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A new adaptive non-singleton general type-2 fuzzy control of induction motors subject to unknown time-varying dynamics and unknown load torque

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Abstract

In this paper, a new fault-tolerant control strategy is suggested to control the induction motors (IMs). The mathematical model of IMs is supposed to be unknown and also the main disturbances such as perturbation in the rotor resistance, and suddenly changes in the load torque are considered. A general type-2 fuzzy system using a new non-singleton fuzzification is proposed to cope with the uncertainties. The robustness and the stability of the proposed control scheme is studied on basis of the Lyapunov theorem. The simulation results show that the suggested control method has good performance in the versus of unknown dynamics of IM, time-varying disturbances, abrupt faults and measurement errors. The proposed scheme is compared with other popular control systems and other kind of fuzzy systems and singleton fizzification.

Keywords Induction motor · General type-2 fuzzy systems · Lyapunov stability · Rotor resistance · Load torque

1 Introduction

The induction motor (IMs) is commonly employed in industries because of its reliability, less cost and maintenance free (Deng et al[.](#page-11-0) [2019;](#page-11-0) Lopes et al[.](#page-11-1) [2017](#page-11-1)). The dynamics of the induction motors is complicated and is disturbed by variation in rotor resistance and changes in load torque and so on Guedes et al[.](#page-11-2) [\(2019](#page-11-2)). Then the control problem of the induction motors has attained great attention in recent years. Various control methods have been applied to the control of IMs. The proposed methods are classified in three categories. In the first category, some simple and ordinary control schemes have been designed for IMs. For instance, the fieldoriented control approach is designed for the speed control of IMs (Kubota and Matsus[e](#page-11-3) [1994](#page-11-3)). In Yu et al[.](#page-11-4) [\(2001](#page-11-4)), the vector controller is developed for IMs. The other simple controller which is frequently applied on IMs is PID control method (Lim et al[.](#page-11-5) [2013\)](#page-11-5). Many optimization methods and algorithms have been applied to optimize the PID control for IMs such as genetic algorithm, particle swarm optimization, fuzzy systems, imperialist competitive algorithm and so on (Thangaraj et al[.](#page-11-6) [2011](#page-11-6); Ustun and Demirta[s](#page-11-7) [2008;](#page-11-7) Uddin et al[.](#page-11-8) [2002](#page-11-8); Al[i](#page-10-0) [2015](#page-10-0)).

The next main approach for the control of IMs is the classical control methods. For instance, the predictive control is developed for IMs (Zhang and Yan[g](#page-12-0) [2015](#page-12-0); Zhang et al[.](#page-12-1) [2016](#page-12-1)). In Lascu et al[.](#page-11-9) [\(2016\)](#page-11-9), the feedback linearzation method designed for IMs and its performance is compared with the sliding mode approach. The backstepping control technique is studied for IMs in Regaya et al[.](#page-11-10) [\(2018\)](#page-11-10), and its robustness against variation of rotor resistance is investigated. The immersion and invariance control strategy is studied for IMs in Sabzalian et al[.](#page-11-11) [\(2019b\)](#page-11-11), and its robustness is investigated. The other most common controller that is frequently used to control of IMs is the sliding model control (SMC) approach. Various version of sliding mode control technique has been studied for IMs such as traditional SMC, adaptive exponential SMC, second-order SMC, terminal SMC, integral SMC, and so on (Xu et al[.](#page-11-12) [2019;](#page-11-12) Ponce et al[.](#page-11-13) [2018](#page-11-13)).

The main drawback of the reviewed studies is that the dynamic model of IM is considered to be certain and known. To cope with uncertainties of the mathematical model of

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IM, some intelligent control methods have been proposed (Kala[t](#page-11-14) [2019](#page-11-14)). In third category, some control approaches have been presented based on the fuzzy systems, neural networks and evolutionary optimization algorithm. For example, in Guazzelli et al[.](#page-11-15) [\(2018](#page-11-15)), a predictive controller is designed by genetic algorithm, in which a cost function is minimized to obtain the weighting factors of the conventional predictive controller. The super-twisting technique is employed to improve the field oriented control method (Kali et al[.](#page-11-16) [2018](#page-11-16)). A simple neuro-fuzzy control method is suggested for IMs, and it is proved that the designed controller has desirable performance in contrast to the conventional PI controller (Gopal and Shivakuma[r](#page-11-17) [2019\)](#page-11-17). In Xu et al[.](#page-11-18) [\(2019\)](#page-11-18), the conventional backstepping strategy is combined with the type-1 fuzzy system to cope with uncertainties. The predictive controller is combined with the Takagi–Sugeno fuzzy system, and it is shown that the performance of the model predictive control is improved (Ammar et al[.](#page-10-1) [2019](#page-10-1)). The adaptive controller on basis of fuzzy systems, the command filtering and backstepping technique is studied for IMs (Zhao et al[.](#page-12-2) [2018\)](#page-12-2). In Farah et al[.](#page-11-19) [\(2019\)](#page-11-19), a simple self-evolving fuzzy controller is proposed to improve the performance of indirect field-oriented control scheme. The dynamics of IM is approximated with the fuzzy system in kind of type-1, and then, the feedback controller is designed and its stability is investigated using *L*² optimization (Zina et al[.](#page-11-20) [2018](#page-11-20)).

