

Fault Detection in Transmission Line by Magnitude and Phase Angle Extraction based on Neuro – Fuzzy Approach

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Abstract: The main aim of this paper is to detection and classifies the various types of ground and line faults in transmission line. A new current decomposition is proposed in order to derive the positive, negative and zero current components. The faults may be an insulation failure of conductors and cables, lightning or accidental faulty operation of any connected equipment. In a transmission line detection a fault is very important since if any fault occurs in finding fault may leads to disoperation of the transmission line protection system. So either a disturbances or steady state variations are called power quality variation. In this paper, a new concept is used for online symmetrical components and phase-angle extraction from high voltage transmission-line faults. This method is based on the fuzzy interference system and the instantaneous power theory. The average and oscillating terms of the powers in the $\alpha\beta$ frame are separated by using fuzzy logic controller. After various shunt faults phase angle is estimated at each phase of the line. This approach is very much suitable for online implementation.

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1. Introduction

In a power system, they are categorized in generation, transmission and distribution. Transmission system protection is mainly carried out by relay and circuit breaker. Relay is the sensing devices during any fault occur on the transmission line such as lightning and insulation failure of any conductors. The generated power should be transferred to load end without any loss through the transmission line [1], hence transmission system play a vital role in a power system.

Over a last few decades, many papers are published for transmission line protection based on the wavelet transforms, artificial neural networks and other optimization techniques. All the real and reactive power calculation is based on the instantaneous power theory on the basis of stationary reference frames and Clarke's transformation [2]. This method is very much suitable for the both steady state and transient state. It is also suitable during any non stationary conditions and unbalanced condition results in the distorted voltage.

2. Transmission Line Protection

Fuzzy logic controller has the various engineering applications mainly on protection of power system. In recent years we used artificial neural network and also fuzzy for transmission lines protection, it has several studies such as fault detection, fault classification and fault location. The association of neural networks with fuzzy logic introduced to improve the architecture. The authors in [3] detect the fault based on the artificial neural network. An adaptive neural network and fuzzy interference system is used in [4]. This ANFIS is very effective including the low and high

impedance faults accurately within the half a period of time cycle. Hence this ANFIS gives the more accurate results.

2.1 Direct and Inverse Current Computation

In this paper, positive sequence current, negative sequence current and zero sequence current is terminology as a direct and inverse current.

Based on the instantaneous power theory, symmetrical components are extracted. P-q power is calculated based on the above theory and also their average and oscillating components are separated.

It is denoted as a p_d, q_d . Similarly inverse current is computed and it is denoted by p_i, q_i . In order for the transformation to be invertible, a third variable, known as the zero-sequence component, is added. The resulting transformation is

$$[f_{\alpha\beta 0}] = T_{\alpha\beta 0} [f_{abc}] \quad (1)$$

Where f represents voltage, current, flux linkages, or electric charge; and T is the transformation matrix.

$$T_{\alpha\beta 0} = \frac{2}{3} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -\frac{1}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} \\ 0 & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & -\frac{j}{\sqrt{2}} \\ \frac{1}{2} & \frac{j}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \end{bmatrix} \quad (2)$$

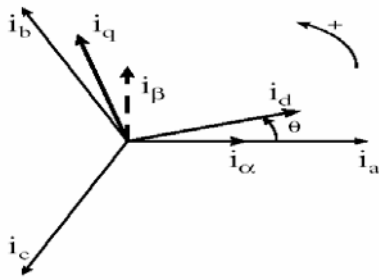


Figure1: Phasor diagram for transformation

The Inverse Clarke transformation is expressed by the following equations:

$$V_a = V_\alpha \quad (3)$$

$$V_b = \frac{-V_\alpha + \sqrt{3} \cdot V_\beta}{2} \quad (4)$$

$$V_c = \frac{-V_\alpha - \sqrt{3} \cdot V_\beta}{2} \quad (5)$$

Thus PLL is an electronic module which locks the output to the input. Here voltage is taken as input for the P-Q computation after Clarke's transformation and phase angle is taken as input for the fuzzy logic controller to separate average and oscillating components. The inverse transformation is given by

$$[f_{\alpha\beta 0}] = T_{\alpha\beta 0}^{-1} [f_{abc}]^T \quad (6)$$

Here we consider positive sequence current as a direct current, negative sequence current as a inverse current. This current is calculated based on following equation:

$$\begin{bmatrix} i_\alpha \\ i_\beta \end{bmatrix} = \sqrt{2/3} C_{32}^T I_{abc} \quad (7)$$

