# Chapter

# Simulation Analysis of DFIG Integrated Wind Turbine Control System

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# Abstract

Recently, scientists and academics are discovering progressive improvements in the arena of wind power technology economically and reliably, allowing them to produce electricity focusing on renewable energy resources. Wind turbines (WT) using the Doubly Fed Induction Generators (DFIGs) have attracted particular attention because of their advantages such as variable speed constant frequency (VSCF) operation, independent control capabilities for maximum power point tracking (MPPT), active and reactive power controls, and voltage control strategy at the point of common coupling (PCC). When such resources have to be integrated into the existing power system, the operation becomes more challenging, particularly in terms of stability, security, and reliability. A DFIG system with its control strategies is simulated on MATLAB software. This entails the rapid control prototype testing of grid-connected, variable speed DFIG wind turbines to investigate the WT's steadystate and dynamic behavior under normal and disturbed wind conditions. To augment the transient stability of DFIG, the simulation results for the active and reactive power of conventional controllers are compared with the adaptive tracking, self-tuned feedforward PI controller model for optimum performance. Conclusive outcomes manifest the superior robustness of the feed-forward PI controller in terms of rising time, settling time, and overshoot value.

**Keywords:** renewable energy sources, DFIG's, MATLAB/SIMULINK, WT, MPPT, distribution network, wind energy

# 1. Introduction

The increasing demand for electrical power, and the rapid depletion and environmental concerns of fossil fuels have prompted the increased need for alternate forms of clean and sustainable energy sources. Globally there is an unassertive move away from unabated coal, and the rise of renewable energies from under 30% of generation in 2020 to above 40% in 2030 [1]. According to statistics (2021) put out by International Renewable Energy Agency (IRENA), an entire of 2,802,004 MW of electricity generation was produced worldwide in 2020, added by 53,824 MW of electricity generation from Africa [2]. The International Energy Agency (IEA) projected that the worldwide energy mandate would be twofold by 2030 [3]. The global energy generation, ingesting, and financial development (1991–2017) swing displays a direct upsurge associated with the growing development of the global economy [4]. These cited worldwide trends of financial development mutually with industrial development and countryside electrification energy requirements are reflected in South Africa. South Africa's energy source is a mixture of 59% from carbon coal, 16% from petroleum, 3% from gasoline, 2% nuclear, and 20% from renewable resources and leftover [4, 5]. The worldwide cumulative swing of wind energy facility systems has speedily extended the wind energy facilities [6]. The wind is the gross effect of the pressure rise force, gravity, Coriolis, centrifugal and friction forces performing on the troposphere. The wind's aerodynamic features, lift and drag, angle of attack, and the effect of a high lift to drag ratio as the highest draft feature of the turbine rotor blade for effective wind power harvesting as explained in [7].

In [8], it was discussed how the twisted and tapered propeller-type rotor blades, could improve the angle of attack, rotor speed, and efficiency while reducing drag and bending stress. Betz equation evaluation of the wind energy conversion signifies that 59% optimum efficiency in which a conventional wind turbine can extract power from the wind [9]. Wind turbines generator systems are generally classified in lift and drag type, upwind and downwind type, and horizontal and vertical axis turbines. Most power utility networks operate either as N + 1 or N + 2 configuration criteria. N-0 configuration criterion is widely practiced in radial low voltage distribution networks [10]. A grid-connected wind energy system needs to meet certain standards before being integrated into the grid. Wind turbine generators control system (WTGCS) connects wind turbine generators to the grid, with a generation scheduling in place, that regulates the generator speed consequently adjusting the generator frequency, the voltage at the grid, active and reactive power flow using rotor side converter (RSC) and the grid side converter (GSC) and at the same time prefer to disconnect the wind turbines from the grid during faults, resulting in power losses, out of synchronization, and cascaded tripping of generation facilities [11].