In the most of the aforementioned papers, type-1 fuzzy systems and simple neural networks are used to cope with the uncertainties of the dynamics of IMs. Also the robustness of the controller with respect to main faults such as perturbation in the rotor resistance and sudden changes in load torque need more researches. In recent years, it is demonstrated that interval and general type-2 fuzzy systems result in more desirable and more effective performance in approximation of uncertainties (Mohammadzadeh et al[.](#page-11-21) [2019a](#page-11-21); Melin et al[.](#page-11-22) [2019;](#page-11-22) Ontiveros-Robles and Meli[n](#page-11-23) [2020](#page-11-23); Jana et al[.](#page-11-24) [2019](#page-11-24); Zhao et al[.](#page-12-3) [2019](#page-12-3)). Most recently, the generalized type-2 fuzzy system (GT2FSs) is successfully applied in various applications (Castillo and Atanasso[v](#page-11-25) [2019;](#page-11-25) Castillo et al[.](#page-11-26) [2019\)](#page-11-26). For instance, in Zarandi et al[.](#page-11-27) [\(2019\)](#page-11-27), GT2FSs are employed for diagnosis of depression. The improved fuzzy systems are used in ship steering systems (Chang et al[.](#page-11-28) [2019](#page-11-28)). The type-2 fuzzy systems are used to green solid transportation problem (Das et al[.](#page-11-29) [2018\)](#page-11-29). In Sabzalian et al[.](#page-11-30) [\(2019a](#page-11-30)), Mohammadzadeh and Kayna[k](#page-11-31) [\(2019\)](#page-11-31), Jhang et al[.](#page-11-32) [\(2018](#page-11-32)), Mohammadzadeh and Zhan[g](#page-11-33) [\(2019](#page-11-33)) and Mohammadzadeh et al[.](#page-11-34) [\(2019b\)](#page-11-34) the GT2FSs are used in forecasting and control problems. GT2FSs are used in fault detection and time-series prediction (Boumella et al[.](#page-10-2) [2012](#page-10-2); Shabanian and Montazer[i](#page-11-35) [2011\)](#page-11-35). Many learning techniques have been suggested to optimize the type-2 fuzzy systems such as bee colony optimization (Zhang et al[.](#page-12-4) [2019\)](#page-12-4), particle swarm optimization (Boumella et al[.](#page-10-2) [2012](#page-10-2)), among many others. However, the stable optimization of GT2FSs has been rarely studied. In this paper, the proposed GT2FSs are learned on basis of the tuning laws that are extracted through the robustness analysis.

Based on the aforementioned discussion and motivations, in this study a novel fault-tolerant control scheme is presented. The main innovations of this study are:

- 1. Unlike the most studies, in this paper dynamic model of IM is considered to be unknown and also it is supposed the dynamics of IM to be disturbed by main faults such as perturbation in the rotor resistance and suddenly changes of load torque.
- 2. In addition to the dynamic uncertainties and abrupt faults, the effect of measurement errors is also considered.
- 3. A GT2FS is presented to cope with the uncertainties.
- 4. The robustness of the suggested control approach is analyzed and a novel compensator is developed to insure the stability and robustness.

The remain structure of this study is as follows. The dynamics of IM is described in Sect. [2.](#page-1-0) The proposed GT2FS is illustrated in Sect. [3.](#page-2-0) The control signals and stability analysis are given in Sect. [4.](#page-4-0) Simulations are presented in Sect. [5,](#page-6-0) and the conclusion is summarized in Sect. [6.](#page-10-3)

2 Problem formulation

The mathematical dynamics of the IM are given as:

$$
d\omega/dt = -n_p T_r/J + \mu \phi_r i_{sq}
$$

\n
$$
d\phi_r/dt = \frac{M_{sr}}{\tau_r} i_{sd} - \frac{1}{\tau_r} \phi_r
$$

\n
$$
di_{sd}/dt = \beta \omega \phi_{rq} + \frac{\beta}{\tau_r} \phi_{rd} + \omega_s i_{sq}
$$

\n
$$
-\frac{1}{\tau_1} i_{sd} + V_{sd}/L_1
$$

\n
$$
di_{sq}/dt = -\beta \omega \phi_{rd} + \beta/\tau_r \phi_{rq} - \omega_s i_{sd}
$$

\n
$$
-\frac{1}{\tau_1} i_{sq} + V_{sq}/L_1
$$
\n(1)

where the subscripts q, d, r and s refer to quadrature component, direct component, rotor and stator, respectively. φ, *V* and i , are the flux, voltage and current, respectively. ω represents the rotor speed and ω_s is frequency of stator angular. *T*^r is the load torque and it is considered to be unknown. The other parameters are defined as follows:

$$
\tau_{\rm r} = L_{\rm r}/R_{\rm r}
$$

\n
$$
L_1 = L_{\rm s} - \frac{M_{\rm sr}^2}{L_{\rm r}}
$$

\n
$$
R_1 = R_{\rm s} + R_{\rm r} \left(\frac{M_{\rm sr}}{L_{\rm r}}\right)^2
$$

\n
$$
\beta = \frac{M_{\rm sr}}{L_{\rm r} L_1}
$$

$$
\mu = n_{\rm p}^2 \left(\frac{M_{\rm sr}}{J L_{\rm r}} \right)
$$

$$
\tau_1 = \frac{L_1}{R_1}
$$
 (2)

where *J* express moment of inertia, the number of pole pairs is represented by n_p , L_r/L_s is the rotor/stator inductances, $R_{\rm r}/R_{\rm s}$ is the rotor/stator resistance and $M_{\rm sr}$ represents the mutual inductance.

