

dSPACE DS1104 Based Real Time Implementation of Sliding Mode Control of Induction Motor

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1. INTRODUCTION

Recently, significant advances in power electronics have brought considerable developments in the control of AC machines and high performance real-time implementation [1], [11], [22]. The field-oriented control technique has been widely used in industry for high-performance IM drive [2], [3], [22], [24], where the knowledge of synchronous angular velocity is often necessary in the phase transformation for achieving the favourable decoupling control between motor torque and rotor flux as for a separately excited DC machine. This control strategy can provide the same performance as achieved from a separately excited DC machine [2], [22], [23], [25]. This technique can be performed by two basic methods: direct vector control and indirect vector control. Both DFO and IFO solutions have been implemented in industrial drives demonstrating performances suitable for a wide spectrum of technological applications. This stimulated a significant research activity to develop IM vector control algorithms using nonlinear control theory in order to improve performances, achieving speed (or torque) and flux tracking, or to give a theoretical justification of the existing solutions [2], [3], [8], [22].

Sliding mode control (SMC), due to its order reduction, disturbance rejection and strong robustness properties, along with its simple implementation by means of power converters, is one of the prospective control methodologies for electrical machines [10], [15], [16], [17]. Sliding mode control is a type of variable structure scheme, i.e. which involves switching between controllers which is relatively independent of parametric uncertainties and load disturbances. SMC has been employed for position and speed control of ac machines. However, the discontinuous nature of the switching feature of SMC causes chattering in the control system [13], [14], [15], [16].

In this paper, a total sliding mode controller based on indirect field orientation is proposed for IM speed control. The proposed controller is applied to achieve a speed control under disturbances of load

torque. The rest of this paper is organized as follows. Section 2 reviews the principle of the indirect field-oriented control of induction motor. Section 3 shows the development of sliding mode controllers design for IM speed control. Section 4 gives the simulation and experimental results. Finally, some conclusions are drawn in section 5.

2. INDIRECT FIELD-ORIENTED INDUCTION MOTOR CONTROL

A dynamic three-phase, Y-connected induction motor model is expressed in a d - q synchronously rotating frame as follows [1], [2], [3], [23], [24], [25], [26]:

$$\frac{di_{ds}}{dt} = \frac{1}{\sigma L_s} \left(V_{ds} - \left(R_s + \frac{L_m^2}{L_r} R_r \right) i_{ds} + \sigma L_s \omega_e i_{qs} + \frac{L_m R_r}{L_r^2} \phi_{dr} + \frac{L_m}{L_r} \phi_{qr} P \omega_r \right) \quad (1)$$

$$\frac{di_{qs}}{dt} = \frac{1}{\sigma L_s} \left(V_{qs} - \left(R_s + \frac{L_m^2}{L_r} R_r \right) i_{qs} - \sigma L_s \omega_e i_{ds} - \frac{L_m}{L_r} \phi_{dr} P \omega_r + \frac{L_m R_r}{L_r^2} \phi_{qr} \right) \quad (2)$$

$$\frac{d\phi_{dr}}{dt} = \frac{L_m R_r}{L_r} i_{ds} - \frac{R_r}{L_r} \phi_{dr} + (\omega_e - P \omega_r) \phi_{qr} \quad (3)$$

$$\frac{d\phi_{qr}}{dt} = \frac{L_m R_r}{L_r} i_{qs} - (\omega_e - P \omega_r) \phi_{dr} - \frac{R_r}{L_r} \phi_{qr} \quad (4)$$

$$\frac{d\omega_r}{dt} = \frac{1}{J} T_e - \frac{f_c}{J} \omega_r - \frac{T_l}{J} \quad (5)$$

$$T_e = \frac{3 \cdot P L_m}{2 \cdot L_r} (i_{qs} \phi_{dr} - i_{ds} \phi_{qr}) \quad (6)$$

The main objective of induction motor vector control is, as in separately DC motors, to independently control torque and flux by using a d - q reference frame rotating synchronously with the rotor flux space vector [2], [3], [26]. In ideally field-oriented control, the rotor flux vector is forced to align with d -axis and is set to be constant equal to the rated flux; it follows that [2], [4], [7], [21]:

$$\phi_{qr} = \frac{d\phi_{qr}}{dt} = 0 \quad (7)$$

$$\phi_{dr} = \phi_r = \text{constant} \quad (8)$$

Assuming that equations (7) and (8) are satisfied, i.e., field-oriented control is achieved, the torque equation becomes analogous to the separately DC motor and described as follows:

$$T_e = \frac{3}{2} \frac{P \cdot L_m}{L_r} \cdot \phi_r \cdot i_{qs} \quad (9)$$

Based on (4), slip frequency ($\omega_{sl} = \omega_e - \omega_r$) is calculated using i_{ds}^* and i_{qs}^* as follows:

$$\omega_{sl} = \frac{1}{\tau_r} \frac{i_{qs}^*}{i_{ds}^*} \quad (10)$$

Where superscript ‘*’ represents referenced values.

