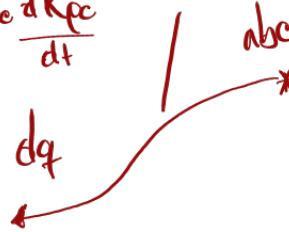
$$= \omega \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

AC Side State Space Equations (dq) (0 component is ignored (balanced))

- Transform the equations from α/β to dq

$$\left\{ \begin{aligned} \frac{di_d}{dt} &= \frac{-R}{L}i_d + \frac{1}{L}V_{d-i} - \frac{1}{L}V_{d-g} + \omega i_q \\ \frac{di_q}{dt} &= \frac{-R}{L}i_q + \frac{1}{L}V_{q-i} - \frac{1}{L}V_{q-g} - \omega i_d \end{aligned} \right.$$

$$K_{pc} \frac{dK_{pc}^{-1}}{dt}$$



$$\begin{bmatrix} V_d \\ V_q \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \cos(\omega t) & \sin(\omega t) \\ -\sin(\omega t) & \cos(\omega t) \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} V_\alpha \\ V_\beta \end{bmatrix}$$

- Advantages: 2nd order system, in steady state, we have dc signals.

- Disadvantage: The two equations are now coupled.

• Can we decouple the two equations? yes, by changing our inputs. $V_{dq} = \begin{pmatrix} V_{d-i} \\ V_{q-i} \end{pmatrix}$

- Want to use V_{d-i}, V_{q-i} to cancel our coupling terms. For example:

$$V_{d-i} = \underbrace{-L \cdot \omega i_q}_{\text{cancel coop.}} + \underbrace{V_{d-i}}_{\text{controller design}}$$

$$V_{q-i} = +L\omega i_d + V_{q-i}$$

Summary of the Dynamic Equations in DQ Frame

- The state space equations for a three phase inverter can be summarized as follows:

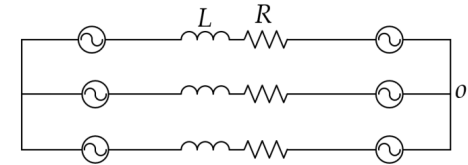
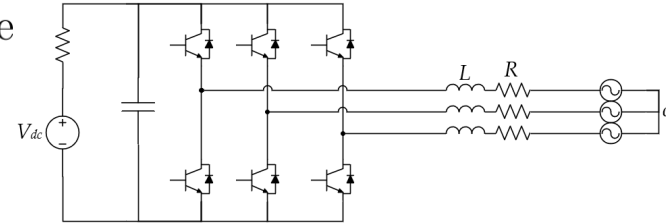
$$\frac{dI_{abc}}{dt} = \frac{-R}{L} I_{abc} + \frac{1}{L} V_{abc} - \frac{1}{L} V_{g-abc}$$

- In dq reference frame, the equations become:

$$\frac{dI_d}{dt} = -\frac{R}{L} I_d + \frac{1}{L} V_d - \frac{1}{L} V_{g-d} + \omega I_q \text{ coupling terms.}$$

$$\frac{dI_q}{dt} = -\frac{R}{L} I_q + \frac{1}{L} V_q - \frac{1}{L} V_{g-q} - \omega I_d$$

- The cross-coupling terms will become important in the controller design!



Controller Design – DQ Decoupling

- In dq reference frame, the equations become:

$$\frac{dI_d}{dt} = -\frac{R}{L}I_d + \frac{1}{L}V_{d-i} - \frac{1}{L}V_{d-g} + \omega I_q$$

$$\frac{dI_q}{dt} = -\frac{R}{L}I_q + \frac{1}{L}V_{q-i} - \frac{1}{L}V_{q-g} - \omega I_d$$

- Is it possible to separate the equations?

- Want to use V_{d-i}, V_{q-i} to cancel our coupling terms. For example:

$$V_{d-i} = \underbrace{-L\omega I_q}_{\text{cancel coup.}} + \underbrace{u_{d-i}}_{\text{controller design}}$$

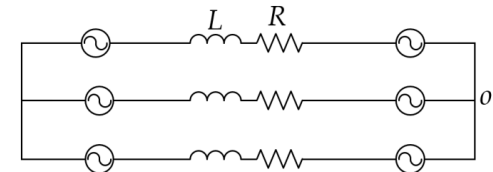
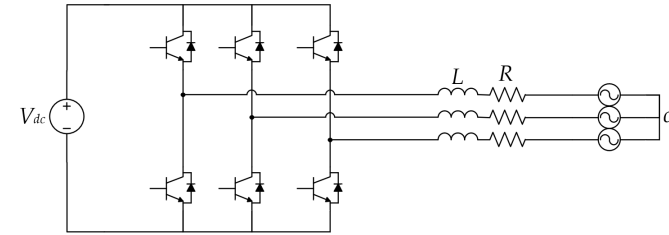
$$V_{q-i} = \underbrace{+L\omega I_d}_{\text{cancel coup.}} + \underbrace{u_{q-i}}_{\text{controller design}}$$

- Simplify the system by adding the new inputs.

$$\frac{dI_d}{dt} = -\frac{R}{L}I_d + \frac{1}{L}(-L\omega I_q + u_{d-i}) - \frac{1}{L}V_{d-g} + \omega I_q = -\frac{R}{L}I_d + \frac{1}{L}u_{d-i} - \frac{1}{L}V_{d-g}$$

$$\frac{dI_q}{dt} = -\frac{R}{L}I_q + \frac{1}{L}(L\omega I_d + u_{q-i}) - \frac{1}{L}V_{q-g} - \omega I_d = -\frac{R}{L}I_q + \frac{1}{L}u_{q-i} - \frac{1}{L}V_{q-g}$$

Decoupled!



