

Interconnection Efficiency in Grid-Connected Photovoltaic (PV) Systems Using Single-Phase Neural Network-Based Neutral Point Clamped and Cascaded H-Bridge Multilevel Inverters

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Abstract: Cloud computing is a rapidly evolving field that requires efficient resource allocation and fair distribution of tasks to achieve optimal performance and cost-effectiveness. To address these concerns, this study explores EcoSched, a pioneering study in the realm of cloud computing, aiming to revolutionize resource allocation and task scheduling methodologies for enhanced efficiency and sustainability. In response to the evolving demands of this field, this research investigates dynamic task scheduling methods tailored to optimize resource utilization and task distribution in cloud environments. This innovative framework emphasizes the eco-efficient assignment of tasks by categorizing them based on computational intensity, interdependencies, and stringent deadlines. Employing a refined task assignment mechanism supported by a sophisticated dynamic task scheduler, tasks are intelligently allocated to suitable virtual machines in real-time. Moreover, the integration of heuristic and predictive analysis enhances the decision-making process within the scheduler, ensuring optimal task placement. In parallel, EcoSched incorporates a robust load balancer capable of dynamically adjusting task allocations across the cloud infrastructure. By proactively mitigating resource bottlenecks and minimizing response times, this load balancer significantly enhances system performance. The proposed methodology showcases remarkable improvements in response time and resource utilization metrics, surpassing conventional scheduling approaches. This research offers valuable insights into the scalability and adaptability of the introduced techniques, laying the groundwork for future advancements in dynamic task scheduling strategies. With a focus on optimizing resource allocation and load balancing, this study contributes to the evolution of resilient, efficient, and sustainable cloud environments. EcoSched sets the stage for meeting the escalating computational demands while promoting eco-efficiency, thus shaping the future landscape of cloud computing.

Keywords: Harmonic distortion, hysteresis, photovoltaic, multilevel inverters, utility grid

1. Introduction

Cloud computing has completely transformed the way organizations manage and utilize their resources, ushering in a new era of computational capabilities. The flexibility, scalability, and cost-efficiency offered by cloud services make it the backbone of modern IT systems. However, as the reliance on cloud services continues to grow, the challenge of effectively allocating resources and balancing workloads has become increasingly prominent [1]. In recent years, there has been a growing popularity of renewable energy sources (RES) owing to their significant role in the global energy consumption and their ability to mitigate environmental degradation and the greenhouse effect. In this particular scenario, the implementation of microgrids emerges as a compelling alternative to bolster the dependability of the electric power system and facilitate the

provision of electricity to remote locations [1]. The objective focusses on enhancing the use of Disseminated Energy Properties (DEP) and guarantee the protection and constancy of the system. In recent times, a multitude of photovoltaic (PV) systems have been created, including various applications like independent systems, integrated systems, and other systems Grid-connected photovoltaic systems represent a significant and noteworthy manifestation of solar generation. Typically, photovoltaic (PV) systems consist of two essential power components. The initial device is a dc-dc converter, which is commonly employed to optimise power extraction over safeguard of inline circuit. One more component may be single phase inverters, which is responsible for managing various functions like as power regulation, grid synchronisation, and protection against islanding. DC-DC converters are employed in order to enhance the amount of energy obtained from photovoltaic (PV) modules [2]. The utilisation of the extreme control element manager enables the attainment of this accomplishment. In recent years, several techniques have been introduced in academic literature to address the task of monitoring the highest power point. Weather fluctuations are taken into account while adjusting the output power.

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The incremental conductance maximum power point tracking (MPPT) approach was employed. The suggested approach by the authors involves the utilisation of an integrated model inverter architecture, accompanied by a maximum power point tracking regulator for every bridge. This solution aims to address the problem of photovoltaic (PV) discrepancy. The aforementioned regulator was employed to create the voltage locus for every H-bridge. The perturb and observe approach was employed in conjunction with a dc-dc converter to regulate the photovoltaic (PV) voltages and effectively observe the extreme control point. The aforementioned approach is widely utilised throughout several renewable energy systems, including those pertaining to wind energy. In order to mitigate the reliance on expensive sensors in MPPT techniques, the application of artificial intelligence, machine learning, are employed to regulate the process model of the enhancement controller in response to fluctuating weather conditions.

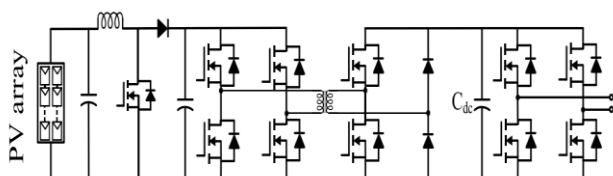


Fig 1. General Circuit for PV based systems

Subsequently, another converter is utilised to manage the battery charging process. Methods based on neural networks have been shown to provide rapid convergence and increased accuracy in the context of maximum power point tracking (MPPT) management. One example of a neural network that can effectively handle both indirect and dynamic conditions in grid-connected photovoltaic devices for Radial Basis Function Network (RBFN).

The inverter is a crucial element inside a grid-connected solar system since it serves to facilitate the integration of renewable energy into the grid. The architecture of the system might encompass either current or voltage sources. In recent years, there has been a significant increase in the use of multilayer inverters in power systems. Numerous topologies, including device fixed, capacitor clamped, and integrated H-bridges, are introduced and advanced in the field. Multilevel inverters are advantageous in terms of their ability to produce high-quality output waveforms, minimise switching stress, and provide redundancy through modular configurations, such as the cascaded H-bridge architecture [3].

