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Review on Improvement in Stability of Hybrid Series Active Power Filter by Using Sliding Mode Controller

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ABSTRACT: The poor power quality had affected the utilities and customers in many ways. The current harmonics and voltage harmonics are the major power quality issues and these can be minimized by using HSAPF i.e. Hybrid Series Active Power Filter. In this paper, a new approach is introduced as a solution. The new controller will be designed using sliding mode controller-2 to enhance the performance of the HSAPF to make them more robust and stable. Also different existing control strategies are given in this paper. Furthermore, this paper highlights how effective an approach it is to implement the new strategy to meet the desires.

KEYWORDS: HSAPF (Hybrid Series Active Power Filter), SMC (Sliding Mode Controller), power quality, APF (Active Power Filter), PPF (Passive Power Filter).

I. INTRODUCTION

From the last few years, the vast use of non-linear loads, caused lots of power quality problems like harmonics in current, harmonics in voltage etc. on utility [1]. These non-linear loads give rise to the harmonics in currents and inject them into power lines. This disturbed supply voltage and current gives malfunction of protecting devices, burn out of transformers as well as heating of cables. For that it is essential to compensate the harmonic currents which were produced by the non-linear loads and hence we introduce various kinds of compensation devices. Generally, passive power filters were installed for the compensation. This filter suppresses harmonic from the current at the lines through a low impedance path and gives out the pure supply and hence an improved power quality [2]. But, passive filters suffer from disadvantages like mistuning, resonance, being dependent on the power supply conditions of the entire system as well as high values of passive component that results in heavy installations. For better power supply, a new control scheme active power filters are series connected or parallel connected to the end of line nearer to the load side resulting in improved and better power supply. These filters have wide range resolution, because they can effectively eliminate current distortion and the reactive power produced by non-linear loads. But because of high cost and the losses during their operation they have drawbacks [3] [4]. So to diminish these disadvantages as well as to enhance the performance of compensators with having low cost of the APFs, a new HSAPF topology- III is presented by Peng et al. in 1988 [5], in which APF is series connected with the source and non-linear load also PPF is parallel connected at the load side, which can correct the power factor. It can isolate the harmonics from source and the load. The control technique is essential to improve the behavior of HSAPF. In the last decade there are many more strategies developed or implemented for improvement of power quality. In this paper some of them are introduced. In this paper the new control strategy is presented. The sliding mode control is known as a perfect control scheme for handling non-linear loads from the sudden dynamics and obstructions due to its decreasing order phenomenon and less sensitivity, this is the basic concept about the sliding mode controller.



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II. LITERATURE SURVEY

Existing control schemes

1. Linear feedback-feed-forward controller- In this method harmonics are eliminated based on -based feedback controller used for Shunt Hybrid Active Power Filter (SHAPF) to eliminate the harmonics and to perform a satisfactorily operation, due to the distortions such as phase delays because of controller technique and measurement circuits, tolerances of passive filter components also harmonics in supply voltage [6]. In this proposed controller, the traditional feedback controller is enhanced with the help of supply side individual current harmonics which then eliminated by the method of synchronous reference frame. To overcome the poor behavior, various disturbances, proportional-integral controllers are implemented to each d and q components of individual current harmonics. This strategy is implemented from the improvement of the performance of the SHAF. But this controller is not sufficient to give steady state and transient state responses. But it becomes difficult to track continuous feedback hence the system is not stable.

2. The proportional resonant compensator- The Proportional Resonant Regulator has been introduced according to LC resonant circuit [7]. This compensator can give steady-state error free reference because it has a high gain for its resonance frequency. Moreover a same regulator had introduced dependent on mathematical transformation along effective synchronous frame PI, which can track a reference for the same frequency as the rotating frame having zero steady-state error. The Proportional Resonant regulator selected in has the transfer function given in and given by following equation. It gives an improved phase margin also transient performance in closed loop operation.

$$C(s) = k_p + \frac{k_r s}{s^2 + \omega_0^2}$$

where proportional gain (k_p), resonant term gain (k_r) and resonance frequency (ω_0). But this application have limitations of selecting proper constants.

