ENERGY MONITORING AND CONTROL USING NEW LINEARIZED POWER FLOW TECHNIQUE

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Abstract

The paper presents a proposed technique with linearized formula for computing the transmission line power flow in terms of injected power due to any change in power system losding conditions. The formula relates the line power flows to both loads and power generation directly for a transmission network configuration. Being in an integral form, new power flows on the lines can be obtained directly without running a complete load flow programs when the total system generation changes. This formula is a fairly general one as it is suitable for various energy monitoring and control applications such as generation shifts to alleviate the line overloads, the generation redispatch for an incremental change in loading conditions and the on-line load shedding programs as well as the fast contingency analysis.

INTRODUCTION

Among the major requirements placed upon security monitoring and control of bulk power systems are those of maintaining highly secure operation of interconnected system to prevent separation and failure of the system. Of the main functions of security monitoring and control is to maintain the active power flow in each line of the transmission network to be within a specified limits under the continuous changes in loading conditions and the possible outage of any loaded transmission lines. For such studies, the utility industry prefers faster approximate techniques to locate the potential trouble spots. However, among the various approximate techniques, the relative accuracy is still of major importance to reflect analytically the magnitude of potentially dangerous overloads as really occurs as possible.

The use of sensitivity methods in system security and contingency analysis remained very popular (1-4]. The linearized distribution factors was presented by MacArthur [5] and the mathematical setting was followed by Limmer [6]. The Generation Shift Distribution Factors (SSDF) [2] are the most sensitivity methods also to shift asseration from one generator to any other generator, via the reference generator, to alleviate the network overloads. However, this method is limited to the case when the total system generation or load remains unchanged.

Mamandur and Perg [1] presented a sensetivity coefficient matrix obtained from the inverse of the Newton Rapason sacchian matrix. This mathod is based on the assumption that the dacobian

matrix remains constant during the next operating conditions. Beside this limitation, the method is not suitable for formulating the power flow constraints in security constrained dispatch problems using mathematical programming.

Sauer [2] presented a Current Distribution Factors based on the Z-bus formulation with constant swing bus voltage. This method is limited to the application of generation shift process via the swing generator and does not guarantee with the economic dispatch problem which may require the swing generator to contribute to the load as well as the transmission losses for economic reasons.

Recently Wai I Ng [3] presented the so called Generalized Generation Distribution Factors (GGDF) to replace the Generation Shift Distribution Factors (GSDF). This method is well applicable for cases when the total system generation changes providing that the loads are changed in the same rate at the different loading points. Although stated in his conclusion that his method is suitable to produce optimum generation schedules under security and contingency constraints, it is found through various tests that his conclusion is not completely correct because under security and contingency constraints the power variations in the different loading points are not necessarily varying in the same rate in large systems and sometimes mose of loads has to be shed under contingency situations.

This power presents a proposed technique with linearized formula for computing the transmission line power flow in terms of injected power due to any change in power system loading conditions. The formula relates the line power flows to both loads and power generation directly for a transmission network configuration. Being in an integral form, new power flows on the lines can be obtained directly without running a complete load flow programs when the total system generation changes.

MATHEMATICAL FORMULATION

Consider the Z-bus referred to certain bus as a reference bus. This Z-matrix representation can be obtained using the Z-matrix building algorithm [7]. All the shunt impedances in the transmission network are removed and their effect is represented by appropriate injected currents. The general load flow equation can be written as;

$$[V] = [Z_{bus}][I] \qquad \dots (f)$$

where;

$$\begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{v}^t \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{v}_1 - \mathbf{v}_R & \mathbf{v}_2 - \mathbf{v}_R & \cdots & \mathbf{v}_{R-1} - \mathbf{v}_R & \mathbf{v}_{R+1} - \mathbf{v}_R & \cdots & \mathbf{v}_N - \mathbf{v}_R \end{bmatrix} ,$$

$$\mathbf{v}_R = \text{reference voltage},$$

N = number of buses.