Then the real and reactive power is computed separately for direct components by following equations:

$$\begin{bmatrix} p_d \\ q_d \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} V_{\alpha d} & V_{\beta d} \\ V_{\beta d} & -V_{\alpha d} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} i_{\alpha d} \\ i_{\beta d} \end{bmatrix} \quad (8)$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} p_i \\ q_i \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} V_{\alpha i} & V_{\beta i} \\ V_{\beta i} & -V_{\alpha i} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} i_{\alpha i} \\ i_{\beta i} \end{bmatrix} \quad (9)$$

$$P_d = V_{\alpha d} i_{\beta d} + V_{\beta d} i_{\alpha d} \quad (10)$$

$$P_i = V_{\alpha i} i_{\beta i} + V_{\beta i} i_{\alpha i} \quad (11)$$

Where real power is taken as $p = 3I \cos \Phi$ and reactive power is $q = 3I \sin \Phi$. The overall block diagram is given below; it uses instantaneous power theory for computing active and oscillating power after fault.

This equation can be decomposed into oscillatory and average terms:

$$P_i \approx P_1 + P_1 \text{ and } Q_i \approx Q_1 + Q_1 \quad (12)$$

\tilde{P}_1 and \tilde{Q}_1 are oscillatory terms and P_1 and Q_1 are average terms for easy analysis of real and reactive power computation and also for fault classification in transmission lines.

3. Fuzzy for Symmetrical Components

The above procedure is used to classify the faults, in the three phase to ground fault in the beginning of the fault there will be presence of inverse and homopolar component current and it disappears at the end of the fault. During single line to ground fault following equation is obtained.

$$I_{a1} = I_{a2} = I_{a0} = (I_a/3) \quad (13)$$

$$I_f = 3I_{a1} \quad (14)$$

To check the test system efficiency and also the robustness by varying the length of the transmission line as 50km, 100km and 200km, and also by changing the load angle. If any line to line fault occurs in the power system then the time taken fault occurring is more due to the presence harmonics components. This is because of mutual impedance between the phases. Hence the derived equations under the line to line fault condition:

$$V_{a1} = V_{a2}; I_{a0} = 0; I_{a2} = -I_{a1} \quad (15)$$

$$I_f = I_b = -I_c = [3 V_f / (Z_1 + Z_2)] \quad (16)$$

Similarly for line to line ground fault occurs at any point in a test system. Let we consider fault occur between the two phases as b and c, then the following are the equations derived during fault in a transmission line as given below:

$$V_{a1} = V_{a2} = V_{a0} = (V_a/3) \quad (17)$$

$$I_{a1} = \{ V_f / [Z_1 + Z_2 Z_0 / (Z_2 + Z_0)] \} \quad (18)$$

$$I_f = 3I_{a0} \quad (19)$$

The analysis of this different type of symmetrical components is used for the identification of nature of fault. During normal condition or any symmetrical fault conditions the zero sequence components and negative sequence currents are nearly equal to zero. The presence of only negative or inverse components represents the line to line fault has occurred in transmission line has been proposed in [14]. Similarly if negative or inverse component and zero or homopolar components presents in a transmission line be a double line to ground fault.