2. Artificial Intelligence Techniques- In APF, we cannot find the algorithm which can give a correct reference signal of harmonic for the control action, this is the severe problem. Generally in the practical area where the system have time varying harmonics and frequency. Hence due to these conditions the new approach was established and that is ANN [8]. This technique is implemented for the APF. The ANNs-based techniques are very effective in active power filters. Furthermore, more number of implementations proved that ANNs are help to install various parts of an APF. An Adaline is use to detect the discrete signal variables of the power supply voltage. MLPs detects the harmonic also filters them, while feed-forward and recurrent neural networks are used to search harmonics into distorted wave. In this way, an enhancement of the processing also a resolution of the harmonic identification algorithm is found. This process can make good outcomes than traditional processes for signals. Isolation of high-order harmonics is derived by combining the series active filter and parallel passive filter. A genetic algorithm given for finding the parameters of a RST regulator for a PLL loop control for detect the positive sequence of network voltage. This helps to harmonic detection of the APF. Hence, Adaline identify the frequency of power system. This method gives a high degree of strongest and calculated accuracy over large range of frequency changes.

3. Linear Quadratic Regulator (LQR)- Linear Quadratic Regulator (LQR) by Integral deed (LQRI) for a three-phase three-wire shunt active filter (SAF) [9]. The integral deed is supplementary for withdraw the steady-state errors for reference tracking or disturbance refusal, significant that the typical LQR offers solitary proportional gains. The controller is intended to attain dc bus voltage guideline and harmonics and reactive power recompense. The converter model is set in the $d-q$ revolving position frame. The last is increased by the vital of the q section of the SAF currents and dc bus voltage to attain vital deed. The controller's presentation rest on the increment matrix, which is chosen to ensure satisfactory response. The converter is controlled as a whole, i.e., a multi-input-multi-output system and a secure pulsewidth modulation at 10 kHz is used to produce the gating signals of the power procedures. The scheme is tested for harmonics, reactive power, and load disturbance recompense for balanced/unbalanced loads. The new results found with a digital signal processor-based application of the controller on the DS1104 of dSPACE display noble presentation in terms of dc bus voltage directive (minor overshoot and actual fast time response) and a little total harmonic falsehood of ac line currents. But this control scheme requires to choose the proper switching



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surfaces. Then, the discontinuous control needs to be select in such a way that any of the state outside of the discontinuous surface are enforced to reach the surface at finite time.

4. Linear Quadratic Gaussian (LQG)- Linear Quadratic Gaussian (LQG) is a Servo controller used for control of Shunt Active Power Filter (SAPF) working under different load conditions[10]. This LQG controller is combination of a LQ regulator and a Kalman filter (KF) that reduces the error between the output currents as well as their changes. In LQG Servo controller there is a feedback compensator, that is a advantage to the SAPF system, which increases tracking error elimination, gain stability, lowers the amplitude distortion and sensitivity to external peripherals. A Kalman filter generates new reference current which overcomes the drawbacks of a proportional integral (PI) controller also does not use the voltage sensors resulting in its cost effectiveness. Hence, this reference system have self-capability of dc-link voltage regulation by effectively guessing the peak value of source reference current with varying load circumstances. The control process is entrenched in SAPF by a MATLAB/Simulink software environment. The efficiency of the projected process is assessed through evaluation with a prevailing process and then authenticated with trial revision trailed using a dSPACE1104 figuring platform. From the found experimental and simulation fallouts it is observed that the planned control method shows greater performance in terms of sturdiness upgrading and current harmonics vindication under steady-state and active load conditions, thus creating it extraoperative for applied claims. But this control scheme requires to choose the proper switching surfaces. Then, the discontinuous control needs to be select in such a way that any of the state outside of the discontinuous surface are enforced to reach the surface at finite time.

