

Work Package 3.2

Optimization and Control Design

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Three **conference papers**

Three **journal papers** (two under review)

A control **workshop** (Cranfield, November 2013)

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Battery Model

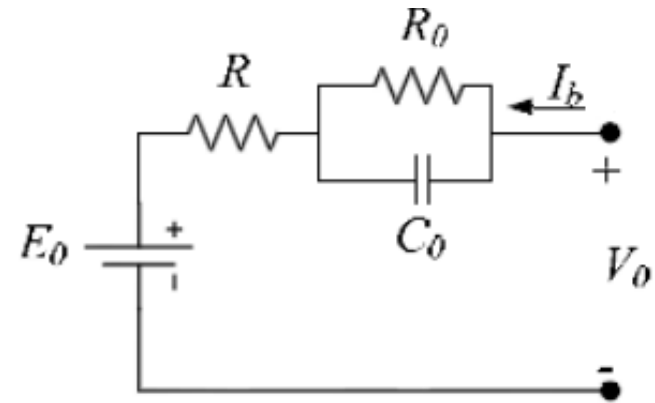
- Linear Parameter-Varying

- State of charge:

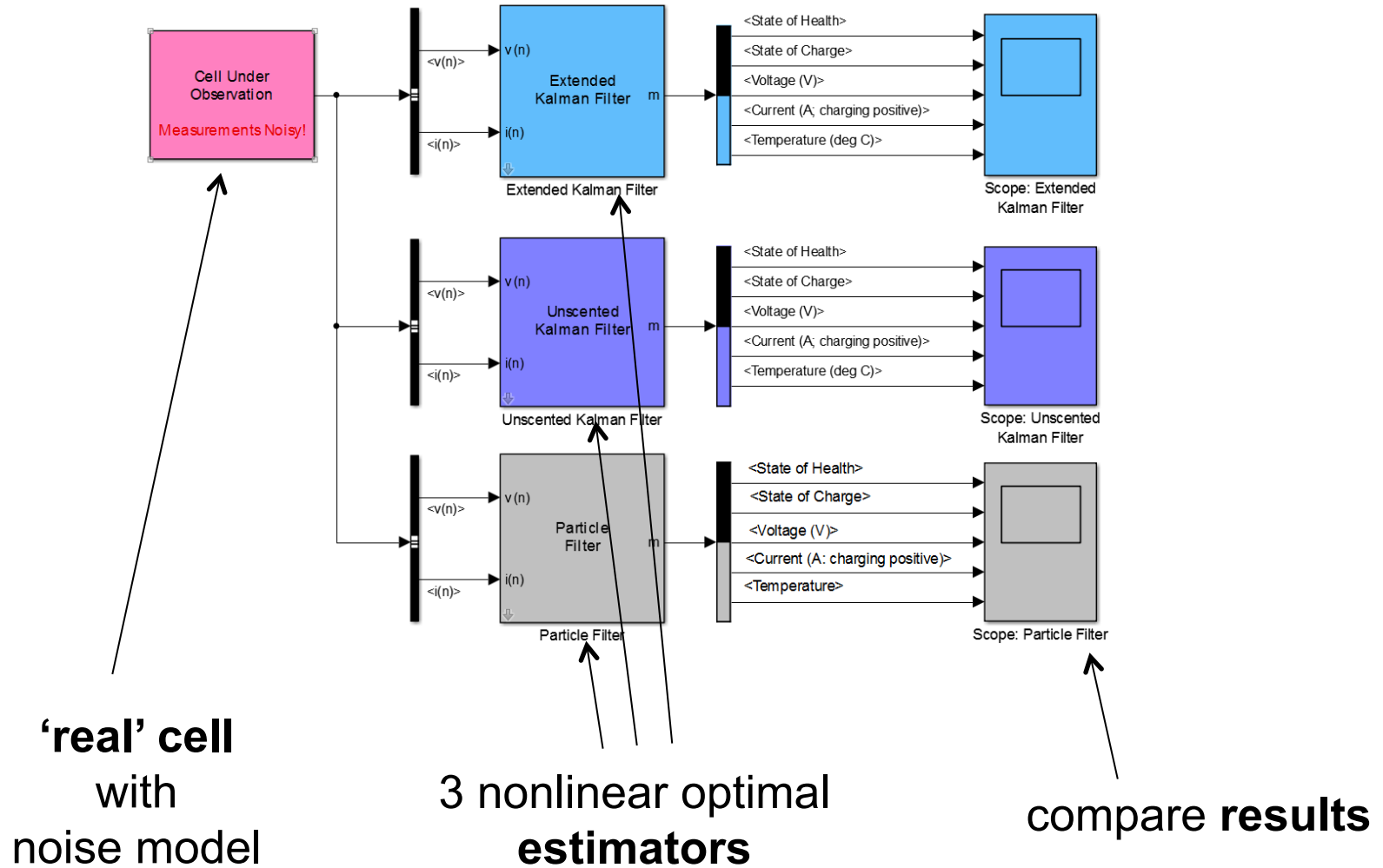
$$\frac{d}{dt}(\text{SOC}) = \frac{+i_b(t)}{3600k_C}$$