$$\left[\mathbf{I}^{t}\right] = \left[\begin{pmatrix} \mathbf{S}_{1}^{*} - \mathbf{y}_{1} \mathbf{V}_{1} \end{pmatrix} \quad \begin{pmatrix} \mathbf{S}_{2}^{*} - \mathbf{y}_{2} \mathbf{V}_{2} \end{pmatrix} \dots \begin{pmatrix} \mathbf{S}_{N}^{*} - \mathbf{y}_{N} \mathbf{V}_{N} \end{pmatrix} \right]$$

where S is the conjugate of the complex power, and V is the conjugate of the bus voltage. y_i = the shunt admittance at bus i.

For a base case operating condition, the current flowing in a transmission line connecting bus i to bus j can be written as:

$$I_{ij} = (V_i - V_j) / ZL_{ij}$$
 ...(2)

where ZL, is the primitive impedance of line ij as shown in Fig. 1.

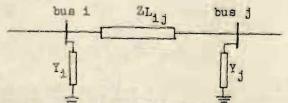


Fig.1 Line connecting two buses with shunt admittance.

Substituting eqn.(1) in eqn.(2);

$$I_{jk} = \sum_{k=1}^{N} \left[(Z_{jk} - Z_{jk}) / ZL_{jj} \right] I_{k} \qquad (3)$$

where Z_{ik}, Z_{jk} are the ikth and jkth entry of the bus impedance matrix referred to the reference bus. I_k is the injected current at bus k including the current flowing in the shunt admittance at this bus. This currect can be given by;

$$I_{k} = I_{gk} - I_{Lk} - Y_{k} V_{k} \qquad \dots (4)$$

where; I_{gk} = generation current at bus k, I_{Lk} = load current at bus k.

For an incremental change in the generation current and/or load current and assuming that the change in voltage magnitudes at all buses are very small,

$$\Delta I_k = \Delta I_{gk} - \Delta I_{lk}$$
 ...(5)

Therefore, the corresponding incremental change in line current Iij can be given by;

$$\Delta I_{ij} = \sum_{k=1}^{N} \left[(Z_{ik} - Z_{jk}) / ZL_{ij} \right] \Delta I_{k} \qquad \dots (6)$$

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For the general application of various security monitoring and control such as generation shift to alleviate the line overloads, generation redispatch for an incremental loading conditions, the on-line load shedding programs and the estimate of network power flow due to circuit contingencies, the reference bus is selected to be a transposed bus to enable the contribution of the slack generator in the incremental change according to the optimization requirements. At the transposed bus, the incremental change in injected current is zero and this is suitable for the assumption that the incremental change in transmission losses is neglected in security monitoring programs.

Using the assumption that the voltage magnitudes are held constants during the incremental active power flow can be given by:

$$\triangle P_{i,j} = V_i \triangle I_{i,j}$$

$$= \sum_{k=1}^{N} \left[(Z_{i,k} - Z_{j,k}) / Z I_{i,j} \right] \triangle P_k \qquad ...(7)$$

To obtain a linearized formula relating the incremental change in active power flow due to circuit contingency (outage of line connecting buses p,q) and assuming that the injected powers at all the buses are kept constant, the recursive bus impedance matrix (8) is used to modify the bus impedance matrix as;

$$\begin{bmatrix} \triangle Z \end{bmatrix} = \frac{\begin{bmatrix} Z_p \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} Z_q \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} Z_p \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} Z_q \end{bmatrix} t}{Z_{pp} - Z_{qq} - ZZ_{pq} - ZL_{pq}}$$
 ...(8)

where; $\begin{bmatrix} Z_p \end{bmatrix}$, $\begin{bmatrix} Z_q \end{bmatrix}$ are the pth and qth coulumn vectors of the bus impedance matrix, Z_{pp} , Z_{qq} , Z_{pq} are the ppth, qqth and pqth entry of the bus impedance matrix, Z_{pq} is the self impedance of the removed line.

