

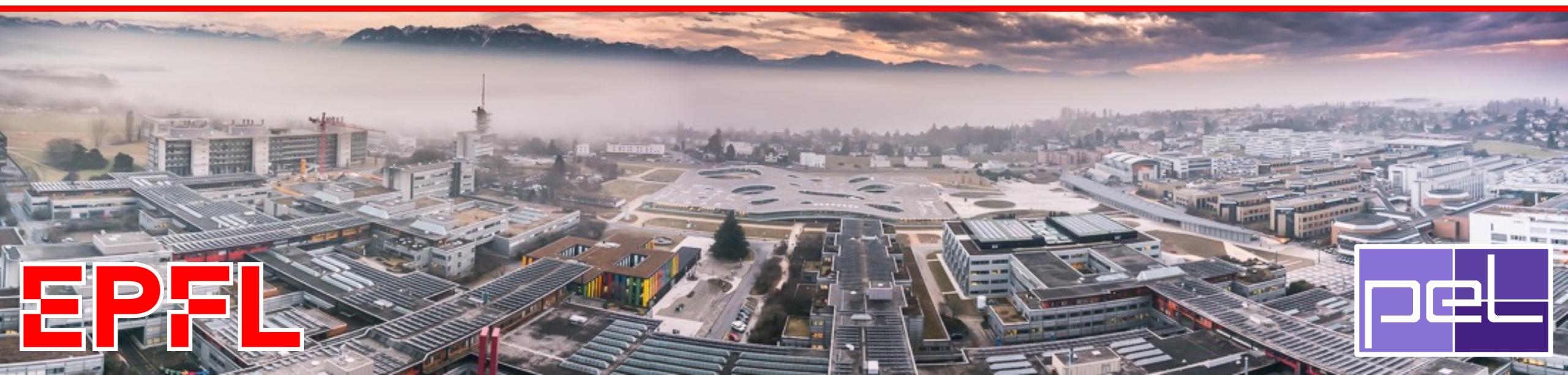
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# ELECTROMECHANICAL

# ENERGY CONVERSION

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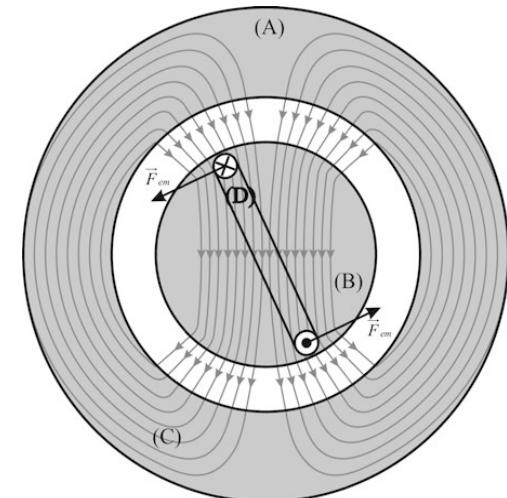
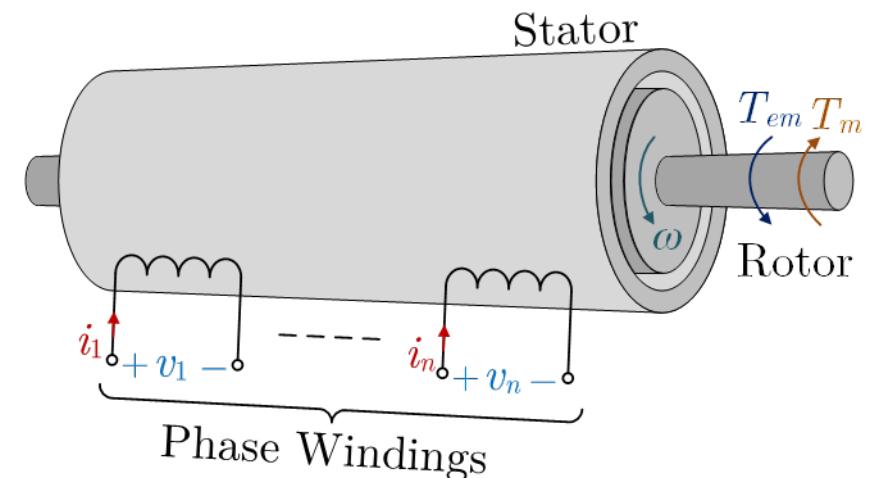
# **FUNDAMENTALS OF ELECTROMECHANICAL CONVERSION THEORY**

**Electrical Equations, Mechanical Equations,  
Electromagnetic Energy and Co-energy**

# MODEL OF A ROTATING MACHINE

We will mainly consider electrical machines of cylindrical shape:

- The stator form usually resembles that of a hollow cylinder
- The rotor form can vary for different types, and is inserted into the stator, and can rotate
- The rotor shaft extends out of the machine and serves as a mechanical connection of the work machine
- Both the stator and rotor are made of ferromagnetic material and separated by an air gap
- Both the stator and rotor contain windings and/or permanent magnets that create fields
- Electromagnetic torque is created due to the interaction between the stator and rotor field
- This electromagnetic torque acts on the rotor and turns it into rotation



# ELECTRICAL EQUATIONS

Faraday-Neumann Law

$$\oint_{\gamma} \vec{E} \cdot \hat{t} \cdot dl = - \iint_{S_{\gamma}} \frac{\partial \vec{B}}{\partial t} \cdot \hat{n} \cdot dS$$

$$v_k = R_k \cdot i_k + \frac{d\phi_k}{dt}$$

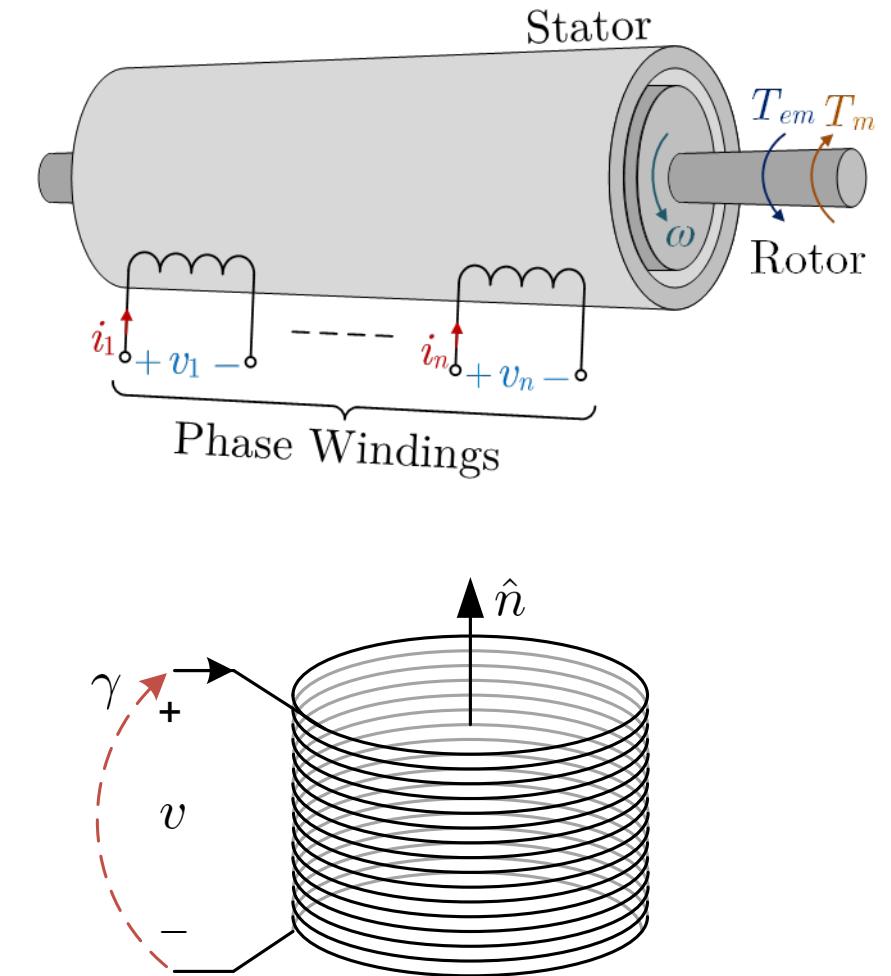
Annotations for the equation:

- Winding Voltage:  $v_k$
- Winding Current:  $i_k$
- Resistive Drop:  $R_k \cdot i_k$
- Back-EMF:  $\frac{d\phi_k}{dt}$
- Flux Linkage:  $\phi_k$

(for each  $k$ -th winding)

(Note: the “-” sign is canceled by using passive sign notation)

$$\mathbf{v} = \mathbf{R} \cdot \mathbf{i} + \frac{d\phi}{dt} \quad (\text{in vector form})$$