Dynamic equations (1)-(5) then yield:

$$\frac{di_{ds}}{dt} = -\left(\frac{R_s}{\sigma L_s} + \frac{1-\sigma}{\sigma \tau_r}\right)i_{ds} + \omega_e i_{qs} + \frac{L_m}{\sigma L_s L_r \tau_r} \phi_{dr} + \frac{1}{\sigma L_s} V_{ds} \quad (11)$$

$$\frac{di_{qs}}{dt} = -\left(\frac{R_s}{\sigma L_s} + \frac{1-\sigma}{\sigma r_r}\right)i_{qs} - \omega_e i_{ds} - \frac{L_m}{\sigma L_s L_r} \phi_{dr} P \omega_r + \frac{1}{\sigma L_s} V_{ds} \quad (12)$$

$$\frac{d\phi_r}{dt} = \frac{L_m}{\tau_r} i_{ds} - \frac{1}{\tau_r} \phi_{dr} \quad (13)$$

$$\frac{d\omega_r}{dt} = \frac{3}{2} \frac{PL_m}{JL_r} i_{qs} \phi_{dr} - \frac{f_c}{J} \omega_r - \frac{1}{J} T_l \quad (14)$$

Decoupling control with compensation chooses inverter output voltage so that [2, 4]:

$$V_{ds}^* = \left(K_p + K_i \frac{1}{s} \right) (\dot{i}_{ds}^* - i_{ds}) - \omega_e \sigma L_s \dot{i}_{qs}^* - \frac{L_m}{L_r \tau_r} \phi_{dr} \quad (15)$$

$$V_{qs}^* = \left(K_p + K_i \frac{1}{s} \right) \left(i_{qs}^* - i_{qs} \right) + \omega_e \sigma L_s i_{ds}^* + P \omega_r \frac{L_m}{L_r} \phi_{dr} \quad (16)$$

Based on the above analysis, indirect field-oriented control (IRFOC) [1], [2], [3], [4] of induction motors with current-regulated PWM drives is reasonably represented as shown in Figure 1.

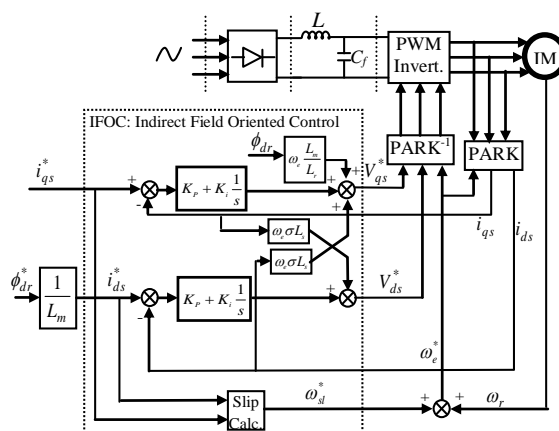


Figure 1. IRFOC scheme of the induction motor

3. SPEED CONTROL OF IM USING SLIDING MODE CONTROL

3.1. Sliding mode control

Variable structure control (VSC) with sliding mode, or sliding-mode control (SMC), is one of the effective nonlinear robust control approaches, because it provides system dynamics with an invariance property to uncertainties once the system dynamics are controlled in the sliding mode [11], [12], [15], [16], [17], [18], [19], [20]. The first step of SMC design is to select a sliding surface that models the desired closed-loop performance in state variable space. Then the control is designed such

that the system state trajectories are forced toward the sliding surface and stay on it. The system state trajectory in the period of time before reaching the sliding surface is called the reaching phase. Once the system trajectory reaches the sliding surface, it stays on it and slides along it to the origin. The system trajectory sliding along the sliding surface to the origin is the sliding mode. The insensitivity of the controlled system to uncertainties exists in the sliding mode, but not during the reaching phase. Thus, the system dynamic in the reaching phase is still influenced by uncertainties [13], [14], [15], [16], [17].