5. Fuzzy immune PID controller -As per the PID variables have high impact on the presentation of a series hybrid active power filter (SHAPF). A new fuzzy-immune-PID controller was intended built on the principle of fuzzy immune feedback and PID control, which was used to control a series hybrid active power filter[11]. The controller can effectively trace and compensate harmonic. A three-phase series hybrid active power filter be there simulated in Matlab/Simulink 7.0 by using SimPowerSystems Blockset. By examining the simulation results, we can see that the series hybrid active power filter based on new fuzzy immune-PID Control has a great skill of precise and a good real time presentation. A relative study on the between various control methods' recompense presentations demonstrations that the series hybrid active power filter based on novel approaches can remove harmonic current successfully.

III. SYSTEM MODEL

❖ Basic principle of sliding mode controller

A adaptable system is composed of numerous constant subsystems by a swapping logic. The subsequent controller action is an intermittent function of the system state. A specific operation is accomplished when the swapping occurs at an identical high frequency, ideally infinite, making the system state to a surface, named sliding surface. This process is known as ideal sliding mode (SM) and has several smart properties. It is robust to parameter uncertainties and external disturbances, the closed-loop system is an order-reduced one, and its dynamics depends on the designer-chosen sliding surface.

❖ Why Should We Use Sliding Mode Controllers?

- It is very robust and stable.
- It can be simply modified.
- It can handle MIMO systems.
- Ample simpler than its other algorithms.
- It is fast acting device and cheaper than the other control strategies.

❖ System model design & assumptions

The sliding mode control is recognized as a proper mechanism for monitoring non-linear schemes through inexact dynamics and disorders owing to its order decrease property and small sensitivity to disorders and plant

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limitation deviations, which decreases the freight of the necessity of careful demonstrating. Also, this sliding mode control likewise reduces the complicity of feedback control strategy via means of decoupling the scheme into separate subsystems of minor measurement. Since these given belongings, the application of sliding mode control can be form in the areas of power electronic switching devices. The norm of sliding mode control is distinct as to impose the sliding mode gesture in a predefined switching surfaces of the system state space by intermittent control. The switching surfaces should be nominated in such a way that sliding gesture would keep preferred dynamics of gesture rendering to definite presentation standard. Accordingly, sliding mode arises laterally the surface, and the system monitors the wanted system dynamics. The main trouble of hardware employment of traditional sliding mode control technique is babbling. Babbling is nobody but an unwanted occurrence of fluctuation through limited frequency and amplitude. The babbling is unsafe as the system delays control correctness, great wear of stirring machine-driven parts, and high heating losses arises in electrical power circuits. Babbling arises because of unknowing dynamics. These unknowing dynamics are formed as of servomechanisms, sensors and data processors by lesser time constants. In sliding mode control the switching frequency should be significantly great sufficient to create the controller more vigorous, stable and no babbling since babbling decreases if switching frequency of the system rises. The presentation of sliding mode controller in power converter systems for illustration in HSAPF, a normal technique to decrease babbling is growing switching frequency. Though, it is not promising in case of power converters since of assured boundaries in switching frequency for harms in power converters, for which it effects in babbling. Thus, this babbling delinquent cannot responsibility sliding mode applications as it is mostly affected by switching boundaries. In [12], it is presented that the babbling exponentially be likely to zero if the absolute degree of the system with actuators or sensors is two. The absolute degree of HSAPF system is two. Since this absolute degree of HSAPF system and likewise for these problems in conventional sliding mode controller, this paper projected a novel controller i.e. sliding mode controller-II [13]. This projected controller intimidated babbling and improve the presentation of HSAPF. This controller is totally new for this topology of HSAPF system. The basic concept of HSAPF and the sliding mode controller is shown in following diagram;

