Mathematical Model for Cuckoo based PV-Wind Hybrid System

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ABSTRACT

The main theme of this paper is to propose a Cuckoo MPPT technique for Hybrid PV-Wind Smart grid system. Generally, Smart grid is an electrical grid which includes a variety of operation and energy measures including smart appliances, renewable energy resources, and energy efficient resources. Electronic power conditioning and control of the production and distribution of electricity are important aspects of the smart grid. In order to get maximum output from a PV and wind energy system, extensive research has been underway for long time so as to access the performance of hybrid system. This paper presents PV- wind hybrid system along with maximum power point tracking control algorithms, power electronics converters to control the system, filters to reduce the harmonics from the converters. The proposed model and its control strategy offer a proper tool for smart grid performance optimization. The proposed hybrid system is experimentally verified in Matlab/Simulink.

KEY WORDS: Power Management, Wind, Solar System, Cuckoo Technique and Sliding Mode.

INTRODUCTION

Increased utilization of renewable energy into power grid gave birth to several challenges those are experienced in integrating such sources amongst themselves as well as with the grid. Though the energy obtained from such sources is environment friendly, the power and voltage obtained from such sources varies randomly with the variation of weather. Furthermore, non-linear power converters, used for conditioning the outputs from such sources, distorts the waveform and hence degrades the quality of dispatched power thereby affecting sensitive loads connected to the grid [1].

Exhaustion of fossil fuels, their hazardous effect on environment and an increasing power demand results in an increased utilization of renewable energy sources into the utility grid. Li-ion batteries though costly have higher power density and can withstand higher charging/discharging cycles than lead-acid batteries while NiMH batteries are costlier and have carcinogenic effects on the atmosphere in spite of having higher power density than Li-ion batteries [2]. LCPV collectors used in this work have a degree of concentration of 2.2 X which does not require any extra tracking mechanism and cooling arrangements for their cells.

This paper presents a complete hybrid system which comprising of wind turbines, PV, FC, electrolyzer, and battery storage system. In this paper, the Wind and solar systems acts as a primary generating systems which to fulfill the advantages of non-conventional sources, and therefore the Fuel Cell based electrolyzer combination is utilized in this paper for backup device.

Configuration of Proposed Hybrid System:

The operational diagram for proposed stand-alone hybrid system is shown in figure 1. This technique is thought-about as an entire "green" power generation system as a result of the most energy sources and storage system square measure all environmentally friendly. Once there's excess wind and/or solar generation offered, the electrolyzer activates to start manufacturing H that is delivered to the H storage tanks [3].

Fig 1: Basic architecture of Hybrid System

PV GENERATION SYSTEM:

In electrical wonder (PV) framework, photovoltaic cell is that the essential component. PV exhibit is nothing however solar cells zone unit associated nonparallel or parallel for increasing required current, voltage and high power. It delivers the streams once light-weight ingested at the intersection, by the electrical wonder result. Figure three shows at a protection yield power trademark bends for the PV exhibit [4]. It is seen that a most divider attachment exists on each yield power trademark capacity. The Figure three demonstrates the (I-V) and (P-V) attributes of the PV cluster at very surprising star intensities.

The analysis of current expression from PV system is expressed as:

$$I = Iph – ID – Ish$$
$$I = Iph – Io[exp (q\ VD\ /\ nKT)] – (\ VD\ /RS)$$
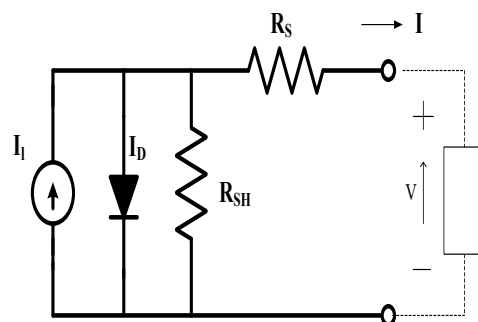
Figure 2: PV module Electrical Circuit
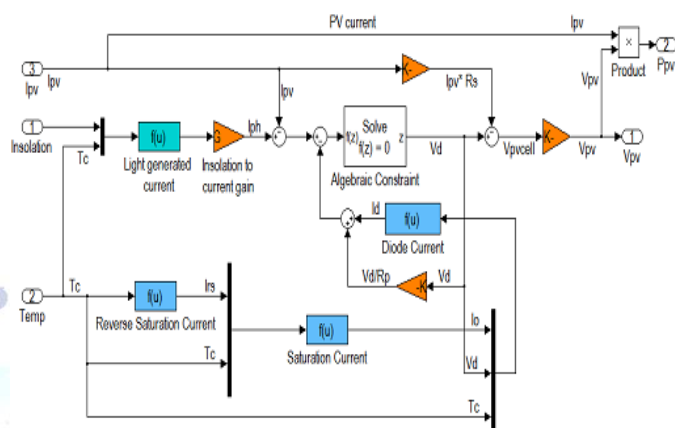
Figure 3: Control Diagram for PV System