Without loss of generality, consider the design of a sliding mode controller for the following second order system: $\ddot{x} + a_1\dot{x} + a_2x = b \cdot u$, where $u(t)$ is the input to the system and we assume that $b > 0$. A possible choice of the structure of a sliding mode controller is [15-17]:

$$u = u_{eq} + k \cdot \text{sgn}(s) \quad (17)$$

Where u_{eq} is called equivalent control which dictates the motion of the state trajectory along the sliding surface [15], [16]; k is a constant, representing the maximum controller output required to overcome parameter uncertainties and disturbances; s is called the switching function because the control action switches its sign on the two sides of the switching surface $s = 0$. For a second order system s is defined as [16], [17]:

$$s = \dot{e} + \lambda \cdot e \quad (18)$$

Where $e = x_d - x$ and x_d is the desired state; λ is a constant and $\text{sgn}(s)$ is the signum function, which is defined as:

$$\text{sgn}(s) = \begin{cases} -1 & s < 0 \\ 1 & s > 0 \end{cases} \quad (19)$$

To make sure that the system trajectories move toward and stay on the sliding surface $s = 0$ independent of the initial condition, the following sliding mode condition must be fulfilled [14], [15], [16]

$$s \dot{s} \leq -\eta \cdot |s| \Rightarrow s \dot{s} \leq -\eta \cdot \text{sgn}(s)s \Rightarrow \dot{s} \text{sgn}(s) \leq -\eta \quad (20)$$

Where η is a positive constant, which ensures a finite time convergence to $s = 0$.

Using a sign function often causes chattering in practice. One solution is to introduce a boundary layer around the switching surface [14], [16], [20], [21]:

$$u = u_s + u_{eq} \quad (21)$$

Where:

$$u_s = k \cdot \text{sat}\left(\frac{s}{\xi}\right) \quad (22)$$

Where the constant factor ξ defines the thickness of the boundary layer and $\text{sat}(\cdot)$ is a saturation function defined as:

$$\text{sat}\left(\frac{s}{\xi}\right) = \begin{cases} \text{sgn}\left(\frac{s}{\xi}\right) & \left|\frac{s}{\xi}\right| \geq 1 \\ \frac{s}{\xi} & \left|\frac{s}{\xi}\right| < 1 \end{cases} \quad (23)$$

The characteristic of u_s versus s is shown in Figure 2.

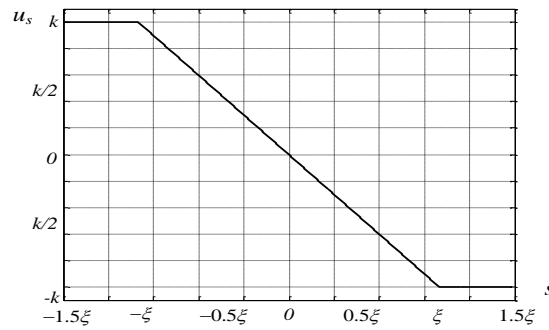


Figure 2. The discontinuous control action of the SMC control law (u_s)

3.2. Speed and Current controllers design by sliding mode control

In this section, we show the design procedure of the robust nonlinear control via the sliding mode control (SMC) for IM control in order to obtain the IM control laws so as to achieve high-quality speed tracking performance. The design of the proposed sliding mode controller for an IM speed control involves the following steps.

3.2.1. Design of sliding mode speed controller

To control the speed of the induction motor, the sliding surface is defined as follows:

$$s(\omega_r) = \omega_r^* - \omega_r \quad (24)$$

Differentiating $s(\omega_r)$ with respect to time gives:

$$\dot{s}(\omega_r) = \dot{\omega}_r^* - \dot{\omega}_r \quad (25)$$

Taking into account the mechanical equation of the induction motor defined in the equation (14), the time derivative of sliding surface can be written as follows:

$$\dot{s}(\omega_r) = \dot{\omega}_r^* - \left(\frac{3}{2} \frac{P^2 L_m \phi_{dr}^*}{J L_r} i_{qs} - \frac{f_c}{J} \dot{\omega}_r - \frac{P}{J} T_l \right) \quad (26)$$

We take

$$i_{qs} = i_{qs}^{equ} + i_{qs}^n \quad (27)$$

During the sliding mode and at steady-state conditions, we have $s(\omega) = 0$, $\dot{s}(\omega) = 0$ and $i_{qs}^n = 0$, the equivalent control action can be defined as follows:

$$i_{qs}^{equ} = \frac{2}{3} \frac{J L_r}{P^2 L_m \phi_{dr}^*} \left(\dot{\omega}_r^* + \frac{f_c}{J} \omega_r + \frac{P}{J} T_l \right) \quad (28)$$

During the convergence mode, the condition $s(\omega_r) \cdot \dot{s}(\omega_r) < 0$ must be verified, thus guaranteeing motion of the state trajectory to the manifold. Substituting (28) into the time derivative of the sliding surface $\dot{s}(\omega_r)$ yields:

$$\dot{s}(\omega_r) = -\frac{3}{2} \frac{P^2 L_m \phi_{dr}^*}{J L_r} i_{qs}^n \quad (29)$$

The discontinuous control action can be given as:

$$i_{qs}^n = k_{iqs} \cdot \text{sat}(s(\omega)/\xi_\omega) \quad (30)$$

To verify the system stability condition ($s(\omega_r) \cdot \dot{s}(\omega_r) < 0$), it is enough to choose a gain k_{iqs} strictly positive. The stability proof of the sliding-mode speed controller is derived in the sense of the Lyapunov theorem and is shown in the appendix.