# MECHANICAL EQUATIONS

Mechanical Angle

$$\frac{d\theta}{dt} = \omega$$

Angular Speed

Moment of Inertia

$$J \cdot \frac{d\omega}{dt}$$

Angular Acceleration

Friction Coefficient

$$F(\omega) \cdot \omega$$

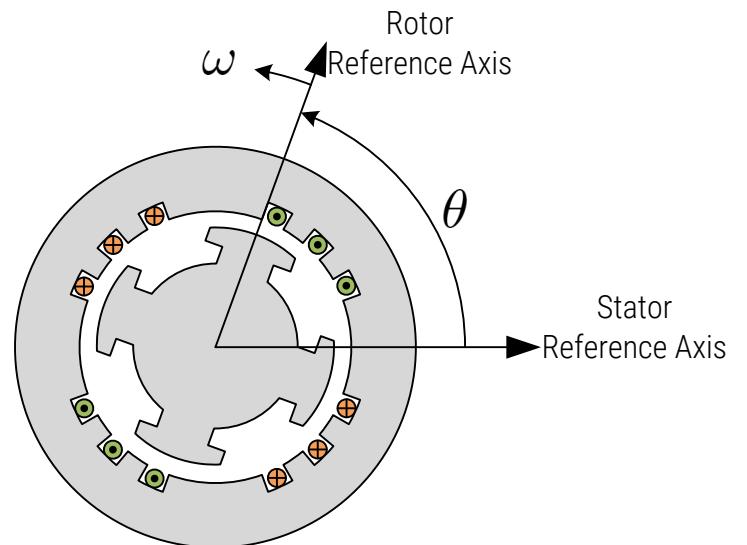
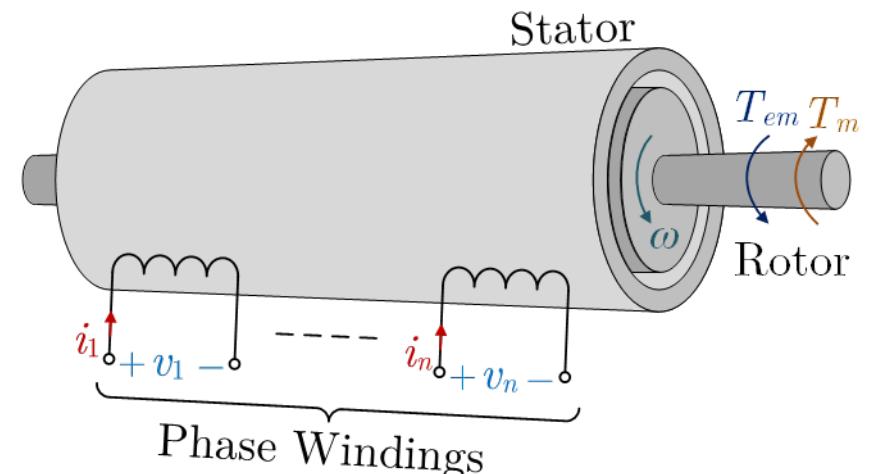
Friction

Electromagnetic Torque

$$T_{em} - T_m$$

Loading/Braking Torque

(Note: positive electromagnetic torque if “motoring” mode)



# ELECTRIC MACHINE AS ELECTROMECHANICAL CONVERTER

Dynamical model of the machine

$$\begin{aligned} v &= R \cdot i + \frac{d\phi}{dt} \quad \text{Unknown} \\ \frac{d\theta}{dt} &= \omega \\ J \cdot \frac{d\omega}{dt} + F(\omega) \cdot \omega &= T_{em} - T_m \end{aligned}$$

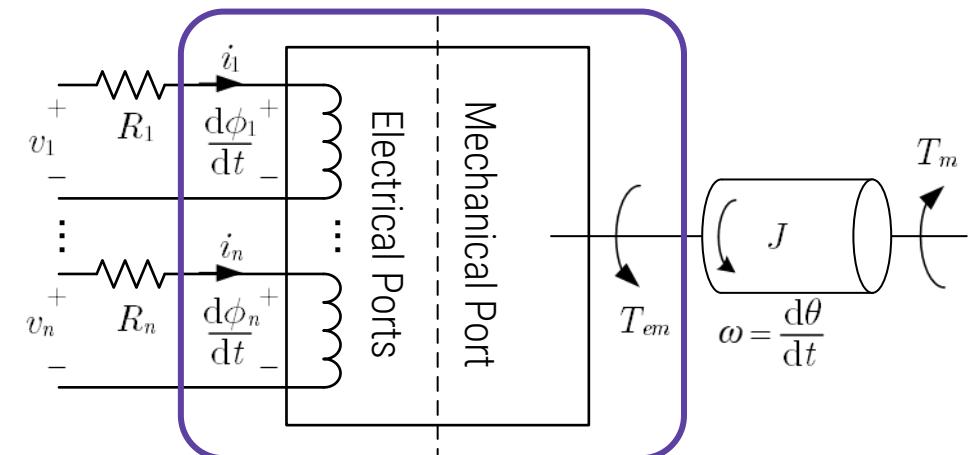
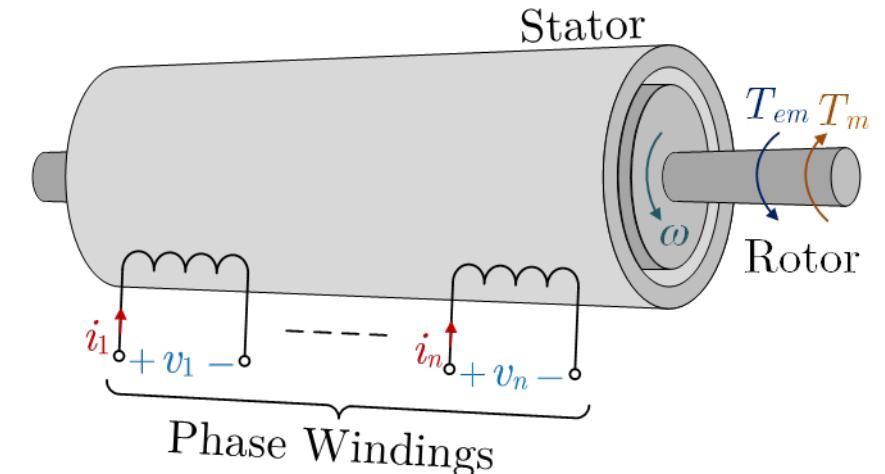
**Fluxes, Rotor Angle** and **Rotor Angular Speed** are the **State Variables**

**Voltages** and **Loading Torque** are the **System Inputs**

**Currents** and **Electromagnetic Torque** are the **System Outputs**

We need to find expressions for the fluxes and for the electromagnetic torque

$$\phi_1 = \phi_1(\text{?}) \quad \dots \quad \phi_n = \phi_n(\text{?}) \quad T_{em} = T_{em}(\text{?})$$



# ENERGY-BASED ELECTROMECHANICAL MODEL

By energy conservation principle

$$P_{in} = P_{out} + \frac{dW}{dt} + P_{loss}$$

Power Input      Power Output      Change of Stored Energy  
Internal Losses

Power Input (from electrical ports)

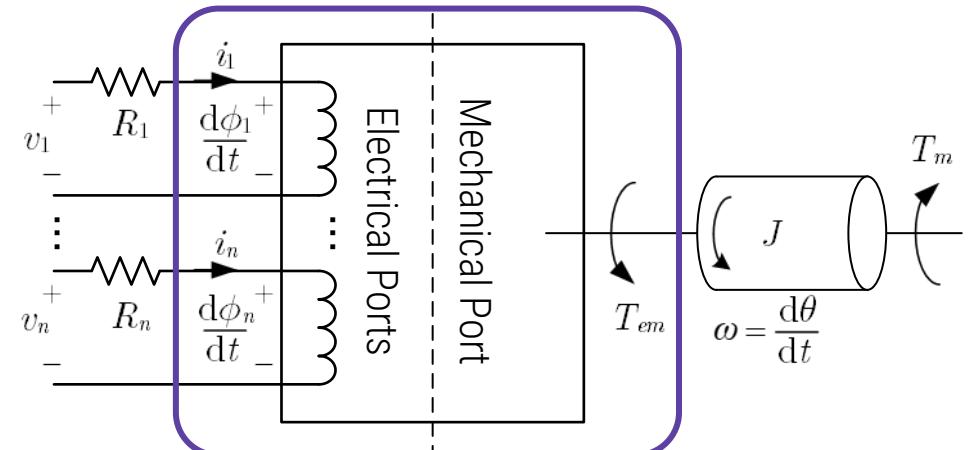
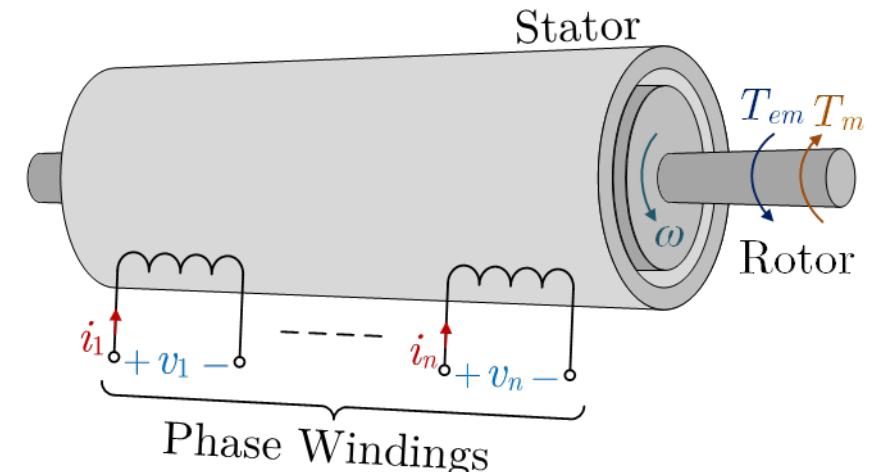
$$P_{in} = i_1 \cdot \frac{d\phi_1}{dt} + \cdots + i_n \cdot \frac{d\phi_n}{dt}$$
$$= \sum_{k=1}^N i_k \cdot \frac{d\phi_k}{dt} = \mathbf{i}^T \cdot \frac{d\phi}{dt}$$