Figure 3 shows the Solar panel I-V characteristics with constant temperature and irradiance.

Figure 3: V-I Characterestics of PV system

Cuckoo MPPT Algorithm:

Due to its sound and aggressive reproduction strategies cuckoos are fascinating birds. Generally, cuckoo birds lay their eggs in communal nests and may remove others eggs to increasing hatching probability of their own eggs. Female cuckoos search and select a group of host spices with similar nest sites and egg characteristics to their own, then choosing the best from these nests [8].

Cuckoo birds start in looking for the best nest, and this is important step has an important role in

cuckoo's reproduction method. To search for best nest and process of food, the Le'vy flight plays a key role. This type of behaviour is used in making optimization for different problems [9]. The step length or Le'vy flight distribution is shown in equation (4).

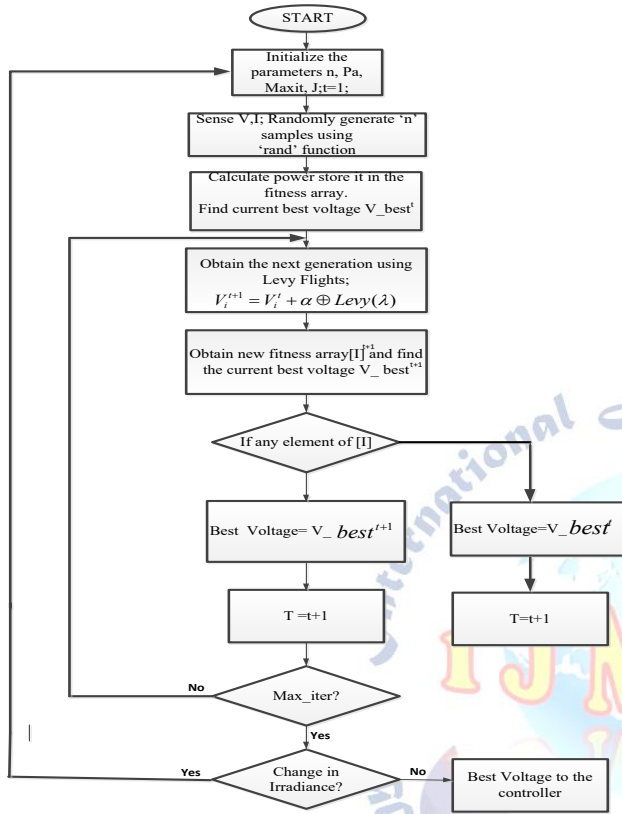$$S = \alpha_q (V_{bt} - v_j) \oplus le(\lambda) \qquad (4)$$

Figure 4: Cuckoo Search Algorithm

Figure 4, shows the flowchart for Le'vy based cuckoo search algorithm [9]. In this the random initial solution of the operating voltage and current of PV panel is selected. The fittness of power is calculated as shown P=V*I.

Then find the best current, choose a random nest and generate a new solution by random walks as shown in equation (5).

$$V_i^{t+1} = V_i^t + \alpha \oplus levy(\lambda) \qquad (5)$$

WIND TURBINE:

Wind turbines square measure classified into 2 general types: Horizontal axis wind turbine and Vertical axis wind turbine. A vertical axis wind machine has its blades rotating on axis perpendicular to the bottom. The square measure variety of obtainable styles for each and every kind has bound benefits and downsides [7].
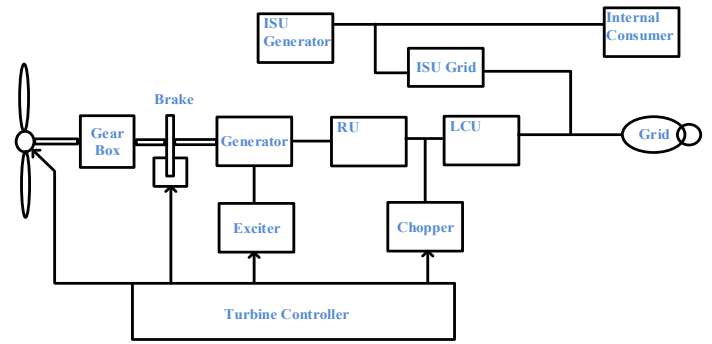