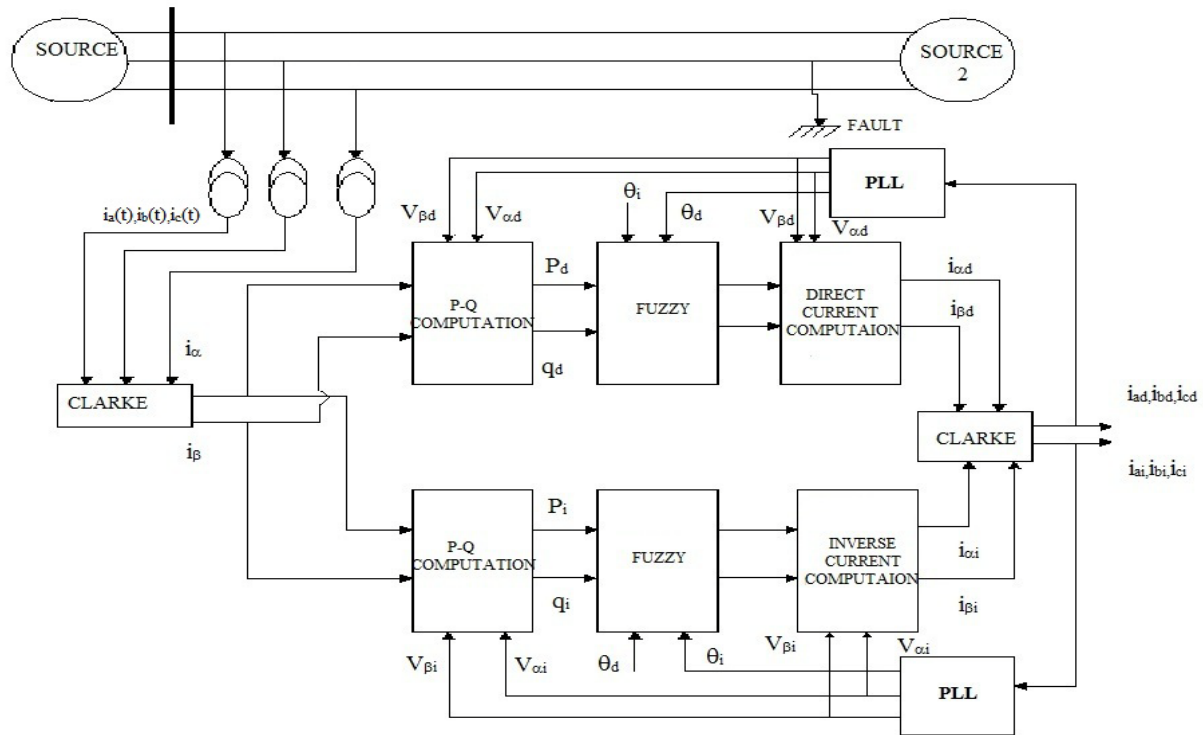


Figure 2: System under study for fault classification with the block diagram of the direct and inverse current

Fuzzy interference system is adjustable based on human operator decision or based on mathematical equations. In the MATLAB Simulink this simulation block diagram can be easily test the fuzzy logic controller. This given system can be done by using graphical tools or by using any command line functions or by using neuro fuzzy techniques. Let membership function is given by MF or x in A. The membership value always lies between 0 and 1. Generally in fuzzy interference system there are two types of expert system namely sugeno type and Mamdani type both are varied by its outputs. The process of mapping all the input to an output is carried out by fuzzy logic controller. Hence based on the mapping all the decision is done as classifying the various line and shunt faults.

The input to the fuzzy logic controller is instantaneous three phase current values, and also it takes the angle from PLL. Here trapezoidal membership functions used. This model is developed in MATLAB software using fuzzy logic tool box. From the input real and reactive power is calculated by using current and voltage from phase locked loop. The fuzzy rule is formed by applying fuzzy operator. The output of the membership function is shaped on the basis of firing strength of the rules. The product and minimum are most commonly used implication method. Raw data is extracted using Takagi-Sugeno system.

It is developed by human expert systems that are purely linguistic rather than numerical data this steps are carried out as shown in Figure 3 Each rule of the output is added together by the process of aggregation. Implication process is performed by aggregation of truncated output. Defuzzifier is defined as the aggregated output of fuzzy set.

In defuzzification process is the simplest and commonly used is gravity method. The information of all the inputs are combined to a single non fuzzy output which finds the type of fault occurred in transmission line. In this paper the membership functions are taken as a high, normal and low as fault range. It is denoted as follows: μ_1 , μ_2 , and μ_3 . The above functional block diagram Figure 2 as two sources connected through a transmission lines.

