

## **A Study on Performance of Fuzzy Logic Type 2 PSS and Fuzzy type 2 Model Reference Learning PSS**

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**ABSTRACT:** Power system stabilizer (PSS) can provide supplementary control signal to the excitation system to damp electromechanical oscillations between interconnected synchronous generators and to improve dynamic performance. This paper presents a comparison study between a fuzzy type 2 logic PSS (FLPSS) and a fuzzy type 2 model reference learning PSS (FMRLPSS) to improve the stability of a synchronous generator. A fuzzy type 2 logic based PSS and fuzzy type 2 model reference learning are designed and simulated using MATLAB software package. The simulation results are compared. It is shown that the FMRLPSS is superior to FLPSS.

**Keywords:** Power system stabilizer; Fuzzy type 2 logic control; Fuzzy type 2 model reference learning.

### **INTRODUCTION**

Electro-mechanical oscillation between interconnected synchronous generators is phenomena inherent to power systems. The damping of these oscillations is of vital concern, and is a prerequisite for secure system operation. Power system stabilizers (PSSs) can provide supplementary control signal to the excitation system to damp these oscillations and to improve dynamic performance.

Most PSS in use in electric power systems employ the linear control theory approach based on a linear model of a fixed configuration of the power system and thus tuned at a certain operating condition. Such fixed parameter PSS, called conventional PSS (CPSS), is widely used in power systems, it often does not provide satisfactory results over a wide range of operating conditions.

In recent years, fuzzy type 2 logic has emerged as a powerful tool and is starting to be used in various power system applications. Fuzzy type 2 logic can be an alternative to classical control. It allows one to design a controller using linguistic rules without knowing the mathematical model of the plant. This makes fuzzy type 2-logic controller very attractive systems with uncertain parameters. The linguistic rule necessary for designing a fuzzy type 2-logic controller may be obtained directly from the operator who has enough knowledge of the response of the system under various operating conditions. A decision table represents the inference mechanism of the fuzzy type 2-logic controller, which consists of linguistic IF-THEN rule. It is assumed that an exact model of the plant is not available and it is difficult to extract the exact parameters of the power plant. Therefore, the design procedure cannot be based on an exact model. Therefore, the fuzzy type 2 logic approach makes the design of a controller possible without knowing the mathematical (exact) model of the plant.

However, the fuzzy type 2 control methodology which have ever been reported are many problems, since structure of fuzzy type 2 rule, membership function and parameters in fuzzy type 2 controllers are determined by trial and error depending on computer simulations and skilled person's intuition.

There are two principals' solutions for this problem to a self-learning and adaptation of the fuzzy type 2 controller: the first using Neuro-Fuzzy type 2 Control technique (ANFIS), the second using a learning technique based on a model reference .In this paper, we introduce a learning controller that is developed by synthesizing several basic ideas from fuzzy set and control theory, self-organizing control, and conventional adaptive control. The adaptive control system is designed so that its "learning controller" has the ability to improve the performance of the closed-loop system by generating command inputs to the plant and utilizing feedback information from the plant. In the case, we utilize a Learning mechanism, which observes the terminal voltage and adjusts the membership functions of the rules in a direct fuzzy controller so that the overall system behaves like a "reference model". The effectiveness of this Fuzzy Model Reference Learning PSS (FMRLPSS) is illustrated by showing that it can achieve high performance learning control for power system stabilizer.

**Problem Formulation**  
**System modeling**

In single machine infinite bus system, the synchronous machine (generator) is connected to an infinite bus through a transformer and two parallel transmission lines. In generator bus, a local load is also supplied as seen Fig. 1.

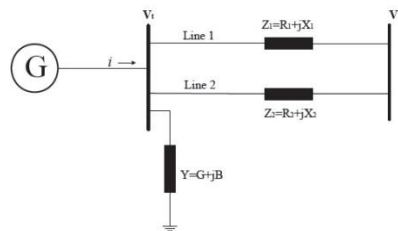


Figure 1. Schematic of the single machine power system connected to an infinite bus

**Fuzzy type 2 logic power system stabilizer (FLPSS)**

A FLC is a kind of a state variable controller governed by a family of rule and a fuzzy type 2 inference mechanism. The FLC algorithm can be implementation-using heuristic strategies, defined by linguistically describe statements. The fuzzy type 2 logic control algorithm reflects the mechanism of control implemented by people, without using a mathematical model the controlled object, and without an analytical description of the control algorithm. The main FLC processes are fuzzifier, knowledge base, the inference engine and defuzzifier as in Fig. 2.

