

A MATRIX CONVERTER PRODUCING TWO PHASE SUPPLY FROM SINGLE PHASE SUPPLY

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Abstract—This paper describes a matrix converter which gives a two phase supply as an output. The said matrix converter is devoid of any energy storage element. This output is used for running two phase induction motor.

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I. INTRODUCTION

As shown in figure 1. matrix converter is ac to ac converter, which is also called as direct energy conversion. The direct AC/AC converter provides a direct connection between the input and output terminals without an intermediate energy storage element through an array of semiconductor switches. It has an array of $m \times n$ bidirectional power switches to connect an m phase voltage source to a n phase load. The matrix converters which are prevalent in the industry are basically designed for three phase induction motor. The industry driven three phase motor requires converter system or a matrix converter. The converter-inverter requires the smoothing capacitors. The smoothing capacitor ages with temperature and time.

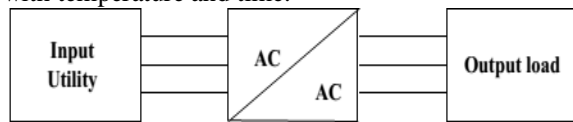


fig.1. Direct power conversion

In this paper we propose a novel single to independent two phase matrix converter devoid of any reactive element. It also proposes a simple control algorithm of the bidirectional switches.

II. CIRCUIT CONFIGURATION

Figure 2. Shows the circuit configuration of single to two phase matrix converter no capacitor or Inductor is required. Each bidirectional switch consists of two diodes and two transistors.

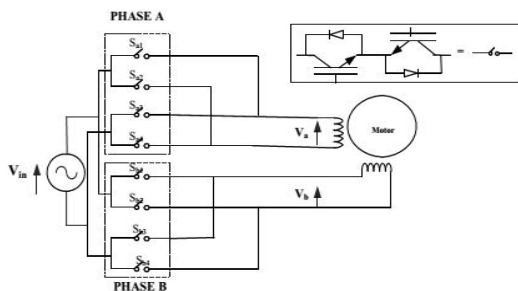


Fig.2.Configuration Of Single Phase To Two Phase Matrix Converter

The switches $S_{a1}, S_{a2}, S_{a3}, S_{a4}$ from phase A and S_{b1}, S_{b2}, S_{b3} and S_{b4} from phase B. The switches from the two phase.

III. CURRENT DIRECTION FOR PHASE A

When switch S_{a1} and S_{a4} are conducting for phase A and in same time S_{a2} and S_{a3} are off as shown in figure 3(a).

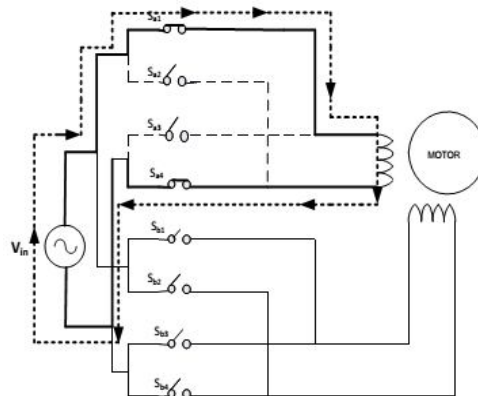


fig 3(a1):- Switching Diagram for Phase A
 S_{a1} and S_{a4} =ON

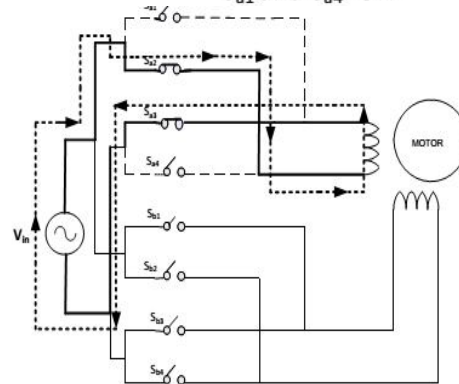


fig 3(a2):- Switching Diagram for Phase A
 S_{a2} and S_{a3} =ON
When S_{a2} and S_{a3} are ON than S_{a1} and S_{a4}

is not conducting as shown in figure 3(a2).

IV. CURRENT DIRECTION FOR PHASE B

Similar operation down for phase B. As shown in figure 3(b1 and b2). Where only two switches are operated at one conduction for phase B.