Instantaneous current values are taken from three phase transmission line, and then current is measured by using current transformer. Three phase current values are converted to two phase reference frame as α and β by Clarke transformation. The Phase locked loop estimate voltage and phase angle by feedback loop. The reactive and real power is determined by using instantaneous power theory. Here fuzzy

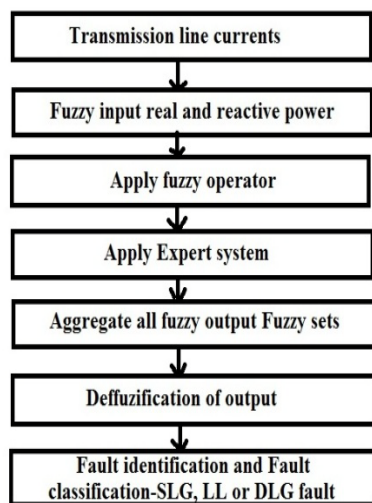


Figure 3: Flowchart for fault classification

block is used separately for direct current computation and inverse current.

4. Fault Classification By Fuzzy

Nine different unsymmetrical faults types can be observed in this paper, three single line to ground faults, three double line to ground faults and three line to line faults. The symbol g represents the ground. The symbol a, b and c are represents the three phases as shown in the given Table 1 & 2.

Table 1: Fault Classification By Fuzzy - 100km

Type of Fault	Normal I in kA	Fault I in kA
Phase a-g	8.958	12.473
Phase b-g	8.8887	14.207
Phase c-g	8.9533	13.74
Phase a-b	9.4061	14.654
Phase b-c	8.956	15.063
Phase c-a	9.1357	14.087
Phase a-b-g	9.083	12.615
Phase b-c-g	9.2432	13.17
Phase c-a-g	9.369	12.093

Table 2: Fault Classification By Fuzzy - 50km

Type of fault	Normal I in kA	Fault I in kA
Phase a-g	9.2367	13.14
Phase b-g	9.1701	14.353
Phase c-g	9.233	14.021
Phase a-b	9.6864	16.358
Phase b-c	9.5217	15.22
Phase c-a	9.7125	15.901
Phase a-b-g	9.023	12.871
Phase b-c-g	9.6864	15.21
Phase c-a-g	9.7125	14.402

Table 1 and Table 2 shows the fault current magnitude estimated by the fuzzy interference system for all fault types in an unloaded system. Fault occurs at $t=0.04$ s to $t=0.2$ s and at the middle of the transmission line length ($L=100$ km) with fault resistance of $R_f=20\Omega$, by comparing the results in Table 4. However, for faults farthest from the first source, the fault magnitude estimation is less accurate. Thus, a complete fault detection and classification module is done using the fuzzy logic controller for classify all the different fault types in HV transmission lines, by considering different fault location as line length of 200km, 100km and 50km and also for different fault times.

Table 3: System Parameters

Description	Values
Source voltage(v)	200kv
Frequency(f)	50 Hz
Source resistance(R_s)	0.8929Ω
Source impedance(L_s)	16.58mH
Line length(L)	100km or 50km
Direct sequence impedance(Z_d)	$12.73+j293m\Omega/km$
homopolar sequence impedance (Z_o)	$386.4+j1295.7m\Omega/km$

5. Results and Discussion

5.1 Performance of the Fuzzy

The following are results observed for the various types of ground faults and shunt faults the Figure 4 is the single line to ground fault waveform as given in the following sections.

Table 4: Fault Classification

Current Magnitude	Normal Condition MIN I(kA) MAX I(kA)		During Fault MIN I(kA) MAX I(kA)	
Phase A	8.9581	10.0639	12.0936	14.6547
Phase B	8.8827	10.0233	12.0267	15.6329
Phase C	8.9481	10.3043	11.9689	14.8541

The Table 4 shows the minimum and maximum current ranges under normal conditions and also fault conditions. It explains for each phase separately. The identification of various shunt faults in transmission line is based on positive, negative and homopolar currents. Here from 1 to 60 harmonics range is considered, that is one full cycle. It consists for both even and odd harmonic ranges, the following are the various results obtained during line and shunt faults as shown. In figure 5 is the line to line fault, which shows the presence of both positive and negative sequence current components.