Figure 5: Basic Wind Turbine System

The wind turbines with a squirrel cage generator are equipped with a soft starter mechanism for reactive power compensation as coop generators consume reactive power. This generator and also the turbine rotor area unit coupled through a shell, because the best rotor and generator speed ranges are totally different.
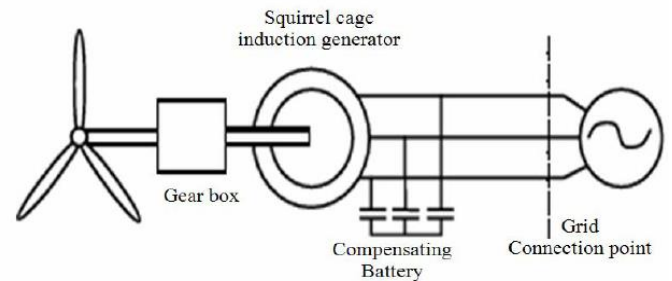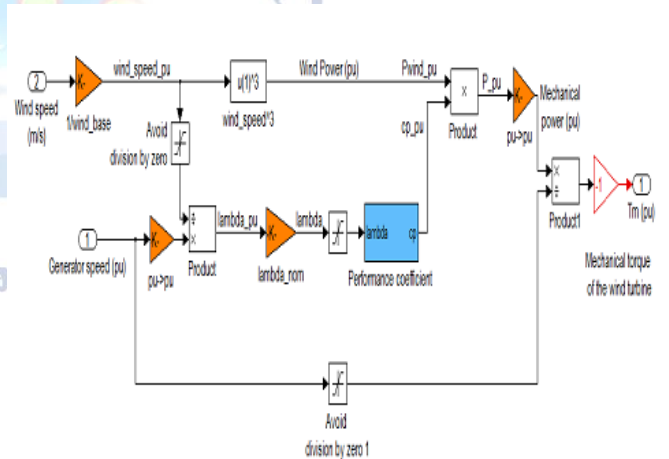

Figure 6: SCIG based WES

Figure 7: Implementation of Wind Turbine System

Control Structure:

Figure 8 shows the complete control strategy of hybrid system for effective power management strategy. In this, the wind energy is generally controlled using pitch angle controller and an MPPT technique for controlling Photovoltaic system [1] [14]. The power balancing equation for total hybrid system is expressed below,
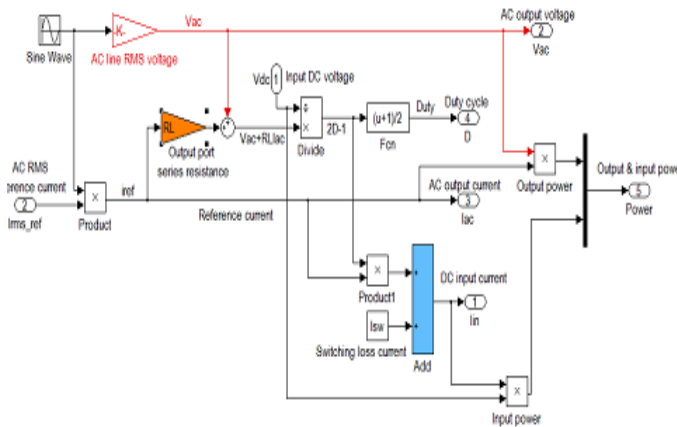
Pnet = Pwind + PPV − Pload

Figure 8: Control Diagram for Power management strategy in Hybrid System

SIMULATION DIAGRAM AND RESULTS:

The simulation can be done based on figure 1. The experimental verification for proposed grid-based hybrid unit is done under two cases based on the weather conditions of solar system.

In this the solar system and wind system is designed as per the modelling expressions presented in the previous sections. The solar plant is designed to generate 16kw and Wind energy system is designed to generate 20kw. The power management strategy for different load conditions is shown.

The following system is tested and verified under three different load conditions such as,

Case 1: Proposed Hybrid system with Power Management Strategy using PO based MPPT technique.