- State of health:

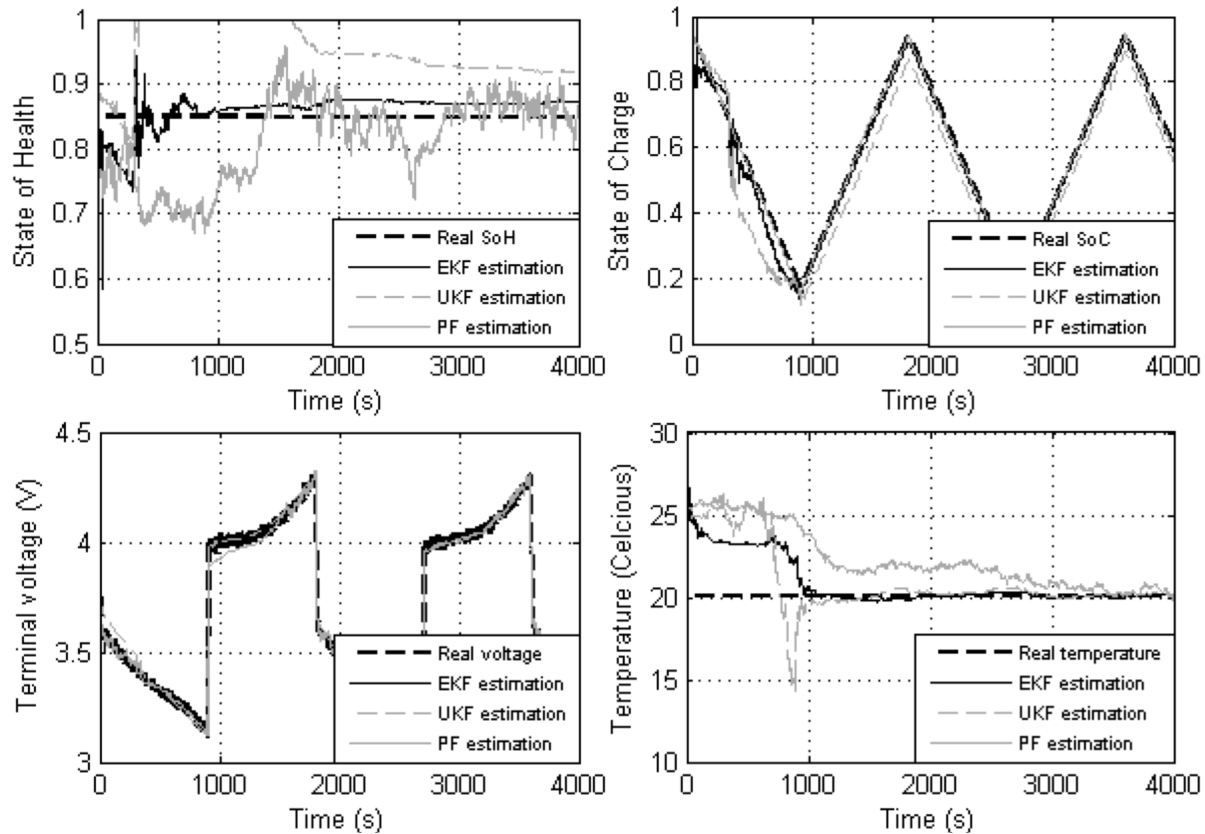
$$\frac{d}{dt}(\text{SOH}) = \frac{-|i_b(t)|}{3600k_C \times 2N_{\text{cycles}}}$$



Optimal Estimators

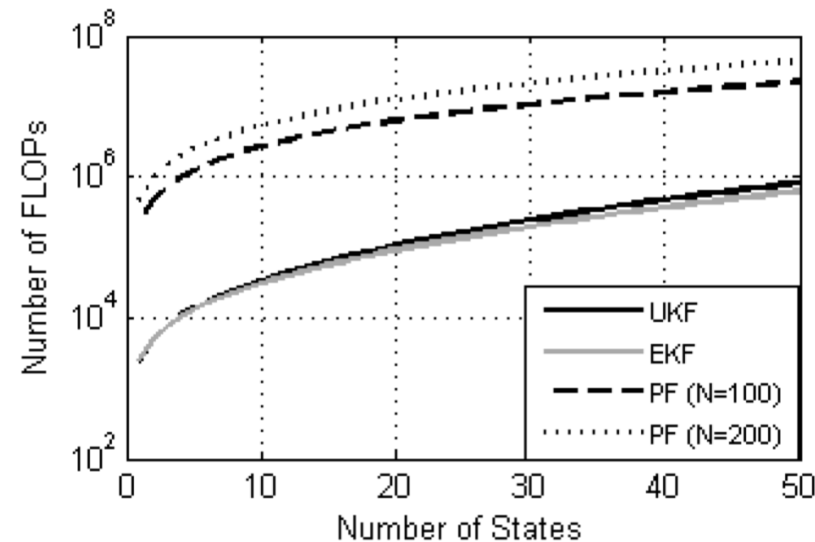


Estimation Performance Results



Estimation Complexity Results

	EKF	UKF	PF
Time for one iteration (s)	0.0017	0.0041	0.0599
Proportion of execution time	1x	2.4x	35.2x