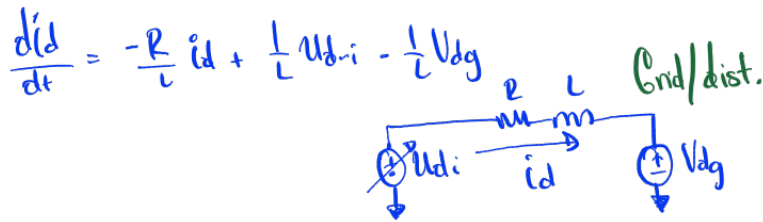
Controller Design – DQ Decoupling (cont'd)

- In dq reference frame, the equations become:

$$\ast \frac{dI_d}{dt} = -\frac{R}{L}I_d + \frac{1}{L}U_{di} - \frac{1}{L}V_{d-g}, \text{ where } \underline{U_{di}} = V_d + L\omega I_q \quad (\text{New input})$$

$$\ast \frac{dI_q}{dt} = -\frac{R}{L}I_q + \frac{1}{L}U_{qi} - \frac{1}{L}V_{q-g}, \text{ where } \underline{U_{qi}} = V_q - L\omega I_d \quad (\text{New input})$$

D-Axis



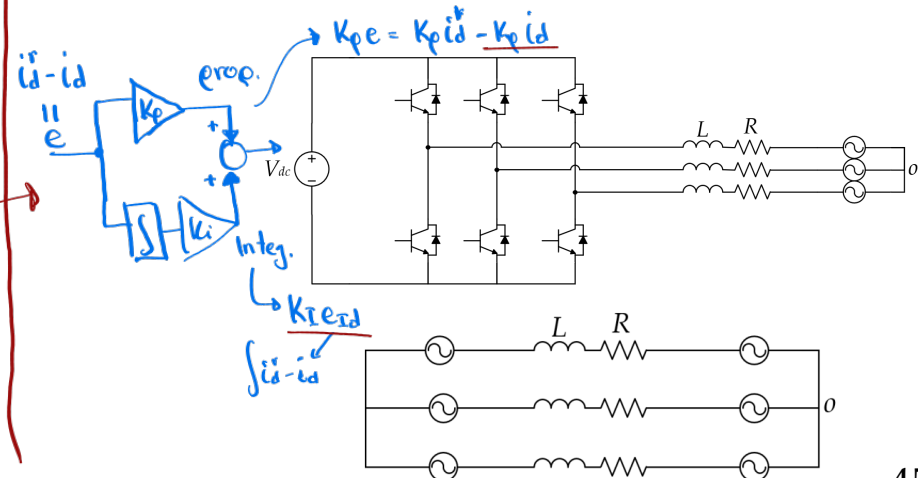
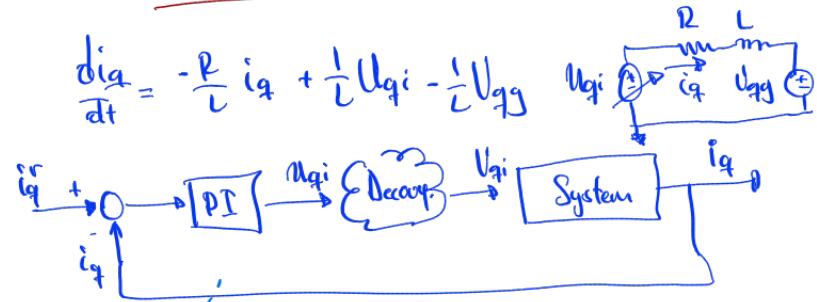
Goal: Design a controller to regulate the " i_d "

$i_d \rightarrow i_d^r$



- The reference i_d^r is a constant or step function
- \Rightarrow An integrator term is sufficient to ensure $i_d \rightarrow i_d^r$
- $e = i_d^r - i_d \rightarrow 0$