Case 2: Proposed Hybrid system with Power Management Strategy using Cuckoo based MPPT technique.

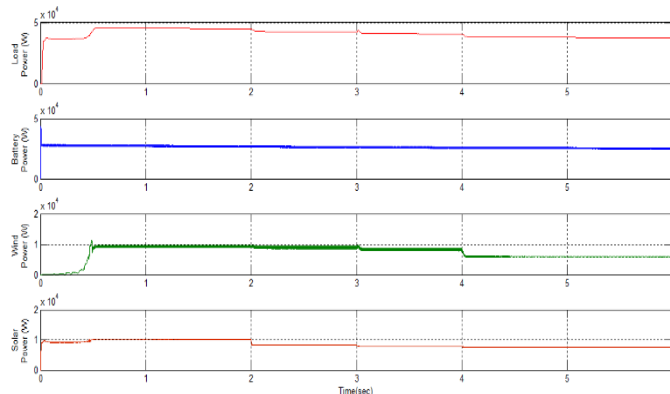**Case 1:** Proposed Hybrid system with Power Management Strategy using PO based MPPT technique.

Figure 9: Simulation Result for (a) Load Demand, (b) Solar Power, (c) Grid Power and (d) Battery Power

Figure 9 shows the simulation result for the proposed system to show the power management strategies. Here, the load sharing is chosen between PV, battery and wind system according to their generations. The solar system generates 10kW during 0s to 2s and 8kw between 2s to 6s. And the wind system generates 9.8kW between 0s to 4s and 6kW during 4s to 6s. The demand for load to this system is approximately 47kW and it is changed to 38kW during the period 3s to 6s.

Case 2: Proposed Hybrid system with Power Management Strategy using Cuckoo based MPPT technique.
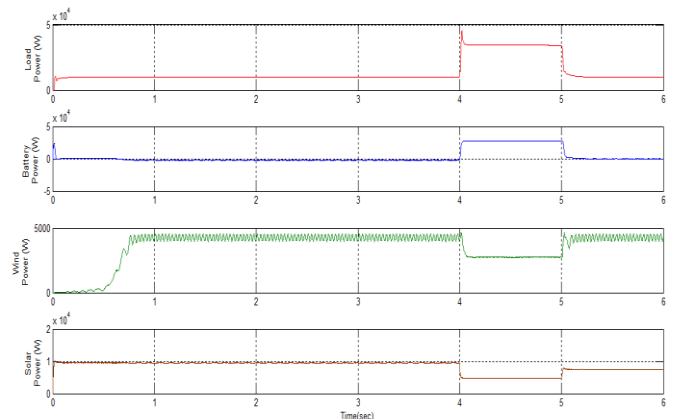

Figure 10: Simulation Result for (a) Load Demand, (b) Solar Power, (c) Wind Power and (d) Battery Power using Cuckoo Technique

Figure 10 shows the simulation result for the proposed system to show the power management strategies implemented with PO MPPT controller. Here, the load sharing is chosen between PV, battery and grid system according to their generations. The irradiance to solar system is considered in variable mode i.e during 0s to 4s the irradiance is 1000w/m2, 800 w/m2 applied during 4s to 5s and later it changed to 900 w/m2. Based on these conditions, the output from the solar system like 10kW during 0s to 4s and 8.2kw between 4s to 5s and again it raised to 9kW after 5s. The wind energy system generates 4.8kW between 0s to 4s with wind speed of 9m/s, it generates 3.6kW during 4s to 5s with wind speed of 7m/s again after 5s the wind speed is changed to 9m/s and generates 4.8kW. The demand for load to this system is approximately 14kW and it is changed to 45kW during the period 4s to 5s. The PV and Wind system contributes their generation to meet the load requirement and the excess requirement is taken from

battery system or gives to the battery if generation is more than demand.

CONCLUSION

In this paper, a novel PV/WT hybrid power system is designed and modelled for smart grid applications. The developed algorithm comprises system components and an appropriate power flow controller. The model has been implemented using the MATLAB/SIMULINK software package, and designed with a dialog box like those used in the SIMULINK block libraries. The available power from the PV system is highly dependent on solar radiation. To overcome this deficiency of the PV system, the PV module was integrated with the wind turbine system. And also, a Cuckoo based MPPT techniques were proposed for both PV & Wind in order to improve the system performance. The dynamic behavior of the proposed model is examined under different operating conditions.

Conflict of interest statement

Authors declare that they do not have any conflict of interest.

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