The dynamics of IM in (1) are rewritten as follows:

$$
\dot{y}_1 = y_4 + f_1 \left(\underline{y} \right) \n\dot{y}_2 = y_3 + f_2 \left(\underline{y} \right) \n\dot{y}_3 = \frac{1}{L_1} u_1 + f_3 \left(\underline{y} \right) \n\dot{y}_4 = \frac{1}{L_1} u_2 + f_4 \left(\underline{y} \right)
$$
\n(3)

where

$$
f_1(y) = -\frac{n_p T_r}{J} - i_{sq} + \mu \phi_r i_{sq}
$$

\n
$$
f_2(y) = \frac{M_{sr}}{\tau_r} i_{sd} - i_{sd} - \frac{1}{\tau_r} \phi_r
$$

\n
$$
f_3(y) = -\frac{1}{\tau_1} i_{sd} + \omega_s i_{sq} \frac{\beta}{\tau_r} \phi_r
$$

\n
$$
f_4(y) = -\frac{1}{\tau_1} i_{sq} - \beta \omega \phi_r - \omega_s i_{sd}
$$
\n(4)

$$
u_1 = V_{sd}
$$
, $u_2 = V_{sq}$, $y_1 = \omega$, $y_2 = \phi_r$,
\n $y_3 = i_{sd}$, $y_4 = i_{sq}$, $\underline{y} = [y_1, ..., y_4]^T$ (5)

Fig. 1 The general view on the suggested controller

By using the suggested GT2FS, the dynamics of IM in [\(3\)](#page-2-1) are online estimated as follows:

$$
\dot{\hat{y}}_1 = \hat{y}_4 + \hat{f}_1 \left(\hat{y} | \theta_1 \right)
$$
\n
$$
\dot{\hat{y}}_2 = \hat{y}_3 + \hat{f}_2 \left(\hat{y} | \theta_2 \right)
$$
\n
$$
\dot{\hat{y}}_3 = \hat{f}_3 \left(\hat{y} | \theta_3 \right) + \frac{1}{L_1} u_1
$$
\n
$$
\dot{\hat{y}}_4 = \hat{f}_4 \left(\hat{y} | \theta_4 \right) + \frac{1}{L_1} u_2
$$
\n(6)

where \hat{f}_i , $i = 1, ..., 4$ are the suggested GT2GSs and of $f_1(y)$, $f_2(y)$, $f_3(y)$ and $f_4(y)$, respectively. A gen- $\hat{y} = [\hat{y}_1, \dots, \hat{y}_4]^{\text{T}}$. \hat{f}_1 , \hat{f}_2 , \hat{f}_3 and \hat{f}_4 are the estimation eral view on the proposed control scheme shown in Fig. [1.](#page-2-2)

3 Suggested fuzzy system

In this section, the suggested GT2FS is explained. The suggested structure is displayed in Fig. [2.](#page-3-0) Consider the *i*th GT2FS, the details are described in below.

- 1. The estimated states \hat{y}_k , $k = 1, \ldots, 4$ are the inputs of GT2FS \hat{f}_i .
- 2. Consider the *n*th membership function (MF) for the *k*th input as \tilde{A}_k^n ; by conventional singleton fuzzification, the upper membership and the lower membership of \tilde{A}_k^n at

$$
\frac{\hat{e}_1}{r_1}
$$
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\frac{\hat{e}_2}{r_2}
$$
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$$
\frac{\hat{e}_3}{r_1}
$$
\n
$$
\frac{\hat{e}_4}{r_2}
$$
\n
$$
\frac{\hat{e}_1}{r_1}
$$
\n
$$
\frac{\hat{e}_2}{r_2} = -\hat{f}_1(\hat{y}|\hat{\theta}_1) + \hat{r}_1 - \lambda_1\hat{e}_1 - \frac{\overline{e}_3|\tilde{e}_3| + \overline{e}_1|\tilde{e}_1| + |\tilde{e}_1||\tilde{e}_4|}{\hat{e}_1 - \delta \text{sign}(\hat{e}_1)}
$$
\n
$$
\frac{\hat{e}_2}{r_2}
$$
\n
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\frac{\hat{e}_3}{r_3}
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\frac{\hat{e}_4}{r_4}
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\frac{\hat{e}_6}{r_7}
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\frac{\hat{e}_7}{r_8}
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\frac{\hat{e}_8}{r_8}
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\frac{\hat{e}_9}{r_8}
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\n
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\frac{\hat{e}_1}{r_9}
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\n
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\frac{\hat{e}_2}{r_1}
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\n
$$
\frac{\hat{e}_3}{r_2}
$$
\n
$$
\frac{\hat{e}_4}{r_3}
$$
\n $$

Fig. 2 The structure of the generalized type-2 fuzzy system

the horizontal slice level α are computed as follows:

$$
\bar{\mu}_{k|\alpha}^{n} = \exp\left(-\frac{\left(\hat{y}_{k} - c_{\tilde{A}_{k}^{n}}\right)^{2}}{\bar{\sigma}_{\tilde{A}_{k|\alpha}^{n}}^{2}}\right)
$$
\n
$$
\underline{\mu}_{k|\alpha}^{n} = \exp\left(-\frac{\left(\hat{y}_{k} - c_{\tilde{A}_{k}^{n}}\right)^{2}}{\underline{\sigma}_{\tilde{A}_{k|\alpha}^{n}}^{2}}\right)
$$
\n(7)

where $c_{\tilde{A}^n_k}$, $\bar{\sigma}_{\tilde{A}^n_{k|\alpha}}$ and $\underline{\sigma}_{\tilde{A}^n_{k|\alpha}}$, express the center, upper standard division and lower standard division of the Gaussian MF $\tilde{A}^n_{k|\alpha}$, respectively. \hat{y}_k is the $k - th$ input. $\bar{\mu}_{k|\alpha}^n$ and $\underline{\mu}_{k|\alpha}^n$ are the upper ad lower membership of \tilde{A}_k^n . By the proposed non-singleton fuzzfication, the upper membership and the lower membership of \tilde{A}^n_k at the hor-