3.2.2. Design of sliding mode current controllers

The current loops are often the internal regulated loop in a field oriented controlled IM, and the global performance of the drive depends strongly on the performance of current control. Therefore, precise and fast current control is essential to achieve high static and dynamic performance for the FOC of IM. If the secondary currents are not adjusted precisely and with fast dynamics to the reference values, cross coupling will be caused between the motor torque and rotor flux. Thus, the performance of the FOC degrades [1], [2], [8], [14], [17].

The proposed control design uses two sliding mode controllers to regulate the d -axis and q -axis secondary currents respectively. The design of the controllers consists of two steps.

Firstly, we define sliding surfaces $s = [s_1 \ s_2] = 0$ as follows:

$$s_1 = i_{ds}^* - i_{ds} \quad (31)$$

$$s_2 = i_{qs}^* - i_{qs} \quad (32)$$

Where i_{ds}^* and i_{qs}^* are the reference values of the d -axis and q -axis secondary currents, respectively. If the system stays stationary on the surface, then we obtain $s_1 = s_2 = 0$. Substituting (31) and (32) into $s_1 = 0$ and $s_2 = 0$ yields

$$\begin{aligned} i_{ds} &= i_{ds}^* \\ i_{qs} &= i_{qs}^* \end{aligned} \quad (33)$$

Secondly, we design a voltage control law that forces the system to move towards the sliding surface in a finite time.

Differentiating s_1 and s_2 with respect to time gives:

$$\begin{aligned} \dot{s}_1 &= \dot{i}_{ds}^* - \dot{i}_{ds} \\ \dot{s}_2 &= \dot{i}_{qs}^* - \dot{i}_{qs} \end{aligned} \quad (34)$$

Taking into account the equations of the induction motor defined in (11) and (12), the time derivative of sliding surface can be writing as follows:

$$\begin{aligned} \dot{s}_1 &= \dot{i}_{ds}^* - \frac{1}{\sigma L_s} \left(- \left(R_s + \left(\frac{L_m}{L_r} \right)^2 R_r \right) \cdot i_{ds} + \sigma L_s \cdot \omega_e \cdot i_{qs} \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \frac{L_m \cdot R_r}{L_r^2} \cdot \phi_{dr} + V_{ds} \right) \end{aligned} \quad (35)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \dot{s}_2 &= \dot{i}_{qs}^* - \frac{1}{\sigma L_s} \left(- \sigma L_s \cdot \omega_e \cdot i_{ds} - \left(R_s + \left(\frac{L_m}{L_r} \right)^2 R_r \right) \cdot i_{qs} \right. \\ &\quad \left. - \frac{P \cdot L_m}{L_r} \phi_{dr} \cdot \omega_r + V_{qs} \right) \end{aligned} \quad (36)$$

$$\begin{aligned} v_{qs} &= v_{qs}^{equ} + v_{qs}^n \\ v_{ds} &= v_{ds}^{equ} + v_{ds}^n \end{aligned} \quad (37)$$

During the sliding mode and at steady-state conditions, we have $s_1 = \dot{s}_1 = 0$, $s_2 = \dot{s}_2 = 0$, $v_{ds}^n = 0$ and $v_{qs}^n = 0$, the equivalent control actions can be defined as follows:

$$V_{ds}^{equ} = \sigma.L_s \left(\mathbf{i}_{ds} + \frac{1}{\sigma.L_s} \left(R_s + R_r \left(\frac{L_m}{L_r} \right)^2 \right) \mathbf{i}_{ds} - \omega_e \mathbf{i}_{qs} - \frac{L_m.R_r}{\sigma.L_s.L_r^2} \phi_r^* \right) \quad (38)$$

$$V_{qs}^{equ} = \sigma.L_s \left(\mathcal{E}_{qs}^* + \omega_e.i_{ds} + \frac{1}{\sigma.L_s} \left(R_s + R_r \left(\frac{L_m}{L_r} \right)^2 \right) i_{qs} + \frac{L_m}{\sigma L_s L_r} \phi_r^* \omega_r \right) \quad (39)$$

During the convergence mode, the condition $s_1 \cdot \dot{s}_1 < 0$ and $s_2 \cdot \dot{s}_2 < 0$ must be verified, thus guaranteeing motion of the state trajectory to the manifold. Substituting (38) and (39) into the time derivatives of the sliding surfaces s_1 and s_2 yields:

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{K}_1 &= -\frac{1}{\sigma L_s} v_{ds}^n \\ \mathcal{K}_2 &= -\frac{1}{\sigma L_s} v_{qs}^n\end{aligned}\tag{40}$$

The discontinuous control actions can be given as:

$$\begin{aligned} v_{ds}^n &= k_1 \cdot \text{sat}(s_1/\xi_1) \\ v_{as}^n &= k_2 \cdot \text{sat}(s_2/\xi_2) \end{aligned} \quad (41)$$

To verify the system stability condition ($s_1 \cdot \mathfrak{s}_1 < 0, s_2 \cdot \mathfrak{s}_2 < 0$), it is enough to choose the gains k_1 and k_2 strictly positive and sufficiently larges.