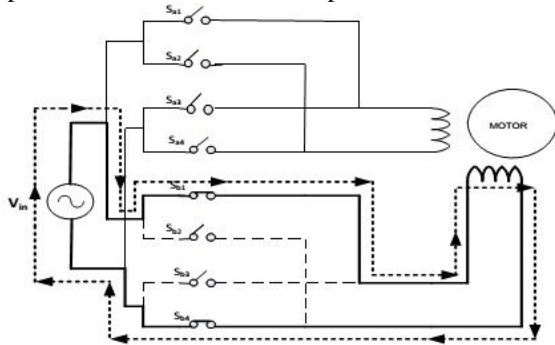


Fig 3(b1):- Switching Diagram for Phase B
S_{b1} and S_{b4}= ON

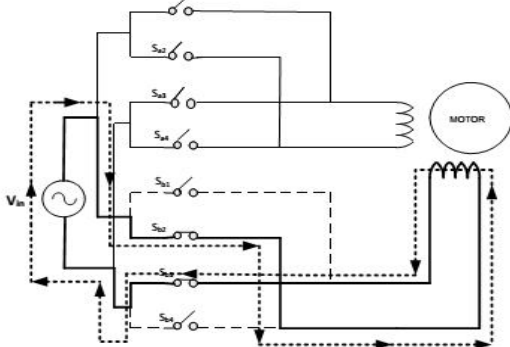


Fig 3(b2):- Switching Diagram for Phase B
S_{b2} and S_{b3}= ON

V. DEVELOPMENT OF CONTROL ALGORITHM

Figure 3 and 4. Shows the relation of the input and output voltage reference, the actual output, and the switching pattern of phase A.

The voltage V_{in}, V_{ref a}, V_{ref b} are defined as follows.

$$V_{in} = V_i \sin(\omega_i t) \dots \dots \dots (1)$$

$$V_{ref a} = V_o \sin(\omega_o t + \frac{\pi}{4}) \dots \dots \dots (2)$$

$$V_{ref b} = V_o \sin(\omega_o t - \frac{\pi}{4}) \dots \dots \dots (3)$$

The two phase voltage specified by reference voltage V_{ref a} and V_{ref b}. Input voltage frequency and output voltage frequency are defined as $\omega_i = 2\pi f_i$ and $\omega_o = 2\pi f_o$, respectively. The phase difference of reference to V_{in} are set to $\pm \frac{\pi}{4}$. So that V_{ref a} + V_{ref b} = V_{in} holds if f_o = f_i and V_o = $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$ V_i as shown in figure 3.

VI. ALGORITHM TO CONTROL SWITCHES

- 1) In case |V_{ref a}| < |V_{in}| (mode II & mode III as shown in fig.3.), Keep V_a = V_{ref a} with buck conversion from V_{in} or -V_{in}.
- 2) In case |V_{ref a}| ≥ |V_{in}| (mode I & mode IV in fig.3.) Keep V_a = V_{in} or V_a = -V_{in}. So as to be the same as V_{ref a}.

Signs of two parameters V_{ref a} × V_{in} and |V_{ref a}| - |V_{in}| as sufficient to determine the switching mode of eight bidirectional switches S_{a1}, S_{a2}, S_{a3}, S_{a4} from phase a and S_{b1}, S_{b2}, S_{b3} and S_{b4} from phase b as defined in table I and II respectively. The switching modes of S_{a3} and S_{a4} are defined as inverted owes of S_{a1} and S_{a2} respectively, to make continuous loops in circuit for fly-back current of the motor.

Table I:-Switching table for phase A

MODE	I	II	III	IV
V _{ref,a} × V _{in}	+	+	-	-
V _{ref,a} - V _{in}	+	-	-	+
S _{a1}	ON	PWM	OFF	OFF
S _{a2}	OFF	OFF	PWM	ON
S _{a3}	OFF	PWM	ON	ON
S _{a4}	ON	ON	PWM	OFF

Waveform For Phase A:-

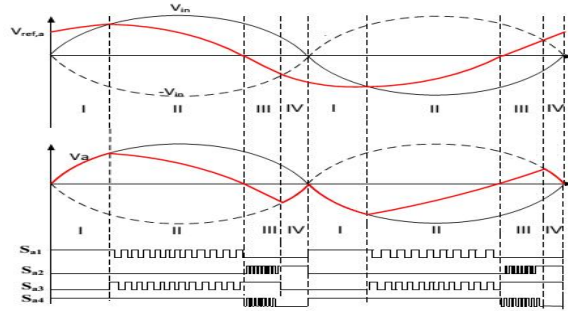


Figure 3. Relation between input and output for phase A

Table II
Switching Table For Phase B:-

MODE	I	II	III	IV
V _{ref,b} × V _{in}	-	+	+	-
V _{ref,b} - V _{in}	-	-	+	+
S _{b1}	ON	PWM	OFF	OFF
S _{b2}	OFF	OFF	PWM	ON
S _{b3}	OFF	PWM	ON	ON
S _{b4}	ON	ON	PWM	OFF

