

A Review On Fuzzy Logic Based Fault Detection In Induction Machines Using Cloud

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Abstract - This paper presents monitoring system for an induction motor based on Internet of Things (IOT) for safe and economic data communication in industrial fields. The main purpose of this paper are to monitor fault analysis on an induction motor using experiments as well as simulation along with failure identification techniques applied for condition monitoring of the motors and to design an on-line condition monitoring system with fuzzy logic controller using cloud. In this paper, work is divided in to

two phases. The phase one was modelling of single phase induction motor, in single phase reference frame using Matlab/Simulink and designing an intelligent system for condition monitoring of the motors[4]. The phase two was implementation of on-line condition monitoring system through cloud[1][6].

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I. INTRODUCTION

Induction motor is the single most common electromechanical energy conversion device available for various industrials applications because of the reason is the wide variety of characteristics like robustness, self starting, high efficiency, low cost reliability, speed control, flexibility etc[1]. An induction motor has two electric circuit which are placed on the two main parts of the machine: (i) the stationary part called the stator and (ii) the rotating part called the rotor[2]. power is transferred from the part to the other by electromagnetic induction. In this paper condition monitoring system for induction motor has been developed in both simulation model (Matlab/Simulink) as well as in real time (Cloud)[3].The possible detection methods to identify the motor faults are listed as follows.

1. Vibration measurement.
2. Noise measurement.
3. Temperature measurement.
4. Voltage measurement.
5. Current measurement.

The performance of the AC Induction motor depends on above mentioned electrical, mechanical and environmental parameters of the motor, so that the controlling methods for high performance AC motor are very sensitive to motor parameters. All electrical, mechanical, environmental parameters like current, voltage, speed, vibration, tempreature, noise, and external moisture of the induction motor are very important for a drive system. The performance of

an induction motor is directly affected by the above mentioned parameters. if any parameter of induction motor crosses its cut off levels then quality of product also changes , hence controlling the machines during the process of production becomes a dangerous operation in some specific industrial application. As an emerging technology in modern wireless telecommunication Internet of Things (IoT) has a lot of attention and to provide many applications. The concept of " Internet of Things" (IoT) is providing a best way for industrial automation. In IoT each device are constituting a system will be able to communicate with the other devices. which will help in industries to have better productivity, management, safe environment and increased throughout. Here in the proposed work the IoT is used for monitoring and controlling the AC induction motor to avoid the system failures.

II. DEVELOPED FUZZY LOGIC SCHEME

Fuzzy logic is a multivalued logic ,allows to intermediate values which is to be defined between conventional evaluations like as yes/ no, true/ false etc. Fuzzy controllers are the most important application of fuzzy theory. The result of induction motor condition made based on fuzzy inference which is capable of giving accuracy detection model. The structure of fuzzy inference system is shown in figure 1.

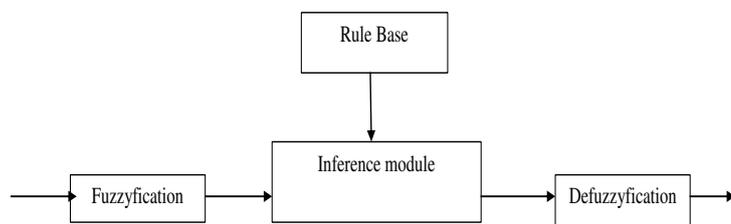


Fig 1. Structure of fuzzy Inference System

Fuzzyfication is defined as the conversion of crisp data in to fuzzy data. after The fuzzy data goes to the block of inference module. it is a rule base block .Rule or Logic can be apply for the condition monitoring of motor to obtain the logical output. after output of inference module goes to the defuzzification block. This Defuzzification block converts fuzzy output in to crisp output.