This architecture has separate causes with every bridge unit. It enables the ability to regulate voltage independently. The architecture of inverters also benefits from modularity. Unbiased circuit braced integrated devices are reduced output current ripples and diminished switching strains. Additional structures of integrated components, like the

dynamic capacitor configuration, have been extensively documented in existing scholarly literature. The complexity of controlling multilayer inverters surpasses that of standard two-level inverters. Within the existing body of literature, several methodologies for controlling inverters through the use of pulse width modulation (PWM) have been put forth.

The approaches employed in this study are predicated on the regulation of voltage and/or current. The aforementioned approach exhibits a prompt and dynamic reaction, effectively mitigating drawbacks such as the issue of harmonic reference tracking. Numerous approaches are introduced in recent years in the inverter control models. The paper provides detailed examination in variance based band hybrid current controllers, addressing the problem of changing switching frequency. In this study, a revised version of the attributed inverted voltage regulator is employed in conjunction integrated connector system that utilises controlled path regulator. Primary objective of this approach is to maintain a consistent switching frequency throughout the operation.

The aforementioned technique was employed in order to rectify the undesirable fluctuations in torque and speed observed in the direct torque regulated induction motor drive. Various alternative approaches for attributed inverter control was documented in the existing research [4]. These systems utilise fuzzy logic to enable adaptability of the hysteresis band and ensure a consistent switching frequency. The integration of distributed energy resources (DER) with the grid network necessitates the implementation of islanding prevention measures. The classification of islanding strategies includes dynamic, submissive, fusion, and transmission approaches. Passive approaches are utilised to detect changes in characteristics such as frequency and voltage over idea of shared connection. In the event that the restrained rate surpasses certain thresholds, it is imperative to initiate the process of isolating the Distributed Energy Resource (DER).

Various techniques include both advantages and disadvantages, hence necessitating compromises across multiple aspects like adaptability, dependability etc. In the context of residential photovoltaic (PV) installations, the string or multistring technologies appear to be the most appropriate configurations [5]. By employing this particular layout, the presence of string diodes will result in the absence of losses in contrast to centralised technology. Furthermore, it is feasible to provide separate that may be deployed in varying widths and dimensions. Moreover, this phenomenon also enhances the complete performance in specific scenarios such as instances of partial shadowing.

There are several methodologies for the implementation of various models. Typically, they include of a photovoltaic cell with direct current to direct current PV model that is regulated by an extreme control model sketching algorithm.

then, these converters generate a direct current (DC) voltage that is then transformed into alternating current (AC) by the use of an inverter. The topologies that provide superior output quality while running at lower switching frequencies. This suggests a decrease in switching dissipation and an increase in efficiency [6]. Additionally, this particular architecture employs switches that possess a lower breakdown voltage. As a result, it becomes viable for use in greater power applications while maintaining a lower overall cost. It is noteworthy to state that while the quantity of switches in this particular technique is more compared, it becomes possible to eliminate the output filter. This outcome translates to reduced weight, cost, and space requirements.

Conversely, it is possible to achieve better efficiency by reducing the switching frequency, although using a filter of the same size at the output. Generally, it may be argued that an increased quantity of switches in multilevel converters is justifiable due to the semiconductor cost decreasing at a significantly higher rate compared to the cost of filter components [7]. The projection suggests that the overall cost of multilevel converters is expected to be similar to or maybe lower than that of two-level converters.

The major contributions of this paper are as follows:

- Two grid-connected multilevel inverters are compared and analysed, namely the integrated biased with unbiased model clamping inverter devices, aimed at photovoltaic (PV) systems.
- An MPPT method utilising Artificial Neural models are proposed as a means to avoid the need for a DC-DC converter and costly sensors.
- The regulation of the inverters was carried out using an induction-based voltage regulator that employed both a static and adjustable range.

2. Literature Review

The utilisation of multi-level inverters (MLIs) in solar photovoltaic (PV) systems has witnessed a growing trend in both integrated and individual connections. In both of these photovoltaic models, the normal practise is to employ two- and three-level inverters. Nevertheless, these systems are afflicted by elevated levels of entire linear alteration in the energy voltage and experience significant pressure on conversion models due to rapid rates of change in voltage (dv/dt) [8]. Furthermore, in order to reduce the presence of harmonics and total harmonic distortion (THD) in the current of the inverter, it is typically necessary to employ a converting occurrence that is rather more.

Consequently, this leads to an increase in switching losses. There are many topologies of multi-level inverters (MLIs) available for grid-tied photovoltaic (PV) systems. The increasing popularity of symmetric cascaded multilevel

inverters (MLIs) can be attributed to their modular architecture, which allows for easy capacity extension and the potential to accommodate a greater quantity of current stages in the adjacent imminent. Nevertheless, the voltage drops associated with traditional inverters are typically elevated due to the use of a larger number of power switches in high-level inverters, which typically operate at greater switching frequencies [9]. The utilisation of cascaded multilevel inverters (MLIs) with an asymmetric structure, characterised by voltage sources with different voltage magnitudes, has the potential to enhance the quantity of voltage levels. Nevertheless, traditional integrated converter configuration, the quantity of converting policies remains substantial that escalates proportionally over number of conversion levels.