Waveform For Phase B:-

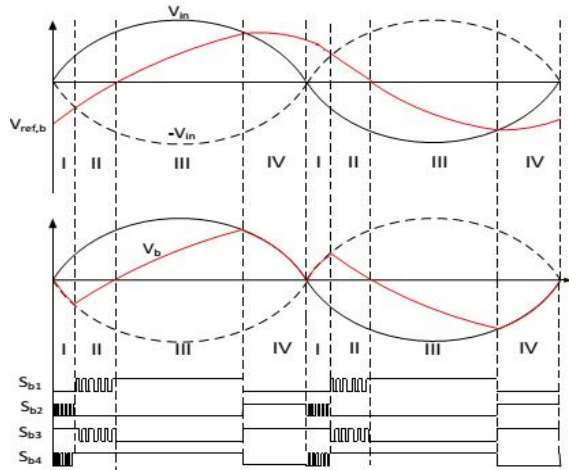


Figure 4. Relation between input and output for phase B

VII. SIMULATION PARAMETERS

Table I II:-

PARAMETERS	RATING
Supply Voltage (Vin)	Vin, rsm=60V
Reference Voltage (Vref a, Vref b)	$V_o = V_{in} / \sqrt{2}$
Frequency (Hz)	50Hz
RL Load	R=1.6Ω, L=20mH
PWM Switching frequency	1KHz

VIII. SIMULATION MODEL

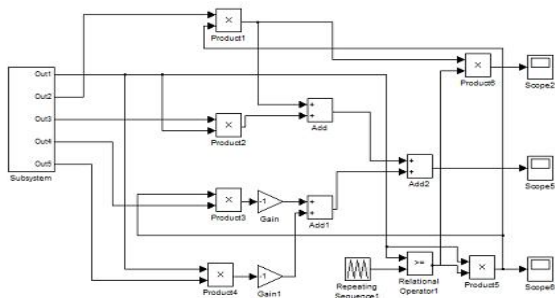


Fig. 6. Blocks connected for simulation of voltage of inverter and the simulated waveform.

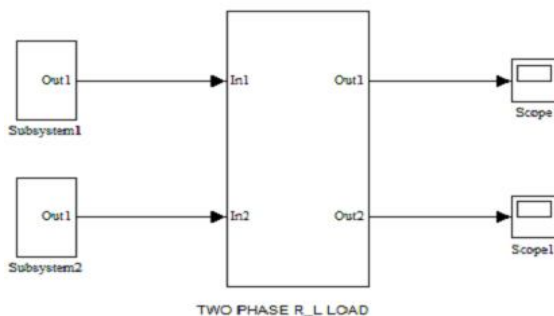


Fig.7.Blocks connected for simulation of RL load current. Fig.6. and Fig.7 represent the inverter output voltage and load current respectively.

IX. SIMULATION RESULT

A) Simulation Result for phase A:-

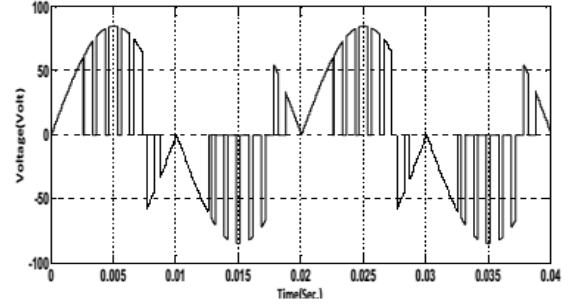


Figure.8 (a).Voltage for Phase A (F=50Hz)

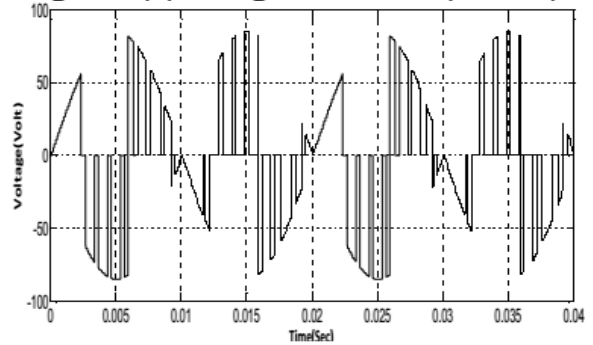


Figure.8 (b).Voltage for Phase A (F=150Hz)

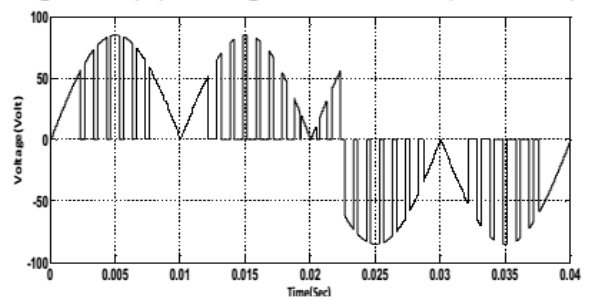


Figure.8 (c).Voltage for Phase A(F=16.66Hz)