The study in [12], clarifies in what way the controlled rotor current on the rotor side converter and a dynamic disruption elimination control by the resources of an extended state observer (ESO) controller the real and reactive stator powers produced by a wind power transformation method. In [13], an MPPT is combined with the DFIG stator flux oriented vector control to disassociate the control of real and reactive power produced by the DFIG centered wind turbine, with the generated power plattering as the dynamic energy reference for the DFIG. In [14], unit 3 directs the symmetrical and asymmetrical voltage rise and fall of the power grid-integrated DFIG, by including further current controller loops by disintegrating the vectorial references into progressive and undesirable signal indications. In [15], an open circuit stator negative sequence rotor current control system is applied, permitting the induced stator voltage to develop as unbalanced as the grid system voltage, henceforth allowing an even linking of DFIG to the power grid system. In [16], a wind speed assessment process centered on particle swarm optimization, and support vector regression, was evaluated to allow the MPPT control. The South African Renewable Energy Grid Code (SAREGC) published narration (2.9) in November 2016 stipulates the necessities for manufacturing standards, networking reliability, and unbalanced admittance to the power grid using RPPs.

This chapter aims to investigate the impact of wind energy penetration into the distribution grid for different percentages for the different scenarios of wind energy integration into the existing grid.

## 2. Aerodynamics, electrical, and drive train modeling

#### 2.1 Aerodynamics modeling

The wind is the net result of the pressure gradient force, gravity, Coriolis, centrifugal and friction forces acting on the atmosphere. Since wind speed usually varies from one location to another and also fluctuates over time in a stochastic way, J.G. Slootweg [17] proposed a mathematical model that takes some landscape parameters to generate a wind speed  $V_m(t)$  in (meter/sec) sequence for any location, as per equation one:

$$V_w(t) = V_{w a}(t) + V_{w r}(t) + V_{w g}(t) + V_{w t}(t)$$
(1)

Where,  $V_{wa}(t)$  is a constant component,  $V_{wr}(t)$  is a common ramp component,  $V_{wg}(t)$  is a gust component, and  $V_{wt}(t)$  is a turbulence component in (meter/sec).

The operation of a wind turbine can be characterized by its mechanical power output  $P_m$  through a cross-sectional area A normal to the wind as a function of wind speed  $V_w$  [18].

$$P_m = 0.5\rho A V_w^3 C_P(\alpha, \beta) \tag{2}$$

Where  $\rho$  is the air mass density,  $A = \pi r^2$  is the turbine swept area, r is the turbine radius, and  $V_w$  is the wind speed.  $C_p$  is a nonlinear function of  $\lambda$  and  $\beta$  is referred to as the performance coefficient and is smaller than 0.59, given by [18, 19].

$$C_p = 0.5 \left[ \frac{rC_f}{\lambda} - 0.022\beta - 2 \right] e^{-0.255 \frac{rC_f}{\lambda}}$$
(3)

Where  $\beta$  is the turbine pitch angle,  $\lambda$  is the tip-speed ratio, and  $C_f$  is the blade design constant  $\lambda$  is defined by:

$$\lambda = \frac{r\omega_{tur}}{V_w} \tag{4}$$

Where  $\omega_{tur}$  is the rotational angular speed of turbine blades in mechanical rad/sec.

$$P_{m \max} = \left(\frac{0.5\rho Ar^3 C_{P \max}}{\lambda_{opt}^3}\right) w_{tur}^3 = K_{opt} w_{tur}^3$$
(5)

Eq. (5) indicates that  $P_{max}$  is proportional to the cube of turbine speed, hence the mechanical torque  $T_{mmax}$  is:

$$T_{m\max} = K_{opt} w_{tur}^2 \tag{6}$$

## 2.2 Electrical modeling

A wounded-rotor induction motor can operate as a double-fed induction motor (DFIM) with the stator side windings openly attached to the three-phase power grid/load and the rotor side windings attached to a side-by-side moderately measured (20–30) % rating power converter as shown in **Figure 1**. As shown in **Figure 2**, an



**Figure 1.** *Grid-connected DFIG* [20].





induction motor works on the interface principle between the stator and rotor magnetomotive forces (MMF). The stator side windings current produce an MMF revolving at power grid side frequency especially including an MMF in the rotor side windings. The rotor speed does not compliment the stator side MMF. This induced rotor MMF will rotate at the so-called slip frequency which possesses the subsequent value [21]:

$$\omega_{slip} = \omega_{mmf}^{rotor} = \omega_{mmf}^{stator} - \omega_{rotor} \tag{7}$$