Internal stored energy is  
only Electromagnetic  
Energy       $W = W_{em}$

Power Output (from mechanical port)

$$P_{out} = T_{em} \cdot \omega = T_{em} \cdot \frac{d\theta}{dt}$$

Internal losses are neglected (they can be added in a second modeling stage)



# ENERGY-BASED ELECTROMECHANICAL MODEL

By energy conservation principle

$$\frac{dW_{em}}{dt} = i_1 \cdot \frac{d\phi_1}{dt} + \cdots + i_n \cdot \frac{d\phi_n}{dt} - T_{em} \cdot \frac{d\theta}{dt}$$

The **Electromagnetic Energy** stored in the machine is a **State Function**

It depends on the **State Variables** of the system

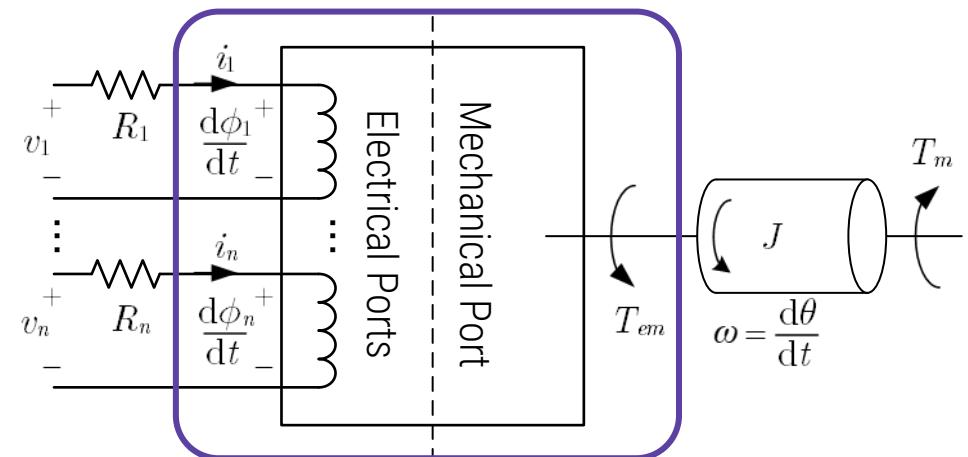
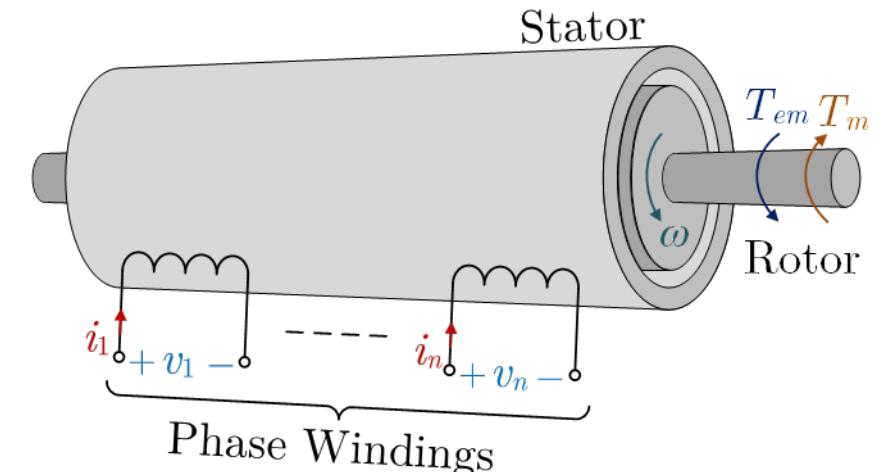
$$W_{em} = W_{em}(\phi_1, \dots, \phi_n, \theta)$$

The time derivative can be computed with the chain rule

$$\frac{dW_{em}}{dt} = \frac{\partial W_{em}}{\partial \phi_1} \cdot \frac{d\phi_1}{dt} + \cdots + \frac{\partial W_{em}}{\partial \phi_n} \cdot \frac{d\phi_n}{dt} + \frac{\partial W_{em}}{\partial \theta} \cdot \frac{d\theta}{dt}$$

By comparing the two expressions, we obtain

$$i_1 = \frac{\partial W_{em}}{\partial \phi_1} \quad \dots \quad i_n = \frac{\partial W_{em}}{\partial \phi_n} \quad T_{em} = -\frac{\partial W_{em}}{\partial \theta}$$



# ENERGY-BASED ELECTROMECHANICAL MODEL

By energy conservation principle

$$T_{em} = -\frac{\partial W_{em}}{\partial \theta}$$

$$i_1 = \frac{\partial W_{em}}{\partial \phi_1} \quad \dots \quad i_n = \frac{\partial W_{em}}{\partial \phi_n}$$

If we find a closed-form expression of the electromagnetic energy

$$W_{em} = W_{em}(\phi_1, \dots, \phi_n, \theta)$$



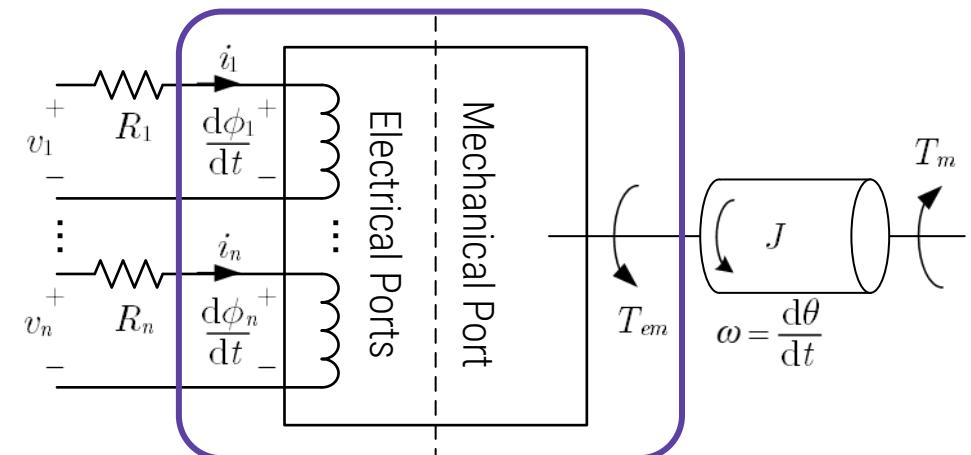
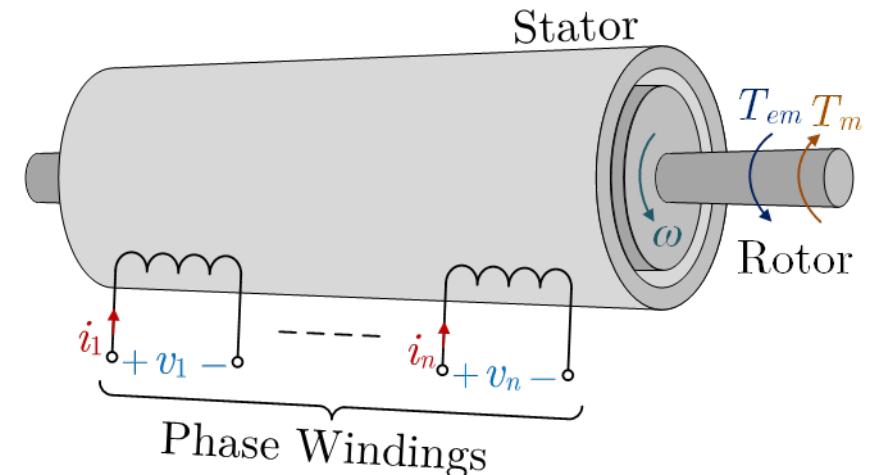
The electromagnetic torque is the derivative of the energy with respect to the rotor angle (with negative sign)