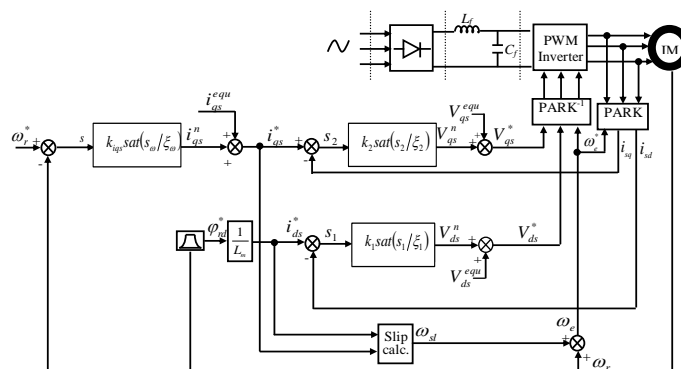


Figure 3. The block diagram of sliding mode speed and currents control of induction motor

4. SIMULATION AND EXPERIMENTAL RESULTS

Based on the above analysis of IM drives control algorithm, Simulations were carried out in Matlab/Simulink to demonstrate the effectiveness of the proposed control scheme for IM speed control. Furthermore, an experimental test platform has been done in various operating conditions in order to verify the proposed method analysis. The motor parameters are given in Table I in the Appendix. The configuration of the adopted control scheme is drawn in Figure 3. It mainly consists of a induction motor (3 phases slip-ring), a ramp comparison voltage-controlled pulse width modulated (PWM) inverter, a slip velocity estimator, an inverse park transformation, indirect field oriented control bloc based on sliding mode currents controllers, and a speed feedback control loop contains a sliding mode controller. The experimental test setup exhibited shown in Figure 4 has been processed using a dSPACE DS1104 R&D board with TMS320F240 DSP and ControlDesk experiment software. As shown in Fig. 4, it mainly consists of a 3-phase slip-ring induction motor, Y connected, four pole, 250 W, 1428rpm 220/380V, 50Hz. and a 250W DC motor serving for the load tests. An incremental encoder of 1024 p/r is used to measure the speed through the Inc-interface of dSPACE-1104. The parameters of the tested motor are the same with those used in the simulation.

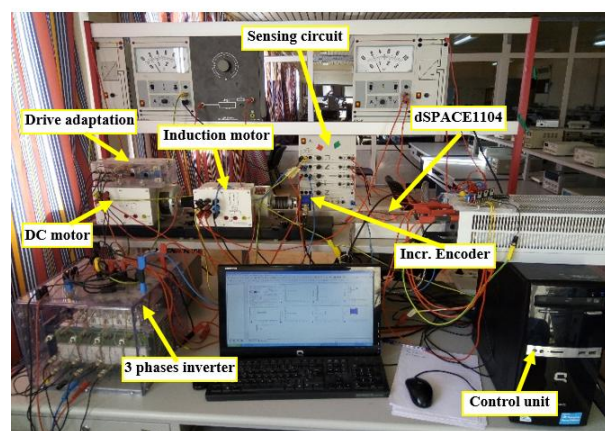


Figure. 4 Photographic view of the experimental drive system structure

4.1. Simulation results

Firstly, two different operating conditions for the induction motor are simulated to illustrate the operation of the proposed total sliding mode controller. We present the simulated results of the proposed total sliding mode control system for a rectangular shape-thrust command input and step reference for speed control. The parameter used in simulation are chosen as $k_{iqs} = 25$, $k_2 = k_3 = 40$, $\xi_{\alpha r} = 0.5$, $\xi_1 = \xi_2 = 0.1$. These parameters are chosen to achieve the best transient performance in simulation considering the requirement of stability and possible operating conditions.

Test 1: The first test consists of constant speed reference. Where The machine is operated at 1000 rpm. Then, a nominal load torque disturbance (0.75 N.m) is suddenly applied and eliminated at 15sec, 25sec respectively.

The performance of the proposed IM SMC speed control scheme is shown in Figures. 5(a)–(c). The speed is depicted in Figure. 5(a) and the direct and quadratic rotor fluxes ϕ_{dr} and ϕ_{qr} are depicted in Figure. 5(b). The phase current and the direct & quadratic currents I_{ds} & I_{qs} are shown in Figure. 5(c-e) respectively. The Figure. 5 clearly shows that, the proposed total sliding mode control can achieve good tracking performance even in relation to load torque disturbance variation. In Figure. 5(a), the speed response of the proposed SMC is observed to present better tracking characteristics and more robustness (minimal rising time with no overshoot and very rapid rejection of the load disturbance, with a small undershoot). It should be noted that, with the proposed scheme, the d -axis rotor flux level is kept constant at its nominal value which highlights a proper cross coupling and an accurate field orientation ($\phi_{qr} = 0$) Figure. 5(b).