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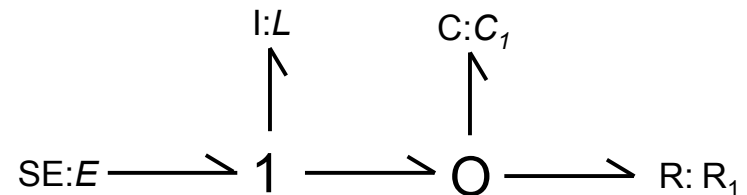
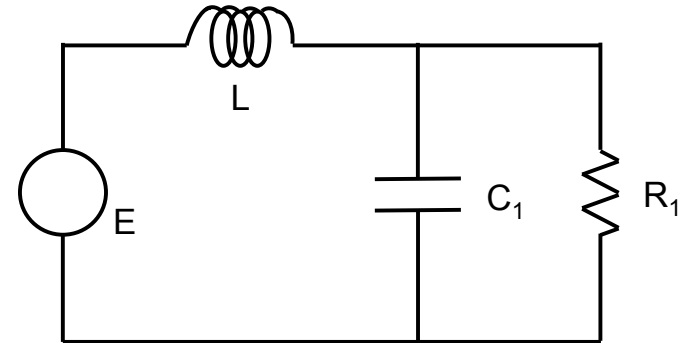
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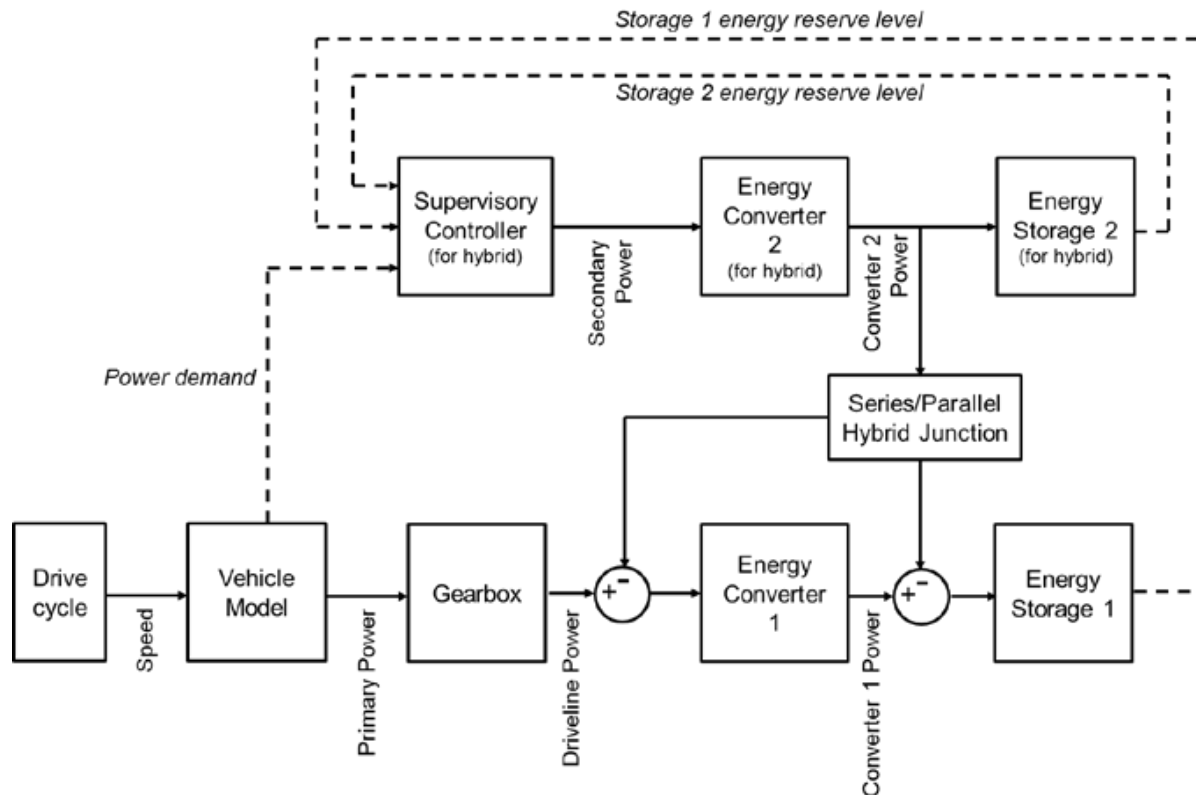
Modeling – Bond graphs