The incremental change in active power flow due to circuit contingency can be written as;

$$\Delta P_{ij} = \frac{\partial P_{ij}}{\partial z} \Delta z + \sum_{k=1}^{N} \frac{\partial P_{ij}}{\partial P_{k}} \Delta P_{k} \qquad (9)$$

but;

$$\Delta P_{k} = 0$$
 for k=1,2,...,N , then;

$$\triangle P_{ij} = (\partial P_{ij}/\partial Z) \triangle Z$$
 ***(10)

Using eqn.(2), we can write;

$$P_{ij} = \sum_{k=1}^{N} \left[(Z_{ik} - Z_{jk}) / ZL_{ij} \right] P_{k}$$
 ...(11)

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Taking the partial derivative w.r.t Z;

$$\Delta P_{ij} = \sum_{k=1}^{N} \left[(\Delta Z_{ik} - \Delta Z_{jk}) / Z L_{ij} \right] P_{k} \qquad ...(12)$$

where $\triangle Z_{ik}$, $\triangle Z_{jk}$ are the ikth, jkth entry of the matrix $\triangle Z$ given in eqn.(8).

APPLICATIONS

*Test System

The IEEE 30-bus test system with 6 generators and 41 transmission lines is used to test the accuracy of the proposed formula for linearized power flow applications. Simulations of different cases are made with comparison with a complete load flow, Generalized Generation Distribution Factors (GGDF), and Generation Shift Distribution Factors (GSDF).

Results

Tables 1,2 show the results of applying the proposed technique compared to the Newton-Raphson (N.R) load flow, GSDF, and GGDF, for the percentage change in active power flow in the network for generation shift of 5MW between generator No.13 and the slack generator No.1 and 8 MW between generators No.13 and No.8. Table 3 shows the results of applying the proposed techniques compared to the N.R. load flow, GSDF and GGDF for the percentage change in network active power flow due to an increase in load demands at buses 3, 10, 26, 23, and 29 by 1, 1, 0.5, and 1.5 MW respectively and these loads are supplied by increasing generation at bus No.13 by 5 MW. Table 4 shows the results of applying the proposed technique compared to the N.R. load flow, and GGDF for the percentage change in network active power flow due to increasing the load demand at buses 3, 10, 23, 26, and 29 by 1, 1, 1.5, 2, and 2.5 MW respectively and these loads are supplied through increasing the total generation by 8 MW and this increase is distributed among the generators according to the economical dispatch. Table 5 shows the percentage change in network active power flow, applying the proposed technique compared to the N.R. load flow, due to the outage of line No.31.

Comments

From tables 1 and 2, the proposed technique is shown to be accurate as the other existing methods. In case of changing the load demands, the proposed method is shown to be more accurate compared to the existing linearized techniques. The proposed method is applicable for the case of circuit contingency compared to N.R. load flow. As shown in table 5, there is good accuracy for the heavily loaded lines.

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TABLE 1 - Percentage change in active power flow in case of generation shift between generator No.13 and the slack generator No.1.

