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Modeling and Control of a Grid Connected VSI using a delta connected LCL Filter

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Abstract: In DC/AC inverters or AC/DC converters, a typical physical method to reduce grid current harmonics is to use an L filter. As an alternative method for it, an LCL filter has advantages over an L filter. However, an LCL filter leads to stability problems due to a pair of complex poles. To damp resonance, a mathematical model should be known. There are two ways to connect an LCL filter in a three phase system. A wye connected LCL filter is the typical way, and the other is a delta connected LCL filter. This presentation will show how to make a mathematical model of a system with a delta connected LCL filter. Also, a comparative study of capacitor current harmonics of a delta connected LCL filter and a wye connected LCL filter is included.

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