

Announcement

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LECTURE

A Sparse Sampling Approach to Dynamic Sub-Cycle Decomposition of Apparent Power in General Polyphase Networks

<u>Abstract</u>: Modern electric energy systems are undergoing profound changes, driven by technology and policy developments. Power flows often serve as the organizing principle for resilient control in emerging entities, motivating the need for a deeper theoretical understanding of realistic operation, characterized by unbalance, harmonics and transients.

We start with a brief historical review, followed by an algebraic derivation of a phasor-(or cycle-) based power decomposition in the general case. Next, we provide a complementary, dual view derived from the viewpoint of geometric algebra. We are then in position to shed a new light on some well-known deficiencies of the so called instantaneous reactive power. Finally, we propose a new concept of sub-cycle power decomposition which combines the low computational requirement of instantaneous quantities with high performance of cycle-derived decompositions. We conclude by stressing the technology dependence of compensation ideas, allowing us to better appreciate the historical nature of the subject.

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