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ABSTRACT

Direct torque control (DTC) has gained popularity for induction motor control that requires high torque control performance due to its simplicity. This scheme does not require a frame transformer, knowledge of machine parameters, speed sensor and current controller, as opposed to the Field Oriented Control (FOC) which is another control scheme of induction machine. The prototype DTC drive offers several advantages such as robust control (less sensitivity to parameter variations), speed sensorless drive, inherent current control, fast instantaneous torque and flux control. The DTC algorithm (including estimations of flux and torque, hysteresis controllers, look-up table and etc) was performed using a low-cost Digital Signal Processor (DSP) controller board, i.e. ezdsp F28335. The algorithm of DTC was developed using IQ Math-MATLAB components as provided by Texas Instrument to optimize and minimize the digital computation in DSP. A decoupled control of torque and flux that provides fast dynamic control can be established in DTC, where in torque and flux are controlled using 3-level and 2-level hysteresis comparators, respectively. The output of comparators and flux sector information are used to index the look-up table, to select appropriate voltage vectors to control torque and flux, simultaneously. By modelling the DTC algorithm using IQ-math components, the sampling period of DSP computation can be minimized at 50 $\mu$s, that is much smaller than that obtained using Simulink component (about 100 $\mu$s). The feasibility and effectiveness of DTC implementation using ezDSP F28335 to provide fast instantaneous torque and flux control were verified through experimental results.
ABSTRAK

Daya kilas langsung (DTC) telah mendapat populariti untuk mengawal motor aruhan yang memerlukan kawalan prestasi daya kilas yang tinggi disebabkan kelemahan yang dihadapinya. Teknik ini tidak memerlukan pengubah/bingkai, pengetahuan parameter mesin, penderia kelajuan dan pengawalan arus, rujukan bertentangan dengan kawalan orientasi medan yang merupakan satu lagi teknik kawalan mesin aruhan. Pemacu prototaip DTC menawarkan beberapa kelebihan seperti kawalan tahan lasak (kurang sensitif kepada perubahan parameter), pemacu tanpa penderia laju, kawalan arus semulajadi, kawalan cepat daya kilas ketika dan fluks ketika. Algoritma DTC (termasuk anggaran fluks dan daya kilas, pengawal histerisis, jadual pemilihan dan sebagainya) dilakukan menggunakan pengawalan pemrosesan isyarat digital (DSP) yang berkost rendah, iaitu eZdsp F28335. Algoritma DTC dibangunkan menggunakan IQ-math Matlab komponen yang disediakan oleh Texas Instrumen untuk mengoptimumkan dan meminimumkan pengiraan digital DSP. Satu kawalan pemisah daya kilas dan fluks yang menyediakan kawalan pantas dinamik diwujudkan oleh DTC, di mana daya kilas dan fluks dikawal masing-masing pembanding histerisis 3 tahap dan 2 tahap. Keluaran pembanding tersebut dan maklumat sektor fluks digunakan untuk memilih vektor yang sesuai didalam jadual carian mengawal serentak kedua-dua daya kilas dan fluks. Dengan memodelkan algoritma DTC menggunakan komponen IQ-math, tempoh perempeluan bagi pengiraan DSP boleh diminimakan kepada 50 μs, iaitu sangat kecil berbanding dengan yang dicapai menggunakan komponen Simulink (dianggarkan sekitar 100 μs). Keberkesanan dan kebolehan bagi melaksanakan DTC menggunakan ezdsp F28335 untuk menyediakan kawalan ketika daya kilas dan fluks yang cepat telah disahkan melalui keputusan ujikaji.
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LIST OF SYMBOL

