

ELEC0047 - Power system dynamics, control and stability

#### Dynamic simulation of a five-bus system

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#### Load tap changer controlling voltage at bus 2

transformer ratio : minimum : 0.88maximum : 1.20number of tap positions : 33voltage dead-band :  $[V^o - 0.01 \ V^o + 0.01] pu$ delay before first tap change : 25 sbetween subsequent tap changes : 10 s

Generator G5: synchronous machine data

$$R_{a} = 0. \quad X_{\ell} = 0.15 \ pu \quad m = 0.10 \quad n = 6.0257$$
$$X_{d} = 2.20 \quad X'_{d} = 0.30 \quad X''_{d} = 0.20 \ pu$$
$$X_{q} = 2.00 \quad X'_{q} = 0.40 \quad X''_{q} = 0.20 \ pu$$
$$T'_{do} = 7.00 \quad T''_{do} = 0.05 \quad T'_{qo} = 1.50 \quad T''_{qo} = 0.05 \ s$$
$$H = 4 \ s$$

(values in pu on the generator 500 MVA base)

#### Generator G5: speed governor and steam turbine

$$P_{nom} = 460 \ MW$$



$$\sigma = 0.04 \quad T_{mes} = 0.1 \ s \quad T_{sm} = 0.4 \ s$$
  
$$\dot{z}_{min} = -0.05 \ pu/s \quad \dot{z}_{max} = 0.05 \ pu/s \quad z_{min} = 0. \quad z_{max} = 1. \ pu$$
  
$$T_{hp} = 0.3 \ s \quad f_{hp} = 0.4 \quad T_r = 5.0 \ s \quad f_{mp} = 0.3 \quad T_{lp} = 0.3 \ s \quad ivo = 1$$

# Generator G5: automatic voltage regulator, excitation system, overexcitation limiter



#### Modelling of load at bus 2



"small motors":

$$R_s = 0.031$$
  $L_{ss} = 3.30$   $L_{sr} = 3.20$   $L_{rr} = 3.38$   $R_r = 0.018$  pu  
 $H = 0.7 \ s$   $A = 0.5$   $B = 0.5$ 

"large motors":

$$R_s = 0.013$$
  $L_{ss} = 3.867$   $L_{sr} = 3.80$   $L_{rr} = 3.97$   $R_r = 0.009 \ pu$   
 $H = 1.5 \ s$   $A = 0.5$   $B = 0.5$ 

(values in pu on the motor MVA base)

#### **Operating point #1**



#### **Operating point # 2**



# Syntax of disturbance file

0.000 CONTINUE SOLVER BD 0.010 0.001 0.0 ALL ! add your events here, by increasing order of times. 20.000 STOP

To increase the power setpoint of generator G by D pu in T seconds : <time> CHGPRM TOR G Po value\_of\_D value\_of\_T To increase the voltage setpoint of generator G by D pu in T seconds : <time> CHGPRM EXC G Vo value\_of\_D value\_of\_T To increase the value of the Thévenin voltage by D pu in T seconds : <time> CHGPRM INJ EQUIV1 ETH value\_of\_D value\_of\_T To apply a fault at bus B with resistance R and reactance X (in  $\Omega$ , can be zero) : <time> FAULT BUS B value\_of\_R value\_of\_X To clear a fault at bus B : <time> CLEAR BUS B

To trip line XYZ:

<time> BREAKER BRANCH XYZ 0 0

- Operating point : # 2
- disturbance : at t = 1 s, increase of power set-point  $P_o$  by 115 MW in 10 s<sup>1</sup>
- simulated time : 60 s.

Comment as far as possible the evolution of :

- the generator active power
- the generator reactive power
- the generator rotor angle
- the generator field current
- the control valve z of the turbine
- the voltage magnitude at bus 3.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>power ramping are much slower in real life !

- Operating point : # 1
- disturbance : at t = 1 s, increase of voltage set-point  $V_o$  by 0.05 pu in 2 s
- simulated time : 60 s.

Comment as far as possible the evolution of :

- the voltage magnitude at bus 3. In particular, explain the three "spikes" with the help of the proper curves
- the generator active power
- the generator reactive power
- the generator field current.

- Operating point : # 1
- disturbance : at t = 1 s, "voltage dip" in the external system simulated by a decrease of the Thévenin voltage by 0.20 pu during 0.04 s (can be seen considered as an impulse response)
- simulated time : 20 s.
- Observe the evolution of the rotor speed of the generator
- Observe the evolution of the PSS output (select: generator G5 - observable of excitation control - dvpss)
- take the Power System Stabilizer (PSS) out of service, simulate the same disturbance and compare the evolution of the rotor speed with the previous one
- observe the evolution of the voltage magnitude at bus 3 and comment on the similarity
- what is the period of the dominant oscillation ?

Put the PSS back in service !

- Operating point : # 1
- disturbance : at t = 1 s, a solid fault on line 1-3, cleared after 4 cycles (0.08 s) by opening the faulted circuit. The fault takes place very near bus 3, so that it can be applied at bus 3
- simulated time : 20 s.

Comment as far as possible the evolution of :

- the terminal voltage of the generator
- the active and reactive powers of the generator
- the rotor speed of the generator
- the field voltage of the generator (select: generator G5 - observable of excitation control - vf)
- the active power consumed by the impedance load at bus 2
- the active power consumed by one of the motors at bus 2
- the speed of one the motors at bus 2.

From RAMSES outputs, determine the current in line 3-4 during the short-circuit. Consider the value just after fault occurrence, for security. Check this value with a simple circuit calculation involving the generator equivalent circuit.

- Operating point : # 2
- disturbance : at t = 1 s, tripping of **both** circuits of line 1-3 (without fault)
- simulated time : 25 s.

Comment as far as possible the evolution of :

- rotor speed of G5
- active power produced by G5
- control valve opening (select: generator G5 - observable of torque controller - z)
- turbine mechanical power (select: generator G5 - observable of torque controller - Pm ; in pu on the turbine nominal power).

Compute the final rotor speed using a formula from primary frequency control. Comment on the accuracy and try improving it.

- Operating point : # 2
- disturbance : at t = 1 s, a solid fault on line 1-3, cleared after 10 cycles (0.20 s) by opening the faulted circuit. The fault takes place very near bus 3, so that it can be applied at bus 3
- simulated time : 20 s.
- Observe that the voltage at bus 3 does not recover near 1 pu, but stays "locked" near 0.84 pu<sup>2</sup>. Find which system component is responsible for this, with the help of the proper curves
- show that for some shorter fault duration (i.e. smaller than 0.20 s), the voltage does not stay "locked" at such a small value. Explain the underlying instability mechanism.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>this is a totally unacceptable value ! The system is considered unstable

- Operating point : # 1
- disturbance : at t = 1 s, severe disturbance in the external system simulated by a decrease of the Thévenin voltage by 0.2 pu in 1 s (the voltage remains at its low value)
- simulated time : 120 s.
- Explain why the voltage at bus 3 drops so much after some time.