Where,  $\omega_{slip}$  is the slip frequency, corresponding to the frequency of rotor current and voltage,  $\omega_{mmf}^{stator}$  is the stator or the grid frequency in (rad/sec),  $\omega_{rotor}$  is the rotor rotating frequency (rad/sec). In both sub-synchronous and super-synchronous operations, the DFIM machine can be operated either as a motor (0 < slip < 1) with positive rotor torque or a generator (slip < 0) with negative rotor torque. The Park and Clark transform allowing the transformation of time-dependent variables into constant values. The per-unit electromagnetic torque equation expressed in d-q park reference is given by [22]:

$$T_e = \varphi_{ds}I_{qs} - \varphi_{qs}I_{ds} = \varphi_{qr}I_{dr} - \varphi_{dr}I_{qr} = L_m (I_{qs}I_{dr} - I_{ds}I_{qr})$$
(8)

Neglecting the power losses associated with the stator and rotor resistances, the active and reactive stator powers for the DFIG are [22]:

$$P_s = \left(\frac{3}{2}\right) \left( V_{ds} I_{ds} + V_{qs} I_{qs} \right) \tag{9}$$

$$Q_s = \left(\frac{3}{2}\right) \left( V_{qs} I_{ds} - V_{ds} I_{qs} \right) \tag{10}$$

And the active and reactive rotor powers are given by:

$$P_r = \left(\frac{3}{2}\right) \left( V_{dr} I_{dr} + V_{qr} I_{qr} \right) \tag{11}$$

$$Q_r = \left(\frac{3}{2}\right) \left( V_{qr} I_{dr} - V_{dr} I_{qr} \right) \tag{12}$$

The overall system equations can also be re-written with relation to the rotating frames [21]:

$$P_T = P_s + P_r = \frac{3}{2} \left( V'_{qr} I'_{qr} + V'_{dr} I'_{dr} + V_{ds} I_{ds} + V_{qs} I_{qs} \right)$$
(13)

$$Q_T = Q_s + Q_r = \frac{3}{2} \left( V'_{qr} I'_{qr} - V'_{dr} I'_{dr} + V_{ds} I_{ds} - V_{qs} I_{qs} \right)$$
(14)

The torque expression and the stator reactive power, which are the control objectives of the rotor-side converter control, are shown in Eqs. 17 and 18. Where, p is the number of pole pairs of the generator,  $I_{qs}$  and  $I_{qr}$  are the q component of the stator and rotor current,  $I_{ds}$  and  $I_{dr}$  are the d component of the stator and rotor current,  $V_{qs}$  and  $V_{ds}$  are the q and d components of the stator voltage. The stator and rotor flux linkages in the synchronous reference frame are expressed as [23]:

$$\psi_s = L_s I_s + L_m I_r \tag{15}$$

$$\psi_r = L_m I_s + L_r I_r \tag{16}$$

The electromagnetic torque can be expressed using the d - q components as following [23].

$$T_m = \frac{3}{2} p \frac{L_m}{L_s} \left( \psi_{qs} I_{dr} - \psi_{ds} I_{qr} \right) \tag{17}$$

$$Q_s = \frac{3}{2} \left( V_{qs} I_{ds} - V_{ds} I_{qs} \right) \tag{18}$$

## 2.3 Drive train model

Considering the mechanical aspect of the wind turbine, the mechanical representation of the drive train of the entire wind turbine is complex. Following four types of the drive train in wind turbine models are generally used [24].

1. Six mass drive train model.

- 2. Three mass drive train model.
- 3. Two mass drive train model.
- 4. one-mass drive train model.

