Modeling and Control of Voltage Source Converters and AC Drives

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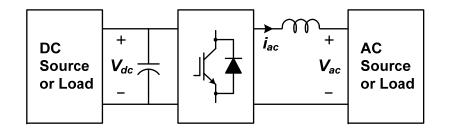
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Voltage Source Converters

Voltage Source (dc-link): invariant voltage polarity



Widely used in different energy sectors



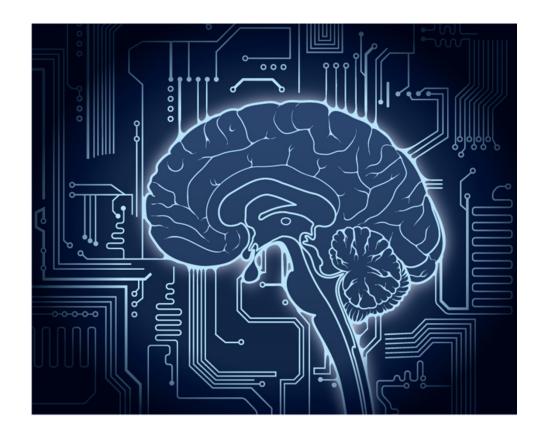
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Think Practical



Simple yet adequate modeling and control tools for voltage source converters to be stable and compatible in electrical grids and drives.



Scope

Fundamental

- ► Linear systems, space vectors, symmetric linear systems
- Voltage source converters and modulations
- Induction and permanent-magnet motor models

Implementation

- Current control, harmonic compensation, active damping
- DC-link voltage control, synchronization
- Sensor-less speed control

Characterization

- ► High-frequency stability issues with current control, delay effects
- ► Low-frequency oscillations with power control and synchronization
- Impedance shaping



- Day 1
 - L1 Review of linear systems theory
 - L2 Space vectors, and symmetrical linear systems
 - L3 Voltage source converters and pulse-width modulations
 - L4 Current control: delay effect, model-based design
 - L5 Current control: harmonics, anti-windup
 - E1 Design of current control for L-filtered VSCs



- Day 2
 - L6 Grid synchronization and its destabilizing effect
 - L7 DC-link voltage and power control
 - L8 Power synchronization control and fault ride-through
 - L9 Induction and permanent-magnet motor models
 - L10 VSC-fed drives and grid- VSCs: similarities and differences
 - E2 Design of dc-link voltage control and phase-locked loop
 - E3 Modeling and line start of an induction motor drive



- Day 3
 - L11 Vector control of induction motor
 - L12 Current model
 - L13 Voltage model
 - L14 Flux estimators
 - L15 Sensor-less control and stability issues
 - E4 Vector control of an induction motor drive



- Day 4
 - L16 Stability of current control with LCL-filter
 - L17 Frequency-domain passivity theory
 - L18 Passivity-based current controller design
 - L19 Virtual impedance based control
 - L20 Active damping
 - E5 Design of virtual-impedance-based active damping