Q-axis

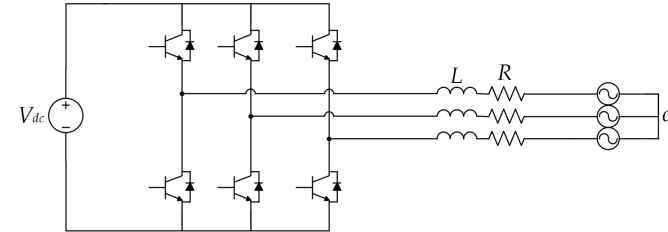


Controller Design – Current Controller Design

- In dq reference frame, the equations become:

$$\frac{dI_d}{dt} = -\frac{R}{L}I_d + \frac{1}{L}U_d - \frac{1}{L}V_{d-q}, \text{ where } U_d = V_d + L\omega I_q$$

$$\frac{dI_q}{dt} = -\frac{R}{L}I_q + \frac{1}{L}U_q - \frac{1}{L}V_{q-g}, \text{ where } U_q = V_q - L\omega I_d$$



- We can regulate each current independently! *PI Controller for each current (i_d, i_q)*

- How to obtain our Proportional (k_p) + Integral (k_i) gains?
- Derive the model for d -axis current (q -axis analysis is similar)

1) Manual tuning \rightarrow try different k_p, k_i
 (Small k_p , larger k_i)

Model Based \downarrow good settling time

* 2) Pole placement for 2 state feedback + integral control

3) LQR + integral

4) \vdots

2nd order system

$$\frac{d^2 i_d}{dt^2} = -\frac{R}{L} i_d + \frac{1}{L} U_{di} - \frac{1}{L} U_{dq}$$

$$\dot{e}_{id} = \dot{i}_d^r - i_d \rightarrow e_I = \int (\dot{i}_d^r - i_d) dt$$

Goal $U_{di} = \begin{pmatrix} k_1 & k_2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} i_d \\ e_{id} \end{pmatrix} = K \tilde{x}_d \quad \tilde{x}_d = \begin{pmatrix} i_d \\ e_{id} \end{pmatrix}$

$k_p = -k_1$
 $k_i = k_2$

$$\begin{pmatrix} \ddot{i}_d \\ \dot{e}_{id} \end{pmatrix} = \underbrace{\begin{pmatrix} -\frac{R}{L} & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}}_A \begin{pmatrix} i_d \\ e_{id} \end{pmatrix} + \underbrace{\begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{L} \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}}_B U_{di} + \underbrace{\begin{pmatrix} -\frac{1}{L} \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}}_C U_{dq} + \underbrace{\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}}_D \dot{i}_d^r$$

$K = -\text{place}(A, B, [\lambda_1^{des} \ \lambda_2^{des}])$

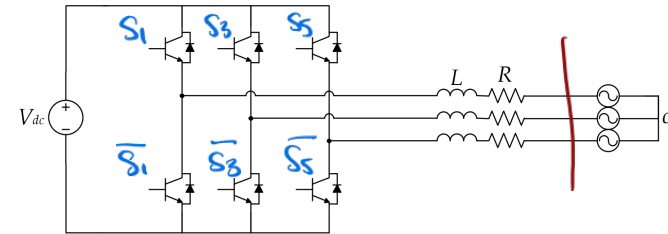
$$\dot{\tilde{x}}_d = A \tilde{x}_d + B U_{di} = (A + BK) \tilde{x}_d \quad \text{s.t.} \quad \text{eig}(A+BK) \subset \mathbb{C}^- \text{ (Neg. real part)}$$

Controller Design – Overall Controller Diagram

- In dq reference frame, the equations become:

$$\frac{dI_d}{dt} = -\frac{R}{L}I_d + \frac{1}{L}U_d - \frac{1}{L}V_{g-d}, \text{ where } U_d = V_d + L\omega I_q^*$$