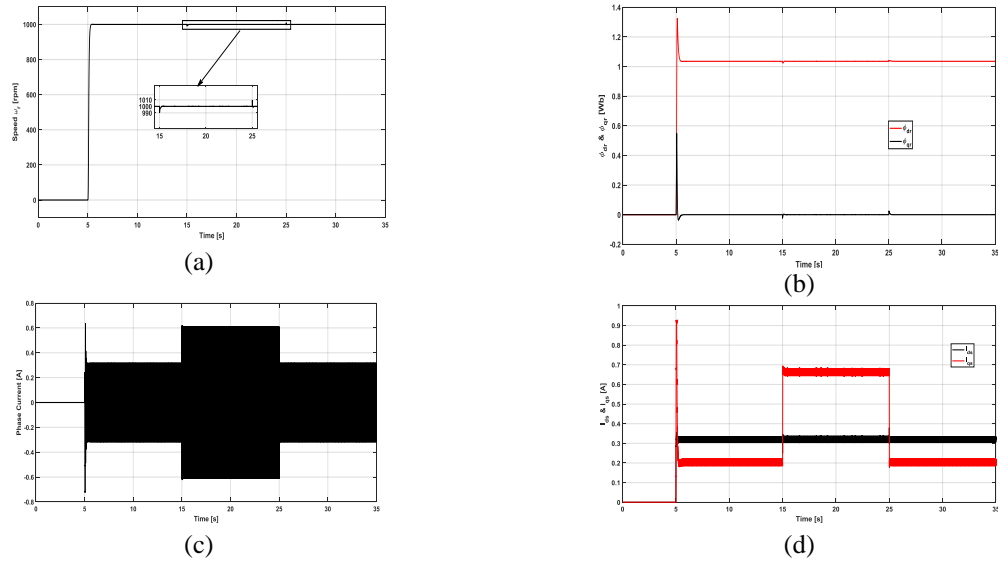


Figure 5. Simulated results of SMC IM drive during the 1st test operation (a) Speed, (b) d - & q -axis rotor fluxes, (c) phase current, (d) d - & q -axis stator currents

Test 2: the effectiveness of the proposed IM Total SMC has been tested under regenerating operation mode. This second test consists of step change on speed reference from 1000rpm to -1000rpm where reference speed is brutally reversed at 35sec. Then, a load torque of 0.75 N.m has been applied and eliminated at $t=15$ sec and $t=25$ sec. respectively.

The performance of IM Total SMC under this operating points test is depicted in Figure. 6(a-e). The speed is depicted in Figure. 6(a). The direct and quadratic secondary fluxes are depicted in Figure. 6(b). The phase current and the direct & quadratic currents I_{ds} & I_{qs} are shown in Figure. 6(c,d) respectively. The obtained results shown in Figure. 6 prove that the Total SMC IM drives has good control performance in fluxes responses and keeps the same characteristics against speed reference reversals. Also, they demonstrate that the proposed Total SMC has a powerful capability to reject the load torque disturbances. It is clearly observed that the proposed scheme gave satisfactory performances thus judges that the controller is robust.

