AN APPROXIMATE SOLUTION OF THE EQUATION OF MOTION OF A ROTARY INDUSTRIAL EQUIPMENT

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Abstract. In the paper, for an industrial equipment, composed by an electric motor which drives the working machine through a rigid coupling, it is elaborated a graphical-numerical method of integration of the differential equation of motion. The electric motor is of asynchronous type, having the driving torque as a function of angular velocity, and the working machine produces a resistant moment as a periodic function of position. The solution of the equation of motion is obtained under the form of a recurrence formula.

1. INTRODUCTION

It is considered the most prevalent rotary industrial equipment, whose dynamic model has the structure in figure 1, where:

- I driving asynchronous electric motor;
- II rigid coupling;
- III working machine.



Fig. 1. Dynamic model of rotary industrial equipment

2. DIFFERENTIAL EQUATION OF MOTION

The differential equation of motion of the rotary industrial equipment is, [2],

$$J\frac{d\omega}{dt} = M_m - M_r, \tag{1}$$

where:

- J - moment of inertia, resulted by reducing the whole rotary industrial equipment, at the shaft of driving motor;

- ω - angular velocity;

- M_m - driving moment, produced by the electric motor;

- M_r - resistant moment generated by the working machine.

About the parameters of the industrial equipment, there are made the fallowing mentions:

- the moment of inertia J is constant;

- for the moment of the driving torque it is taking into account the static mechanical characteristic (figure 2), whose working portion, *AB*, is linearized; by moving the origin of abscissae in ω_k (ω_k - critical angular velocity), it can be written



Fig. 2. Static mechanical characteristic of electric driving motor

$$M_m = M_k - \lambda \omega, \tag{2}$$

where M_k is the moment of the critical driving torque, and λ is the inclination of the static mechanical characteristic,

$$\lambda = tg\alpha = \frac{M_k}{\omega_0},\tag{3}$$

where $\,\omega_{_{0}}$ is the angular velocity of synchronism of the electric motor;

- the resistant moment of the working machine is considered as a periodic function of the angle of rotation θ of the rotary industrial equipment,

$$M_r(\theta) = M_r(\theta + \Psi), \tag{4}$$

where Ψ is the angular period of the resistant moment. This situation is characteristic for a lot of equipment in different industrial branches.

Taking into account the mentions, stated above, the differential equation of motion (1) becomes

$$J\frac{d\omega}{dt} = M_m - \lambda \omega - M_r(\theta).$$
(5)

3. DETERMINATION OF GRAPHICAL-NUMERICAL SOLUTION

By passing from the variable t to variable θ , the equation (5) takes the form

$$\omega(J\frac{d\omega}{d\theta}+\lambda) = M_{k} - M_{r}.$$
(6)

The graphical procedure consists in the partition of the period Ψ of resistant moment in *n* equal parts, $\Delta \theta = \frac{\Psi}{n}$ (figure 3).



Fig. 3. Partition of characteristic of resistant moment of working machine

The number *n* of intervals must be as bigger as the resistant moment presents abrupt variations during a period and as the degree of precision is bigger. Any way, *n* must be chosen so that, on an interval $\Delta \theta$, to be possible to consider the resistant moment as constant and equal to average value on the respective interval.

For a certain interval *i*, the corresponding average value of the resistant moment is M_{ri} and the equation (6) is written

$$\omega(J\frac{d\omega}{dt}+\lambda) = M_{k} - M_{ri}.$$
(7)

By making the notations $\frac{\lambda}{J} = p$, $\frac{M_k - M_{ri}}{J} = q_i$ and separating the variables in the equation (7), this one becomes:

$$\frac{\omega}{p\omega - q_i} d\omega = -d\theta.$$
(8)

The numerical character of the method is given by the numerical integration of the left-hand member of the equation (8), by the method of trapezes [1]. Thus, if it is made the notation

$$f(\omega) = \frac{\omega}{p\omega - q_i},$$

then the integral of the left-hand member of the equation (8) is

$$I = \int_{\omega_i}^{\omega_{i+1}} f(\omega) d\omega, \tag{9}$$

where ω_i and ω_{i+1} are the values of the angular velocity at the extremities of an interval *i* in which it is split the period Ψ of the resistant moment.

The integral (9) is equal to the shaded area (figure 4), which can be approximated by a trapeze, so that it can be written

$$I = f(\omega_{i+1}) + f(\omega_i) \frac{\omega_{i+1} - \omega_i}{2} = \left(\frac{\omega_{i+1}}{p\omega_{i+1} - q_i} + \frac{\omega_i}{p\omega_i - q_i}\right) \frac{\omega_{i+1} - \omega_i}{2}.$$
(10)
$$f(\omega)$$

Fig. 4. Graphical aspect of method of trapezes

Taking into account of (10), the solution of the equation is

$$\left(\frac{\omega_{i+1}}{p\omega_{i+1}-q_i}+\frac{\omega_i}{p\omega_i-q_i}\right)\frac{\omega_{i+1}-\omega_i}{2}=-\Delta\theta.$$
(11)

4. CONCLUSIONS

From the solution (11), it is obtained the recurrence formula

$$\omega_{i+1} = \omega_i - \frac{\omega_i + p\Delta\theta + \sqrt{(\omega_i - p\Delta\theta)^2 + 2q_i\Delta\theta}}{\frac{2p\omega_i - q_i}{p\omega_i - q_i}},$$
(12)

which gives the angular velocity ω_{i+1} at the end of an interval $\Delta\theta$, as a function of the angular velocity ω_i at the beginning of the interval *i*; evidently, ω_{i+1} constitutes, at same the time, the angular velocity at the beginning of the next interval, i+1.

In this way, the formula (12) can be considered as the graphical–numerical solution of the differential equation of motion (6).

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