$$
\bar{\mu}_{k|\alpha}^{n} = \exp\left(-\frac{\left(\hat{\bar{y}}_{k}^{n} - c_{\tilde{A}_{k}}^{n}\right)^{2}}{\bar{\sigma}_{\tilde{A}_{k|\alpha}^{n}}^{2}}\right)
$$
\n
$$
\underline{\mu}_{k|\alpha}^{n} = \exp\left(-\frac{\left(\hat{\Sigma}_{k}^{n} - c_{\tilde{A}_{k}}^{n}\right)^{2}}{\underline{\sigma}_{\tilde{A}_{k|\alpha}^{n}}^{2}}\right)
$$
\n(8)

where $\hat{\bar{y}}_k^n$ and $\underline{\hat{y}}_k^n$ are computed as (see Fig. [3\)](#page-3-1):

$$
\hat{\bar{y}}_k^n = \frac{\sigma_{B_k}^2 c_{\tilde{A}_i^j} + \bar{\sigma}_{\tilde{A}_{k|\alpha}^n}^2 \hat{y}_k}{\sigma_{B_k}^2 c_{\tilde{A}_i^j} + \bar{\sigma}_{\tilde{A}_{k|\alpha}^n}^2 \hat{y}_k}
$$
\n(9)

$$
\hat{\underline{y}}_k^n = \frac{\sigma_{B_k}^2 c_{\tilde{A}_i^j} + \underline{\sigma}_{\tilde{A}_{k|\alpha}^n}^2 \hat{y}_k}{\sigma_{B_k}^2 c_{\tilde{A}_i^j} + \underline{\sigma}_{\tilde{A}_{k|\alpha}^n}^2 \hat{y}_k}
$$
\n(10)

where σ_{B_k} is a parameter in the membership function B_k for k th input. The membership of B_k is obtained as:

$$
\mu_{B_k} = \left[1 + \frac{\left(y - \hat{y}_k\right)^2}{\sigma_{B_k}^2}\right] \exp\left[-\frac{\left(y - \hat{y}_k\right)^2}{\sigma_{B_k}^2}\right] \tag{11}
$$

3. The rule firing are obtained as follows:

$$
\bar{\psi}_{n|\alpha} = \bar{\mu}_{1|\alpha}^n \times \cdots \times \bar{\mu}_{4|\alpha}^n
$$

$$
\underline{\psi}_{n|\alpha} = \underline{\mu}_{1|\alpha}^n \times \cdots \times \underline{\mu}_{4|\alpha}^n
$$
 (12)

where $\bar{\psi}_{n|\alpha}$ and $\underline{\psi}_{n|\alpha}$ represent upper rule firing and lower rule firing of *n*th rule at level α -cut.

4. On the basis of the Nie-Tan type-reduction (Feki[h](#page-11-36) [2008](#page-11-36)), one has:

$$
f_i = \sum_{j=1}^{N_{\alpha}} \alpha_j \theta_i^T \xi_{i|\alpha_j} / \sum_{j=1}^{N_{\alpha}} \alpha_j
$$
 (13)

$$
\xi_{i|\alpha_j} = \frac{1}{\sum_{n=1}^{N_{\rm r}} \bar{\psi}_{n|\alpha_j} + \underline{\psi}_{n|\alpha_j}} \left[\bar{\psi}_{1|\alpha_j} + \underline{\psi}_{1|\alpha_j}, \dots, \bar{\psi}_{N_{\rm r}|\alpha_j} + \underline{\psi}_{N_{\rm r}|\alpha_j} \right]^{\rm T}
$$
\n(14)

where \hat{f}_i is the output, N_r represents the rule numbers, *N*_α is the number of α-cuts and $θ_i$ is the vector of the consequent parameters. f_i can be rewritten as follows:

$$
f_i = \theta_i^T \zeta_i \tag{15}
$$

where

$$
\zeta_i = \sum_{j=1}^{N_\alpha} \xi_{i|\alpha_j} / \sum_{j=1}^{N_\alpha} \alpha_j \tag{16}
$$

4 Main results

The main outcomes of the study are given in the following theorem.

Theorem 1 *The system* [\(3\)](#page-2-1) *is stable, asymptotically, if the controllers and the tuning rules of the fuzzy systems are designed as follows:*

$$
\frac{1}{L_1}u_2 = \dot{z}_1 - k_1\chi_1 - \hat{f}_4
$$

$$
\frac{1}{L_1}u_1 = \dot{z}_2 - k_2\chi_2 - \hat{f}_3
$$
\n
$$
\dot{\theta}_1 = \eta \tilde{e}_1 \zeta_1
$$
\n
$$
\dot{\theta}_2 = \eta \tilde{e}_2 \zeta_2
$$
\n(17)

$$
\dot{\theta}_3 = \eta \tilde{e}_3 \xi_3
$$

\n
$$
\dot{\theta}_4 = \eta \tilde{e}_4 \xi_4
$$
\n(18)

*where k*¹ *and k*² *are constants with positive values and the variables* χ_i , ζ_i , $i = 1, 2$ *are defined as follows:*

$$
\chi_2 = \hat{y}_3 - z_2 \qquad \chi_1 = \hat{y}_4 - z_1 \tag{19}
$$

$$
z_1 = -\hat{f}_1\left(\frac{\hat{y}}{2}|\theta_1\right) + \dot{r}_1 - \lambda_1 \hat{e}_1
$$

\n
$$
- (\bar{\varepsilon}_3|\tilde{e}_3| + \bar{\varepsilon}_1|\tilde{e}_1| + \tilde{e}_1|\tilde{e}_4|) / (\hat{e}_1 - \delta \text{sign}\left(\hat{e}_1\right))
$$

\n
$$
z_2 = -\hat{f}_2\left(\frac{\hat{y}}{2}|\theta_2\right) + \dot{r}_2 - \lambda_2 \hat{e}_2
$$