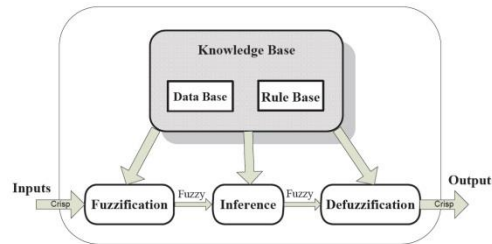


Figure 2. The basic structure of the fuzzy type 2 controller

The inference engine maps the input values into fuzzy type 2 value using normalized membership functions and input gain. The fuzzy type 2-logic inference engine deduces the proper control action based on the available rule base. The fuzzy type 2 control action is translated to the proper crisp value through the defuzzifier using normalized membership functions and the output gain. The output control signal from FPSS is injected to the summing point of the AVR. In this paper, inputs are fuzzified using normalized triangle membership functions.

In Fig. 3 it is shown how to use fuzzy type 2 controller in a PSS structure and its illustrations can be explained as the following steps [7]:

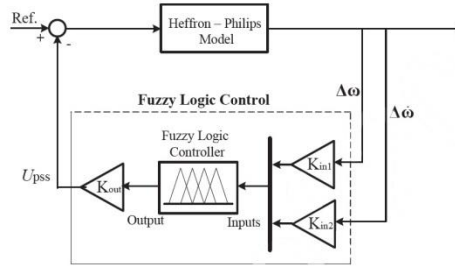


Figure 3. Schematic structure of FLPSS

**Step (1):** In this method, two variable  $\Delta\omega$  and  $\Delta\dot{\omega}$  are used as input signal in PSS. The coefficient  $K_{in1}$  and  $K_{in2}$  in input stage, keep the input signals within value scale to required value in decision limit. The output signal ( $U_{PSS}$ ) is injected to the summary point of AVR as the supplementary signal.

**Step (2):** Each of FLPSS input and output fuzzy type 2 variable  $Y = (\Delta\omega, \Delta\dot{\omega} U_{PSS})$  membership function have been chosen identical because of the normalization achieved on the physical variables. The normalization is important because it allows the controller to associate equitable weight to each of the rules and therefore, to calculate correctly the stabilizing signal.

Each of the input and output fuzzy type 2 variable,  $y_i$  is assigned seven linguistic fuzzy type 2 subsets varying from Negative Big (NB) to Positive Big (PB). Each subset is associated with a triangular membership function to form a set of seven normalized and symmetrical triangular membership function for fuzzy type 2 variables. (See Fig. 4).

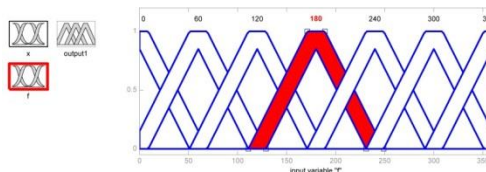


Figure 4. Fuzzy type 2 variable  $y_a$  seven membership functions

**Step (3):** The  $y_{max}$  and  $y_{min}$  represent maximum and minimum variation of the input and output signals. These values are selected based on simulations data. The range of each fuzzy type 2 variable is normalized between -4 to 4 by introducing a scaling factor to represent the actual signal.

**Step (4):** The interface mechanism of the FLC is represented by a  $7 \times 7$  decision table. The set of decision rules relating all possible combinations of input to outputs is based on previous experience in the field. This set is made up of 49 rules expressed using the same linguistic variables as those of the inputs and is stored in the form of a decision table shown in Table 1.

Table 1. FLPSS decision table

$\Delta\omega$	NB	NM	NS	Z	PS	PM	PB
$\Delta\dot{\omega}$	NB	NB	NB	NB	NM	NS	Z
NM	NB	NB	NM	NM	NS	Z	PS
NS	NB	NM	NM	NS	Z	PS	PM
Z	NM	NM	NS	Z	PS	PM	PM
PS	NM	NS	Z	PS	PM	PM	PB
PM	NS	Z	PS	PM	PM	PB	PB
PB	Z	PS	PM	PB	PB	PB	PB

**Step (5):** Let  $\theta_1, \theta_2, \dots, \theta_3$  represent the centroids of M membership functions that are assigned to  $U_{PSS}$  and  $w_i$  represents the firing strength of the  $i$ th rule. Thus, for M rules, the output of the controller is:

$$U_{PSS} = \frac{\sum_{j=1}^M w_j \theta_j}{\sum_{j=1}^M w_j} = \theta_c \xi \tag{1}$$