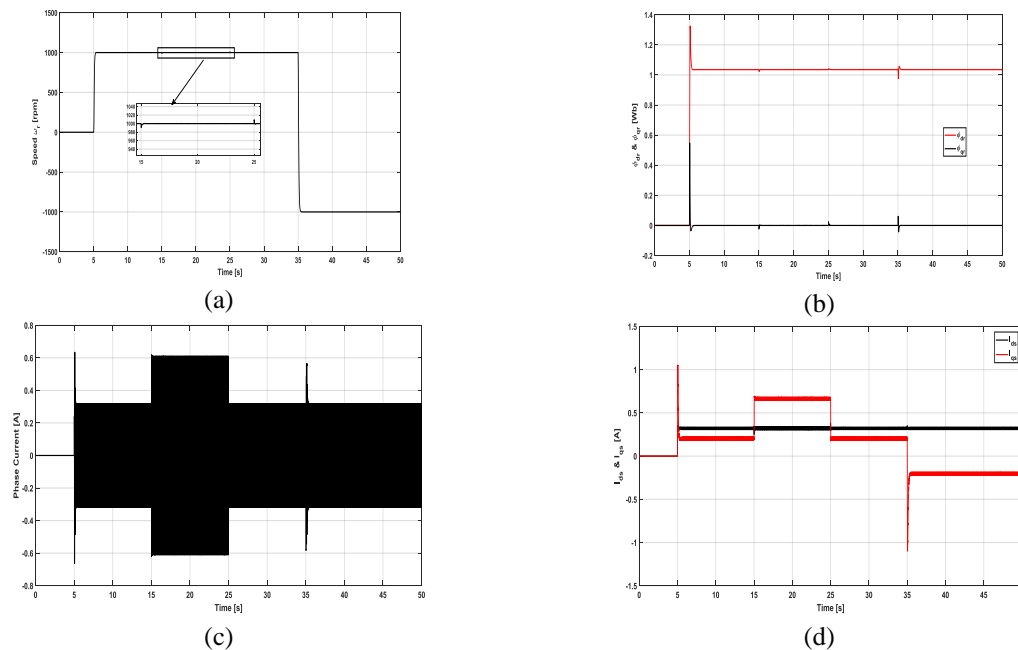


Figure 6. Simulated results of SMC IM drive during the 2nd test operation (a) Speed, (b) d - & q -axis rotor fluxes, (c) phase current, (d) d - & q -axis stator currents

4.2. Experimental results

In order to make a comparison study between numerical simulation and experimental validation results of the proposed total SMC induction motor drive, the same scenario tests seen in section 4.1 have been done in this section. Figures 7(a-e) shows the performance of the SMC induction motor drives scheme for the test 1. The results presented in Figure. 7(a) shows the rotor speed and the rotor fluxes (ϕ_{dr} and ϕ_{qr}) are plotted in figure. 7(b). The phase current and the direct & quadratic currents I_{ds} & I_{qs} are shown in Figures. 7(c,d) respectively. These figures show that the proposed control scheme presents good tracking characteristics and more effectiveness against speed and load torque application. It is observed from the obtained results that this controller rejects the load disturbance very rapidly with no overshoot and with a negligible steady state error, and the d -axis rotor flux is maintained at its nominal value.

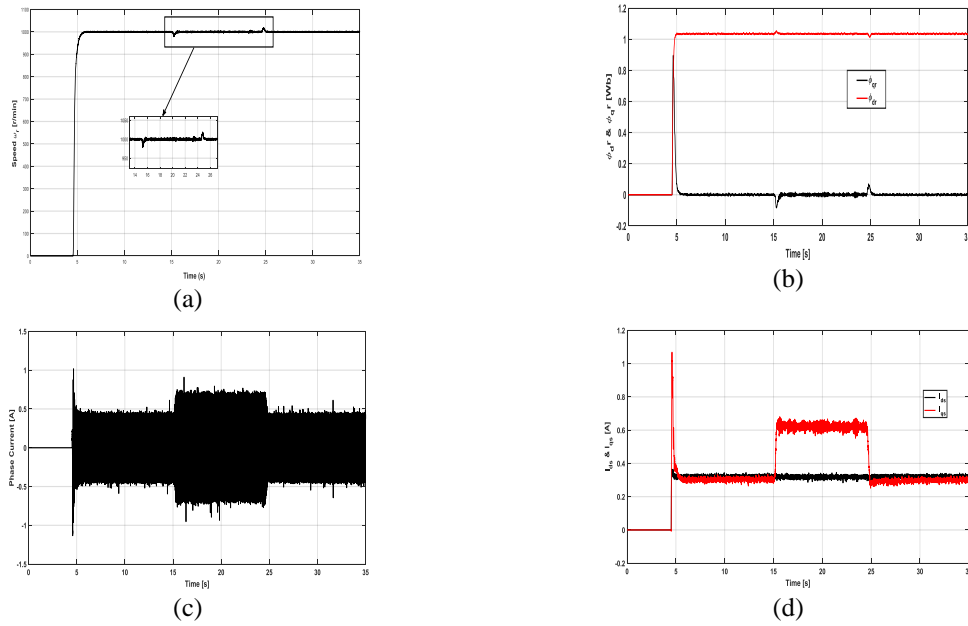


Figure. 7. Experimental results of SMC IM drive during the 1st test operation (a) Speed, (b) d- & q-axis rotor fluxes, (c) phase current, (d) d- & q-axis stator currents

For the second test, the performance of the proposed control scheme with SMC is shown in figures 8(a-e). The rotor speed and the rotor fluxes (ϕ_{dr} and ϕ_{qr}) are displayed in figures 8(a) and 8(b), respectively. The phase current and I_{ds} & I_{qs} currents are shown in Figure. 8(c,d) respectively. The obtained results presented in Figure. 8 which are identical to simulation, show that the rotor speed follows the reference with negligible steady-state error, minimal overshoot and a small rise time. In addition, the d -component of the rotor flux is maintained to its nominal value which proves a good cross coupling, accuracy, and robustness of the proposed Sliding mode controller.