Line	Percentage change in active power flow in transmission lines			
No.	Load flow	GGD F	GSDF	Proposed formula
1234567890123456789012322222223333333333333333333333333333	-3.010249 -3.349120 -3.740916 -3.453715 -0.804388 -2.835879 0.835253 3.438102 1.332906 -0.764936 -4.059079 -3.188157 -0.055577 -2.314991 -8.381167 29.516581 2.218018 3.615241 10.90578 6.15241 1	-3.660486 -3.866204 -4.10810 -4.103178 -1.029330 -3.563971 0.200368 4.432457 1.595023 -0.251036 -5.4316657 -0.014927 -2.964474 -9.072093 29.656345 2.220419 3.430329 10.985232 7.899031 18.885898 91.985232 7.899031 18.9656345 -2.303551 -1.242588 -1.505828 -4.735520 3.960681 -2.653307 5.562167 0.047024 0.050820 0.052736 0.031038 0.020936 -0.05867 -0.107391 -1.539722	-3.600486 -3.866204 -4.410810 -4.103178 -1.029330 -3.563971 0.200368 4.432457 1.595023 -0.251036 -5.472932 -4.316657 -0.014927 -2.964474 -9.072093 29.656345 2.220419 3.430329 10.985232 7.899031 18.885898 9.99031 18.885898 9.99031 19.595559 -8.211062 -6.051806 -22.303551 -1.242588 -1.505828 -4.735520 3.960681 -2.653307 5.562167 0.047024 0.050820 0.052736 0.031038 0.020936 -0.005867 -0.107391 -1.539722	-3.49962 -3.78455 -4.34968 -4.03830 -0.99766 -3.49848 0.11795 4.38574 1.59676 -0.00647 -5.428680 -0.00587 -2.95059 -9.03646 29.64673 2.23554 3.44674 11.00289 7.91961 18.90203 9.114357 -8.20403 -2.35522 -1.48839 -4.68977 3.98174 -2.63277 5.58322 0.02784 0.02961 0.02937 0.01810 0.01221 -0.00342 -0.00273 -0.03958

TABLE 2 - Percentage change in active power flow in case of generation shift between generator No.13 and the generator No.8

Line	Percentage change in active power flow in transmission lines			
No.	Load flow	GGDF	GSDF	Proposed formula
123456789012345678901234567890123456789041	0.983690 0.235217 -0.834256 0.239270 0.571906 2.106784 13.899170 -2.362786 -0.814565 -161.831820 -7.971566 -6.183111 -0.055984 -4.442547 -13.132040 47.278166 31.297943 14.813367 30.865564 -12.2387525 -36.328664 -12.2387525 -36.328650 -1.598719 -6.312567 -3.499765 8.501697 0.327209 0.178899 0.178899 0.178899 0.178899 0.1788972 0.075972 0.060601 -157.734670 -172.846620	0.275217 0.599751 -1.513722 0.634600 0.379515 1.311286 12.473375 -1.619213 -0.589782 -160.676100 -9.415823 -7.437010 -0.007198 -5.121072 -13.746240 47.434127 3.863903 5.927191 18.913550 13.544228 32.320756 15.679403 33.887868 -14.105116 -10.590350 -38.405316 -10.590350 -2.558407 -8.060764 6.858992 -4.514845 9.516679 0.056387 0.043741 0.045780 0.043741 0.045780 0.043256 0.028021 0.005302 -159.844440 -171.097240	0.275217 0.575217 0.575751 -1.513722 0.634600 0.6374555 1.311286 12.473357 -1.619213 -0.589782 -160.676100 -9.415823 -7.437010 -0.007198 -5.121072 -13.746240 47.4343903 -7.46240 47.4343903 5.927191 18.910550 13.544228 32.520756 15.679403 33.887868 -14.105116 -10.390350 -2.109982 -2.558407 -8.858992 -4.514845 9.616679 0.045870	0.302362 0.578115 -1.497568 0.616398 0.387771 1.328657 12.495482 -1.632519 -0.589398 -160.740880 -9.405618 -7.430135 -0.005100 -5.117883 -13.431902 3.838145 18.918822 13.5515574 15.684081 33.890363 -14.102993 -10.3864346 -2.553458 -8.647493 6.865325 -4.508490 9.623053 0.048567 0.037757 0.024159 0.016298 0.004571 -159.816680 -171.494770

TABLE 3 - Percentage change in active power flow in case of changing the load demand to be compensated by generator No.13.