\n
$$
- (\bar{\varepsilon}_4|\tilde{e}_4| + \bar{\varepsilon}_2|\tilde{e}_2| + \tilde{e}_2|\tilde{e}_3|) / (\hat{e}_2 - \delta \text{sign}\left(\hat{e}_2\right))
$$
\n(20)

where $\hat{f}_i(\hat{y}|\theta_i)$, $i = 1, ..., 4$ *are proposed fuzzy system,* r_1 *and* r_2 *are the reference signals,* λ_1 *and* λ_2 *are constant variables with the positive values,* δ *is small positive constant,* \hat{e}_i *and* \tilde{e}_i , $i = 1, ..., 4$ *are defined as* $\hat{e}_i = \hat{y}_i - r_i$, $\tilde{e}_i =$ $y_i - \hat{y}_i$, $\bar{\varepsilon}_i$, $i = 1, \ldots, 4$ *are the upper bounds of* ε_i *where are defined as follows:*

$$
\varepsilon_1 = \left[f_1 \left(\underline{y} \right) - \hat{f}_1^* \left(\underline{\hat{y}} | \theta_1^* \right) \right] \n\varepsilon_2 = \left[f_2 \left(\underline{y} \right) - \hat{f}_2^* \left(\underline{\hat{y}} | \theta_2^* \right) \right] \n\varepsilon_3 = \left[f_3 \left(\underline{y} \right) - \hat{f}_3^* \left(\underline{\hat{y}} | \theta_3^* \right) \right] \n\varepsilon_4 = \left[f_4 \left(\underline{y} \right) - \hat{f}_4^* \left(\underline{\hat{y}} | \theta_4^* \right) \right]
$$
\n(21)

where \hat{f}_i^* $(\hat{y}|\theta_i^*)$, $i = 1, ..., 4$ are the proposed type-2 fuzzy s *ystem with optimal parameters* θ_i^* *. Also* $\tilde{\theta}_i$ *, i* = 1*,* ..., 4 *are defined as:*

$$
\begin{aligned}\n\tilde{\theta}_1 &= \theta_1^* - \theta_1 \\
\tilde{\theta}_2 &= \theta_2^* - \theta_2 \\
\tilde{\theta}_3 &= \theta_3^* - \theta_3 \\
\tilde{\theta}_4 &= \theta_4^* - \theta_4\n\end{aligned} \tag{22}
$$

Proof Substituting [\(20\)](#page-4-1) into [\(6\)](#page-2-3), yields:

$$
\dot{\hat{e}}_1 = -\lambda_1 \hat{e}_1
$$

\n
$$
- (\bar{\varepsilon}_3 |\tilde{e}_3| + \bar{\varepsilon}_1 |\tilde{e}_1| + |\tilde{e}_1| |\tilde{e}_4|) / (\hat{e}_1 - \delta \text{sign}(\hat{e}_1))
$$

\n
$$
\dot{\hat{e}}_2 = -\lambda_2 \hat{e}_2
$$

\n
$$
- (\bar{\varepsilon}_4 |\tilde{e}_4| + \bar{\varepsilon}_2 |\tilde{e}_2| + |\tilde{e}_2| |\tilde{e}_3|) / \hat{e}_2 - \delta \text{sign}(\hat{e}_2)
$$

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The dynamics of \tilde{e}_1 , \tilde{e}_2 , \tilde{e}_3 and \tilde{e}_4 are obtained as follows:

$$
\dot{\tilde{e}}_1 = \hat{f}_1^* \left(\hat{y} | \theta_1^* \right) - \hat{f}_1 \left(\hat{y} | \theta_1 \right) + \left[f_1 \left(\underline{y} \right) - \hat{f}_1^* \left(\hat{y} | \theta_1^* \right) \right] + \tilde{e}_4
$$
\n
$$
\dot{\tilde{e}}_2 = \hat{f}_2^* \left(\hat{y} | \theta_2^* \right) - \hat{f}_2 \left(\hat{y} | \theta_2 \right) + \left[f_2 \left(\underline{y} \right) - \hat{f}_2^* \left(\hat{y} | \theta_3^* \right) \right] + \tilde{e}_3
$$
\n
$$
\dot{\tilde{e}}_3 = \hat{f}_3^* \left(\hat{y} | \theta_1^* \right) - \hat{f}_3 \left(\hat{y} | \theta_3 \right) + \left[f_3 \left(\underline{y} \right) - \hat{f}_3^* \left(\hat{y} | \theta_3^* \right) \right]
$$
\n
$$
\dot{\tilde{e}}_4 = \hat{f}_4^* \left(\hat{y} | \theta_4^* \right) - \hat{f}_4 \left(\hat{y} | \theta_2 \right) + \left[f_4 \left(\underline{y} \right) - \hat{f}_4^* \left(\hat{y} | \theta_4^* \right) \right]
$$
\n(24)

By substituting (21) into equation (24) , one has:

$$
\dot{\tilde{e}}_1 = \tilde{\theta}_1^T \zeta_1 + \varepsilon_1 + \tilde{e}_4 \n\dot{\tilde{e}}_2 = \tilde{\theta}_2^T \zeta_2 + \varepsilon_2 + \tilde{e}_3 \n\dot{\tilde{e}}_3 = \tilde{\theta}_3^T \zeta_3 + \varepsilon_3 \n\dot{\tilde{e}}_4 = \tilde{\theta}_4^T \zeta_4 + \varepsilon_4
$$
\n(25)

Time derivative of χ_2 and χ_1 in [\(19\)](#page-4-1), are obtained as follows:

$$
\begin{aligned}\n\dot{\chi}_1 &= \hat{f}_4 + \frac{1}{L_1} u_2 - \dot{z}_1\\ \n\dot{\chi}_2 &= \hat{f}_3 + \frac{1}{L_1} u_1 - \dot{z}_2\n\end{aligned} \tag{26}
$$