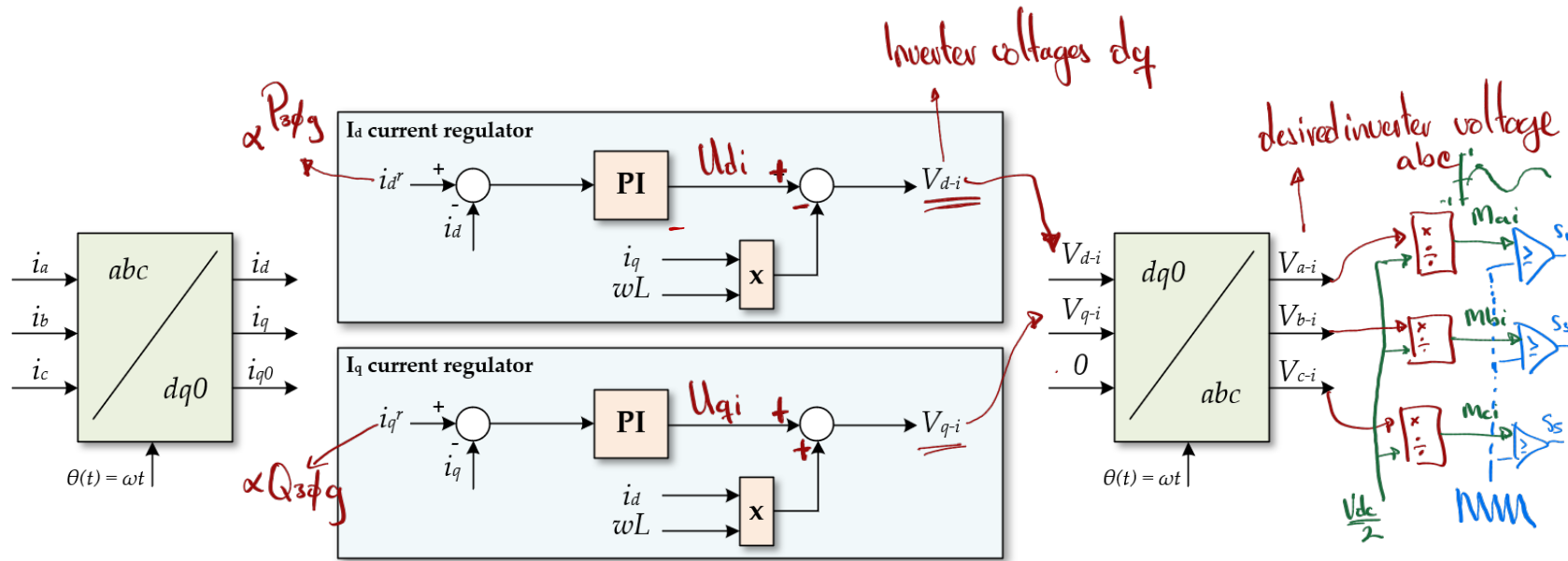
$$\frac{dI_q}{dt} = -\frac{R}{L}I_q + \frac{1}{L}U_q - \frac{1}{L}V_{g-q}, \text{ where } U_q = V_q - L\omega I_d$$



$V_{di} = U_{di} - L\omega i_{dq}$

$V_{qi} = U_{qi} + \omega L i_d$

- We can regulate each current independently!



Inner Current Loops - Fast

- How to compute i_d^* , i_q^* ? How are they related to $P_{3\phi}$, $Q_{3\phi}$?

Outline

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Overview

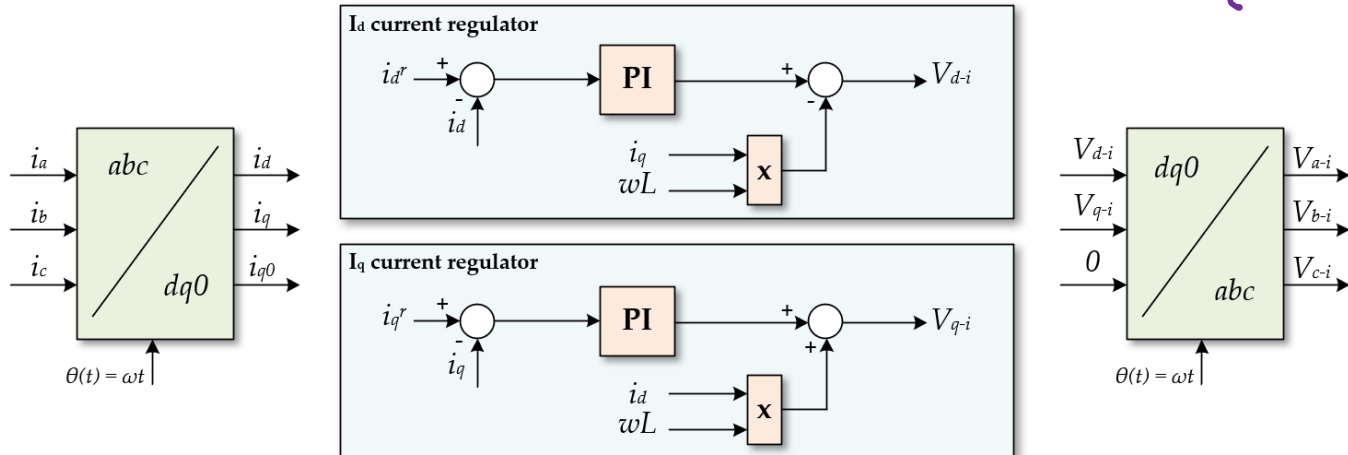
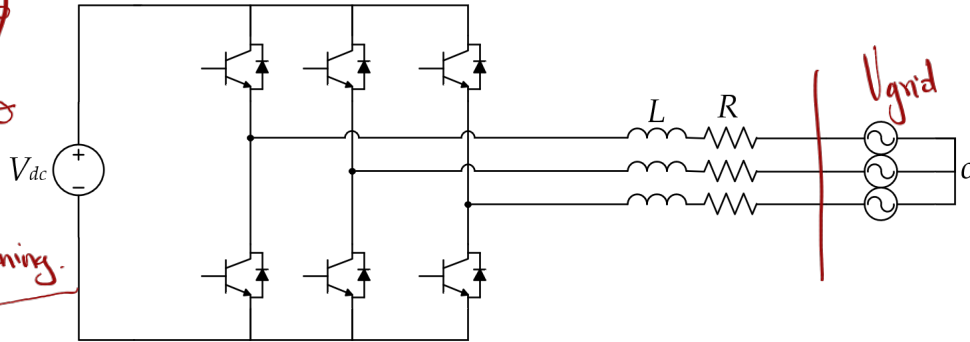
- A **fast** current regulator is crucial for many applications
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(Utility, Motor drives, EU, Actuators, Appliances)