Of the above four types of drive train models, the one that was modeled and implemented is the simplified form of the two mass-shaft model power train systems as shown in **Figure 3** consisting of a shaft and gearbox. As per the two-mass model of the drive train system described in [24], all masses are grouped into low and highspeed shafts. The inertia of the low-speed shaft comes mainly from the rotating blades and the inertia of the high-speed shaft. The input to the model for a two-mass system is established as torque  $T_A$ , which is gained by the aerodynamics methodology and the generator response torque  $T_e$ . The target is the deviations in the rotor speed  $\omega_r$  and the generator speed  $\omega_g$ . The deviations in the mechanically compelled torque  $T_m$ , the generator torque response  $T_e$ , and torque loss owing to friction  $T_{fric}$ , causes the variation of angular velocity  $\omega_r^*$  [24].

$$T_m - T_e - T_{fric} = j_g \times \dot{\omega}_g \tag{19}$$

The change in the angular speed  $\dot{\omega}_r$  is caused by the difference between the aerodynamic torque  $T_A$  and shaft torque  $T_s$  at a low speed shaft [24].

$$T_A - T_s = j_r \times \dot{\omega}_r \tag{20}$$

$$\dot{\omega}_g = \varphi_g'' \text{ and } \dot{\omega}_r = \varphi_r''$$
 (21)

 $T_m$  and  $T_s$  are connected by the gear ration, as  $T_s = nT_m$ 

$$T_s = K_s \cdot \Delta \varphi + D_s \cdot \varphi = K_s \cdot \Delta \varphi + D_s \left( \omega_r - \omega_g / n \right) \tag{22}$$

Where  $K_s$  is the stiffness constant and  $D_s$  is the damping constant of the shaft. Considering a two-mass free-swinging system the Eigen frequency is as follows:

$$\dot{\omega}_r = \frac{1}{J_r} \left( T_A - D_S \cdot \omega_r + \frac{D_S}{n} \dot{\omega}_g - K_S \int \left( \omega_r - \frac{\omega_g}{n} \right) dt \right)$$
(23)

$$\dot{\omega}_g = \frac{1}{J_g} \left( -T_e - \left( D_g + \frac{D_S}{n^2} \right) \omega_g + \frac{D_S}{n} \dot{\omega}_r - \frac{K_s}{n} \int \left( \omega_r - \frac{\omega_g}{n} \right) dt \right)$$
(24)



Figure 3. Schematic drawing of the two mass shaft drive train model [24].

Where,  $K_s$  is the stiffness constant and  $D_s$  is the damping constant of the shaft. Considering a two-mass free-swinging system, the Eigen frequency is given as:

$$\omega_{os} = 2\pi f_{os} = \sqrt{\frac{K_s}{J_{ges}}}$$
(25)

The total inertia of the free-swinging system on the low-speed is calculated by:

$$J_{ges} = \frac{J_r \cdot J_g \cdot n^2}{J_r + J_g \cdot n^2}$$
(26)

So, the stiffness constant  $K_s$  and the damping constant  $D_s$  of the low-speed shaft, with  $\xi_s$  as logarithmic decrement is:

$$K_s = J_{ges} \cdot \left(2\pi f_{os}\right)^2 \tag{27}$$

$$D_s = 2\xi_s \cdot \sqrt{\frac{K_s J_{ges}}{\xi_s^2 + 4\pi^2}}$$
(28)

## 3. Control system

#### 3.1 Conventional wind power control scheme

Owing to the alterations in the timing measures of the mechanical and electrical gestures, the DFIM-centered wind power control system has a multiple-layer control arrangement, with unified sub-systems. At the uppermost developed control stage, a maximum power point tracking procedure is applied to compute the generator speed set-point  $\Omega_m^*$  to produce the DFIG target power set point  $T_{em}^*$ . The other control stage oversees the turbine pitch control scheme. The third and final control stage standardizes the generator torque, the real and reactive power, and the DC linkage voltage. The key limitations of the traditional control approach are explained in [25]. In the fractional load control process, the PI controller does not permit calibration of the commutation between the energy intensification and the momentary load depreciation, and at the full load control stage, the pitch-controlled generator speed directive can source acute power variations. Therefore, this study emphasizes the generator controller utilizing an adaptable tracing, self-adjustable PI controller framework. The suggested control system is disintegrated into various sub-categories entailing the fréchet derivative, the proportional, integral, and the derivative control. The PID control variables,  $K_p$ ,  $K_i$ , and  $K_d$  are observed as the adaptable interfaces among the above sub-categories to self-adjusting these variables.