The phase currents are the derivative of the energy with respect to the flux linkages



But we want the expressions of the fluxes



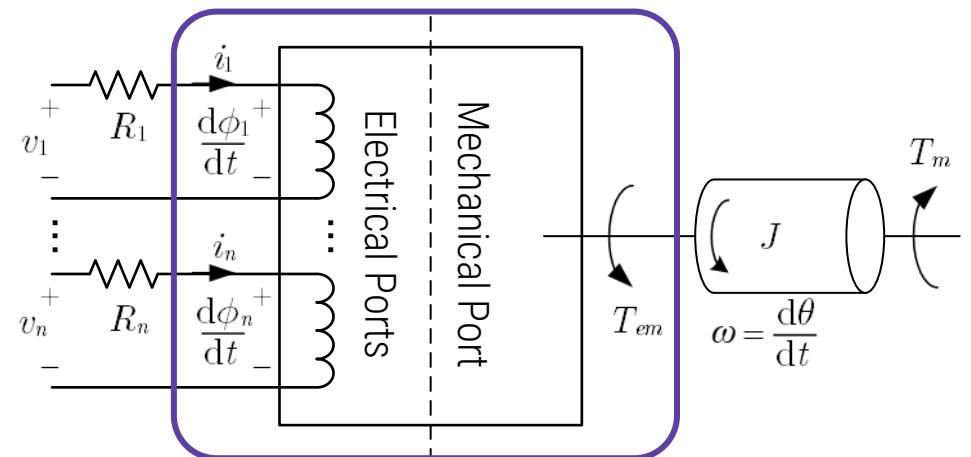
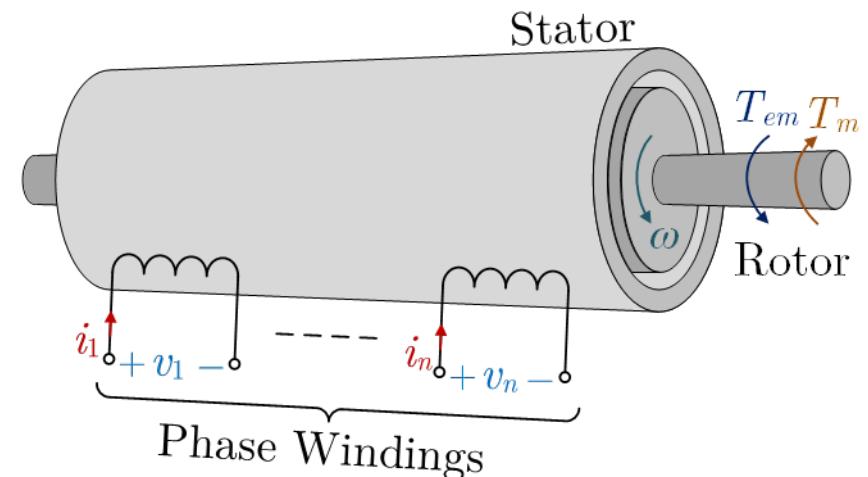
# COENERGY-BASED ELECTROMECHANICAL MODEL

We define another **State Function**, named **Electromagnetic Coenergy**

$$\begin{aligned} W'_{em} &= \mathbf{i}^T \cdot \boldsymbol{\phi} - W_{em} \\ &= i_1 \cdot \phi_1 + \cdots + i_n \cdot \phi_n - W_{em} \end{aligned}$$

The time derivative of the coenergy can be found as:

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dW'_{em}}{dt} &= i_1 \cdot \frac{d\phi_1}{dt} + \cdots + i_n \cdot \frac{d\phi_n}{dt} + \cdots \\ &\quad \cdots + \frac{di_1}{dt} \cdot \phi_1 + \cdots + \frac{di_n}{dt} \cdot \phi_n - \frac{dW_{em}}{dt} \\ &= \frac{di_1}{dt} \cdot \phi_1 + \cdots + \frac{di_n}{dt} \cdot \phi_n + T_{em} \cdot \frac{d\theta}{dt} \end{aligned}$$



# COENERGY-BASED ELECTROMECHANICAL MODEL

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$$\frac{dW'_{em}}{dt} = \frac{di_1}{dt} \cdot \phi_1 + \cdots + \frac{di_n}{dt} \cdot \phi_n + T_{em} \cdot \frac{d\theta}{dt}$$

The coenergy is, by definition, a function of currents and angle

$$W'_{em} = W'_{em} (i_1, \dots, i_n, \theta)$$

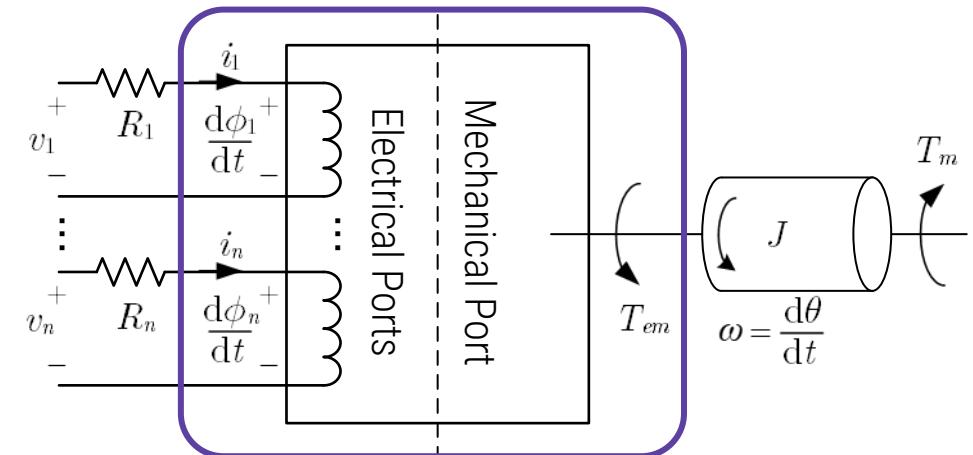
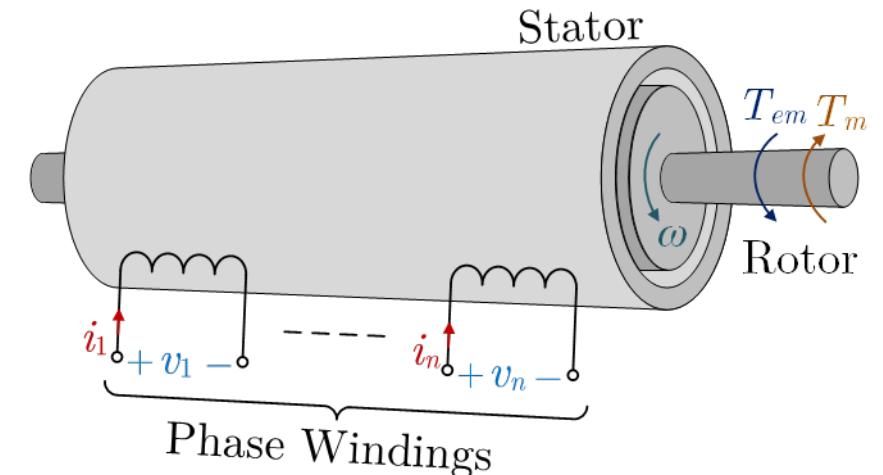
(we have changed the state variables of the system)

The time derivative can be computed with the chain rule

$$\frac{dW'_{em}}{dt} = \frac{\partial W'_{em}}{\partial i_1} \cdot \frac{di_1}{dt} + \cdots + \frac{\partial W'_{em}}{\partial i_n} \cdot \frac{di_n}{dt} + \frac{\partial W'_{em}}{\partial \theta} \cdot \frac{d\theta}{dt}$$

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$$\phi_1 = \frac{\partial W'_{em}}{\partial i_1} \quad \dots \quad \phi_n = \frac{\partial W'_{em}}{\partial i_n} \quad T_{em} = \frac{\partial W'_{em}}{\partial \theta}$$



# COENERGY-BASED ELECTROMECHANICAL MODEL

By introducing the **Electromagnetic Coenergy**, we obtain:

$$T_{em} = \frac{\partial W'_{em}}{\partial \theta}$$

$$\phi_1 = \frac{\partial W'_{em}}{\partial i_1} \quad \dots \quad \phi_n = \frac{\partial W'_{em}}{\partial i_n}$$