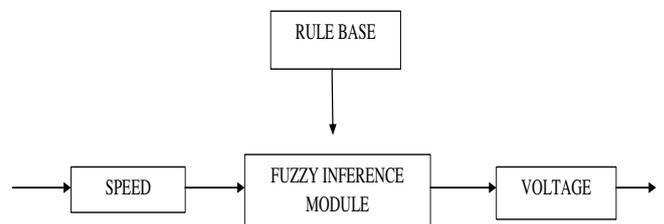


Fig 2. Complete structure of Fuzzy Controller

From the above figure1. shows complete structure of fuzzy controller. Fuzzy Inference System for motor fault detection has created using Fuzzy Tool Box of MATLAB. Fuzzy rules and membership functions are construct and observing the data set. speed is used as an input and voltage is used for output. So for the measurements related to the motor speed, more insight in to the data are needed, so membership functions will be generated for To Slow, Just Right, and Too Fast. For the measurement related to the voltage condition will be generated Less Voltage (Down), No Change, More Voltage (Up). Membership functions are created by observing the data set and the behaviour of stator currents which are likely to cause faults in the motor. In this study trapezoidal membership functions are used. The membership functions for

input (speed) and output (voltage) variables are shown in figure3 and figure 4.

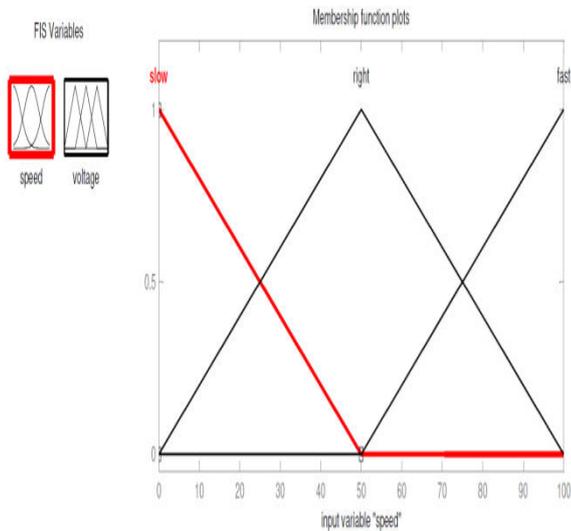


Fig3. Membership Functions of input motor Speed

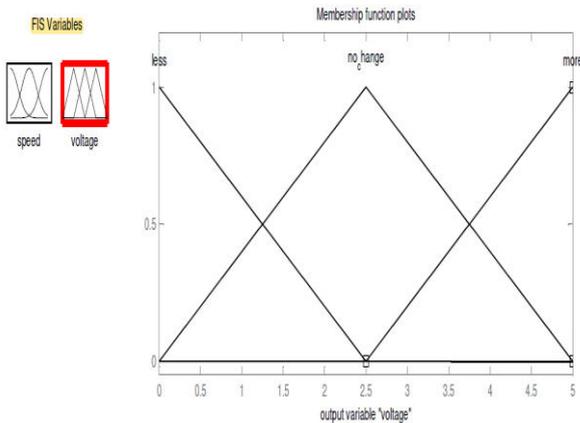


Fig 4. Membership Functions for Output Motor voltage

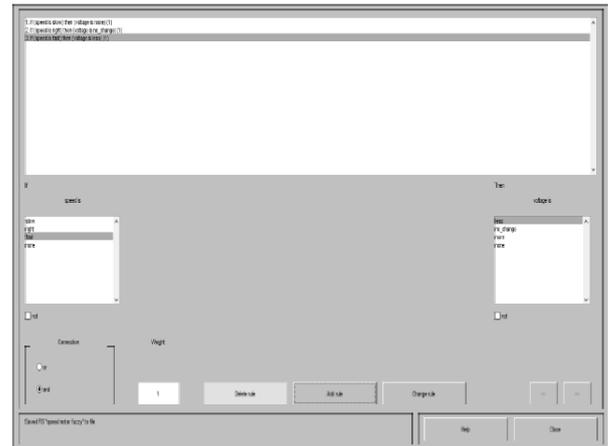


Fig 5. Motor condition for membership function

Once the form of initial membership functions has been determined, the fuzzy if-then rules can be add as shown in above figure 5.

1. If motor speed is running too slow then more voltage.
2. If motor speed is about right then no change voltage.
3. If motor speed is fast then less voltage.