A reference current calculation and current control loop are presented as shown in **Figure 4** [26] and both the reference reactive power  $Q_{sref}$  and  $Q_{gref}$  are usually set to zero and can be modified depending on the grid requirements. The DC link reference voltage has a fixed value while the reference torque is determined by the maximum power point tracking control system. The vectorial control system of a grid-integrated DFIM is very similar to the traditional vectorial control system of a



Figure 4. Reference values entered in DFIG back to back converter [26].

squirrel cage machine. DFIM is controlled in a synchronously revolving dq orientation structure, with the d axis adapted to the rotor flux space vector locus. The direct current is therefore related to the rotor side magnetic flux linkage although the quadrature current is related to the electromagnetic torque. By regulating autonomously, the two current modules, a disintegrated control between the torque and the rotor excitation current is achieved. Likewise, in the vectorial control system of a DFIM, the d and q axis components of the rotor current are controlled.

#### 3.2 Maximum power point control

The most commonly used wind turbine control strategy is illustrated in **Figure 5**, and consists of four operation zones, this shows the wind speed as a function of the wind speed [27]. This resembles an operation at full load condition. Here, the



Figure 5. The operation zones for power point tracking for wind turbine [27].

mechanical power can be restricted moreover by changing the pitch or using torque control. Usually, the electromagnetic torque is retained at an insignificant value and regulates the pitch angle to retain the wind turbine at extreme speed to maintain power output at a higher than rated wind speed.

The maximum power deviation with the rotational speed of DFIM is pre-established for every individual wind turbine. Owing to the intermittent character of the wind, it is vital to comprise a control unit to be able to follow maximum peak irrespective of the wind speediness. Due to the adaptive tracking and self-tuning capabilities, the two best MPC control methods are described in [27] as indirect speed control and direct speed control. The direct speed controller (DSC) as shown in **Figure 6** follow the maximum power curve more narrowly with rapid dynamics. Observing the description of the tip speed ratio, the optimum VSWT rotating speed  $\Omega_{topt}$  may be established from the wind speed  $V_w$ , whereas  $T_{em}$  is the turbine electromagnetic torque,  $\Omega_m$  is rotating speed,  $T_{t_est}$  is assessed turbine aerodynamics torque, and  $P_{max}$  is the maximum powering point.

$$\Omega_m^* = N_{\sqrt{\frac{T_{t\_est}}{k_{opt\_t}}}}$$
(29)

$$P_{\max} = \frac{1}{2} \rho \ \pi \ R^5 \frac{\left(C_{p_{-}\max}\right)}{\left(\lambda_{opt}^3\right)} \left(\Omega_m^*\right)^3 \tag{30}$$

$$P_{MPPT} = K_{opt} (\Omega^*_{\ m})^3 \tag{31}$$





**Figure 6.** Direct speed control [27].

## 3.3 Rotor side control

The DFIG rotor variable's orientation must follow the orientation of the selected orientation parameter. Here, two algorithms are implemented, stator side voltage aligned control and stator side flux aligned control. Once this parameter vector is computed in the rotor side orientation structure, its comparative angle ( $\delta$ ) to the rotor side orientation structure is designed and the rotor parameters are altered into the novel control-reference structure, as shown in **Figure 7** [21].

Vector control is applied to the rotor side converter to control the stator's active and reactive power. The direct axis loop is used to control reactive power whereas the quadrature axis is for active power control. The rotor converter obtains evaluations of rotor circuit parameters and is accountable for handling the reactive power flow between the stator and the power grid as well as regulating the generator torque. Its input parameters are not associated with the stator orientation structure. Though, it is exactly the stator target that must be measured and controlled. For the RSC to calculate an output stable with the stator's parameters, the rotor parameters articulated in the rotor d-q orientation structure must be revolved to be oriented with the control orientation structure. The RSC controller MATLAB block diagram is shown in **Figure 8**.