From [\(17\)](#page-4-3) and [\(26\)](#page-5-1), the dynamics of χ_1 and χ_2 can be written as follows:

$$
\begin{aligned}\n\dot{\chi}_1 &= -k_1 \chi_1 \\
\dot{\chi}_2 &= -k_2 \chi_2\n\end{aligned} (27)
$$

To prove the closed-loop stability, the following Lyapunov function is considered:

$$
V = \frac{1}{2}\hat{e}_1^2 + \frac{1}{2}\hat{e}_2^2 + \frac{1}{2}\hat{e}_1^2 + \frac{1}{2}\hat{e}_2^2 + \frac{1}{2}\hat{e}_3^2 + \frac{1}{2}\hat{e}_4^2 + \frac{1}{2}\chi_1^2 + \frac{1}{2}\chi_2^2
$$

$$
+ \frac{1}{2\eta}\tilde{\theta}_1^T\tilde{\theta}_2 + \frac{1}{2\eta}\tilde{\theta}_2^T\tilde{\theta}_2 + \frac{1}{2\eta}\tilde{\theta}_3^T\tilde{\theta}_3 + \frac{1}{2\eta}\tilde{\theta}_4^T\tilde{\theta}_4
$$
 (28)

where η is the tuning rate. By taking time derivative of [\(28\)](#page-5-2), one has:

$$
\dot{V} = \hat{e}_1 \dot{\hat{e}}_1 + \hat{e}_2 \dot{\hat{e}}_2 + \tilde{e}_1 \dot{\tilde{e}}_1 + \tilde{e}_2 \dot{\tilde{e}}_2 + \tilde{e}_3 \dot{\tilde{e}}_3 + \tilde{e}_4 \dot{\tilde{e}}_4 \n+ \chi_1 \dot{\chi}_1 + \chi_2 \dot{\chi}_2 - \frac{1}{\eta} \tilde{\theta}_1^T \dot{\theta}_1 - \frac{1}{\eta} \tilde{\theta}_2^T \dot{\theta}_2 \n- \frac{1}{\eta} \tilde{\theta}_3^T \dot{\theta}_3 - \frac{1}{\eta} \tilde{\theta}_4^T \dot{\theta}_4
$$
\n(29)

Substituting \hat{e}_1 and \hat{e}_2 from [\(23\)](#page-4-4), \tilde{e}_i *i* = 1, ..., 4 from [\(25\)](#page-5-3) and $\dot{\chi}_1$ and $\dot{\chi}_2$ from [\(27\)](#page-5-4), yields:

$$
\dot{V} = \hat{e}_1 \left[-\lambda_1 \hat{e}_1 - \frac{\bar{\varepsilon}_3 |\tilde{e}_3| + \bar{\varepsilon}_1 |\tilde{e}_1| + |\tilde{e}_1| |\tilde{e}_4|}{\hat{e}_1 - \delta \text{sign}(\hat{e}_1)} \right]
$$

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$$
+ \hat{e}_2 \left[-\lambda_2 \hat{e}_2 - \frac{\bar{\varepsilon}_4 |\tilde{e}_4| + \bar{\varepsilon}_2 |\tilde{e}_2| + |\tilde{e}_2| |\tilde{e}_3|}{\hat{e}_2 - \delta \text{sign} (\hat{e}_2)} \right] + \tilde{e}_1 \left(\tilde{\theta}_1^T \zeta_1 + \varepsilon_1 + \tilde{e}_4 \right) + \tilde{e}_2 \left(\tilde{\theta}_2^T \zeta_2 + \varepsilon_2 + \tilde{e}_3 \right) + \tilde{e}_3 \left(\tilde{\theta}_3^T \zeta_3 + \varepsilon_3 \right) + \tilde{e}_4 \left(\tilde{\theta}_4^T \zeta_4 + \varepsilon_4 \right) + \chi_1 (-k_1 \chi_1) + \chi_2 (-k_2 \chi_2) - \frac{1}{\eta} \tilde{\theta}_1^T \dot{\theta}_1 - \frac{1}{\eta} \tilde{\theta}_2^T \dot{\theta}_2 - \frac{1}{\eta} \tilde{\theta}_3^T \dot{\theta}_3 - \frac{1}{\eta} \tilde{\theta}_4^T \dot{\theta}_4
$$
\n(30)

Equation [\(30\)](#page-5-5) can be rewritten as follows:

$$
\dot{V} = -\lambda_1 \hat{e}_1^2 - \lambda_2 \hat{e}_2^2 - k_1 \chi_1^2 - k_2 \chi_2^2 \n+ (\varepsilon_1 \tilde{e}_1 + \tilde{e}_1 \tilde{e}_4 + \varepsilon_3 \tilde{e}_3) \n- \hat{e}_1 (\bar{\varepsilon}_3 |\tilde{e}_3| + \bar{\varepsilon}_1 |\tilde{e}_1| + |\tilde{e}_1| |\tilde{e}_4|) / (\hat{e}_1 - \delta \text{sign} (\hat{e}_1)) \n+ (\varepsilon_2 \tilde{e}_2 + \tilde{e}_2 \tilde{e}_3 + \varepsilon_4 \tilde{e}_4) \n- \hat{e}_2 (\bar{\varepsilon}_4 |\tilde{e}_4| + \bar{\varepsilon}_2 |\tilde{e}_2| + |\tilde{e}_2| |\tilde{e}_3|) / (\hat{e}_2 - \delta \text{sign} (\hat{e}_2)) \n+ \tilde{e}_1 \tilde{\theta}_1^T \zeta_1 - \frac{1}{\eta} \tilde{\theta}_1^T \dot{\theta}_1 + \tilde{e}_2 \tilde{\theta}_2^T \zeta_2 - \frac{1}{\eta} \tilde{\theta}_2^T \dot{\theta}_2 \n+ \tilde{e}_3 \tilde{\theta}_3^T \zeta_3 - \frac{1}{\eta} \tilde{\theta}_3^T \dot{\theta}_3 + \tilde{e}_4 \tilde{\theta}_4^T \zeta_4 - \frac{1}{\eta} \tilde{\theta}_4^T \dot{\theta}_4
$$
\n(31)