If we find a closed-form expression of the electromagnetic coenergy

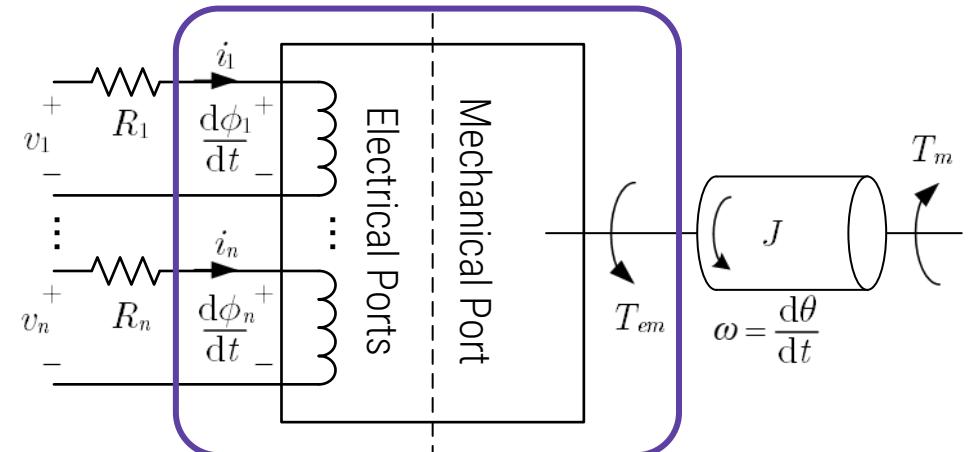
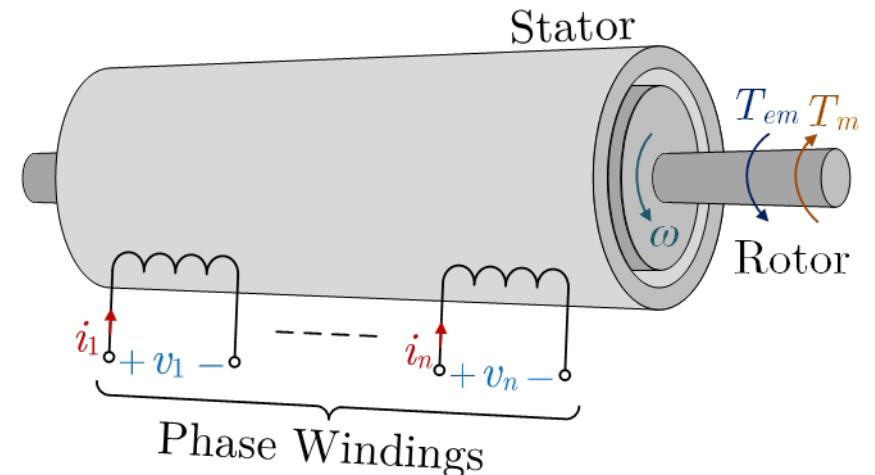
$$W'_{em} = W'_{em} (i_1, \dots, i_n, \theta)$$



The electromagnetic torque is the derivative of the coenergy with respect to the rotor angle (no negative sign)



The flux linkages are the derivative of the coenergy with respect to the phase currents



# ENERGY AND COENERGY COMPARISONS

By using the Electromagnetic Energy:

$$W_{em} = W_{em} (\underbrace{\phi_1, \dots, \phi_n, \theta}_{\text{(Note: function of the flux linkages)}})$$

(Note: function of the flux linkages)

The electromagnetic torque is

$$T_{em} = -\frac{\partial W_{em}}{\partial \theta}$$

The currents are found from the flux linkages

$$i_1 = \frac{\partial W_{em}}{\partial \phi_1} \quad \dots \quad i_n = \frac{\partial W_{em}}{\partial \phi_n}$$

By using the Electromagnetic Coenergy:

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(Note: function of the currents)

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The flux linkages are found from the currents

$$\phi_1 = \frac{\partial W'_{em}}{\partial i_1} \quad \dots \quad \phi_n = \frac{\partial W'_{em}}{\partial i_n}$$



These results are of general validity



We need to find the analytical expressions of energy and coenergy

# MAGNETIC MODEL

A small insight in the electromagnetism theory

# ENERGY AND COENERGY DENSITIES



We need to find the analytical expressions of energy and coenergy

In the volume occupied by the machine:

$$W_{em} = \iiint_{V_{em}} w_{em} dV$$

Electromagnetic Energy Density

$$W'_{em} = \iiint_{V_{em}} w'_{em} dV$$

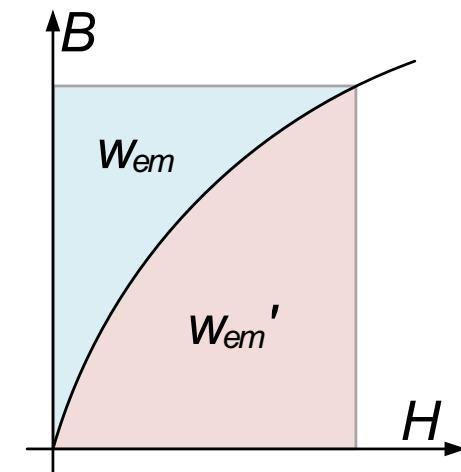
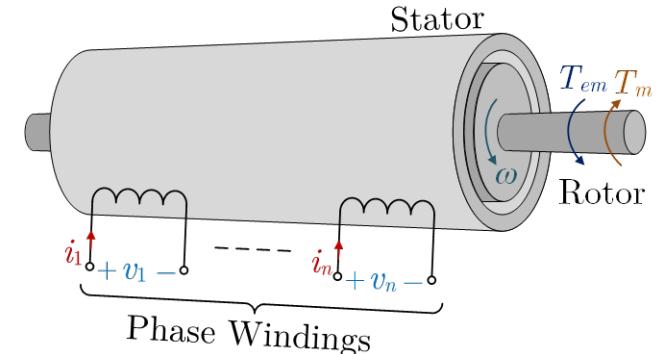
Electromagnetic Coenergy Density

$$w_{em} = \int \vec{H}(\vec{B}) \cdot d\vec{B}$$

$$w'_{em} = \int \vec{B}(\vec{H}) \cdot d\vec{H}$$



The energy and coenergy density depend (in each point of space) on the B-H characteristics of the material



# MATERIALS IN ELECTRIC MACHINES

We need to examine different materials in the machine

$$w_{em} = \int \vec{H}(\vec{B}) \cdot d\vec{B}$$

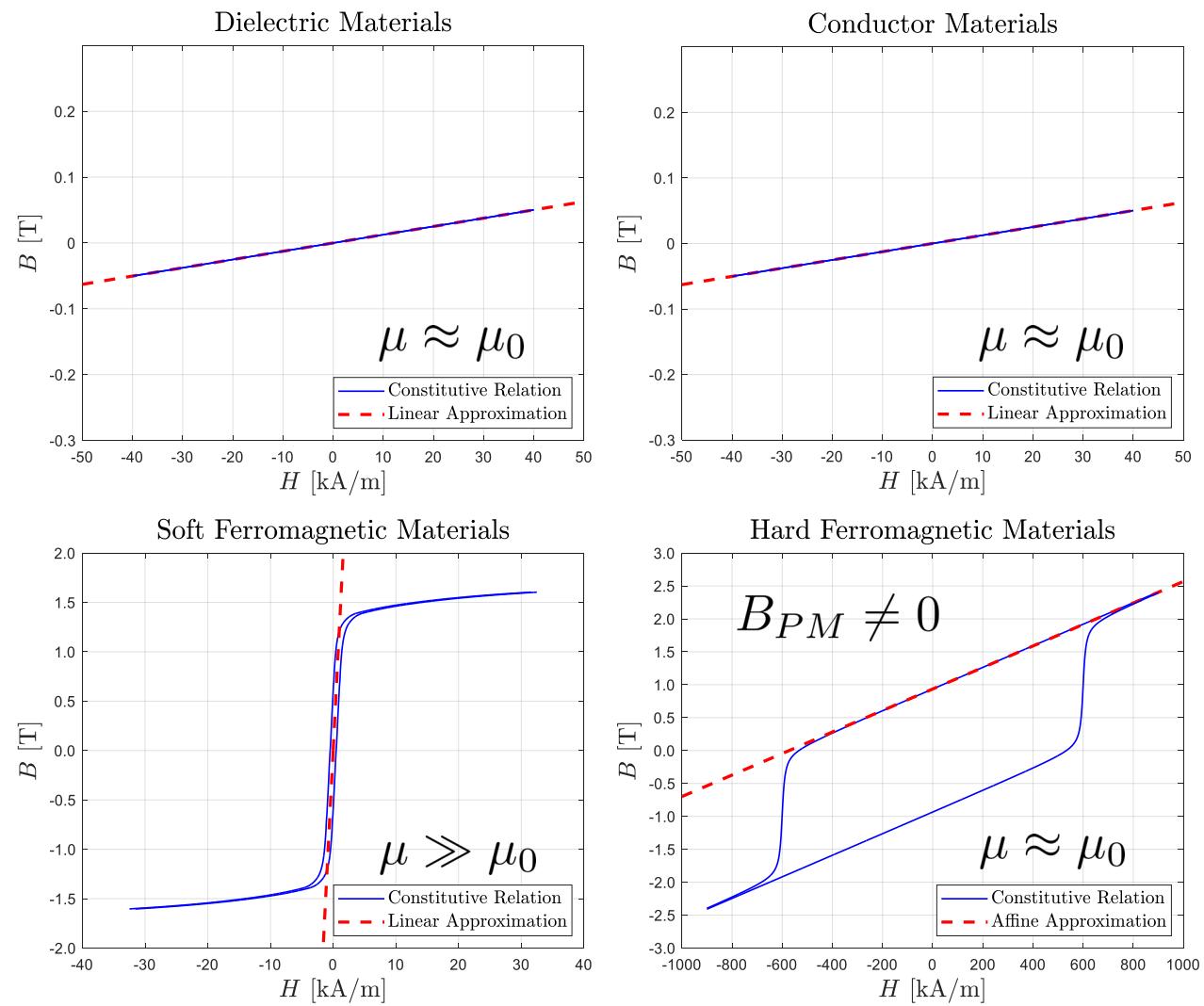
$$w'_{em} = \int \vec{B}(\vec{H}) \cdot d\vec{H}$$