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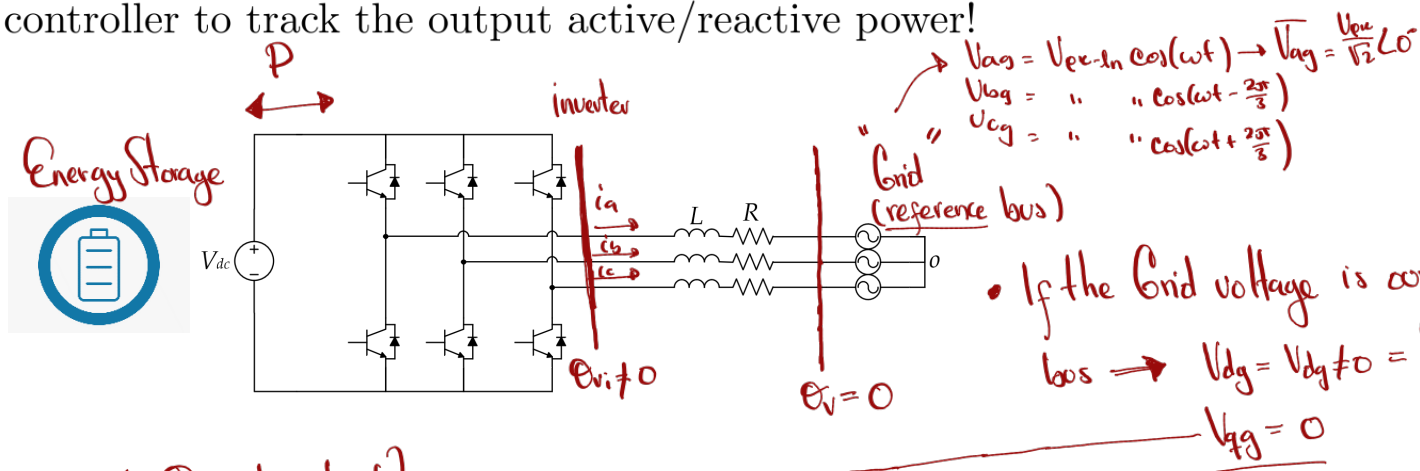
Motor Drives: T_e, ω, λ_m (flux), field weakening.

outer loop(s)



Energy Storage Application – Output Active/Reactive Power

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- Let's consider having a source with a well defined dc voltage
- Design a controller to track the output active/reactive power!



• If the Grid voltage is our reference bus $\Rightarrow V_{dg} = V_{dg} \neq 0 = ?$ (refer to abc/dq slides)
 $V_{fg} = 0$

• What is $P_{3\phi g}$ and $Q_{3\phi g}$ at grid side?

$P_{3\phi g} = V_{dg} i_d + \cancel{V_{fg} i_q} = \underline{V_{dg} i_d} \Rightarrow i_d \propto P_{3\phi g}$ V_{dg} is typically fixed

