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### **ABSTRACT**

With depleting fossil fuel and threats for environmental hazards, the energy generation is witnessing a shift towards renewable energy sources(RES) globally. Such inclination towards the RES could only become possible due to advancement in power electronics and faster digital controller. Low capacity RES are connected to LV distribution system which offer low power capacity. Such low capacity system are vulnerable to problem of voltage regulation caused by intermittency of power injection by RES in the weak system.

The onslaught from the load perturbance can be gradually reduced if the RES are integrated to high capacity microgrids at higher voltage in distribution syste, since the are meant for bulk power transfer and there exist very bleak possibility of current reversed. Therefore to the great extent problem of voltage regulation is subscribed. The source side intermittency is mitigated by storage support, which become costly if dealt as Battery energy storage system(BESS) connected in shunt with load and RES, being interfaced to higher voltage.

A cascade connection of RES with differential voltage support by the battery is proposed in the thesis for curbing the intermittency in the sources and enabling the connection of the proposed configuration to higher voltages. A bi-directional interface for battery is solicitated for incorporation, which is enabled though DAB, with high frequency isolation transformer providing the necessary boost in the voltage. The thesis has dealt with the design of high frequency isolation transformer and same is validated through simulation results when connected with DAB. The developed control algorithm for bi-directional control of DAB is also tested under MATLAB/Simulink environment for variable duty cycle control for requisite power. The results demonstrated the effectiveness of control and validate the analytic value through simulated results.

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## **ACRONYMS**

PV Photovoltaic

SST Solid State Transformer

HF High Frequency

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PI Proportional Integral

BESS Battery Energy Storage System

DAB Dual Active Bridge

IGBT Insulated Gate Bipolar Transistor

HFT High Frequency Transformer

IBDC Isolated bi-directional Converter

BTB Back-to-Back

PWM Pulse Width Modulation

ZVS Zero Voltage Switching

PPS Pulse Phase Shift

DABCI Dual Active Bridge Cascaded with Inverter

MV Medium Voltage

LV Low Voltage

DG Distributed Generator

PS-PWM Phase Shift-Pulse Width Modulation

Ap Area Product

Ac Core Cross Section

Aw Window Area

N1 Primary turns

N2 Secondary turns

E<sub>1</sub> RMS Primary induced voltage

E<sub>2</sub> RMS Secondary induced voltage

I1 Primary rms currents.

I2 Secondary rms currents.

J Current Density

Kw Winding Factor

Kf Form Factor

Bm Maximum flux density

J Current density

f Frequency

V<sub>diode</sub> Rectifier Diode Voltage,

V<sub>o</sub> Output Voltage

d<sub>max</sub> Maximum duty cycle,

T<sub>max</sub> Maximum ambient temperature

 $\eta_t$  Efficiency of transformer

P<sub>cu</sub> Copper loss

n Turn ratio

k<sub>h</sub> a constant (material dependent)

x Steinmetz factor

P<sub>h</sub> Hysteresis loss

P<sub>c</sub> Eddy current loss

c<sub>1</sub> Lamination thickness

 $\rho_c$  Operating resistivity of the core

 $\Delta \rho$  Thermal resistivity coefficient

 $\rho_{20}^{\circ}{}_{C}$  Material resistivity at  $20^{\circ}{}_{C}$ 

R<sub>h</sub> Hysteresis loss equivalent resistance

R<sub>ec</sub> Eddy current loss equivalent resistance

R<sub>1</sub> Primary winding resistance

 $\rho_1$  Resistivity of the primary winding wire

R<sub>2</sub> secondary winding Resistance

 $\rho_2$  resistivity of the secondary winding wire

l length of the wire

X<sub>m</sub> Magnetising reactance

X Leakage Reactances.

μrc Permeability of free space)

 $\mu_o$  Permeability of core

 $\zeta_{12}$  Winding Thickness Factor

BDC Bi-directional DC Converter

HEV hybrid electric vehicles

UPS Uninterruptible Power Supplies

NBDC Non Isolated Bidirectional DC converter

IBDC Isolated Bidirectional DC converter

PSM Phase Shift Modulation

RES Renewable Energy Sources

WPS Wind Power System

VSWT Variable Speed Wind Turbines

PMSG Permanent Magnet Synchronous Generators

PCC Point of common coupling

VS Voltage Source

WECS Wind Energy Conversion System