Substituting the adaptation laws of θ_i , $i = 3, 4$ form [\(18\)](#page-4-3) into [\(31\)](#page-5-6), results in:

$$
\dot{V} = -\lambda_1 \hat{e}_1^2 - \lambda_2 \hat{e}_2^2 - k_1 \chi_1^2 - k_2 \chi_2^2 \n+ (\varepsilon_1 \tilde{e}_1 + \tilde{e}_1 \tilde{e}_4 + \varepsilon_3 \tilde{e}_3) \n- \hat{e}_1 (\bar{\varepsilon}_3 | \tilde{e}_3| + \bar{\varepsilon}_1 | \tilde{e}_1| + |\tilde{e}_1| |\tilde{e}_4|) / (\hat{e}_1 - \delta \text{sign} (\hat{e}_1)) \n+ (\varepsilon_2 \tilde{e}_2 + \tilde{e}_2 \tilde{e}_3 + \varepsilon_4 \tilde{e}_4) \n- \hat{e}_2 (\bar{\varepsilon}_4 | \tilde{e}_4| + \bar{\varepsilon}_2 | \tilde{e}_2| + |\tilde{e}_2| |\tilde{e}_3|) / (\hat{e}_2 - \delta \text{sign} (\hat{e}_2))
$$

From (32) , one has:

$$
\dot{V} \le -\lambda_1 \hat{e}_1^2 - \lambda_2 \hat{e}_2^2 - k_1 \chi_1^2 - k_2 \chi_2^2 \n+ (|\varepsilon_1| |\tilde{e}_1| + |\tilde{e}_1 \tilde{e}_4| + |\varepsilon_3| |\tilde{e}_3|) \n- \hat{e}_1 (\bar{\varepsilon}_3 |\tilde{e}_3| + \bar{\varepsilon}_1 |\tilde{e}_1| + |\tilde{e}_1| |\tilde{e}_4|) / (\hat{e}_1 - \delta \text{sign}(\hat{e}_1)) \n+ (|\varepsilon_2| |\tilde{e}_2| + |\tilde{e}_2 \tilde{e}_3| + |\varepsilon_4| |\tilde{e}_4|) \n- \hat{e}_2 (\bar{\varepsilon}_4 |\tilde{e}_4| + \bar{\varepsilon}_2 |\tilde{e}_2| + |\tilde{e}_2| |\tilde{e}_3|) / (\hat{e}_2 - \delta \text{sign}(\hat{e}_2)) \n(33)
$$

From (33) and considering the fact that:

$$
\begin{aligned}\n\hat{e}_1 / \left(\hat{e}_1 - \delta \text{sign} \left(\hat{e}_1 \right) \right) &\geq 1 \\
\hat{e}_2 / \left(\hat{e}_2 - \delta \text{sign} \left(\hat{e}_2 \right) \right) &\geq 1\n\end{aligned} \tag{34}
$$

One has:

$$
(|\varepsilon_1| |\tilde{e}_1| + |\tilde{e}_1 \tilde{e}_4| + |\varepsilon_3| |\tilde{e}_3|) -
$$

\n
$$
\hat{e}_1 (\bar{\varepsilon}_3 |\tilde{e}_3| + \bar{\varepsilon}_1 |\tilde{e}_1| + |\tilde{e}_1| |\tilde{e}_4|) / (\hat{e}_1 - \delta \text{sign}(\hat{e}_1)) \le 0
$$

\n
$$
(|\varepsilon_2| |\tilde{e}_2| + |\tilde{e}_2 \tilde{e}_3| + |\varepsilon_4| |\tilde{e}_4|) -
$$

\n
$$
\hat{e}_2 (\bar{\varepsilon}_4 |\tilde{e}_4| + \bar{\varepsilon}_2 |\tilde{e}_2| + |\tilde{e}_2| |\tilde{e}_3|) / (\hat{e}_2 - \delta \text{sign}(\hat{e}_2)) \le 0
$$
\n(35)

From [\(35\)](#page-5-9), the inequality [\(33\)](#page-5-8), becomes:

$$
\dot{V} \le -\lambda_1 \hat{e}_1^2 - \lambda_2 \hat{e}_2^2 - k_1 \chi_1^2 - k_2 \chi_2^2 \tag{36}
$$

Since the \hat{e}_1 , \hat{e}_2 , χ_1 and χ_2 are limited, then \ddot{V} is bounded and then on the basis Barbalat's lemma the asymptotic stability is proved and the proof is completed.

5 Simulation

This section presents the examination of the performance of the designed control scheme on an induction motor by 1.5 kW cage rotor and (220–380 V) power supply. The parameters of simulation are given in Tables [1](#page-6-1) and [2.](#page-6-2) The performance of the suggested controller is evaluated in three scenarios, and finally a comparison with other popular control techniques is presented.