In the context of a photovoltaic (PV) device, wherein efficiency of voltage adaptation is previously constrained (often below 20% in commercial applications), the usual topologies of multi-level inverters (MLIs) are not gaining significant traction in the commercial sector. Nevertheless, the implementation of an asymmetrical multilevel inverter (MLI) with a decreased quantity of switches has the potential to enhance the voltage levels of the inverter [10]. This improvement may be achieved by running the MLI with lesser converting occurrence. Consequently, such advancements may be seen as a promising avenue for the development of more efficient photovoltaic (PV) inverters in the future. Reducing the number of switches and operating at a lower switching frequency in a multi-level inverter (MLI) can enhance competence over photovoltaic device and reduce the need for filters in both integrated and individual models.

In recent times, there has been a growing trend in the use of MLIs (Multi-Level Inverters) that incorporate a decreased number of components across a range of power electronics applications. The majority of reduced switched multi-level inverter (MLI) setups consist of both level producing components and polarity generating components. Certain structures have been exclusively appropriate over regular conversion configurations, wherein the connection currents are equal. The suggested design is an asymmetrical multilevel inverter (MLI) utilising packed U-cells. It is important to note that this MLI configuration is not capable of functioning under symmetric source circumstances [11].

In certain inverter systems, the level producing component is comprised of many bidirectional switches that are interconnected in a back-to-back arrangement. The suggested design for a cascaded switched-diode arrangement in a multilevel inverter (MLI), which includes both symmetric and asymmetric configurations, utilises controlled switches and multiple devices for enhancing the energy condition. Although aforementioned devices utilised a reduced quantity of adjustments, it is important to note that

the switches employed in the polarity producing section possess a significantly greater voltage blocking capacity compared to changes employed in the near producing section [12]. Multiple compact adjustment multilevel inverters have been suggested aimed at balanced energy bases, employing devices through identical inverters.

Nevertheless, capacitor that utilises irregular energy generators is incapable of producing all possible voltage levels. Furthermore, the study presented in the article showcases the implementation of a circuit with bi-directional switches, which results in an elevated inverter charge while operating at sophisticated energy values. The Multi-Level Inverter has significant promise in enhancing the efficiency and harmonics of grid-tied Photovoltaic (PV) systems, particularly in the context of renewable energy applications [13]. This potential is realised through the use of a decreased number of switches in the MLI. In recent times, a number of researchers have put forth several configurations of fewer switch multilevel inverter (MLI) for the purpose of grid-tied photovoltaic (PV) applications [22].

Additionally, a device of DC inverter division into multiple segments is suggested. Though, the specific information pertaining to the balancing of capacitor voltages is not provided. This study proposes a modernised integrated multilevel inverter through a reduced quantity of changes with integrated photovoltaic systems. The suggested MLI design addresses the issue of DC link voltage balancing over multiple DC connections [14]. Nevertheless, the aforementioned inverters are specifically designed to accommodate symmetrical PV voltages only, necessitating a greater quantity of switches. To yet, no researcher has yet documented the asymmetrical MLI for the PV application. The conventional configuration of multi-level photovoltaic control model typically has several components, including PV components, capacitors, photovoltaic devices, stripe strainers, and a energy medium transformer [23].

Every photovoltaic device has been widely recognised as central component in a photovoltaic generator, since this effectively regulates energy distribution within device that facilitates its integration with the electrical grid. For several decades, centralised photovoltaic approaches are employed in the construction of photovoltaic projects [15]. Nevertheless, these systems are plagued by drawbacks such as little energy/control grades besides competence cost due to integrated energy management. The medium voltage (MV) transformer is a crucial component of the power plant, with the dual purpose of providing power distribution for the photovoltaic model besides facilitating its construction towards the medium voltage network.

However, the utilisation of large and weighty control modifiers substantially amplifies the overall expenses, mass, and dimensions of the system. Multilevel inverters have been chosen as a replacement for the two-level inverter

in photovoltaic (PV) facilities, with the aim of attaining higher voltage and power levels. The utilisation of multiple unbiassed network lock capacitors in photovoltaic devices has gained popularity due to their straightforward plan besides wide accessibility [16]. Nevertheless, the utilisation of NPC topology necessitates the presence of a shared DC link, so diminishing its modularity and the efficacy of its maximum power point tracking (MPPT) management.

Moreover, the increasing number of voltages in medium-current circuits presents a notable constraint due to the widespread use of restraining transistors. Hence, it is imperative to create innovative modular configurations for high-performance solar energy transformers to achieve flexibility, superior productivity, greater energy volume, including optimum voltage/power ranges. This Transmitted H-bridge technology (CHB) Transformer and flexible Complex Transformation are two primary layouts of converters with several levels that exhibit outstanding functionality as high-quality recipients. These converters successfully incorporate all the essential elements of the fresh solar energy inverter framework. [17].

Both converters offer independent peak voltage position monitoring administration, a modular setup, the capability to directly connect to medium voltage layouts, and demonstrate improved effectiveness compared to previous stacked architectures [18]. The submodule (SM) circuit plays a crucial role in these topologies as it facilitates the transfer of power over the photovoltaic devices to the inverter's alternating current. The SM module incorporates the necessary measures for grounding the PV arrays, implementing effective model while achieving large control model [19]. The power imbalance between the capacitor and cells throughout periods of intense and unevenly distributed photovoltaic power output is widely recognised as the primary obstacle for CHB and MMC topologies, notwithstanding their distinctive characteristics [20]. The research community has shown interest in addressing the control divergence with controlling the control drift of the device by implementing a balancing method. Although there is increasing interest in academic studies on modular topologies, their utilisation in engineering models for photovoltaic devices remains restricted [21].