The materials in electric machines can be distinguished in:

- **Dielectric Materials** (air and insulating materials)
- **Conductor Materials** (copper or aluminum for windings)
- **Soft Ferromagnetic Materials** (iron for stator/rotor cores)
- **Hard Ferromagnetic Materials** (permanent magnets)

For simplicity, their **B-H characteristic is linearized**

$$\vec{B} = \underbrace{\mu \vec{H}}_{\text{Magnetic Permeability}} + \underbrace{\vec{B}_{PM}}_{\text{Permanent Magnetization}} \quad (\text{affine characteristics})$$



# ENERGY AND COENERGY IN LINEAR (OR AFFINE) MATERIALS

For simplicity, their B-H characteristic is linearized

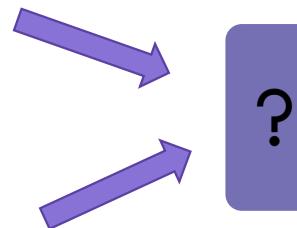
$$\vec{B} = \mu \vec{H} + \vec{B}_{PM} \quad (\text{affine characteristics})$$

The **electromagnetic energy density** is simplified to

$$w_{em} = \int \vec{H} \cdot d\vec{B} = \int \vec{H} \cdot d(\mu \vec{H} + \vec{B}_{PM}) = \int \mu \vec{H} \cdot d\vec{H} = \frac{1}{2} \mu H^2$$

The **electromagnetic coenergy density** is simplified to

$$w'_{em} = \int \vec{B} \cdot d\vec{H} = \int \vec{B} \cdot d\left(\frac{\vec{B}}{\mu} - \frac{\vec{B}_{PM}}{\mu}\right) = \int \frac{1}{\mu} \vec{B} \cdot d\vec{B} = \frac{1}{2} \frac{B^2}{\mu}$$



We need to find an expression of B and H in each point of space

→ Energy and Coenergy densities are equal in absence of permanent magnetization (in the linear hypothesis)

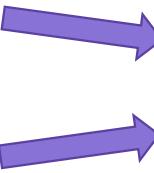


They are different in presence of permanent magnetization

# MAGNETOQUASISTATIC MODEL OF THE MACHINE

$$w_{em} = \frac{1}{2} \mu H^2$$

$$w'_{em} = \frac{1}{2} \frac{B^2}{\mu}$$



We need to find an expression of B and H in each point of space

For each rotor position  $\theta$ , the fields B and H can be found by solving the magnetoquasistatic (MQS) problem:

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \iint_{S_\tau} \vec{B} \cdot \hat{n} \, dS = 0 \quad (\text{Gauss's law}) \\ \oint_{\gamma} \vec{H} \cdot \hat{t} \, dl = \iint_{S_\gamma} \vec{J}_f \cdot \hat{n} \, dS \quad (\text{Ampere's law}) \\ \vec{B} = \mu \vec{H} + \vec{B}_{PM} \quad (\text{material characteristics}) \\ \vec{J}_f = \sum_{k=1}^n i_k \cdot \vec{j}_{f,k} \quad (\text{distribution of windings currents}) \end{array} \right.$$

The system is linear  
Superposition  
Principle

$$\vec{H} = \vec{H}^{(0)} + \sum_{k=1}^n \vec{h}^{(k)} \cdot i_k$$

Contribution of the Permanent Magnets      Contribution of the Phase Currents

$$\vec{B} = \vec{B}^{(0)} + \sum_{k=1}^n \vec{b}^{(k)} \cdot i_k$$

(Note: each coefficient depends on the rotor position  $\theta$ )

# TOTAL ENERGY AND COENERGY IN THE MACHINE

$$\vec{H} = \vec{H}^{(0)} + \sum_{k=1}^n \vec{h}^{(k)} \cdot i_k \quad \rightarrow \quad w_{em} = \frac{1}{2} \mu H^2 \quad \rightarrow \quad W_{em} = \iiint_{V_{em}} w_{em} \, dV$$

$$\vec{B} = \vec{B}^{(0)} + \sum_{k=1}^n \vec{b}^{(k)} \cdot i_k \quad \rightarrow \quad w'_{em} = \frac{1}{2} \frac{B^2}{\mu} \quad \rightarrow \quad W'_{em} = \iiint_{V_{em}} w'_{em} \, dV$$

The **total energy and coenergy** in the machine are:

$$W_{em} = \underbrace{W_{em}^{(0)}}_{\text{Contribution independent from the currents}} + \sum_{k=1}^n \underbrace{[W_{em,k}^{(1)} \cdot i_k]}_{\text{Contribution linearly varying with the currents}} + \sum_{k_1=1}^n \sum_{k_2=1}^n \underbrace{[W_{em,k_1,k_2}^{(2)} \cdot i_{k_1} \cdot i_{k_2}]}_{\text{Contribution quadratically varying with the currents}}$$



We have found a closed form of the energy and coenergy in the electric machine

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(Note: each coefficient depends on the rotor position  $\theta$ )

# GENERAL MACHINE MODEL

Generalizing the results

# ENERGY AND COENERGY COMPARISONS

By using the Electromagnetic Energy:

$$W_{em} = W_{em} (\underbrace{\phi_1, \dots, \phi_n, \theta}_{\text{(Note: function of the flux linkages)}})$$

(Note: function of the flux linkages)

The electromagnetic torque is

$$T_{em} = -\frac{\partial W_{em}}{\partial \theta}$$

The currents are found from the flux linkages

$$i_1 = \frac{\partial W_{em}}{\partial \phi_1} \quad \dots \quad i_n = \frac{\partial W_{em}}{\partial \phi_n}$$

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# FLUX LINKAGES EXPRESSION

By using the Electromagnetic Coenergy:

$$W'_{em} = W'_{em}(i_1, \dots, i_n, \theta) = W'_{em}^{(0)}(\theta) + \sum_{k=1}^n [W'_{em,k}^{(1)}(\theta) \cdot i_k] + \sum_{k_1=1}^n \sum_{k_2=1}^n [W'_{em,k_1,k_2}^{(2)}(\theta) \cdot i_{k_1} \cdot i_{k_2}]$$

The flux linkages are found from the currents

$$\phi_1 = \frac{\partial W'_{em}}{\partial i_1} = W'_{em,1}^{(1)}(\theta) + \sum_{k_2=1}^n [2W'_{em,1,k_2}^{(2)}(\theta) \cdot i_{k_2}] = \psi_{PM,1}(\theta) + \sum_{k_2=1}^n [L_{1,k_2}(\theta) \cdot i_{k_2}]$$

...

$$\phi_n = \frac{\partial W'_{em}}{\partial i_n} = W'_{em,n}^{(1)}(\theta) + \sum_{k_2=1}^n [2W'_{em,n,k_2}^{(2)}(\theta) \cdot i_{k_2}] = \psi_{PM,n}(\theta) + \sum_{k_2=1}^n [L_{n,k_2}(\theta) \cdot i_{k_2}]$$

# FLUX LINKAGES EXPRESSION

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The flux linkages are found from the currents

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Total flux linkages

Inductance Matrix

$\phi = \underbrace{\psi_{PM}(\theta)}_{\text{PM Induced Flux Linkages}} + \underbrace{\mathbf{L}(\theta) \cdot \mathbf{i}}_{\text{Currents Induced Flux Linkages}}$

(Note: each coefficient depends on the rotor position  $\theta$ )

(Note: the Inductance Matrix is Symmetric and Positive Definite)