**Figure 7.** *Reference frames used in park transform* [21].



**Figure 8.** RSC controller MATLAB block diagram.

The equations used in the orientation process are [21]:

$$S_{r\ d} = S'_{r\ a}\sin\left(\delta\right) + S'_{r\ d}\cos\left(\delta\right) \tag{32}$$

$$S_{r q} = S'_{r q} \cos\left(\delta\right) - S'_{r d} \sin\left(\delta\right)$$
(33)

Where:

- *S'* represents a d-q rotor variable expressed in the rotor reference frame rotating at slip frequency.
- *S* represents the same rotor variable oriented along with the control reference frame.
- $\delta$  represents the alignment angle by which the rotor reference frame must be rotated.

#### 3.4 Grid side control

The main objective of the grid side converter control model with ideal bidirectional switches as shown in **Figure 9** is to focus on the active and reactive powers delivered to the grid, keeping a constant DC-link voltage independent of the value and direction of the rotor power flow, and grid synchronization control. The grid side of the wind turbine system is composed of the grid side converter, the grid side filter, and the grid voltage. It converts voltage and currents from DC to AC, while the exchange of power can be in both directions from AC to DC (rectifier mode) and from DC to AC (inverter mode). The d - q axis voltage  $V_{gd}$  and  $V_{gq}$  of the grid side converter from the original three phases  $V_{ga}$ ,  $V_{gb}$ ,  $V_{gc}$  is as below [27]:

$$V_{g d} = V_{g d} + R_{g}I_{g d} + L_{g}\frac{dI_{g d}}{dt} - \omega_{s}L_{g}I_{g q}$$
(34)

$$V_{g q} = V_{g q} + R_{g}I_{g q} + L_{g}\frac{dI_{g q}}{dt} + \omega_{s}L_{g}I_{g d}$$
(35)



**Figure 9.** Simplified converter, filter, and grid model [27].

## 4. Simulation and discussion

#### 4.1 Steady-state simulation

The system under study is shown in **Figure 10**. The 2 MW, 1500 rpm, 50 Hz, 690 V, 1760 A, and 12,732 Nm torque DFIG model was used to model and simulate the systems. The simulation was used to analyze the challenges with power system stability of integrating the WTG into the grid, considering intermittent wind characteristics and the problem of slip convergence. This task was executed by creating a steady-state Matlab function, to calculate the steady-state operation points and reveals how the rotor speed of the modeled DFIG involves the power flow of the studied system. Speed array and torque array were considered as inputs into the stimulated three-blade wind turbine connected with DFIG. Two different work frames of generation strategies  $Q_s = 0$  and  $I_{dr} = 0$  were considered here.

#### 4.1.1 Steady-state simulation results and analysis

Simulations were carried out for variable wind speeds ranging from 5 m/s (cut-in speed) to 25 m/s (cut-off speed) in progressive steps of 2 m/s, with reactive power  $Q_s = 0$ , (red plot) and  $I_{dr} = 0$  (green plot) as a control strategy separately. The results for the DFIG voltage, torque, generated real power, efficiency, and consumed reactive power in both the methods are plotted in **Figures 11–18**. The influence of two different generation strategies does not make big differences for variables such as  $T_{em}$ ,  $P_t$ ,  $P_s$  and  $P_r$ , however, some other variables such as  $I_s$ ,  $I_r$ ,  $Q_s$ , and  $Q_r$ , (**Figures 14–17**) was found to have some big differences in amplitudes, concerning rotor speed.

**Figure 11** shows the DFIG's torque vs. speed characteristics, which stimulate the three-blade wind turbine with a minimum speed of 900 rpm and a maximum speed of 1800 rpm. The DFIG can perform above and under the synchronization speed for power generation. The generation model of DFIG matching negative torque values



**Figure 10.** Steady-state simulation program block model.



**Figure 11.** The graph of torque  $(T_{em})$  vs. rotor speed (n).



Figure 12. DFIG's active power Pt (W) vs. speed n (rpm).



