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#### ADVANCED TOOL FOR HARMONIC ANALYSIS OF POWER SYSTEMS

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# Objectives (1/1)

- Description of some features of the HarmZs program for analysis of harmonic problems in power systems.
- Review of some basic concepts of the conventional and modal analysis needed for understanding the methodologies computationally implemented in the program.

## Network Modeling Techniques (1/2)

- The HarmZs program utilizes two recent electrical network-modeling techniques, named Descriptor Systems and Y(s) matrix.
- These techniques allow electrical network analyses over all the complex plane s instead of just over the imaginary "jω" axis.
- In this expanded domain modal and conventional analyses can be performed.
- Modal analysis provides an important set of dynamic system information that is hard to obtain using the two conventional methods: time simulation and frequency response.

## Network Modeling Techniques (2/2)

- This information includes the natural oscillation modes, identification of equipment that more heavily participate in these modes, modal sensitivities with respect to parameters changes, etc.
- May be effectively used to improve the harmonic performance of electrical networks.

## Descriptor System (1/1)

Main Characteristic

The equations are written in the time-domain.

Main Advantage

 The complete set of poles and zeros can be simultaneously calculated using the QZ decomposition or one at a time using iterative methods.

Main Disadvantage

 Difficulties in modeling frequency dependent parameters.

# Matrix **Y**(*s*) (1/1)

Main Characteristic

- The equations are written in the s-domain.
- Main Advantage
  - Modeling of frequency dependent parameters is very easy.
- Main Disadvantage

 The poles and zeros can only be calculated one at a time using iterative methods.

#### Test System (1/3)



## Test System (2/3)



## Test System (3/3)

Test system parameter values referred to 20 kV

Inductance (mH)		Resista	ance $(\Omega)$	Capacitance (µF)		
$L_1$	8.0	$R_2$	80.0	$C_1$	23.9	
$L_2$	424.0	$R_3$	133.0	$C_2$	8.0	
$L_3$	531.0	$R_{12}$	0.46	$C_3$	11.9	
$L_{12}$	9.7	$R_{13}$	0.55			
$L_{13}$	11.9			-		

Poles, Zeros and Frequency Response Plot (1/6)

Properties

- ◆ If  $s_k = \sigma_k + j\omega_k$  is a system pole or a zero of the transfer function *G*(*s*), then *G*( $\sigma_k + j\omega_k$ ) tends to ∞ or is equal to 0, respectively. However, *G*(*j* $\omega_k$ ) does not approach ∞ or is equal to 0.
- ♦  $/G(j\omega_k)$ | has a high value (very close to a local maximum) or a low value (very close to a local minimum) depending on whether  $s_k$  is a pole or a zero.

Poles, Zeros and Frequency Response Plot (2/6)

Test system poles and zeros of the self-impedances

	Poles	Zeros				
	1 0105	Bus 1	Bus 2	Bus 3		
1	-2.90.08 ± <i>j</i> 1583.6	-338.52 ± j 2670.9	-255.47 ± <i>j</i> 2084.9	-415.26 ± j 2402.1		
2	-507.00 ± <i>j</i> 3069.1	-804.43 ± j 3550.6	-93.698 ± <i>j</i> 3975.6	-398.38 ± j 4424.9		
3	-345.88 ± j 4535.7	0	0	0		
4	-0.98914	-1.0091	-0.99428	-1.0357		
5	-1.0419	-1.0549	-26.151	-27.820		

Poles, Zeros and Frequency Response Plot (3/6)

Pole and zero frequencies in Hz

Pole or zero frequency in Hz = 
$$\frac{|\text{Im}(s_k)|}{2 \pi}$$

Test System

	Poles		Zeros						
			Bus 1		Bus 2		Bus 3		
	1	2	3	1	2	1	2	1	2
<i>f</i> (Hz)	252	488	722	425	565	332	633	382	704

Poles, Zeros and Frequency Response Plot (4/6)

Self-impedance of bus 1



Poles, Zeros and Frequency Response Plot (5/6)

Self-impedance of bus 2



Poles, Zeros and Frequency Response Plot (6/6)

Self-impedance of bus 3



Dominant Poles and Reduced Models (1/4)

- The poles that have the largest associated residue moduli for a chosen transfer function are defined as dominant poles of that transfer function.
- If these transfer function poles are fairly close to the imaginary axis or, in other words, if they have relatively small real parts, they will produce a high peak in the frequency response magnitude plot.

Dominant Poles and Reduced Models (2/4)

Partial fraction form of a transfer function

 $G(s) = \sum_{i=1}^{n} \frac{R_i}{s - \lambda_i} + d$ 

 $n \rightarrow$  number of poles

$$R_i = \lim_{s \to \lambda_i} G(s)(s - \lambda_i)$$

$$d = \lim_{s \to \infty} G(s)$$

• Considering only the dominant poles of G(s)

$$G(s) \cong \sum_{\Omega} \frac{R_i}{s - \lambda_i} + d$$

 $\Omega \rightarrow$  Set of dominant poles

#### Dominant Poles and Reduced Models (3/4)



Dominant Poles and Reduced Models (4/4)

Reduced model of bus 3 self-impedance



## Pole and Zero Sensitivities (1/2)

The sensitivity of an eigenvalue  $s_k$  (pole or zero) with respect to a system parameter  $p_j$  is defined by  $\partial s_k / \partial p_j$ .

Sensitivities of the zeros of the bus 2 self-impedance  $(1 + j \operatorname{rad})(s^{-1}/\mu F)$ 

Capacitor	Zero 1	Zero 2	
$C_1$	4.3708 – <i>j</i> 9.9007	-4.3708 - <i>j</i> 63.708	
$C_2$	0	0	P
$C_3$	11.523 – <i>j</i> 67.108	15.024 – <i>j</i> 37.988	

#### Pole and Zero Sensitivities (2/2)

Self-impedance of bus 2 for three values of  $C_2$ 



### Harmonic Problem Definition (1/1)



## Harmonic Problem Solution (1/2)



#### Harmonic Problem Solution (2/2)



Reduction of 10  $\mu$ F in  $C_1$  and increase of 18  $\mu$ F in  $C_2$ 



#### Conclusions (1/1)

- Description of some features of the HarmZs program for analysis of harmonic problems in power systems.
- Review of some basic concepts of the conventional and modal analysis needed for understanding the methodologies computationally implemented in the program:
  - Network-modeling methodologies suitable for modal and conventional analysis.
  - Calculations and concepts of poles, zeros and their sensitivities to system parameter changes.
  - Pole residues, dominant poles and reduced models as important concepts to help obtaining low order dynamic network equivalents (modal equivalents) of large scale power system.
  - Formulation of a harmonic problem example using a test system and its solution by modal analysis.

#### Remarks (1/1)

- Basically there are three forms of improving the harmonic performance of a system: Filtering harmonic currents, improving the performance of nonlinear loads and system modifications. This paper is a contribution for the third form.
- System modifications seems to be particularly suitable for reducing harmonic distortions in larger systems which have several and spread nonlinear loads.