# INDUCED BACK-EMFS EXPRESSION

By using the Electromagnetic Coenergy:

$$W'_{em} = W'_{em}(i_1, \dots, i_n, \theta) = W'_{em}^{(0)}(\theta) + \sum_{k=1}^n [\psi_{PM,k}(\theta) \cdot i_k] + \sum_{k_1=1}^n \sum_{k_2=1}^n [L_{k_1,k_2}(\theta) \cdot i_{k_1} \cdot i_{k_2}]$$

The flux linkages are expressed as:

$$\phi = \psi_{PM}(\theta) + \mathbf{L}(\theta) \cdot \mathbf{i}$$

From the electrical equations:

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{v} = \mathbf{R} \cdot \mathbf{i} + \frac{d\phi}{dt} &= \mathbf{R} \cdot \mathbf{i} + \frac{d\psi_{PM}}{dt} + \frac{d\mathbf{L}}{dt} \cdot \mathbf{i} + \mathbf{L}(\theta) \cdot \frac{d\mathbf{i}}{dt} \\ &= \underbrace{\mathbf{R} \cdot \mathbf{i}}_{\text{Resistive Drop}} + \underbrace{\omega \cdot \left[ \frac{\partial \psi_{PM}}{\partial \theta} + \frac{\partial \mathbf{L}}{\partial \theta} \cdot \mathbf{i} \right]}_{\text{Motional-Induced Back-EMFs}} + \underbrace{\mathbf{L}(\theta) \cdot \frac{d\mathbf{i}}{dt}}_{\text{Transformer-Induced Back-EMFs}} \end{aligned}$$

# ELECTROMAGNETIC TORQUE EXPRESSION

By using the Electromagnetic Coenergy:

$$\begin{aligned} W'_{em} = W'_{em}(i_1, \dots, i_n, \theta) &= W'_{em}^{(0)}(\theta) + \sum_{k=1}^n [\psi_{PM,k}(\theta) \cdot i_k] + \sum_{k_1=1}^n \sum_{k_2=1}^n [L_{k_1,k_2}(\theta) \cdot i_{k_1} \cdot i_{k_2}] \\ &= W'_{em}^{(0)}(\theta) + \psi_{PM}^T(\theta) \cdot \mathbf{i} + \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{i}^T \cdot \mathbf{L}(\theta) \cdot \mathbf{i} \end{aligned}$$

The electromagnetic torque is

$$\begin{aligned} T_{em} &= \frac{\partial W'_{em}}{\partial \theta} = \frac{\partial W'_{em}^{(0)}}{\partial \theta} + \sum_{k=1}^n \left[ \frac{\partial \psi_{PM,k}}{\partial \theta} \cdot i_k \right] + \sum_{k_1=1}^n \sum_{k_2=1}^n \left[ \frac{\partial L_{k_1,k_2}}{\partial \theta} \cdot i_{k_1} \cdot i_{k_2} \right] \\ &= \underbrace{\frac{\partial W'_{em}^{(0)}}{\partial \theta}}_{\substack{\text{Contribution} \\ \text{independent} \\ \text{from the} \\ \text{currents}}} + \underbrace{\frac{\partial \psi_{PM}^T}{\partial \theta} \cdot \mathbf{i}}_{\substack{\text{Contribution} \\ \text{linearly} \\ \text{varying with} \\ \text{the currents}}} + \underbrace{\frac{1}{2} \mathbf{i}^T \cdot \frac{\partial \mathbf{L}}{\partial \theta} \cdot \mathbf{i}}_{\substack{\text{Contribution} \\ \text{quadratically} \\ \text{varying with} \\ \text{the currents}}} \\ &\quad \text{Magnets only related torque} \quad \text{Interaction Currents/Magnets} \quad \text{Interaction Currents/Currents} \end{aligned}$$

# ELECTROMAGNETIC TORQUE PRODUCTION MECHANISMS

The electromagnetic torque is

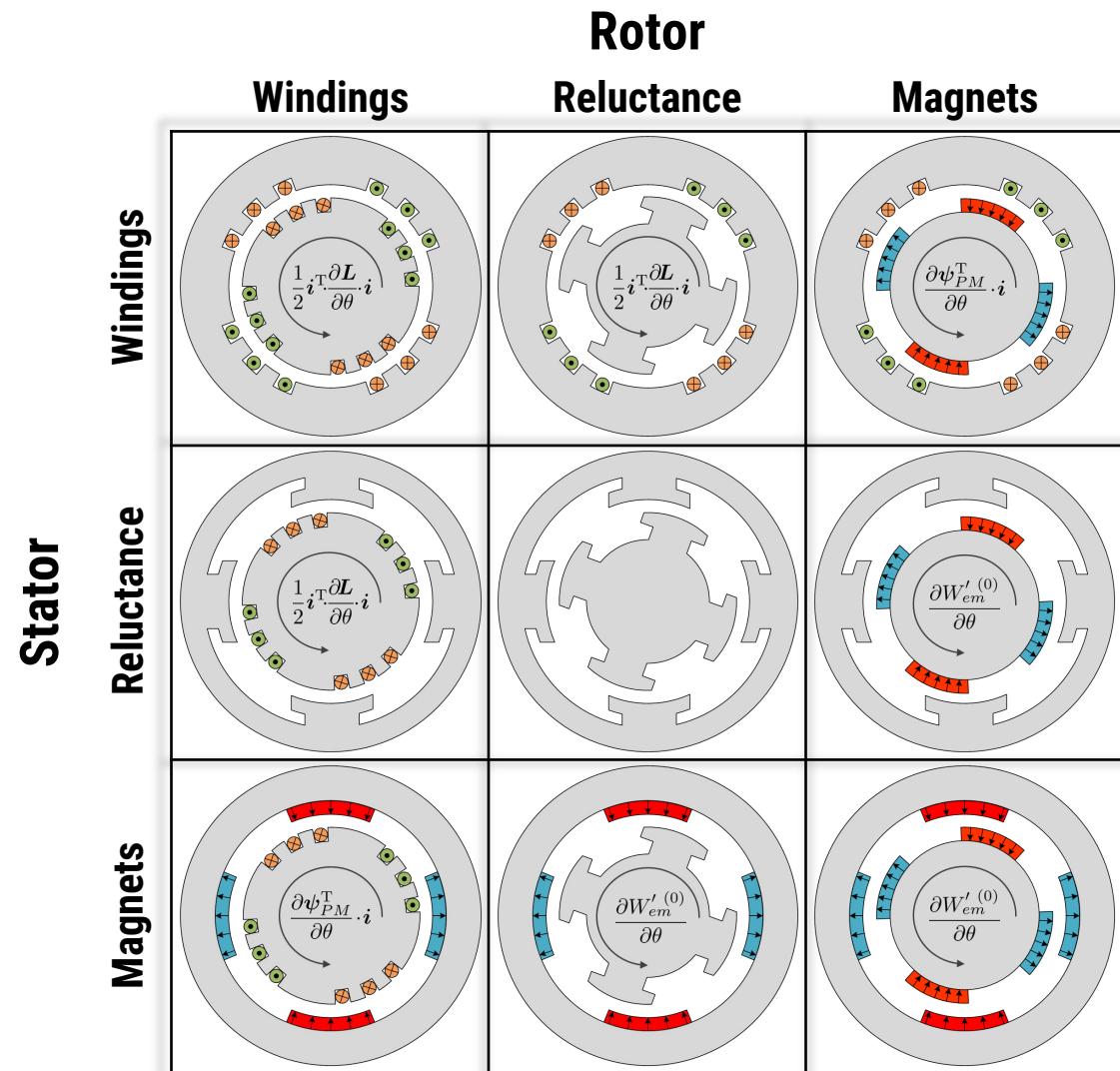
$$T_{em} = \underbrace{\frac{\partial W'_{em}^{(0)}}{\partial \theta}}_{\text{Magnets only related torque}} + \underbrace{\frac{\partial \psi_{PM}^T}{\partial \theta} \cdot i}_{\text{Interaction Currents/Magnets}} + \underbrace{\frac{1}{2} i^T \cdot \frac{\partial L}{\partial \theta} \cdot i}_{\text{Interaction Currents/Currents}}$$

We can classify different torque development mechanisms according to the **Stator and Rotor interactions**

On either the stator or the rotor we can use:

- **Windings**
- **Variable Reluctance**
- **Permanent Magnets**

Multiple mechanisms can coexist



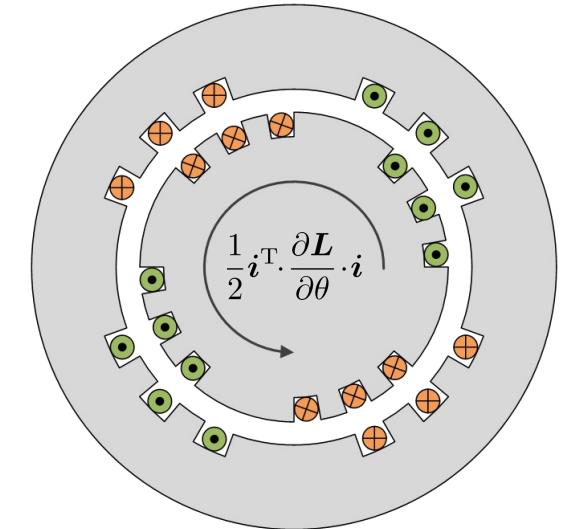
# CONDITIONS FOR GENERATING NON-ZERO TORQUE