Where  $\xi = [\xi_1, \xi_2, \dots, \xi_M]$  and  $\xi_i = \frac{w_i}{\sum_{j=1}^M w_j}$

**Fuzzy type 2 Model Reference Learning PSS**

Figure 5 shows the functional block diagram of the FMRLPSS. It is made up of four main parts; the plant, the fuzzy type 2 controller to be tuned, the reference model, and the learning mechanism (an adaptation mechanism) [8]. The FMRLPSS uses discrete time signals  $r(kT)$ , and  $y(kT)$  with  $T$  as the sampling period. It also uses the learning mechanism to observe numerical data from a fuzzy type 2 control system. With this numerical data, it characterizes the fuzzy type 2 control system's current performance and automatically synthesizes or adjusts the fuzzy type 2 controller so that some given performance objectives are met.

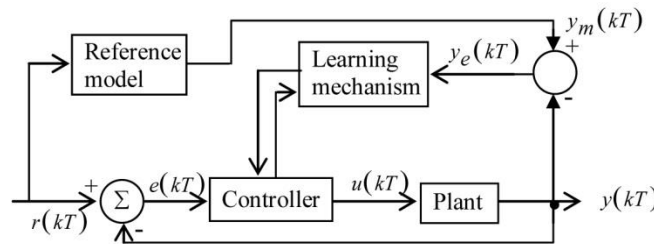


Figure 5. Fuzzy type 2 Model Reference Learning PSS

Here, the fuzzy type 2 control system loop operates to make  $y(kT)$  track  $r(kT)$  by manipulating  $u(kT)$ , while the adaptation control loop seeks to make the output of the plant  $y(kT)$  track the output of the reference model  $y_m(kT)$  by manipulating the fuzzy type 2 controller parameters.

**The fuzzy type 2 controller**

The synchronous generator (Heffron-Philips Model) which represents the plant has an input  $u(kT)$  from the fuzzy type 2 controller and frequency deviation in output  $y(kT)$ . The input to the fuzzy type 2 controller is the error  $e(kT) = r(kT) - y(kT)$  and change in error  $c(kT) = \frac{e(kT) - e(kT-T)}{T}$ . Where  $r(kT)$  is a reference input.

A total of 121 fuzzy type 2 rules were employed as indicated below in table 1 with triangular membership functions.

Table 2. FMLRPSS Decision table

$\Delta\omega$	NV	NL	NB	NM	NS	Z	PS	PM	PB	PL	PV
NV	NV	NV	NV	NV	NV	NL	NB	NM	NS	Z	PS
NL	NV	NV	NV	NV	NL	NB	NM	NS	Z	PS	PM
NB	NV	NV	NV	NL	NB	NM	NS	Z	PS	PM	PB
NM	NV	NV	NL	NB	NM	NS	Z	PS	PM	PB	PL
NS	NV	NL	NB	NM	NS	Z	PS	PM	PB	PL	PV
Z	NV	NL	NB	NM	NS	Z	PS	PM	PB	PL	PV
PS	NL	NB	NM	NS	Z	PS	PM	PB	PL	PV	PV
PM	NB	NM	NS	Z	PS	PM	PB	PL	PV	PV	PV
PB	NM	NS	Z	PS	PM	PB	PL	PV	PV	PV	PV
PL	NS	Z	PS	PM	PB	PL	PV	PV	PV	PV	PV
PV	Z	PS	PM	PB	PL	PV	PV	PV	PV	PV	PV

In the table above, NV, NL, NB, NM, NS, ZR, PS, PM, PB, PI, PV stands for negative very large, negative large, negative big, negative medium, negative small, zero, positive small, positive medium, positive big, positive large, and positive very large.

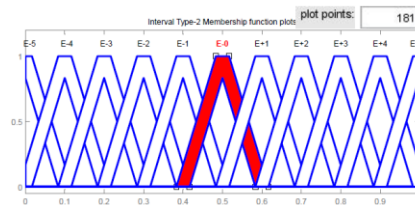


Figure 6. Membership functions for input universe of discourse

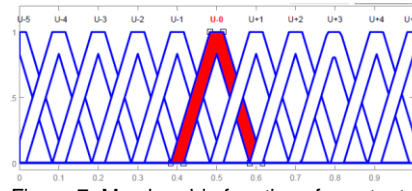


Figure 7. Membership functions for output u

**The reference Model**

A reference model  $G(s) = \frac{1}{s+1}$  is chosen because this model decays to zero in short time. If  $T = 0.1$  sec, we can use bilinear transformation to find the discrete equivalent continuous time transfer function  $G(z)$  by replacing  $s$  with  $\frac{2}{T} \frac{z-1}{z+1}$ . A Fuzzy type 2 Model Reference Learning PSS for Synchronous Generator Terminal Voltage Control