line No.	Percentage change in active power flow in transmission lines			
	Load flow	GGDF	GSDF	Proposed formula
123,45678901123,4567890123,4567890123,356789041	1.154106 1.384523 0.930415 -0.747148 0.411750 1.353821 3.008230 -1.677512 -0.543225 4.507608 3.427619 -0.073293 2.373102 -3.026407 29.485342 5.696551 8.853453 15.145793 16.273988 25.399591 9.057767 18.693825 -7.241539 -5.095306 -29.159245 5.329118 6.343102 18.480815 16.276462 9.883047 16.052219 17.030191 18.713662 14.707418 -4.586031 18.713662 14.707418 -4.586031 11.446412 0.748211 -4.878562	0.302531 0.724455 1.930025 -0.876606 1.350665 0.840670 3.477218 -3.075177 -3.465023 -13.674250 6.048757 2.083977 -3.436168 1.949426 26.204485 3.934115 5.131807 12.624029 9.554717 20.462466 10.753736 21.259945 -9.861091 -4.274803 -2.0496791 0.236893 2.951719 5.661882 0.897810 7.250751 1.682445 -1.763782 1.682445 -1.763782 1.682445 -1.7694818 -1.717011 1.381131 -13.694861	3.600486 3.866240 4.410810 -4.153178 1.029330 3.563971 0.200368 -4.432457 -1.595023 -0.251036 5.472932 4.316557 -0.014927 2.964474 -9.072093 29.656345 2.220419 3.430329 10.985232 7.899031 18.885895 9.098111 19.695559 -8.211062 -6.051806 -22.303551 1.242588 4.735520 3.960681 2.653307 5.562167 0.047014 0.050820 -0.0527336 0.020936 -0.05867 0.107391 -1.539722	0.077965 0.14542052 -2.039335 0.019831 0.066689 1.682235 -0.074911 -0.031794 -0.018738 2.008822 1.586855 -0.001177 1.092962 -4.714012 29.658459 5.086885 7.669791 14.537389 17.193654 24.946314 9.528361 20.572238 -8.553650 -6.261760 -29.405188 3.364241 12.802336 14.320526 6.949709 14.143257 14.039264 18.279681 13.085179 -5.4139642 17.3047429 -11.353872 -0.007995 -0.114853

TABLE 4 - Percentage change in active power flow in case of changing load demand to be compensated from the different generators by the economical dispatch.

Line No.	Percentage change in active power flow in transmission lines			
	Load flow	GGDF	Proposed formula	
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 0 1 1 2 3 1 5 6 7 8 9 0 1 1 2 3 1 5 6 7 8 9 0 1 2 3 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3	19.043 19.043 16.013	11.87.93.77.84.2.2.2.2.1 0.87.93.77.84.2.2.2.2.2.2.2.2.2.2.2.2.2.2.2.2.2.2.	19.252 17.579 16.539 16.539 16.539 16.539 16.539 16.539 16.539 16.686 17.887 -20.6670 18.474 -20.6670 18.477 -20.135 -21.720 -29.135 -	

TABLE 5 - Change in active power flow due to outage of transmission line No.31.

Line No.	Active power flow before line outage (MW)	Percentage change in active power flow due to line outage		
		Load flow	Proposed formula	
123,4567890123,4567890123,45678901	102.547 109	0.06 -0.42 -0.28 -0.63 -0.63 -0.63 -0.63 -0.63 -0.63 -0.63 -0.63 -0.63 -0.36 -	0.10 -0.34 -0.88 -0.42 0.195 -1.89 -	

CONCLUSIONS

The paper presents a proposed technique with linearized , formula for computing the transmission line power flow in terms of injected power due to any change in power system loading conditions. The formula relates the line power flows to both loads and power generation directly for a transmission network . configuration.

The proposed technique is based on the bus impedance matrix and the reasonable assumption of having the system bus voltages constant at 1 p.u. The proposed technique is tested on standard power systems and a comparative study is made with other methods to show the good accuracy of computations during different applications. Each of the other methods is limited to a special case of application, but the proposed formula guarantees a good accuracy in application for the different cases.

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