After the various line faults and ground faults in transmission line have different phase angles as shown in Table 5. During line to ground fault, only the affected phase will have changes and in remaining two phases there will be no changes.

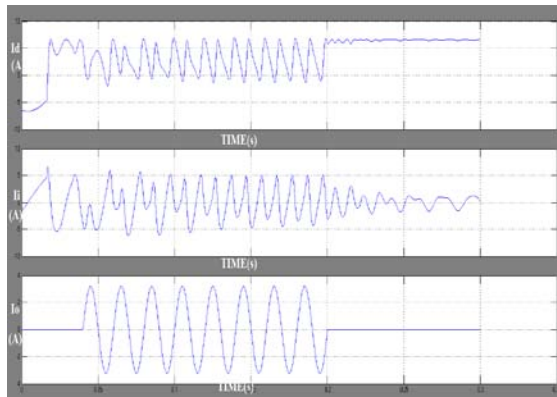


Figure 4: Single line to ground fault

At the time of line faults such as phase b to phase c fault, the current magnitude will be more higher than the ground faults. Since while any fault occurs on the transmission line the fault current will flow through the ground and also faulted line. The figure.6. shows the double to ground fault as phase c to phase a- ground fault. Here we can observe the magnitude of current is less when compare with the line-line faults.

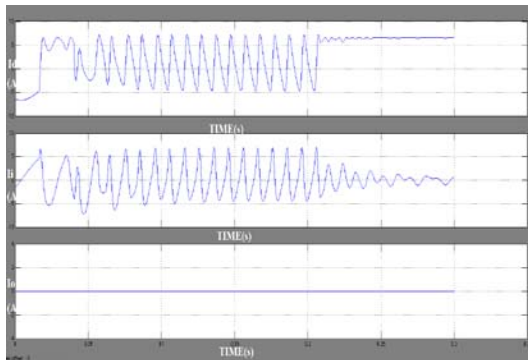


Figure 5: Line to line fault

The following parameters are used to identify fault in transmission line as shown in Table 3. Here the faults as said to be a power quality variation they are classified as either disturbances or steady state variations. The following Table 4 shows variation of current during fault condition, it may be either line fault or ground faults. This interferes the normal flow of current is known as fault. In such a condition the fault current will tends to move in either through ground or through affected line.



Figure 6: Double line to ground fault

Table 5: Phase Angle Estimated By Fuzzy

Type of fault	Ang _a (°)	Ang _b (°)	Ang _c (°)
Phase a-g	5.26	126.3	117.5
Phase b-g	117.3	1.12	120.9
Phase c-g	126.8	119.3	1.12
Phase a-b	60.7	60.5	180
Phase b-c	180	59.1	59.9
Phase c-a	59.9	180	60.7
Phase a-b-g	50.2	62.3	171.2
Phase b-c-g	172.3	57.2	63.2
Phase c-a-g	63.2	180	55.27

6. Conclusion

Thus the main objective of project is fault detection in the transmission line is done. The current magnitude for line to line faults such as phase a-phase b fault or phase b to phase c faults or phase c to phase a faults is high than the double line to ground faults as phase a to phase b to ground fault and so on. Similarly various phase angles are estimated at each fault. A new approach for online symmetrical components and phase-angle extraction from high-voltage transmission-line faults are detected and classified the various line faults and ground faults. The current transformation is proposed in order to derive the direct, inverse and homopolar sequence current as positive, negative, and zero sequence current components. Thus phase angle is determined after the various shunt faults occurs on transmission system. The average and oscillating terms of powers in the $\alpha\beta$ frame are separated by using two fuzzy logic controllers. The fuzzy use a real power, reactive power, direct axis current angle and inverse axis current angle as inputs in order to learn the linear combination of the real and reactive power. The resulting symmetrical components are used by fuzzy for phase-angle estimation between direct and inverse current components.

These phase angles permit classifying the fault types as single line to ground faults, line to line faults and double line to ground faults. Thus simulation results show the good performance and the accuracy in identifying the various transmission line faults. And also same procedure used to identify the three phase to ground fault or symmetrical fault to improve the protective schemes in transmission line.

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