- Energy based modeling
- Describes power interchange between systems as **effort** and **flow**
- Multidisciplinary



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Example - modular powertrain structure

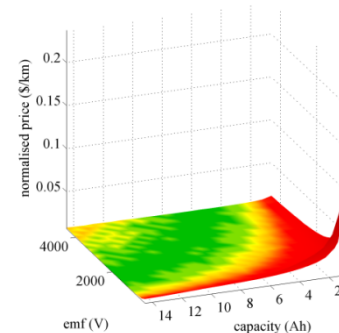
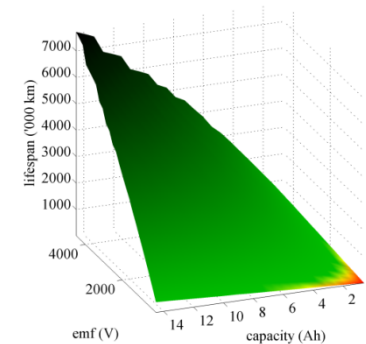
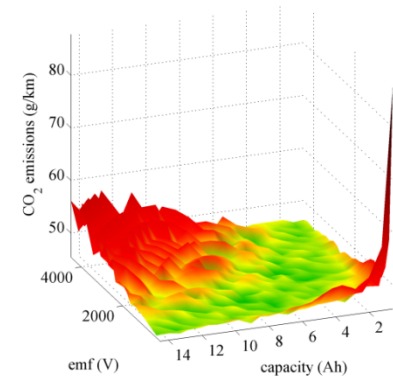


How does battery size affect the following?

- CO2 emissions
- Battery cost – per km of useful life.
- Lifespan

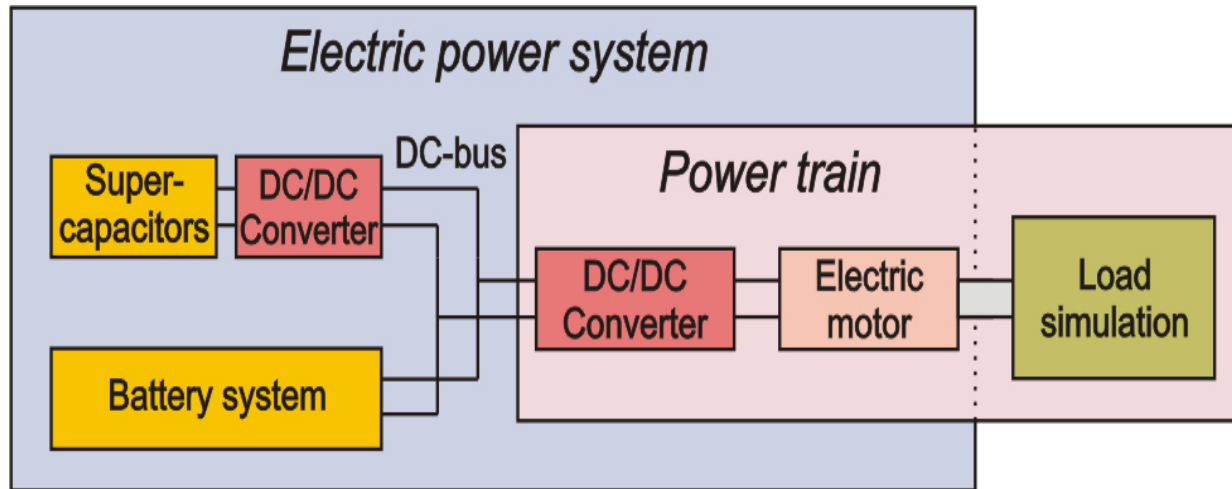
Battery Sizing

- If battery is **too small** => **less efficient**
- Weight is only important when **very large**
- Low **CO2 emissions** & **good value** go together
- Depends on our **assumptions!**