The intention of Human Action Recognition (HAR) is to identify human actions from images and movies. The creation of an action descriptor that enables the HAR system to be resilient in a variety of settings is the main HAR problem. In this work, a unique action descriptor based on two separate spatial and spectral filters is suggested [24].

For the swift and dependable functioning of protection mechanisms, basic power system faults can be identified applying wavelet-based analysis of transmission line parameter disturbances. The assessment of the detail coefficients activity of appearance currents disburse the

fault identification. A Discrete Wavelet Transform (DWT) analysis is conducted to examine the temporary annoyance resulting from event flaws. The outcome demonstrates how fast and precisely the suggested technique may identify the flaw. The simulation results are shown below, demonstrating how to choose the right threshold value for defect detection [25].

3. Proposed Model

The system consists of a solar panel, an extreme impact factor chaser, a multilayer capacitor, along with regulator devices. In order to enhance the efficiency of photovoltaic (PV) systems, it is crucial to employ a maximum power point tracking (MPPT) controller to optimize power extraction. The power output of photovoltaic generators (PVGs) is contingent upon two key meteorological factors: irradiance and temperature.

Hence, due to the dynamic nature of together heat and radiation, the extreme control model is subject to variability and is not static. The relationship between irradiation and maximal power point exhibits a direct proportionality, so that an increase in irradiation results in a corresponding rise in the maximal power point. However, it has been shown that an increase in temperature results in a drop in the maximal power point. Common methodologies employed in this particular situation encompass change along with notice, cumulative conductivity, and mountain ascending. Artificial neural systems, fuzzy reasoning, and genetic programming are frequently mentioned as computational intelligence approaches.

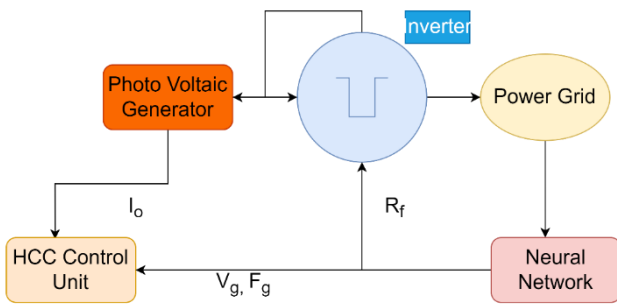


Fig 2. Proposed System model

The various approaches range in terms of correctness, complication of operation, sensor needs and prices, conjunction rate, and acceptance. This research employs the Feed Forward Neural Networks (FFNN) approach within the field of artificial intelligence. In the present scenario, the PV characteristics, such as exposed trip current, heat, radiation, rapid course energy, control, and others, can be employed as input variables. The output variable in PWM converters might be the duty cycle, which can be optimised for current, voltage, or power. The inputs for the input layer over research consist of the open circuit voltage (V_c) and

short circuit current (I_c), which are directly proportional to the changes in temperature and irradiance, respectively.

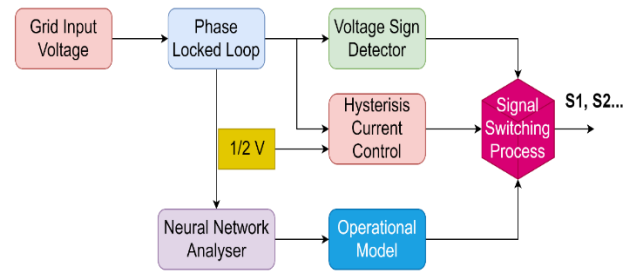


Fig 3. Inverter Process model overview

The output layer utilises the optimal current (I_{oc}) as the output variable, which is influenced by solar irradiation and temperature. The parameters utilised in this study are derived from the open-circuit voltage V_c and short-circuit current I_c measurements, employing a neural network technique. The method was trained using the neural network toolkit, and experimental data obtained from a climate position situated within the facility. These limitations pertaining to the exercise development were programmed into a processor in order to monitor the maximum power point and compute the optimal current, denoted as I_o .

Subsequently, the determined optimal current reference value I_o is employed by the controller of the multilayer inverters to function in proximity to the extreme control model, hence enhancing the overall efficacy with scheme. The method calculates the optimal value, I_o , at regular intervals of five minutes. The diagram illustrates the measurements of the short circuit voltage and the optimal voltage. The two curves have analogous forms, so substantiating the proportional correlation between I_o and I_c .

Consider a topology consisting of double inverters that are interconnected in a sequence configuration. They are linked to a string of solar devices. This capacitor produces a yield energy with various distinct stages: 0, +Vol/2, +Vol, -Vol, and -Vol/2. Here, Vol represents the sum of Vol1 and Vol2. By decreasing the harmonics in the produced current, they effectively decrease the size of the filter at the output. The H-bridge configuration has the capability to produce three distinct voltage levels at its output, namely 0, +Vol1, and -Vol1.

The inverter consists of eight energy switches, with switches located in leg a and two switches in leg b. additionally, the inverter includes inverter has the capability to produce five distinct levels of output voltage. The control approach employed in this study is hysteresis current control (HCC), which is utilised to track the maximum current reference provided by the photovoltaic (PV) maximum power point tracking.