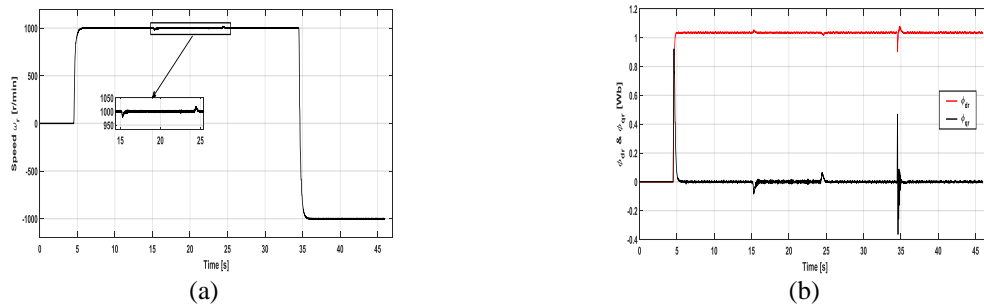


Figure. 8. Experimental results of SMC IM drive during the 2nd test operation (a) Speed, (b) d- & q-axis rotor fluxes, (c) phase current, (d) d- & q-axis stator currents

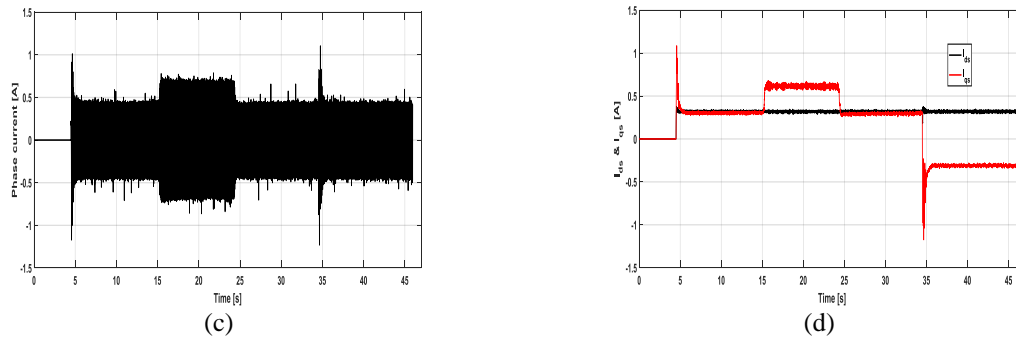


Figure. 8. Experimental results of SMC IM drive during the 2nd test operation (a) Speed, (b) d- & q-axis rotor fluxes, (c) phase current, (d) d- & q-axis stator currents

5. CONCLUSION

This paper has experimentally demonstrated the application of a nonlinear total sliding mode control system for the speed control of an IM drive. Firstly; an indirect field-oriented control of IM was designed. Moreover, a sliding mode control design technique is investigated to achieve a torque, flux and speed tracking objective under disturbance of the load torque. The effectiveness of the proposed control dynamics has been successfully verified by numerical simulation and experimentation.

The obtained simulation and experimental results show clearly that the proposed sliding mode controller has presented satisfactory performances which provide good control performances with high accuracy and convergence against load torque disturbances and speed reference changes. Moreover, it provides desirable decoupling between flux and torque.

Table 1. Terms and Abbreviations

Symbols	Designation
i_{ds}, i_{qs}	Direct and quadrature stator currents.
V_{ds}, V_{qs}	Direct and quadrature stator voltages
J	Inertia moment
k_p, k_i	Proportional and integral parameters of PI controller
L_s, L_r, L_m	Stator and rotor and mutual inductances
P	Number of pole pairs
R_s, R_r	Stator and rotor resistances
ϕ_{dr}, ϕ_{qr}	Direct and quadrature rotor fluxes.
τ_r	Rotor time constant (L_r / R_r)
ω_e	Synchronous frequency
ω_r	Mechanical rotor frequency
ω_{sl}	Slip frequency
T_{em}, T_L	Electromagnetic and load torques
$\sigma = 1 - L_m^2 / L_s L_r$	Leakage coefficient
IM	Induction motor
DC	Direct current
IRFOC	Indirect rotor field-oriented control
SMC	Sliding Mode Control

Table 2. Induction Motor Parameters

Designation	Symbol	Quantity
Rated Power	P_n	250 W
Line-to-Line voltage	V_n	398 V
Rated current	I_n	0.86 A
Rated speed	ω_{rn}	1360 rpm
Number of pole pairs	P	2
Stator resistance	R_s	39.26 Ω
Rotor resistance	R_r	35.6015 Ω
Stator inductance	L_s	3.6076 H
Rotor inductance	L_r	3.6076 H
Magnetizing inductance	L_m	3.233 H
Inertia moment of motor	J	0.0013 kg/m ²
Friction coefficient	f_c	0.0037 Nm.s/rad

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