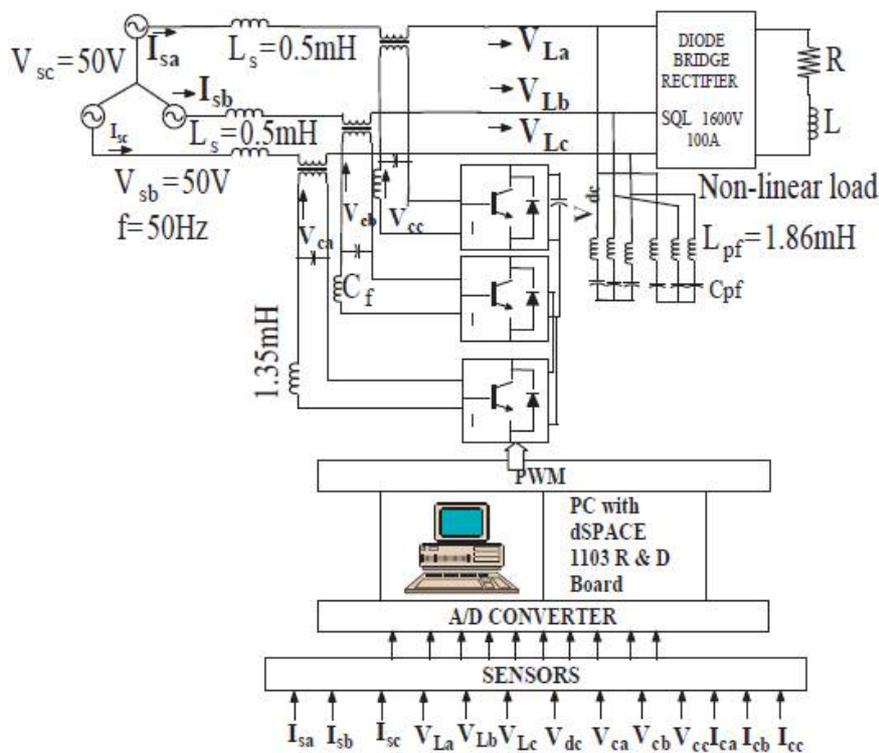


Fig.1 Basic concept of Hybrid series active power filter.



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The paper [14] emphasizes on carrier based PWM (CBPWM) aimed at HSAPF topology. Then in specific cases the CBPWM based HSAPF may not be totally assessable in maximum of the practical circumstances. In case of CBPWM, power system distresses have not been taken into thought and likewise the existence of a time delay at the position chasing point offers increase to a slow reaction of the complete system. Thus, chasing error is not eliminated efficiently and steadiness of the system is marginally upgraded. To overwhelm this, a new SMC controller is projected for voltage source converter (VSC). The impression ahead this controller is to attain gain steadiness, perfect chasing and falsehood free current and load voltage.

In opinion of above stated problems, gives additional importance on the expansion of vigorous controller with a quicker reference chasing method in HSAPF, which approves all distresses such as load voltage falsification, parametric distinction of load, source current alteration and supply voltage disturb so that compensation ability of the HSAPF system can be improved.

IV. CONCLUSION

In this paper, the new proposed controller is introduced for HSAPF. The control scheme is sliding mode controller that enhance the performance of HSAPF. This control scheme is useful for switching pattern generation also to set reference. It gives steady state also transient response, by applying this control scheme the performance of the HSAPF can be improved. It can give use elimination of voltage and current harmonics, reference set valued voltage settings, and compensation of reactive power under various load conditions. In this paper different control strategies are presented like linear feedback-feed-forward controller, Artificial Intelligence Techniques, Linear Quadratic Regulator (LQR), Linear Quadratic Gaussian (LQG). The proposed filter can eliminate source current distortions and hence it can also adjust itself for the different non-linear load currents, and power factor correction at the supply side nearer to unity.

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