**Figure 13.** DFIG stator and rotor active power Ps ♂ Pr (W) vs. speed n (rpm).



**Figure 14.** DFIG  $I_s$  (A) vs. n (rpm), red plot: Qs = 0, green plot:  $I_{dr} = 0$ .

covers from the negative slip to the positive slip state. Therefore, the turbine target power and electromagnetic torque features of variable speed DFIGs are unlike the customized constant-speed induction machine. **Figure 12** shows the plotting for the total mechanical power of the turbine shaft, which is the product of torque and speed, from sub synchronous to super synchronous speed, with a maximum power value of



**Figure 15.** DFIG  $I_r$  (A) vs. n (rpm), red plot: Qs = 0, green plot:  $I_{dr} = 0$ .



Figure 16. DFIG Qs (VAR) vs. n (rpm), red plot: Qs = 0, green plot:  $I_{dr} = 0$ .



**Figure 17.** DFIG Qr (VAR) vs. n (rpm), red plot: Qs = 0, green plot:  $I_{dr} = 0$ .



**Figure 18.** DFIG Vr  $\mathscr{G}$  vs vs. speed n (rpm), red plot: Qs = 0, green plot:  $I_{dr}$  = 0.

-2.54 MW at 1800 rpm. **Figure 12** shows, the rotor's active power  $P_r$  is absorbed by the induction machine at below synchronous speed, and the active power is supplied above the synchronous speed from the induction generator to the grid. **Figure 13**, shows, with  $Q_s = 0$  (red plot) as an adopted control strategy the stator current value  $I_s$  is on the lower side. **Figures 14** and **15** shows during  $I_{dr} = 0$  (green plot) as a control

	uulation Aodel	100	60	75
$\mathbf{V}_{\mathbf{r}}$	iteady Sin State I	110	60	73
$I_{\rm s}$	Simulation S Model	1100	1350	1860
	Steady- state	1090	1325	1850
$\mathbf{I}_{\mathbf{r}}$	Simulation Model	920	1200	1790
	Steady- state	875	1160	1770
Torque (N-m)	Simulation Model	-4550	-6000	-9455
	Steady- state	-4550	-6050	-9450
Speed	Simulation Model	1182	1356	1691
	Steady- state	1182	1356	1691
$\mathbf{Sn}$		1	2	3

Table 1WT simulated parameters at defined DFIG speeds.

strategy the rotor current  $I_r$  is on the lower side and  $Q_s$  is on the higher side. **Figure 16** shows the rotor reactive power  $Q_r = 0$  at synchronous speed 1500 rpm, with both control strategy  $Q_s = 0$  and  $I_{dr} = 0$ , indicating the reactive power varies according to the wind turbine speed. **Figure 17** shows, a constant stator voltage  $V_s$  amplitude throughout the variable speed range, while the variable rotor voltage  $V_r$  amplitude is very low at synchronous speed 1500 rpm, with two peak voltage amplitudes at a minimum and maximum rotor speeds.

#### 4.1.2 Evaluation of simulation modeling at defined speeds

Table 1 shows the specified wind turbine DFIG speeds that are compared and used to evaluate the simulation model parameters with the steady-state model parameters as obtained from Figures 11–18. The simulation graphs shown in Figures 19 and 20 represent the torque vs. time and rotor current vs. time characteristics at 1356 rotor rpm and steady-state simulation period of 1.5 sec and 1691 rotor rpm at a steady-state simulation period of 2.0 sec for the entire modeling period of 3.0 sec. Simulated torque values –6050 Nm and – 9450 Nm, rotor current values 1200 amps and 1790 amps, and stator current values 1325 amps and 1850 amps at pre-defined speeds are close to steady-state parameter values as shown in Figures 11–18.

#### 4.1.3 Simulation model of DFIG using wind turbine MPPT block

In this section, a 2 MW stator power DFIG model and a three-blade wind turbine model with gear ratio n = 100, blade radius 42 m,  $C_p = 0.42$ , and  $\lambda_{opt} = 7.2$  were used for the wind turbine maximum power point tracking simulation control as shown in **Figure 21**. **Figures 22** and **23** show the wind turbine MPPT simulation model characteristics at 8 m/sec and 10 m/sec of wind speed. Observed in **Figure 11**, the torque response for the wind speed and  $i_q$  current indicates that more oscillations occur at the low torque due to the fact reduced mechanical inertia. The more the mechanical inertia, the more the torque oscillations. On achieving the steady-state condition at



Figure 19.