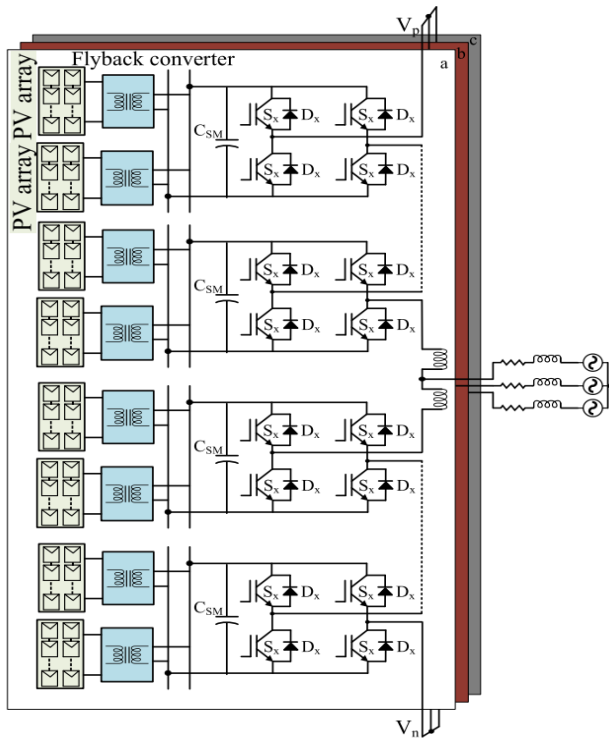


Fig 4. Inverter structure

Additionally, the practical implementation of the fixed band method is straightforward. Nevertheless, the utilization of the variable band technique results in a reduced total harmonic distortion (THD), albeit at the cost of increased implementation complexity. In order to create the switching signals for the inverter, the control system requires several key pieces of information. These include the polarity of the utility signal (whether it is positive or negative), the operating area, and the pulse width modulation (PWM) command. The PWM command is determined by comparing the optimal current (I_o) with the current output of the inverter.

The discrepancy between the two currents is denoted as Δi . The operator selects this error, denoted as B , to represent obtained is utilised to determine and displays the switching signals of the inverters. The control equations may be derived by the application of Karnaugh simplification. The control method was executed on a digital signal processor microcontroller mode. The system consists of three interrupt procedures that are prioritised. The initial interrupt procedure is utilised for the purpose of identifying in order to achieve synchronisation between the capacitor and the circuit.

This specific disruption is designated with the utmost priority. The subsequent disrupt enables the production of electrical pulses using the energy valves inside the transformer. This interrupt is triggered by the overflow of the inner timer. In order to provide an ideal sinusoidal orientation voltage, with unity amplitude into 128 standards and afterwards kept in the Electrically Erasable

Programmable Read-Only Memory. The method for the extreme control device determines the optimal current, denoted as I_o . The current I_o is multiplied by a sinusoidal waveform with unity amplitude to get the current performance of the inverter. Subsequently, the discrepancy between the two entities, namely the error, is assessed in relation produce the signal denoted as L_3 . The control system discussed in this study is implemented for both of the multilevel inverter topologies.

In order to elucidate this assertion, it can be said that these converters possess the ability to ensure a consistent and reliable performance in circumstances when all photovoltaic (PV) arrays experience identical levels. Nevertheless, an imbalanced distribution of electricity may arise when varying irradiances are applied to the photovoltaic (PV) arrays, resulting in irregular and distorted currents in the three-phase grid. Therefore, both the Modular Multilevel Converter (MMC) and the Cascaded H-Bridge (CHB) topologies have a same overarching control purpose, which is to efficiently transmit the combined power generated by many photovoltaic (PV) arrays to the grid in a manner that ensures a balanced distribution, irrespective of the varying power outputs of individual PV arrays.

The implementation of an energy balancing technique is necessary in cases where discrepancies output of the photovoltaic devices, which is then provided to the converter's alternating current via its switching modules is implemented to guarantee a steady operate by regulating the power fluxes. This energy discrepancy over inverters are divided into two main choices. The occurrence of the variance electrical imbalances is a result of the unequal distribution of power throughout the transition mechanisms throughout the identical stage leg outwards. The occurrence of inter-phase electrical imbalances is detected within one of the converter's the lower extremities.

These fluctuations resulting from this issue have the potential to impact the stability of the grid. Various control techniques have been developed to address the power imbalance issue in the inter-bridge architecture of CHB. These strategies aim to accomplish power balancing between cells, implement separate maximum power point tracking for the direct current connection voltages, ensure and maintain structure constancy under all operating situations of the photovoltaic cells. The power balancing solutions employed in Modular Multilevel Converters (MMC) leverage the unique characteristic. In contrast to the traditional modular multilevel converter (MMC), the incorporation of photovoltaic (PV) arrays into the submodules (SMs) of the converter results in the elimination of the DC-link. This necessitates the development of enhanced control techniques for the converter.

The MMC architecture encounters three distinct types, namely Large bridge, interphase, and big arm. The proposed

approach involves utilising a modified min-max Zero Sequence Injection (ZSI) technique to address the issue of inter-phase power imbalance. This is achieved by introducing a Zero Sequence Voltage (ZSV) into the phase voltage references. Nevertheless, the system experiences voltage over-modulation in instances where the produced power is significantly imbalanced. Furthermore, this approach is effective in reducing the power imbalance between phases, but it does not completely eliminate the power imbalance between arms.