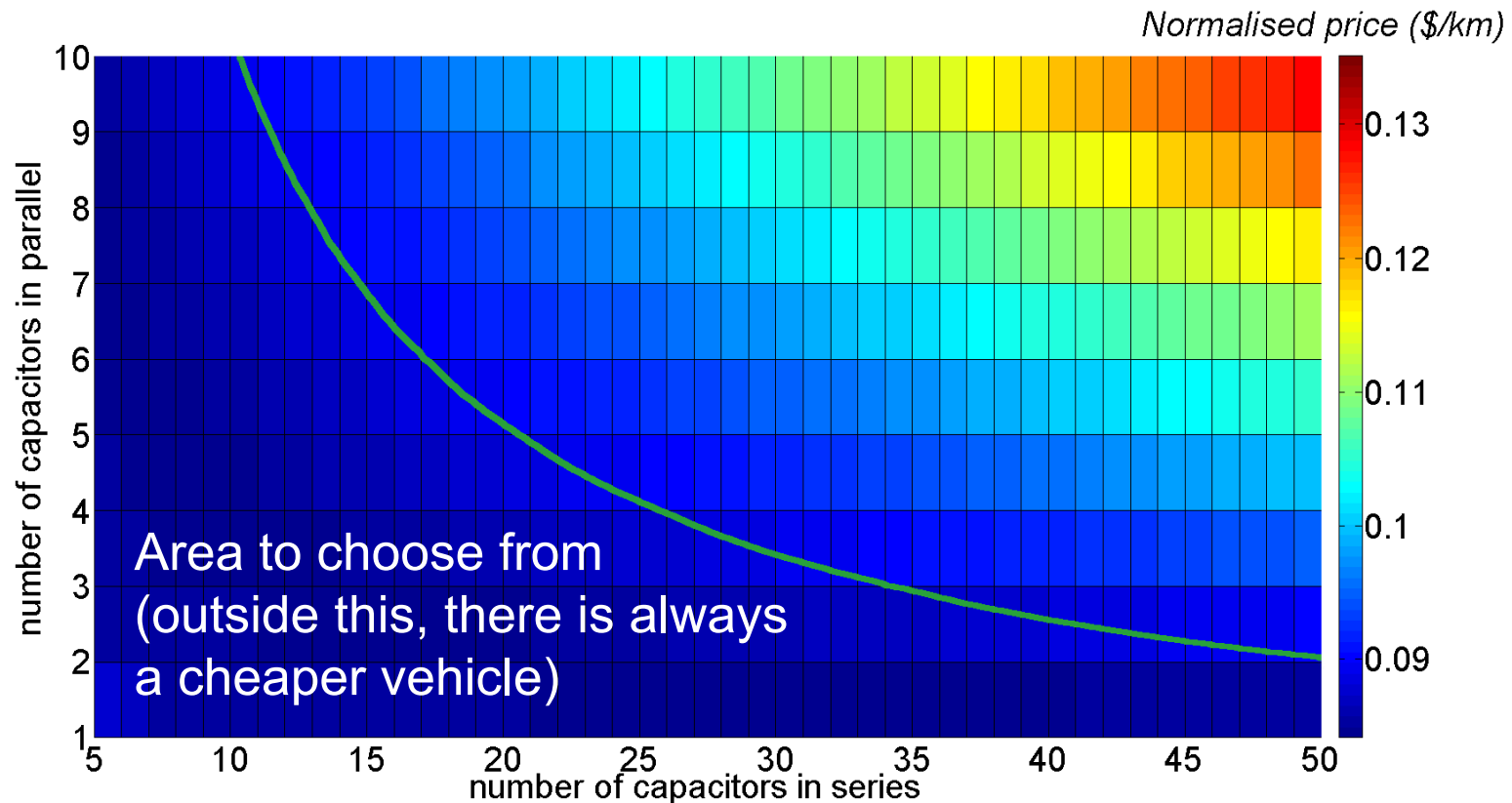
With Parallel Supercapacitors

Could supercaps help?



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Price per km



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With 4 x 23 supercapacitor array (example)

- Absolute cost: \$1600 more
- CO2 emissions only slightly worse
- Battery lifespan 20 000 km better

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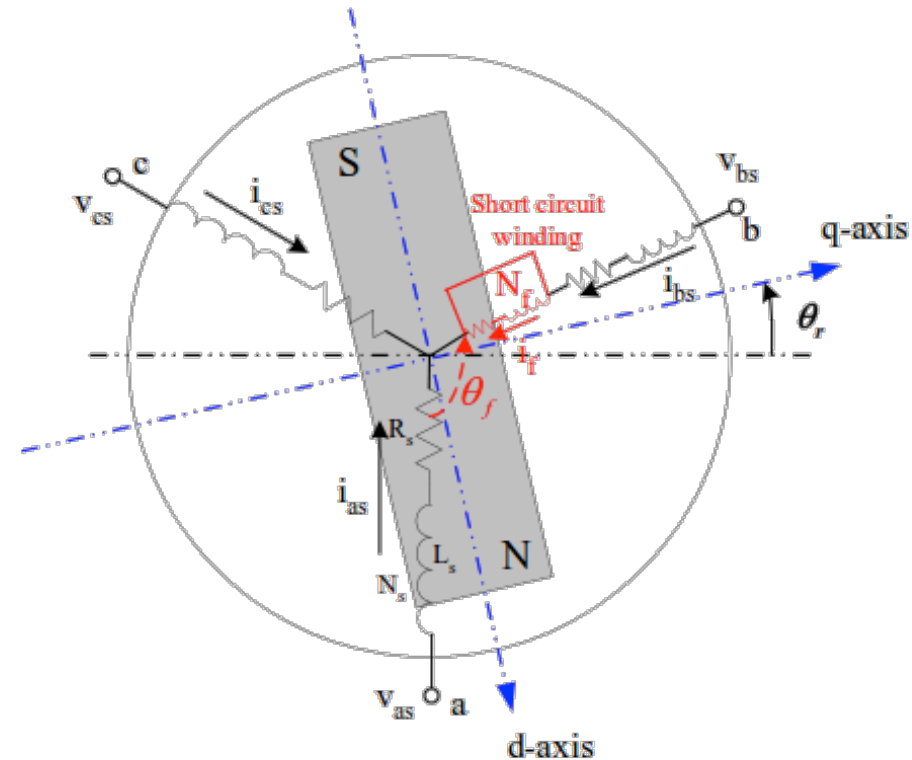
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Faults we are considering