L_d - d-axis self inductance
L_q - q-axis self inductance
L_m - Mutual inductance
i_s - stator current
i_r - rotor current
r_r - Rotor and stator resistance
i_{sd} - d-axis current
V_{sd} - d-axis voltage
i_{sq} - q-axis current
V_{sq} - q-axis voltage
i_{sd, sq} - d and q components of the stator current in stationary reference frame
i_{a, b} - Current phase a and phase b
L - Self inductance
\psi_{sd}, \psi_{sq} - d and q components of stator flux reference frame
\psi_r, \psi_s - Stator and rotor flux linkage space vector in stationary reference frame
\psi_f - Field flux linkage
\psi_{\lambda} - Flux threshold
T - Output Torque hysteresis
\phi - Output flux hysteresis
\delta - Load angle
\begin{align*}
V_a, V_b, V_c & \quad \text{Three Phase Voltage} \\
T_e & \quad \text{Electromagnetic torque} \\
P & \quad \text{Pairs of pole} \\
\omega_r & \quad \text{Rotor electrical speed} \\
V_{dc} & \quad \text{DC link voltage} \\
S_a, S_b, S_c & \quad \text{Switching states} \\
\theta_{sr} & \quad \text{Angle between stator and rotor flux vectors} \\
v_s & \quad \text{Voltage vector}
\end{align*}
LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS

DTC - Direct Torque Control  
IM - Induction Motor  
VSI - Voltage Source Inverter  
FOC - Field Oriented Control  
DSC - Direct Self Control  
AC - Alternating Current  
DC - Direct current  
DSP - Digital Signal Processor  
IFO - Indirect Rotor Flux Orientation  
ADC - Analog Digital Converter  
DAC - Digital Analog Converter  
CPLD - Complex programmable logic device  
SVM - Space vector modulated  
IGBT - Insulated gate bipolar transistor
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CHAPTER 1

INTRODUCTION

1.1 Background of project

Among types of AC machine, the induction machine is widely adopted in many industrial applications, for examples industrial blower, traction drives, spindle drives, stationary power tools and others. The induction machine is very economical, rugged and requires less maintenance.

In this project, direct torque control of the induction machine drive was developed using IQ-math block provided by Texas Instrument which are available in software Matlab (Version R2011b). The purpose of the project was to study the principle of DTC of induction machine, implement the Direct Torque Control algorithm using ezdsp F28335. The algorithm was programmed using IQ-math components.

A description of DTC drive will be presented and the operation of DTC will be verified to show its functionally via experimental results.
1.2 Problem statement

Some challenges or problem need to be concerned in developing the AC motor control, as listed as below:

(i) It is required to avoid inrush current/overcurrent during motor start-up or acceleration.
(ii) It is desirable to improve poor dynamic performance as resulted in the conventional system, i.e. scalar method.
(iii) In many industrial drive systems, the motor can perform under 4-quadrant operations without any use or extra hardware to the drive system.

1.3 Objective

The main objectives of the project are as follows;

(i) To study the principle of DTC of induction machine which can offer fast torque dynamic performance, inherent current control (provide current limit) and allow 4-quadrant operations.
(ii) To develop a DTC drive for 3-phase induction machine using ezdsp F28335.
1.4 **Scope of project**

The scopes of the project are listed as follows;

(i) To study the principle of DTC operation and the variations of DTC improvement through literature or technical papers.

(ii) To simulate and construct DTC algorithm using IQ-math component that can perform the execution time cycle at 50 μs.

(iii) To realize DTC drive system using ezdsp F28335.

(iv) To verify the proper DTC operation via experimental results.
CHAPTER 2

LITERATURE REVIEW

2.1 Introduction

This chapter will discuss about the review of journal or technical report that related to the project. This chapter also covers the researchers related to the subject. This will provide a clearly understanding of the overall project. This chapter will discuss on overall theories and concept of the project.

2.2 Literature review of motor drives

In the past year DC motor was extensively used for many industrial applications due to its simplicity and offers superior torque and dynamic performance. However, DC motor drive has many disadvantages such as high maintenance, expensive, and cannot operate at very high speed operations. The problem can be solved by replacing DC motor with induction motors which are much cheaper, less maintenance, and reliable. The advancement of induction motor control has gained much momentum as the technology of power electronic switching devices grow rapidly, which in turns excite the developments of the vector controlled that allows