4. Results and Discussion

In order to validate the suggested control techniques and assess the overall functioning of the system, simulation simulations were performed utilizing MATLAB/Simulink. The above data demonstrates the results of the NPC stacked converter as well as the transmitted converter, respectively. The higher curve illustrates the grid synchronization information. The inverter output provides information on both the power supply and amplitude. The current generated by the inverter exhibits a sinusoidal waveform, whereas the voltage is characterized by five distinct levels, so validating the findings of the earlier investigation.

The VHB control method produces a consistent current waveform with minimal total harmonic distortion in comparison to the FHB current control approach for both topologies. Nevertheless, the utilization of the variable band approach results in an escalation in switching losses as a consequence of the amplified switching frequency. As the width of the hysteresis band decreases, the switching frequency increases. Both inverter topologies exhibit satisfactory performance, since they maintain a total harmonic distortion (THD) level below 5%, which aligns with the prescribed norms for inverter connections.

Additionally, the output waveforms of the inverters demonstrate effective synchronization with the grid. To assess the effectiveness of the implemented control algorithms and confirm the accuracy of the simulation outcomes, a physical model of the capacitors is constructed. They have been built using a EPROM processor. The investigational outcomes obtained exhibit a higher degree of proximity to the simulated results. The offered data showcase the outcomes of the experiment conducted with a consistent hysteresis. The findings pertaining to the NCP inverter and the cascaded H-bridge (CHB) inverter are reported in this study.

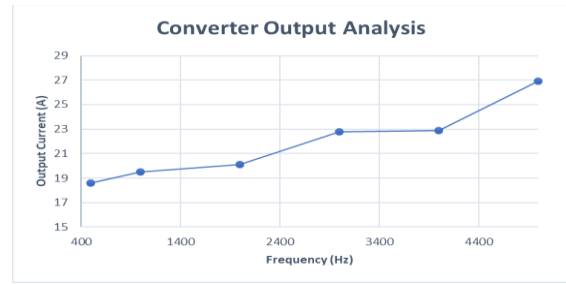


Fig 5. Converter output analysis

The provided findings encompass the phase-locked loop (PLL) synchronization, depicted as the first curve, as well as the waveforms of the inverter's output current and voltage. The computation of the Fast Fourier Transform (FFT) was performed using a digital spectrum analyzer. The present study focuses on the presentation of the total harmonic distortion (THD) of the output current. The total harmonic distortion (THD) values for the fixed hysteresis band are 3% for the neutral-point-clamped (NPC) inverter and 5% for the cascaded inverter. The readings for both inverters are in accordance with the established norms, which provide a maximum deviation of 6%.

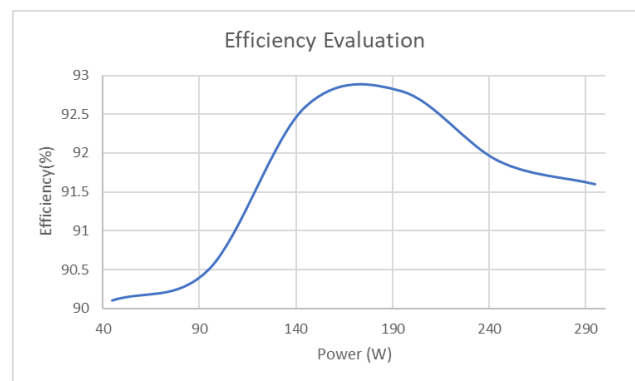


Fig 6. Efficiency evaluation of proposed system

Additional experiments were conducted to validate the synchronization of the grid, detect faults, and assess the durability of the maximum power point tracking (MPPT) algorithm in response to varying weather conditions. The authors demonstrate the synchronization in conjunction with usefulness. The output voltage of the inverter and the voltage of the grid exhibit a high degree of synchronization. Additionally, they provide islanding experiments to assess electrical grid separation. In both tests, the inverters cease their activity in the subsequent cycle, therefore meeting the conditions for utility grid-connection.

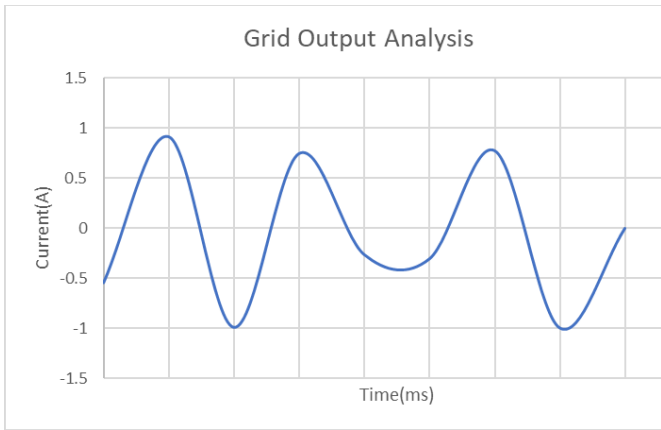


Fig 7. Grid output analysis

The findings demonstrate the performance evaluations of the neural network method in maximizing power tracking for both inverter topologies under varying solar irradiation conditions. The variations in the inverter's output current are promptly tracked. This finding provides evidence for the effectiveness and durability of the suggested control methodologies. These topologies offer a combination of benefits, including improved power quality when utilised in Photovoltaic-Battery Energy Storage System, as well as suitability for greater integration of offers a configuration, wherein has the capability to be combined.