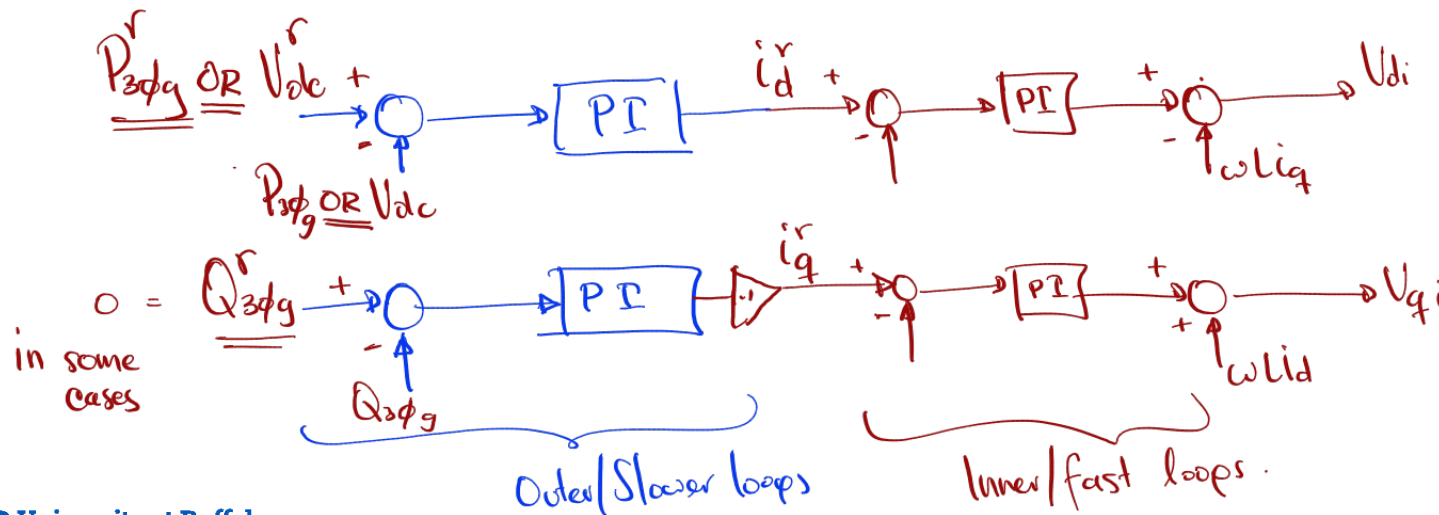
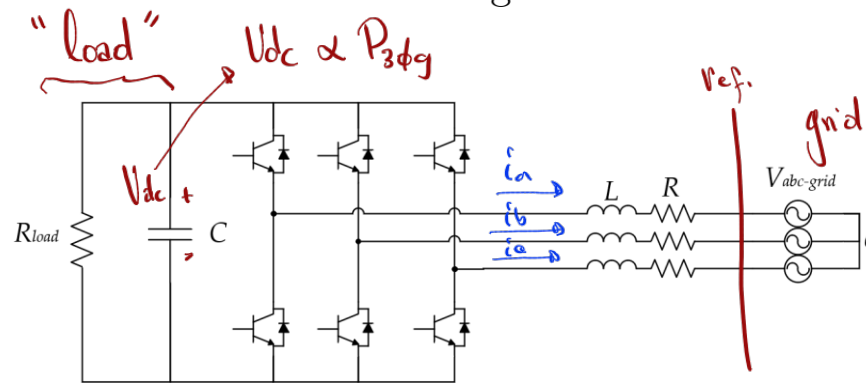
$Q_{3\phi g} = \cancel{V_{dg} i_d} = \underline{V_{dg} i_q} = -\underline{V_{dg} i_q} \Rightarrow i_q \propto Q_{3\phi g}$

$\Rightarrow P_{3\phi g} = V_{dg} \cdot I_d$
 $Q_{3\phi g} = -V_{dg} I_q$

• We will use i_d to control Active power sent/received to/from grid
 • " " " i_q " " Reactive power " " " " " "