Scenario 1 In the first scenario, it is assumed that there is no fault but the dynamics of IM is unknown. The trajectory of output y_1 (rotor speed) is shown in Fig. [4](#page-6-3) and the trajectory

Table 1 The IM parameters

Parameter	Description	Value	Units	
R_r	Rotor resistance		Ω	
$R_{\rm s}$	Stator resistance	1.2	Ω	
$L_{\rm r}$	Rotor inductance	0.1568	H	
$L_{\rm s}$	Stator inductance	0.1554	H	
	Rated speed	1480	rpm	
T_{rN}	Rated load	5	N_m	
$n_{\rm p}$	Number of pole pairs	2		
$M_{\rm sr}$	Mutual inductance	0.15	H	
	Rotor inertia	0.013	kg m^2	

Table 2 The simulation parameters

	$\lambda_i, i = 1, 2$ $k_i, i = 1, 2$ δ		n	$\bar{\varepsilon}_i, i = 1, \ldots, 4$
See (20)	See (17)		See (23) See (18)	See (21)
20	20	0.01	0.1	100

Fig. 4 Scenario 1: the tracking performance of rotor speed

of the second output y_2 (rotor flux) is depicted in Fig. [5.](#page-7-0) The tracking errors e_1 and e_2 are shown in Figs. [6](#page-7-1) and [7,](#page-7-2) respectively. The trajectories of the direct component and the quadrature component of the stator current are given in Figs. [8](#page-7-3) and [9,](#page-7-4) respectively. The direct component and the quadrature component of the control signals are provided in Figs. [10](#page-8-0) and [11.](#page-8-1) One can see that the trajectories of y_1 and *y*² are well reached to the reference values in a finite time.

Scenario 2 In second scenario in addition to the fact that dynamics of IM is unknown, the main faults, such as perturbation in the rotor resistance and sudden changes of load torque, are considered as below. The perturbation of the rotor resistance is considered as $R_r = R_{rN} (2 - \exp(-1.5t)),$ where R_{rN} represents the nominal case of R_r and the load torque is assumed to be suddenly changed from $(5 N_m)$ at $t = 3$ s as depicted in Fig. [12.](#page-8-2) The rotor speed y_1 is given in Fig. 13 , and the trajectory of the second output y_2 (rotor flux) is depicted in Fig. [14.](#page-8-4) The tracking errors e_1 and e_2 are shown in Figs. [15](#page-9-0) and [16,](#page-9-1) respectively. The trajectories of the stator current (direct component and the quadrature component) are given in Figs. [17](#page-9-2) and [18.](#page-9-3) The direct/quadrature component of input voltage is displayed in Fig. [19/](#page-9-4)Fig. [20.](#page-10-4) One can see that the proposed controller could overcome the changes of the load torque, and variation of rotor resistance and the trajectories of rotor speed y_1 and rotor flux y_2 well track the desired reference under faulty conditions.

Scenario 3 In third scenario in addition to the unknown dynamics of IM and presence of the main faults such as considered in Scenario 2, the measurement errors are also considered. The measurement errors are considered to white noise that are added to the output signals. The results are given in Table [3.](#page-10-5) One can see that the proposed controller using GT2FS and non-singleton fuzzification could better overcome the measurement errors, changes of the load torque and variation of rotor resistance, in contrast to T1FS, IT2FS and singleton fuzzification.

Comparison To demonstrate the capability of the suggested controller, a comparison with the other control techniques is provided. The control methods such as the fault tolerant control method (FTAC) (Feki[h](#page-11-36) [2008\)](#page-11-36), field oriented control approach (FOC) (Feki[h](#page-11-36) [2008\)](#page-11-36), the adaptive sliding mode controller (ASMC) (Dong et al[.](#page-11-37) [2016](#page-11-37)) and type-2 fuzzy sliding

Table 3 Scenario 3: comparison of root-mean-square error in the presence of different level of measurement errors

Noise Variance	Fuzzification	Fuzzy system	\hat{e}_1	\hat{e}_2
$\overline{0}$	Singleton	T _{1FS}	4.877	0.057
		IT _{2FS}	4.871	0.048
		GT _{2FS}	4.850	0.041
	Non-singleton	T _{1FS}	4.986	0.052
		IT _{2FS}	4.962	0.141
		GT _{2FS}	4.861	0.051
0.001	Singleton	T _{1FS}	5.931	0.079
		IT _{2FS}	5.822	0.073
		GT2FS	4.871	0.059
	Non-singleton	T _{1FS}	5.716	0.069
		IT ₂ F _S	5.042	0.067
		GT _{2FS}	4.868	0.057
0.05	Singleton	T _{1FS}	7.881	0.271
		IT _{2FS}	6.171	0.201
		GT _{2FS}	5.975	0.174
	Non-singleton	T _{1FS}	5.784	0.197
		IT _{2FS}	5.235	0.138
		GT2FS	5.168	0.137

Table 4 Comparison of the root-mean-square of the tracking error for different control methods

mode control technique (T2FSC) (Masumpoor and Khanesa[r](#page-11-38) [2015\)](#page-11-38) are considered. The root-mean-square errors (RMSEs) of different control approaches are provided in Table [4.](#page-10-6) One can see that suggested method performance is more better than the other techniques. It must be taken to account that in contrary to the other approaches, the mathematical dynamics model of the IM is considered to be fully unknown in the suggested control method.

6 Conclusion

In this paper, a new robust control approach is proposed for the control of induction motors (IM) based on the generalized type-2 fuzzy system. The dynamics of IM is unknown and is disturbed by the changes in rotor resistance and load torque. A new robust compensator is proposed to cope with approximation errors and disturbances. The type-2 fuzzy systems are optimized through the adaptation laws that are derived from Lyapunov robustness analysis. The simulations exhibit that the suggested controller has good and desired performance. Also the comparison with some other control techniques verify the strong effectiveness of the suggested control method. Furthermore, the comparison of the tracking performance of the suggested control system with other kind of fuzzy systems and fuzzification methods demonstrates that the suggested fuzzy control system has better capability in the presence of measurement errors, abrupt faults and unknown time-varying dynamics. The main limitation is that the actuator failures have not been considered. For our future studies, this problem in practical application is taken to account. .

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