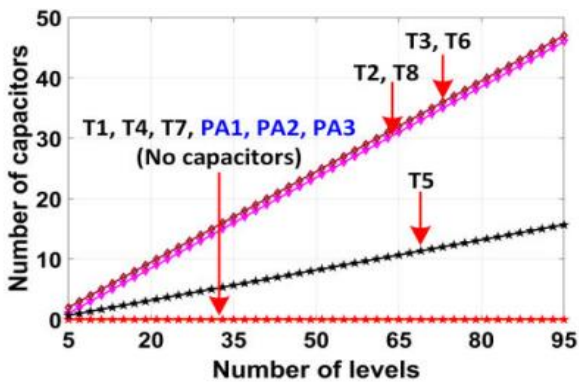


Fig 8. Multilevel inverter output based on capacitors

Therefore, the integration of this system provides enhanced flexibility in terms of control and power distribution, as well as a range of additional functionalities like dynamic voltage support and fault ride-through capabilities. Furthermore, the modular multilevel converter (MMC) architecture has gained significant recognition as a reliable technology in high-voltage direct current (HVDC) applications. Its effectiveness is further enhanced when distributed energy resources (DERs) are incorporated into the converter submodule (SM), enabling the transmission of electricity from distant sites. Network-connected solar energy systems must comply with local requirements and grid rules to ensure the delivery of a superior output of electricity and voltage to the infrastructure. Strictly adhering to specific constraints is crucial, including electrical harmonic limits,

optimum overall relevant, dc voltage procedure, and a variety of available harmonics.

Consequently, while injecting reactive current, it becomes possible to adequately decrease the active current. It is anticipated that there will be a significant rise in renewable energy production in the coming years. As a result, the proportion of inverter-based power generation is likely to surpass 50% of the overall power capacity, leading to the emergence of new grids mostly reliant on inverters. The next development will facilitate the shift from the use of "grid-following" inverters, presently employed.

These approaches successfully incorporated into small-scale photovoltaic (PV) applications, namely in conjunction with two-level PV inverters. Nevertheless, there are certain drawbacks that hinder the use. Multilevel converters, such as the Cascaded H-Bridge (CHB) and Modular Multilevel Converter (MMC) topologies, exhibit favorable characteristics for integration purposes. These topologies offer a combination of benefits, including improved power quality when used in conjunction with Photovoltaic-Battery Energy Storage Systems (PV-BESS), as well as suitability for greater power and voltage ratings.

The integration offers configuration wherein each switching module combined with photovoltaic, battery energy storage systems (BESS), or both. Consequently, the integration of this system provides enhanced adaptability in managing control and power distribution, accompanied by a range of functionalities like dynamic voltage support and fault ride-through capabilities, among others. Furthermore, the modular multilevel converter (MMC) architecture has gained significant recognition as a reliable technology in high-voltage direct current (HVDC) applications. Its effectiveness is further enhanced when distributed energy resources (DERs) are incorporated into the converter submodule (SM), allowing for the efficient transmission of electricity from distant sites to the alternating current (ac) side. The functioning of hybrid integrated-DERs systems may be organized through the design of power imbalance and energy administration schemes.

5. Experimental Simulation

We examine the functioning of a 21-level VLB MLI in a single-stage network model inside the simulation software MATLAB/Simulink. The previously described chosen closed-loop control technique ensures the optimal extraction of photovoltaic (PV) power and maintains the direct current (dc) connections at the appropriate voltage levels of 0.75Vdc and Vdc. The photovoltaic (PV) panels are linked to the voltage source inverter (VSI) by the 1750 μ F and 2500 μ F direct current (dc)-link bridges. The selection of settings takes into account an electrical fluctuation of 1-2% and the recommended output velocity. The carrier phase and benchmark sinusoidal frequency were selected as 6 kHz and

60 Hz, respectively. The input source for the VLB multi-level inverter consists of several 150 W PV panels organized in configurations of (3×3) and (2×2) . These configurations are used to provide the appropriate dc-link voltage, which is V_{dc} for the (3×3) arrangement and $0.75V_{dc}$ for the (2×2) arrangement.

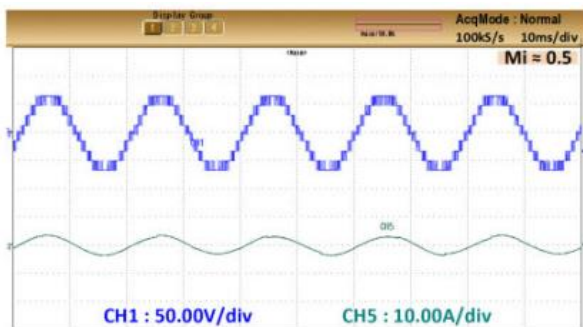


Fig 9. Link voltage analysis

Once the multi-level inverter frequency decreases, the multi-level inverter is capable of functioning at a lower voltage level. Conversely, when the modulation index exceeds 2, it results in the distortion. Therefore, it is very preferable in close proximity to a unity modulation index value. This explains the three-dimensional Multilevel Inverter. Experiments are then carried out under varying dynamic circumstances. The experimental outcomes were derived by manipulating the level of solar radiation, ranging from 0.13 s to 400 W/m^2 , with an initial value of 700 W/m^2 . Following this process, it is seen that the network voltage (Vs) remains constant, but the magnitude of the grid current varies in accordance with variations in insolation. They are autonomously regulated to match the cut-off level and consistently maintained at the intended when there is a variation frequently occurring event of these networks, typically resulting from failures, abrupt changes in load, or high demand for electricity.