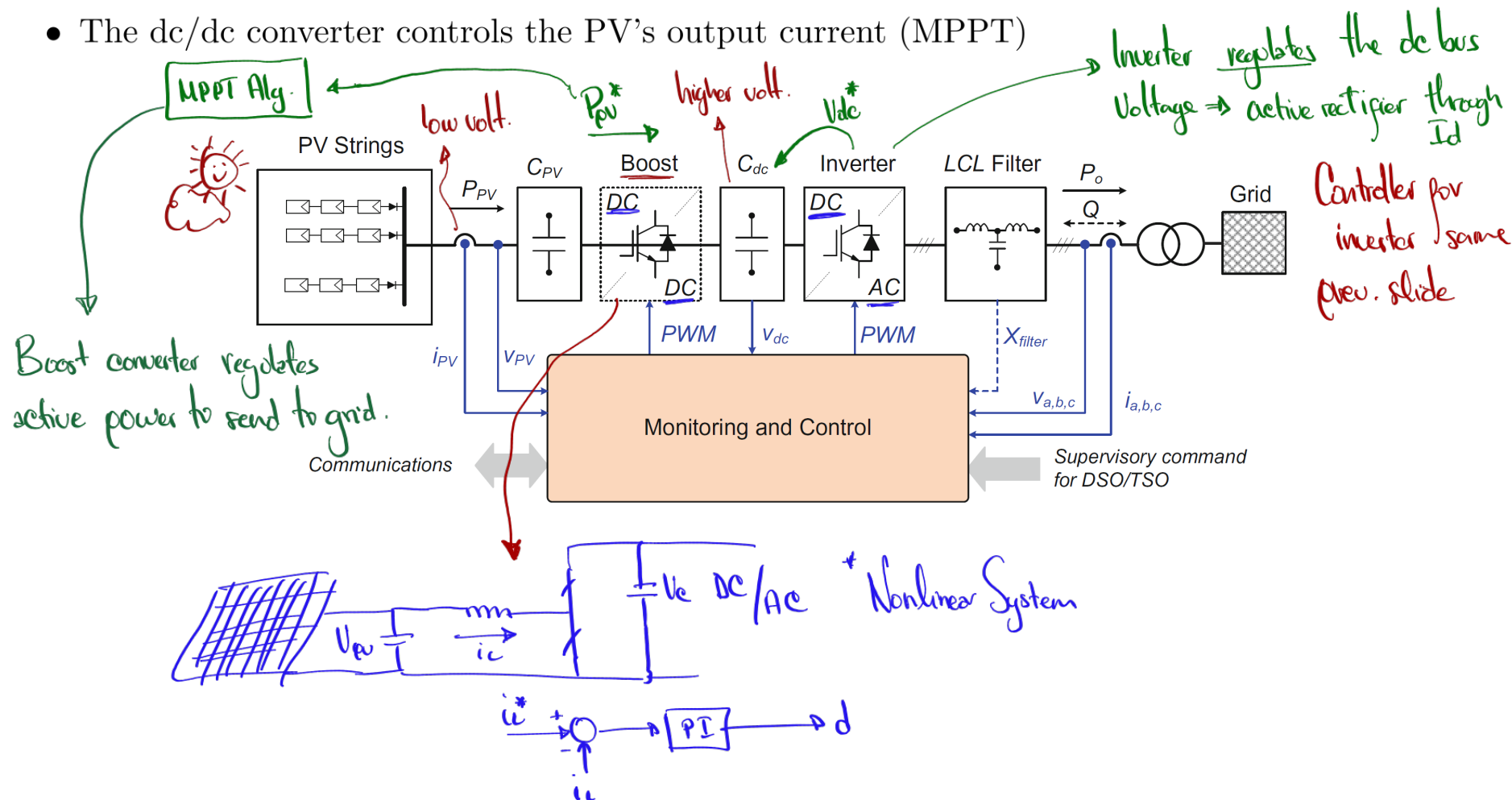
Active Rectification

- Let's consider now an **active rectifier**
- At the dc side, only active power is consumed
- The dc bus voltage can therefore be controlled by the d axis current
- The reactive power at the ac side can still be regulated



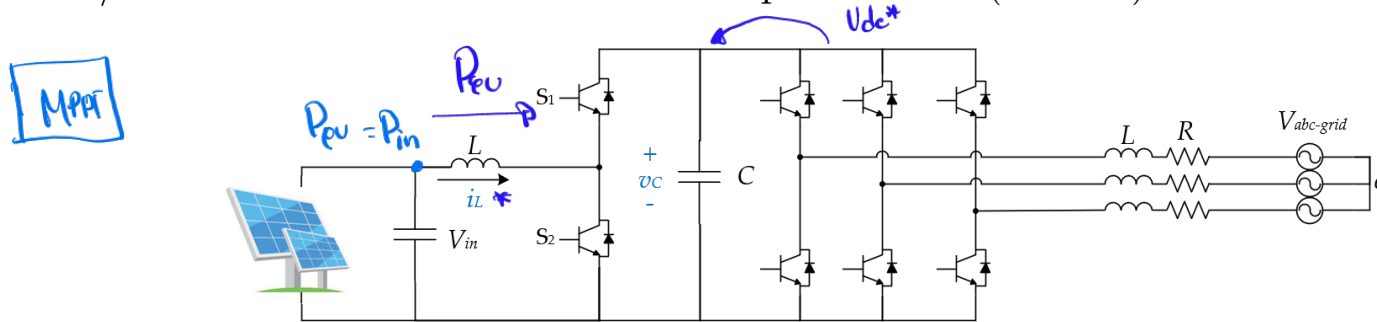
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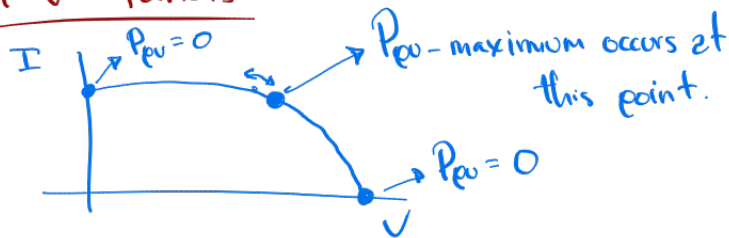
for a Boost Converter:

Input Power: $P_{pv} = P_{in} = V_{in} \cdot I_L$

$P_{in} \propto I_L$

by regulating I_L we can decide how much Power from PV panels to send to grid.

PV Panels:



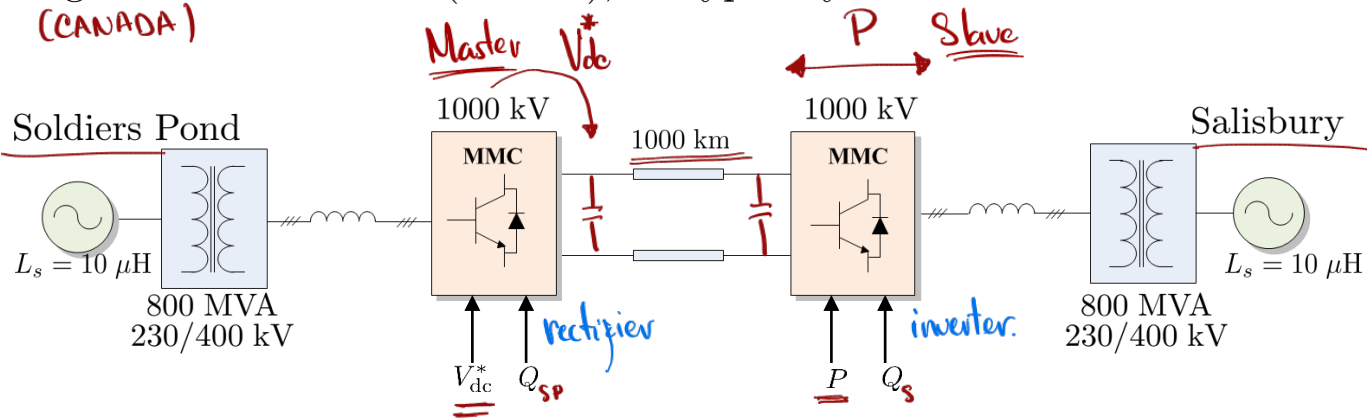
MPPT: Max. Power Point tracking
- Perturb and Observe

