

Concept of a Hybrid Energy Storage System for Energy Management System Development



Agenda

• Objectives

Presentation of the topology of the Hybrid Energy
Storage System developed in the project

• Model of Li-Ion Cell

- Concept of the equivalent circuit model
- Presentation of the subsystems that are part of the Liion cell model
- Adaptation of the Li-Ion cell model into a battery model

• Model of Supercapacitor Cell

- Concept of the equivalent circuit model
- Presentation of the subsystems that are part of the supercapacitor model

Model of Bidirectional DC/DC Converter

- Topology and operation of the bidirectional converter
- Modes of operation of the bidirectional DC/DC converter
- Energy consumption of the BMW i3 vehicle on the route Bruchsal-Karlsruhe-Bruchsal



Objectives: Topology of the HESS developed in this project



Battery Cell					
Manufacturer	Samsung SDI				
Rated voltage	Rated voltage 3.7 V				
Rated capacity	60 Ah				
Min./Max. voltage	2.70/4.10 V				
Battery Pack for the vehicle BMW i3					
Number of Cells (serial connection)	96				
Rated voltage	355 V				
Max. Battery energy	22 kWh				
Max. Power (EM)	125kW				

Table 1. . Characteristic values of the cell and battery of the BMW i3 vehicle li-ion battery cells $\left[1\right]$

Supercapacitor Cell BCAP3000					
Manufacturer Maxwell					
Rated Voltage	2.7 V				
Capacitance	3000F				
Stored Energy 3.04 Wh					
Supercapacitor Pack					
Number of Cells (serial connection)	67				
Rated voltage	180 V				
Energy	204 Wh				

Table 2. Characteristic values of the cell and pack of the Supercapacitor BCAP3000 [2]

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Figure 1. Topology of the Hybrid Energy Storage System

- Li-Ion battery 60Ah BMW i3
- Pack of Supercapacitor MAXWELL 3000F
- Bidirectional DC/DC Converter

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 ^[1] I. N. Laboratory, "2014 BMWi3 with range Extender (REx) Advanced Vehicle Testing-Baseline Vehicle testing Results
[2] Maxwell Technologies, "Datasheet K2 Ultracapacitors – 2.7V Series,"

Model of Li-Ion Cell: Concept of the equivalent circuit model



Figure 2. Equivalent circuit model of the Battery [3]

$$V_t = OCV - V_1 - V_2 - V_0$$
 (1)

- The model provides a reliable state-of-charge estimate of the cell as well as the open-circuit voltage
- The RC parallel circuits are used to model the battery relaxation effects
- With one RC parallel circuit modeling the battery relaxation effect, non-ignorable modeling error exists and while two series connected RC parallel circuits are used, the modeling error is reduced dramatically



Figure 3 Relaxation effect modeling whit one RC parallel circuit and relaxation effect modeling with two series connected RC parallel circuits [4]

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[3] M. Chen and G. Rincon-Mora, "Accurate electrical battery model capable of predicting runtime and I-V performance [4] H. Zhang and M. Chow, "Comprehensive Dynamic Battery Modeling for PHEV Applications"

Model of Li-Ion Cell: Subsystems of Li-Ion cell model

- Subsystem for the calculation of the usable capacity
 - Peukert equation: $Q_0 = \left(\frac{I_{BT}}{I_{BT,rated}}\right)^{1-n} * Q_{o,rated} * Kf$
- Subsystem for the calculation of the state of charge
 - Coulomb- Counting: $SoC = SoC_{init} \int \frac{I_{BT}}{Q_{0*3600}} dt$
- Subsystem for calculation of open circuit voltage
 - Polynomial equation seventh order: cftools
- Subsystem for calculation of the voltage V_0
 - Ohm's law: $V_0 = R_0 * I_{BT} (R_0, \text{Look-up-Table})$
- Subsystem for calculation of the RC elements R_1 , R_2 , C_1 , C_2
 - Time constant: $au_1 = R_1 * C_1 = -\frac{t_2 t_1}{ln\left(\frac{V_2}{V_1}\right)}$ (5)
 - Ohm's law: $R_1 = \frac{V_1 V_2}{I_{BT}}$ (6)
- Subsystem for calculation of the Voltages V_1 and V_2
 - S-domain RC connection: $V_1 = \left(\frac{1}{s}\right) \left[\frac{1}{C} - \frac{V}{RC}\right]$ (7)