Stator faults – opening/shorting of stator windings

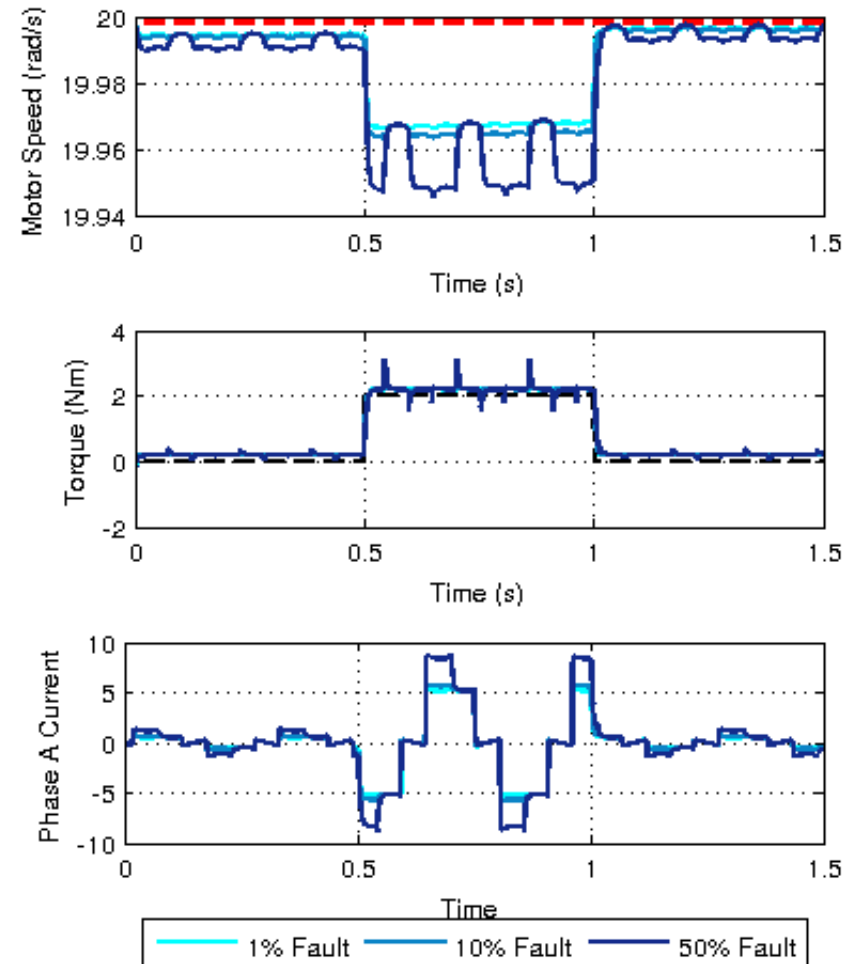
- can be one winding or several



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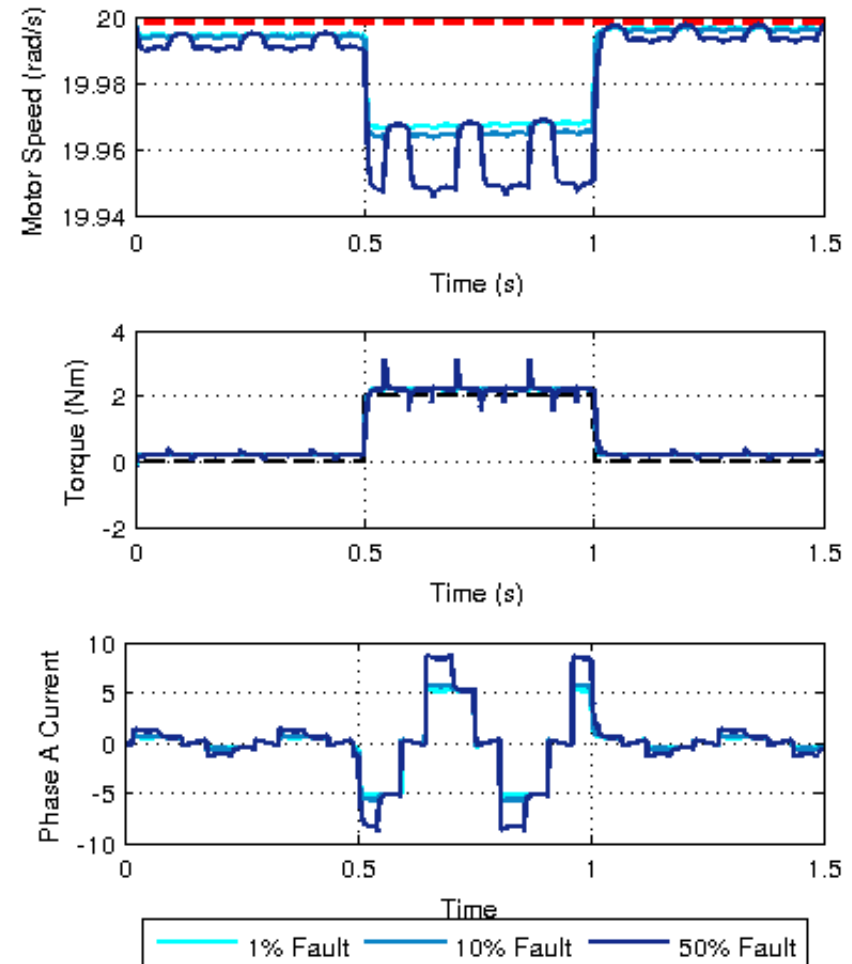