In this paper, we have selected ranges for input and output membership functions for predicting motor condition while it is in operation. For input membership functions that is in this case for each input stator speed we have selected range between 0 to 100. similarly for output membership functions which is voltage of motor status in this case is between 0 to 5. There are various methods of defuzzification are available. But in this paper we have employed the centroid method for defuzzification. The output of the fuzzy controller is used as the command signal for the closed loop operation. If any slight voltage unbalance occurs, then the output of fuzzy inference system sets the output

corresponding to fault. Immediately the fault and the speed are stored in a file for analysis purpose.

III. PROPOSED SYSTEM

The proposed system consists of Temperature sensor, Vibration sensor, Speed (IR) sensor, Temperature sensor, Current sensor, Voltage sensor for measurement circuits and AC induction motor. The block diagram of proposed system is as shown in figure-3.

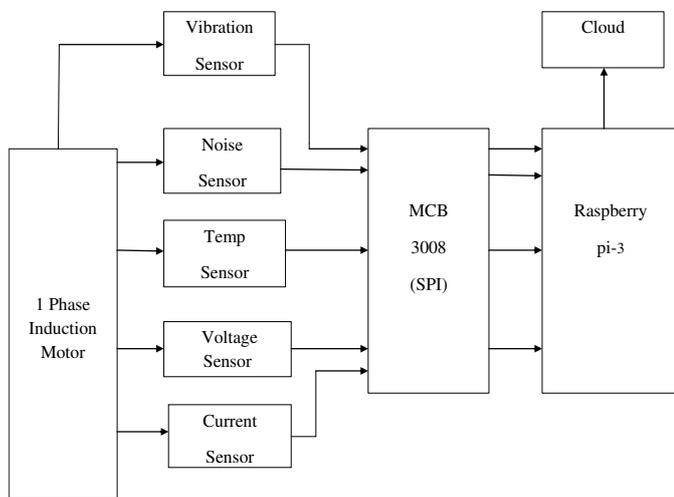


Fig 6. Block diagram of proposed system

IV. SYSTEM WORKING

For induction motor parameter monitoring we are using light weighted and easily configurable sensors like Vibration sensor, Noise sensor, Temperature sensor, Current sensor, Speed sensor, and Voltage sensor. All these sensors are mounted on single phase motor. The single phase induction motor has 230 V, 50 Hz power supply. The single phase induction motor has to convert the analog signal into digital form. This is the main part of hardware. The induction motor

blocks go to Vibration sensor. It measures the vibrations of motor and they have a transducer that converts mechanical force caused by vibration. Noise sensor is the sensor which converts air pressure vibrations due to sound into electrical current. The function of Temperature sensor is to measure the temperature through an electrical signal. Voltage sensor converts voltage measured between two points of an electrical circuit into a physical signal which is proportional to the voltage. Then current sensor detects and converts current to an easily measured output voltage. Vibration sensor measures the heat of an object as well as detects the motion. All sensors have analog output hence they are connected to the input of the MCB 3008 (Serial Peripheral Interface). It is also a serial peripheral interface. The main function of MCB3008 IC is as an analog-to-digital converter. It has a low-cost 8-channel 10-bit A/D converter. All types of analog data are converted into digital form. Its output goes to the Raspberry pi-3 board, which has been used for this research. It has the ability to acquire sensor data, communicate with other devices, store information in local, cloud server, and alert when a fault is detected and display this message according to the values of sensors, i.e., overload/over current, over voltage, noise exceed, vibration exceed, temperature exceed. Data obtained from the sensors is transferred wirelessly to the local and cloud server for analysis. The program has been set to process real-time data and store it in the cloud with ThingSpeak cloud computing platform. This saved data is accessible from anywhere via internet. Figure 6 shows the block diagram of the hardware connections.

V. CONCLUSIONS

This paper presents the concept of Internet of things for early detection and monitoring of motor system failures. The system has been designed to combine various parameter measurement in real-time, improving the detectability of different parameters namely vibrations, temperature, speed, moisture, voltage and current consumption. The concept of IoT is presented here controlling the motor. The data received by the coordinator node is stored and graphically presented in real-time by means of an application in visual basics. The proposed system can be easily upgraded to add other sensors on the sensing node for the measurement of other parameters if required. The system has a high autonomy, easy installation and low maintenance costs. This is highly versatile technology for condition monitoring and fault analysis of motors.

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