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Model of Li-Ion Cell: Adaptation of the Li-Ion cell model into a battery model

- Calculation of the battery's amount of charge AOC
 - $Q(t) = SoC * Q_{max} \tag{8}$
- Calculation of the voltage of the battery V_{BT}
 - $V_{BT} = N_{zelle} * V_{t,zelle}$ (9)
- Calculation of the energy of the battery E_{BT}
 - $E_{BT} = V_{BT}(t) * Q(t)$ (10)



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Model of Supercapacitor Cell: Concept of the equivalent circuit model



- The decision about the number of RC circuits of the equivalent circuit model depends on the time span of the transient response to be covered
- A two branches model dominates the terminal behavior in the range of minutes

Figure 7. Comparation between experiments and simple RC modeling [6]

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[5] M. Sahin, F. Blaabjerg and A. Sangwongwanich, "Modelling of Supercapacitors Based on Simplified Equivalent Circuit"
[6] L. Zubieta and R. Bonert,"Characterization of Double-Layer Capacitors for Power Electronics Applications"



Model of Supercapacitor Cell: Subsystems of Supercapacitor cell model

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• Subsystem for the calculation of the voltage V_1

$$V_1 = \frac{-C_0 + \sqrt{C_0^2 + 2C_\nu Q_1}}{C_\nu} \tag{12}$$

• Subsystem for the calculation of the voltage V_2

$$V_2 = \frac{1}{C_2} \int i_2 dt = \frac{1}{C_2} \int \frac{1}{R_2} (V_1 - V_2) dt$$
(13)

• Subsystem for calculation of the current i_1 and quick charge Q_1

$$i_1 = i_{SC} - i_2$$
 (14)

$$Q_1 = \int i_1 dt \tag{15}$$

• Subsystem for calculation of the state-of-charge SoC_{SC}

$$SoC_{SC} = \frac{V_{SC}}{Rated \, voltage} \tag{16}$$

$$V_{SC} = N_{S_{SC}} \left(V_1 + R_1 \frac{I_{SC}}{N_{P_{SC}}} \right)$$
(17)

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Model of Supercapacitor Cell: Validation of the cell model



Figure 8. Supercapacitor BCAP3000 Measurement Waveform [2]



Figure 9. Supercapacitor BCAP3000 Model Measurement

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Model of Bidirectional DC/DC Converter: Topology of the bidirectional converter



Figure 10. Half-Bridge bidirectional converter [7]

 Semi-Active topology, only one of the two energy storage elements is actively controlled

- Combination of a buck and boost converter
- Requires only one inductor: higher efficiencies since it has lower inductor conduction, lower switching and conduction losses on active components

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[7] J. Shen, "Energy Management of a Battery-Ultracapacitor Hybrid Energy Storage System in Electric Vehicles"

Model of Bidirectional DC/DC Converter: Modes of operation of the bidirectional DC/DC converter





Figure 11. Operation modes of the Bidirectional DC/DC Converter [7]

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[7] J. Shen, "Energy Management of a Battery-Ultracapacitor Hybrid Energy Storage System in Electric Vehicles"

• Boost Mode (a) and (b):

- Power is transferred from the supercapacitor to the battery/DCbus
- Buck Mode (c) and (d):
 - Power is transferred from the battery/DC-bus to the supercapacitor.
 - $i_C = -i_{dmd} + i_L(1 D)$ (18)
 - $i_C = -i_{dmd} + i_L(D) \tag{19}$

Energy consumption of the BMW i3 vehicle on the route Bruchsal-Karlsruhe-Bruchsal



Measurement	Distance	Duration	Average velocity	Energy demand
	km	min	km/h	kWh
Reference value [8]	56,87	56,25	60,67	9,72
Validation battery model	55,90	56,12	59,76	9,95
Variation	1,70 %	0.23 %	1.49 %	-2,36 %
Simulation HESS	55,90	56,12	59,76	9,02
Variation ESS-HESS	-	-	-	9,35 %

Table 3. Comparison of simulation results with real measurements

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[8] C. Gutenkunst, "Prädiktive Routenenergieberechnung eines Elektrofahrzeugs"

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