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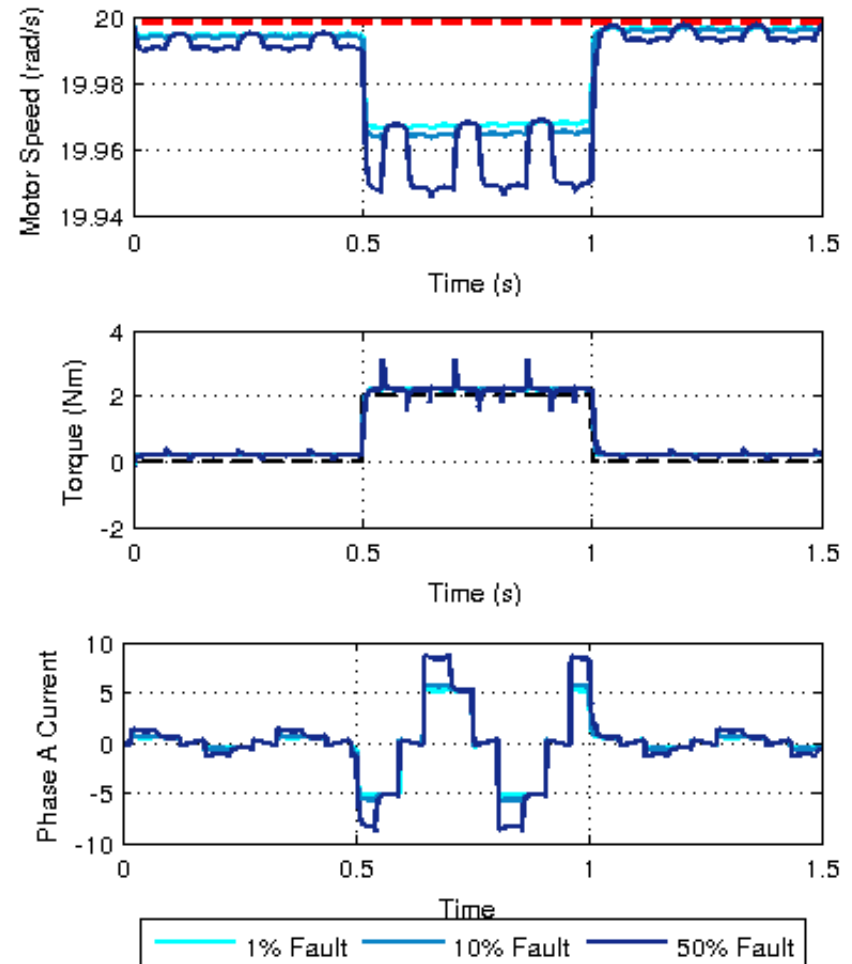
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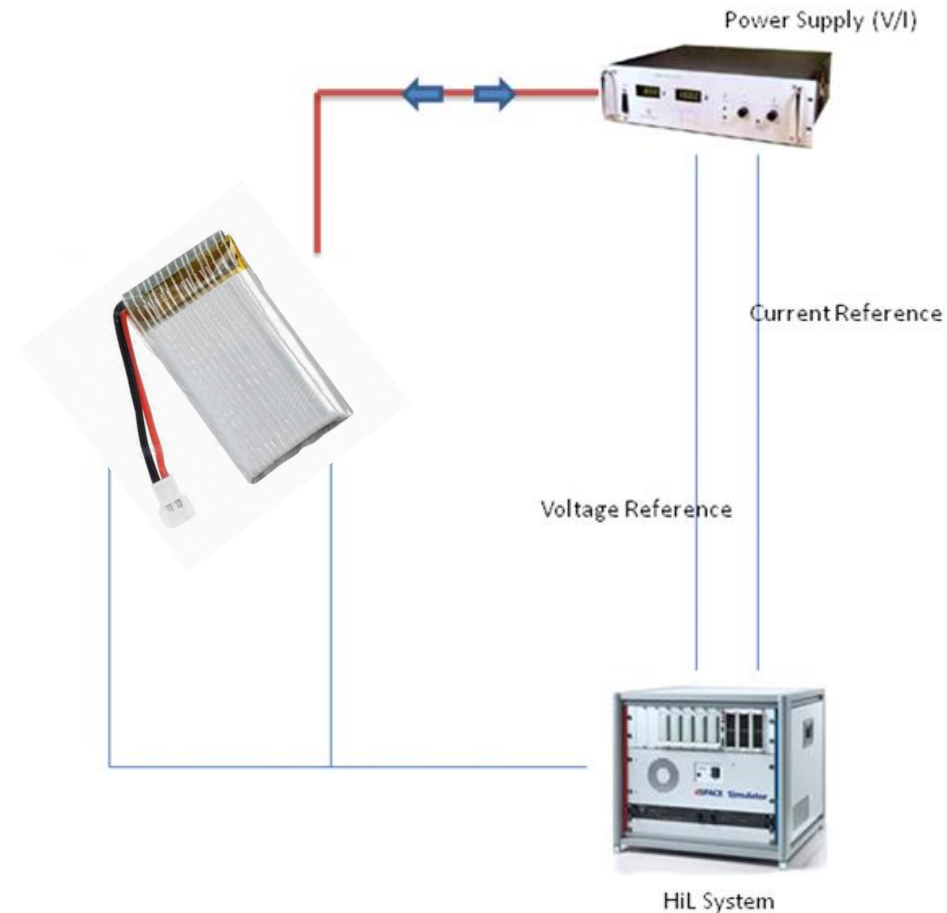
- Theory of how faults relate to aging
- Access to training data
- Experimental validation of fault modes