Generally, for a two-winding machine, only the stator-rotor inductances are variable

$$T_{em} = \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{i}^T \cdot \frac{\partial \mathbf{L}}{\partial \theta} \cdot \mathbf{i} = \frac{1}{2} [\mathbf{i}_s \quad \mathbf{i}_r] \cdot \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{L}_s & \mathbf{L}_m(\theta) \\ \mathbf{L}_m^T(\theta) & \mathbf{L}_r \end{bmatrix} \cdot [\mathbf{i}_s \quad \mathbf{i}_r] = \mathbf{i}_s^T \cdot \underbrace{\frac{\partial \mathbf{L}_m}{\partial \theta}}_{p\omega_m} \cdot \mathbf{i}_r$$

Then, we can distinguish:

- stator current frequency -  $\omega_s$
- rotor current frequency -  $\omega_r$
- rotor mechanical speed -  $\omega_m$
- rotor electrical speed -  $p\omega_m$   
(With  $p$  being the Pole Pairs of the machine)

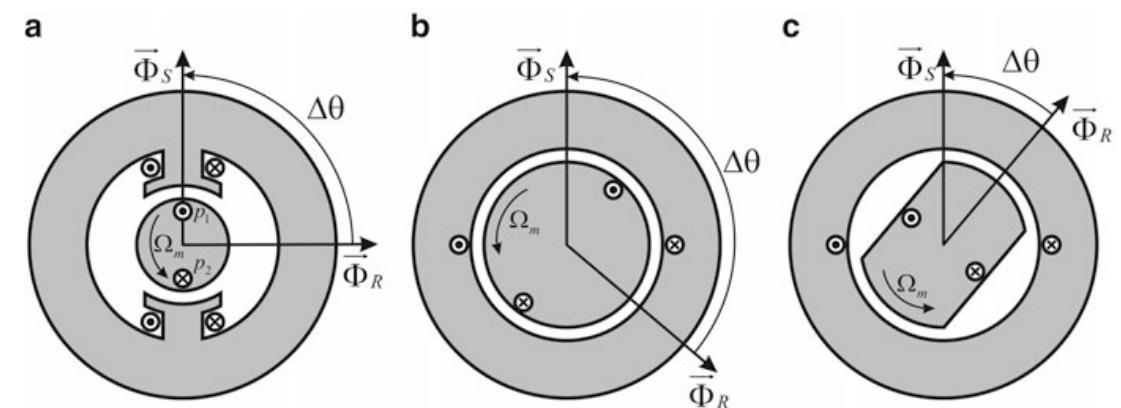


The condition for non-zero average torque generation is:

$$\omega_s \pm \omega_r \pm p\omega_m = 0$$

Different kinds of machines have different speeds:

- **DC Machines:**  $\omega_s = 0, \omega_r = p \cdot \omega_m$
- **AC Synchronous Machines:**  $\omega_r = 0, \omega_s = p \cdot \omega_m$
- **AC Asynchronous Machines:**  $\omega_s - p \cdot \omega_m = \omega_r$



# CONDITIONS FOR GENERATING NON-ZERO TORQUE

Generally, for a single-winding machine based on permanent magnets or on variable reluctance

$$T_{em} = \underbrace{\frac{\partial \psi_{PM}^T}{\partial \theta} \cdot i}_{p\omega_m} \quad \text{or} \quad T_{em} = \frac{1}{2} \underbrace{\mathbf{i}^T \cdot \frac{\partial \mathbf{L}}{\partial \theta} \cdot \mathbf{i}}_{\omega_s \ 2p\omega_m \ \omega_s}$$

Then, we can distinguish:

- stator current frequency -  $\omega_s$
- rotor mechanical speed -  $\omega_m$
- rotor electrical speed -  $p\omega_m$

(With  $p$  being the Pole Pairs of the machine)

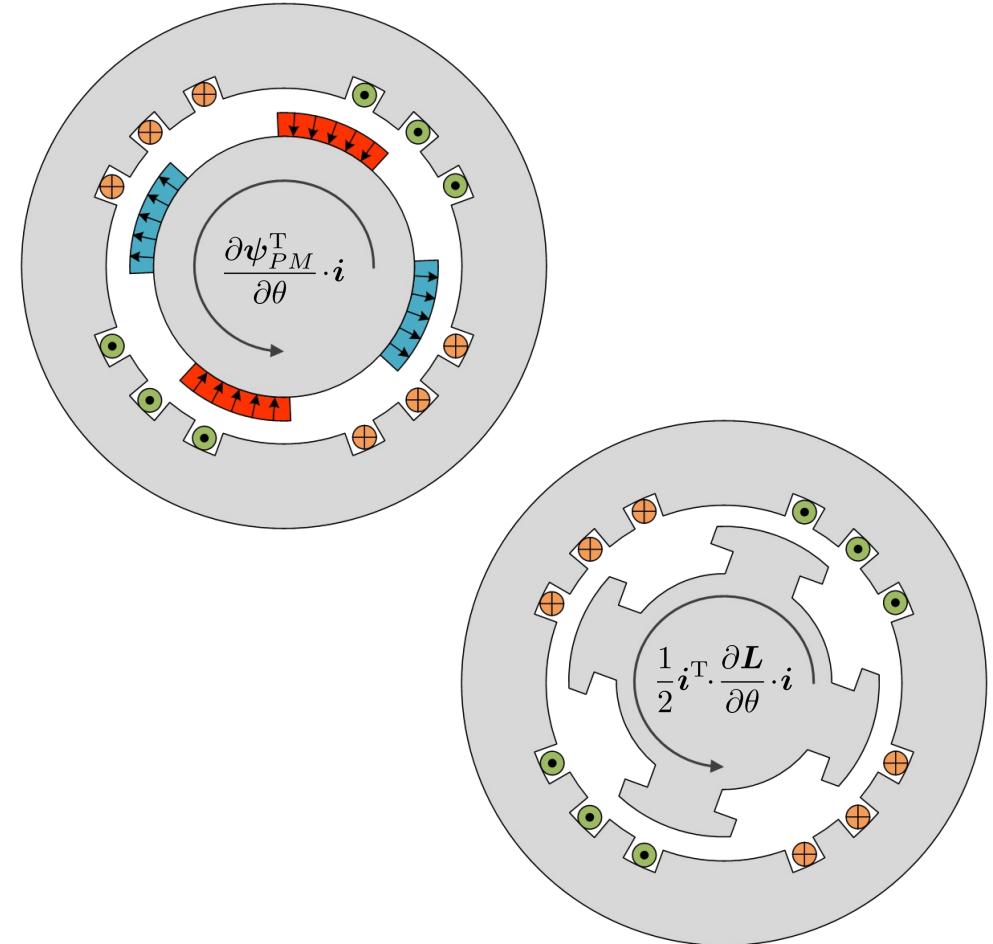
The condition for non-zero average torque generation is:

$$\omega_s \pm p\omega_m = 0$$

Only DC and Synchronous machines are possible:

- **DC Machines:**  $\omega_r = p \cdot \omega_m$  (windings are on the rotor)
- **AC Synchronous Machines:**  $\omega_s = p \cdot \omega_m$

(Interior-Mounted Permanent Magnet Synchronous Machines use both torque generation mechanisms at the same time)



# SUMMARY

**General model of an electrical machine**

# GENERAL DYNAMICAL MODEL OF AN ELECTRICAL MACHINE

## Electrical Equations

$$\begin{cases} \mathbf{v} = \mathbf{R} \cdot \mathbf{i} + \frac{d\phi}{dt} = \mathbf{R} \cdot \mathbf{i} + \omega \cdot \left[ \frac{\partial \psi_{PM}}{\partial \theta} + \frac{\partial \mathbf{L}}{\partial \theta} \cdot \mathbf{i} \right] + \mathbf{L}(\theta) \cdot \frac{d\mathbf{i}}{dt} \\ \phi = \psi_{PM}(\theta) + \mathbf{L}(\theta) \cdot \mathbf{i} \end{cases}$$

## Mechanical Equations

$$\begin{cases} \frac{d\theta}{dt} = \omega \\ J \cdot \frac{d\omega}{dt} + F(\omega) \cdot \omega = T_{em} - T_m \\ T_{em} = \frac{\partial W'_{em}^{(0)}}{\partial \theta} + \frac{\partial \psi_{PM}^T}{\partial \theta} \cdot \mathbf{i} + \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{i}^T \cdot \frac{\partial \mathbf{L}}{\partial \theta} \cdot \mathbf{i} \end{cases}$$