Torque vs. time graph @ 1356 rotor rpm and @ 1691 rotor rpm.



Figure 20.

 $I_r$  vs. time graph @ 1356 rotor rpm and @ 1691 rotor rpm.



**Figure 21.** *WT MPPT control model.* 



Figure 22. The dynamic state WT MPPT graph of speed vs. time (sec).



Figure 23.

WT MPPT torque vs. time characteristic curve.

2 sec of modeling time, wind turbine speed and correspondence torque values were tabled for angular speed of 140 rad/sec, at a torque of -5500 Nm, and a mechanical wind turbine power output approximately equal to 770 kW was obtained. Further, the wind speed was increased from 8 m/sec to 10 m/sec and the steady-state simulation at 6 sec of modeling time was observed. On achieving the steady-state at 6 sec of modeling time, wind turbine speed and correspondence torque values were tabulated for 170 rad/sec, at -8800 Nm respectively and a mathematical wind turbine power

outcome equivalent to 1.49 MW was recorded. These two simulated outcomes are very close to the steady-state characteristics graph numerical values as shown in **Figures 11** and **12**.

## 5. Conclusions

This study was to focus on investigating the influences of the integration of wind power generators into the power grid systems. The rotor side converter control unit is utilized for, real and reactive power control by regulating the rotor current and the speed of the DFIG. With the computed stator voltage, stator current, rotor current, and the rotor location by encoder response signal the active PI measured and controlled procedure results in a considerable enhancement in control system sturdiness and advances its indemnity to produced system noise. The engaged PI control unit attests to the grid side converter control by sustaining the stable generated power frequency and voltage with the grid frequency and voltage. The controller scheme and the simulation mode controller employed for the study assure the wind generator supplying into the grid at varying wind speeds behaves like a synchronous generator, at a zero Hz rotor frequency.

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# Abbreviations

DFIGs	Double Fed Induction Generators		
DSC	Direct Speed Control		
ESO	Extended State Observer		
GSC	Grid Side Converter		
IEA	International Energy Agency		
IRENA	International Renewable Energy Agency		
MMF	Magnetomotive Force		
MPPT	Maximum Power Point Tracking		
PCC	Point of Common Coupling		
RSC	Rotor Side Converter		
SARGEC	The South African Renewable Energy Grid Code		
VSCF	Variable Sped Constant Frequency		
WECS	wind energy control System		
WT	Wind Turbines		
WTGCS	Wind turbine generators control system		

$C_{f}$	Turbine blade density constant
Cp	Coeficient of performance
E	Kinetic energy of air mass of m kg
Ks	Stiffness constant
D <sub>s</sub>	Damping constant
Ps	Stator active power in watts
P <sub>r</sub>	Rotor active power in watts
Qs	Stator reactive power in watts
Qr	Rotor reactive power in watts
R	Turbine blade radius in meters
T <sub>e</sub>	Per-unit electromagnetic torque in d-q park reference newton/meter
Tf	Turbine friction torque in newton/meter
T <sub>mmax</sub>	Turbine maximum torque in Newton/meter
V <sub>m</sub> (t)	Wind Speed in meter/sec
V <sub>w</sub> (t)	Wind Speed of air mass of m Kg in meter/sec
V <sub>wt</sub> (t)	Wind Speed turbulence component speed in meter/sec
V <sub>wa</sub> (t)	Wind Speed constant component speed in meter/sec
V <sub>gt</sub> (t)	Wind Speed gust component in meter/sec
ρ	Air density in Kg/m <sup>3</sup>
β	Turbine blade pitch angle
λ	Turbine blade tip speed ratio
$\omega_{tur}$	Turbine rotational angular speed in mechanical radian/sec
$\omega_{slip}$	Slip frequency
$\omega_{mmf}^{stator}$	Slip frequency corresponding to the frequency of rotor current and
	voltage in radian/sec
ω <sub>rotor</sub>	Rotor rotating frequency in radian/sec
ωr	Rotor speed in radian/sec
ωg	Generator speed in radian/sec
$\Psi_{s}$	Stator flux linkage in synchronous frame weber
$\Psi_{\rm r}$	Rotor flux linkage in synchronous frame weber

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