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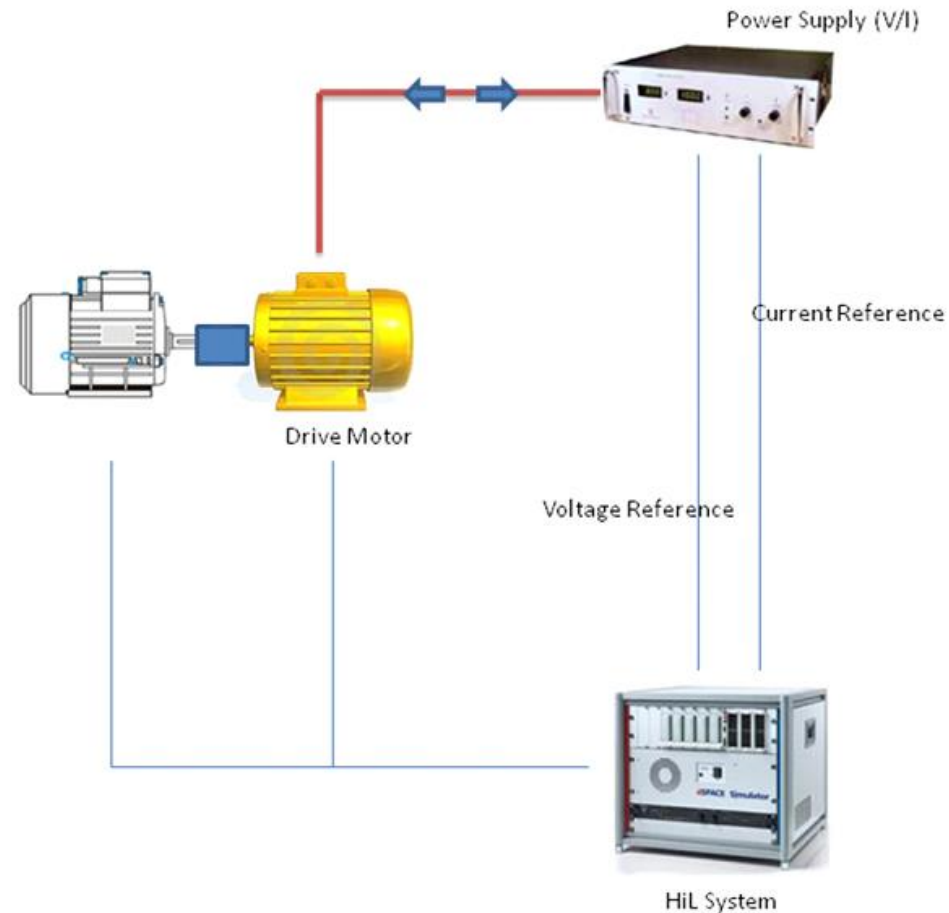
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