High Voltage DC Transmission

$$P = VI = I^2 R \quad \text{if } V \uparrow I \downarrow \Rightarrow \text{line losses are reduced.}$$

Point-to-Point.


- In High Voltage DC Transmission (HVDC), we typically need back-to-back converters!



- This control strategy where one station regulates V_{dc} and another the P is referred to as Master/Slave control.

Master: Regulates V_{dc} (active rectifier)

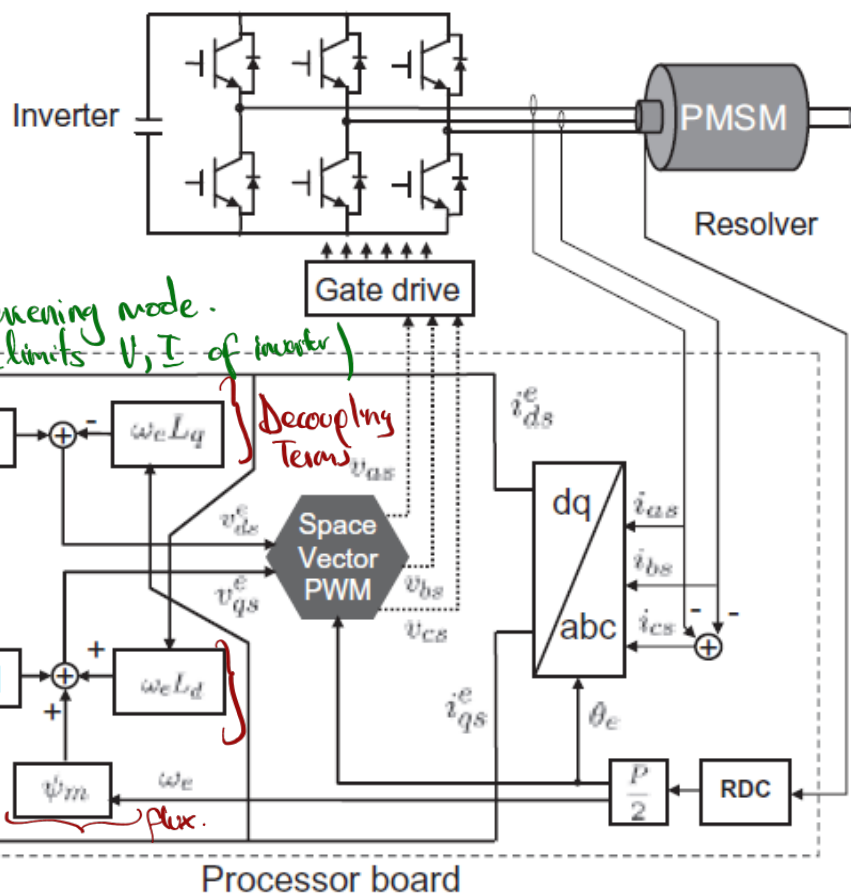
Slave: Regulates P (inverter)

- Other types of strategies include Drop control P - V_{dc} droop 
Dynamic Consensus (requires communication)

- One advantage of HVDC transmission is that reactive power is contained within each AC system.

PMSM Motor Drives

- Suppose that we would like to control the speed of a Permanent Magnet Synchronous Machine (PMSM)
- For speed tracking, torque control, etc. An inner current regulator is very important!



State Space model for PMSM

Nonlinear System (ac)

$$\begin{cases} \dot{i}_d = -\frac{R_s}{L_d} i_d + \omega_r \frac{L_q}{L_d} i_q + \frac{1}{L_d} v_d \\ \dot{i}_q = -\frac{R_s}{L_q} i_q - \omega_r \frac{L_d}{L_q} i_d - \frac{\omega_r}{L_q} \lambda_m + \frac{1}{L_q} v_q \end{cases}$$

$$\dot{\omega}_r = \frac{1}{J} (T_e - T_L)$$

$$T_e = \frac{3P}{2} (\lambda_m i_q + (L_d - L_q) i_d i_q) \text{ (Nm)}$$

ω_r : rotor speed (not constant!)

P: # of Poles.

λ_m : motor flux due to magnets (fixed)

L_d, L_q : inductance on d, q frame.

In some cases (Surface Mounted PMSM)
 $L_d \approx L_q$

Outline

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