$$\frac{y_m(z)}{R(z)} = H(z) = \frac{\frac{1}{21}(z+1)}{z - \frac{19}{21}} \tag{2}$$

where  $y_m(z)$  and  $R(z)$  are the transforms of  $y_m(kT)$  and  $r(kT)$  respectively. So the discrete time implementation is

$$y_m(kT+T) = \frac{19}{21}y_m(kT) + \frac{1}{21}r(kT+T) + \frac{1}{21}r(kT) \tag{3}$$

**The Learning Mechanism**

The learning mechanism tunes the rule-base of the direct fuzzy type 2 controller so that the closed loop system behaves like the reference model. These rule-base modifications are made by observing data from the controlled process, the reference model, and the fuzzy type 2 controller. The learning mechanism consists of two parts: a fuzzy type 2 inverse model and a knowledge base modifier. The fuzzy type 2 inverse model (having the same rule base with the fuzzy type 2 controller) performs the function of mapping  $y_e(kT)$  (representing the deviation from the desired behavior) to changes in the process inputs  $p(kT)$  that are necessary to force  $y_e(kT)$  to zero. The knowledge-base modifier performs the function of modifying the fuzzy type 2 controller's rule-base to affect the needed changes in the process inputs.

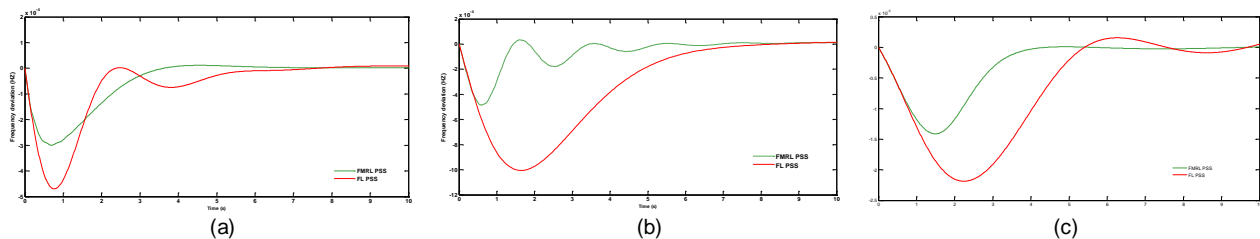


Figure 8. Compare performance of FLPSS and FMRLPSS: (a) Normal Load, (b) Heavy Load, (c) Fault in the line

**RESULTS**

In this section, in order to compare the performance of the FLPSS and FMRLPSS, some simulations are performed and its time domain results are provided. Simulations performed in three different operating conditions as follow:

- a) Normal load condition: The condition in which the system is operated in initial values. The values are selected as  $P_{e0}=1.0$  p.u.,  $Q_{e0}=0.015$ p.u.,  $V_{t0}=1.05$ pu.
- b) Heavy load conditions: The condition in which the real power ( $P_e$ ) is increased from 1.0 to 1.3 p.u.
- 3) In the case of fault occurrence in transmission line: The condition in which the line 2 in Fig. 1 is isolated with normal condition.

Table 3. The coefficients  $K_1$  to  $K_6$  for The Heffron-Phillips model in different operational conditions

Operation Conditions	$K_1$	$K_2$	$K_3$	$K_4$	$K_5$	$K_6$
Nominal Load	0.5441	1.2067	0.6584	0.6981	-0.095	0.8159
Heavy Load	0.4563	1.4477	0.6584	0.8706	-0.167	0.7747
Fault in the Line	0.4007	1.1404	0.7095	0.6834	-0.120	0.8348

In order to compare the performance of FLPSS and FMRLPSS, the load change in real power is set at 10% and the behavior of frequency deviation in different operational conditions are shown in Figs. 8(a)-8(c).

### CONCLUSION

The application of fuzzy type 2 model reference learning controller is the main focus of this paper. Not only that this controller is adaptive in nature but the behavior of the plant is controlled by identifying (11×11) rules which took care of most nonlinear operating conditions which wouldn't have been a problem by conventional adaptive and non-adaptive controllers.

The simulation result shows that the FMRLPSS has a better performance over a wide range of operating conditions than the FLPSS and is less sensitive to change in operating conditions. (See Figs. 8(a)-8(c)).

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