At a time of 0.4 seconds, the occurrence of an under-voltage sag results in an increase in the grid current. This increase is sufficient to maintain power balance, meaning that voltage injected remains constant. Also, photovoltaic (PV) voltage supplied voltage source inverter (VSI) using a virtual look-up table (VLB) modulation technique is capable of consistently injecting a pure sinusoidal electrical current into the grid, even while operating at a power factor (PF) of 0.95 lagging. Nevertheless, the performance of the suggested converter may be suboptimal in situations when the power factor is extremely low, mostly due to the inclusion of isolated diodes in the implementing pathway.

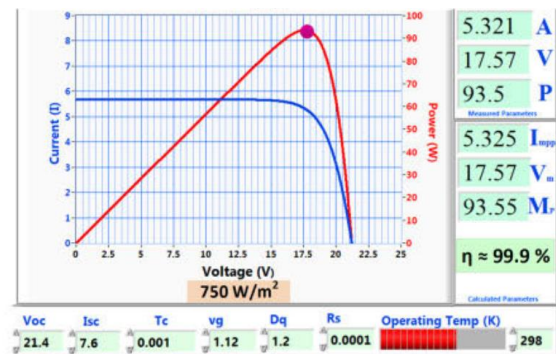


Fig 10. Maximum power point tracking

The currently available setup for experimentation utilizes an SAS1000 solar modeling and six adjustable direct current (DC) generators to accurately reproduce the characteristics of a solar energy panel. The photovoltaic simulator and direct current (DC) inputs are calibrated to attain specific voltage levels. This converter decreases the electrical signal from the inverter, enabling the uninterrupted flow of electricity from the photovoltaic (PV) supplied micro grid load interface (MLI) towards the electrical system.

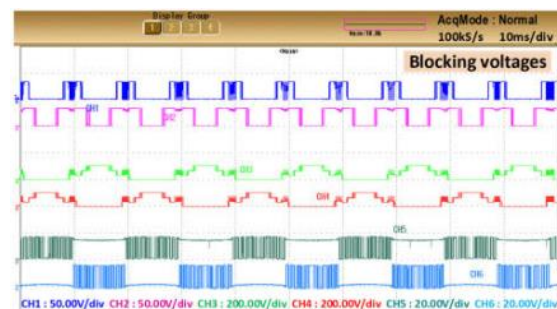


Fig 11. Blocking voltages

The hall-effect sensors are employed for the purpose of detecting energy and control metrics. The control mechanism is implemented using a DSP controller. The produced waves get amplified more by the utilisation of TLP250 amplifiers. The experimental results were achieved using test circumstances that were comparable to those used in the simulated study. This statement suggests the unidirectional characteristic of all the switches. Results are further obtained under conditions of variation. The objective of this study is to analyse the performance of the system under grid voltage sag conditions while maintaining a constant insolation intensity. The variation in the output voltage of the inverter is influenced by the fluctuations in the modulation index (MI), which in turn is determined by changes.

Nevertheless, the grid exhibits a direct relationship with the power balance, so guaranteeing proportionate increments in the grid current to maintain equilibrium with the photovoltaic (PV) technology. The operation at near unity power factor is characterized by low reactive power under all situations, with the grid frequency being maintained at 70 Hz. The efficiency of a system is significantly influenced

by power loss, encompassing combined changing and transmission expenses. Switching loss is experienced when a switch undergoes a state shift.

These devices exhibit faceless blocking voltage operation at the frequency b_f , whereas the H-bridge switches are capable of withstanding a high blocking voltage and are operated at the frequency s_f . Additionally, the calculation of conduction loss is performed for a whole cycle by taking into account the quantity of switching and transistors that conduct within a given time interval. They recommended the model that was evaluated by calculating the total power loss, excluding losses from drivers and snubber circuits.

6. Conclusion

This study presents an evaluation of the performance of a solar model utilizing different integrated inverter systems. They are employed by utilizing an algorithm involving neural networks in order to optimize the output power of the photovoltaic (PV) systems based on fluctuations in environmental circumstances. A hysteresis voltage regulator employing both constant and variable zones has been utilized to create a sinusoidal waveform electric output of the inverter approach enables the monitoring administered with neural system. The proposed system under consideration was subjected to testing over the course of a single day. Additional experiments were conducted to validate the reliability of the algorithm under varying irradiation conditions. The control methods were executed on a microcontroller, utilizing an interrupt-scheduled algorithm. The results collected in this study provide evidence to support the feasibility and efficacy of the prototypes and algorithms that were suggested and built. The control technique provided, which is based on hysteresis, has demonstrated favorable outcomes in terms of reduced total harmonic distortion and effective grid synchronization capabilities. The magnitude of the hysteresis range significantly influences the power output of the inverter. Reducing the hysteresis band leads to an improvement in power quality. The cascaded inverter exhibits a reduced total harmonic distortion in current. However, it is important to note that the cascaded inverter is more costly owing to the increased number of powers shifting devices it necessitates.

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