B) Simulation Result for phase B:-

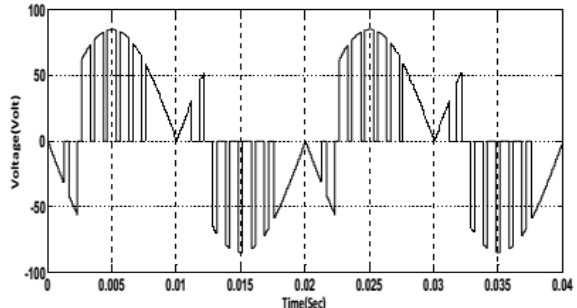


Figure.9 (a).Voltage for Phase B (F=50Hz)

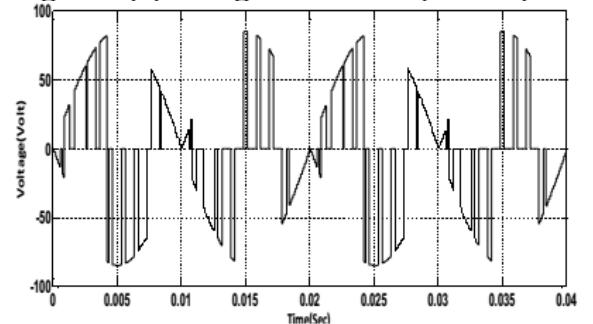


Figure.9 (b).Voltage for Phase B (F=150Hz)

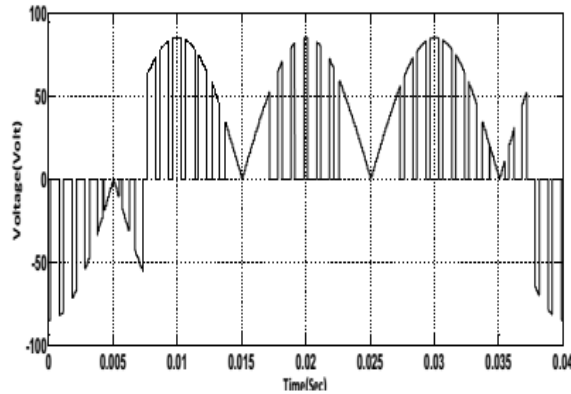


Figure.9 (c).Voltage for Phase B (F=16.67Hz)

C] Simulation result for RL Load

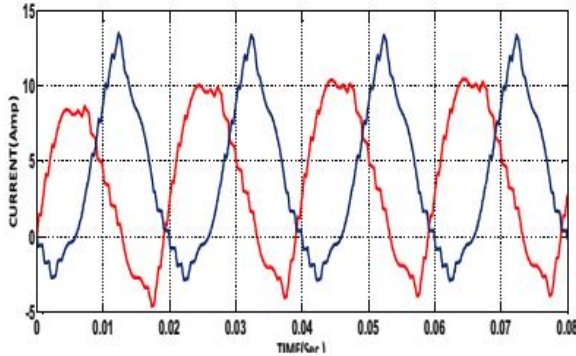


Fig.10(a).load current for frequency =50Hz

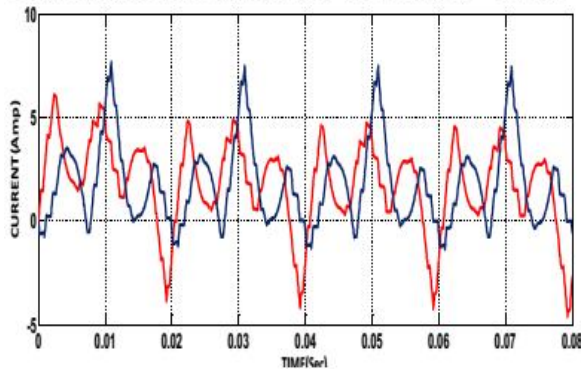


Fig.10(b).load current for frequency =150Hz

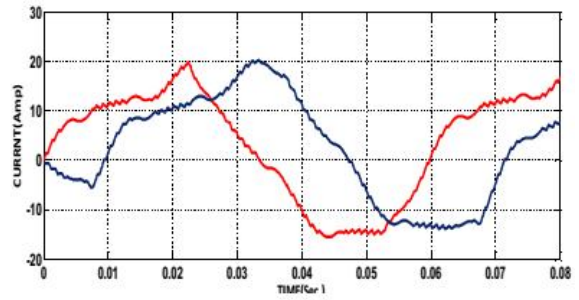


Fig.10(C).load current for frequency =16.67Hz

CONCLUSION

A Two phase supply is generated from single phase matrix converter .The importance of the circuit is empharied by a simple algorithm used. The circuit is avoiding of any reactive element and can used where single phase supply is available.

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