# Reconfiguration of distribution power system using Evolutionary Algorithm and Branch exchange method for Power Loss Reduction 

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#### Abstract

In this paper, we use an Evolutionary Algorithm (EA) and the branch exchange method to solve the optimal reconfiguration in radial distribution systems for power loss reduction that determine the optimal switches. The EA is a relatively powerful intelligence evolution method for solving optimization problems. It is a population based approach that is inspired from natural behaviour of species. In this paper EA is applied to a realistic distribution system (106 buses) located in the Medea city (Algeria). For the comparison purposes, our method is validated with the classical Branch and Bound (BB) method, widely used by the Distribution Companies. The results confirm the superiority of the EA.


Keywords: Distribution power system, Branch and Bound, Evolutionary Algorithm.

## I. INTRODUCTION

In the Distribution Power System (DPS); to reduce the losses and improving the voltage profile the reconfiguration of DPS is an alternative way which doesn't require any investment.

This operation must be considered when planning the operation due to the high variable costs associated with these systems [1].

[^0]The problem of reconfiguration involves the definition of the states (open or closed) of the maneuverable switches attached to certain sections of the distribution network [2]. In the MV PDS these devices include (i) sectionalizing or normally closed (NC) switches and (ii) tie or normally open (NO) switches. This option is used to determine a radial network topology that minimizes losses and voltage deviations [3].

As this problem includes combinatorial variable ( 0 and 1) with nonlinear objective function and constrained, models of integer nonlinear programming (INLP) are used. These models must consider the integer nature of the problem because the number of possible solutions grows exponentially with the number of discrete variables [4]. Also, the radial and connected topographies of the DPS present additional complexity for the solution techniques.

The heuristic-based methods have been proposed [5-11] in order to reduce the search space associated with reconfiguration problem.
The use of meta-heuristics for INLP problems gives a well exploration of the search space. These algorithms permit the transition between local optima of the feasible region, as well as a more focused search in each subspace. Algorithms based on meta-heuristics, such as Genetic Algorithms [12-16], Simulated Annealing [17,18], Artificial Ant Colony [19] and Tabu Search [20,21], have been used to solve the problem of EDS reconfiguration. With the same purpose in mind, Ref. [22] presents an algorithm based on Artificial Immune Systems to reduce active power losses. In [23], a method based on the bacterial foraging optimization algorithm is
proposed for DPS reconfiguration and loss minimization.

Some modifications have been developed to retain the radial structure and reduce the searching requirements. The work in [24] presents a method for the reconfiguration and phase balancing of DPS based on a bacterial foraging approach using a fuzzy multi-objective function. Other family called Determinist techniques can be used to deal with this problem; these techniques are called Branch and Bound which is the extension of the simplex method to INLP.

In this paper, the comparison between GA and $\mathrm{B} \& \mathrm{~B}$ algorithm for the problem of DPS reconfiguration will be discussed. Also, an application to a realistic DPS located in Medea, Algeria will be presented.

## II. PROBLEM STATEMENT

For a given distribution power system, the solving of the proposed problems is to determine optimal operating schemes according to specified criteria and constraints.

### 1.1. Distribution Power System Structure

The structure of a network is defined by the constructive and invariant arrangement of all of its components: stations lines, cables etc...

In graphic terms, this structure is determined by:

- A finite set $X=\left\{x_{1}, x_{2}, x_{3}, \ldots, x_{N}\right\}$ of elements called vertices or buses, where $N$ is the total number of buses.
- A finite set $B=\left\{b_{1}, b_{2}, b_{3}, \ldots, b_{M}\right\}$ of elements called links or branches, where $M$ is the total number of branches. Each branch allows to connecting the two components of a pair belonging to a subset of dimension $M$ and included in the Cartesian product:

$$
X \times X=\left\{\left(x_{i}, x_{j}\right) / x_{i} \in X \text { and } x_{j} \in X\right\}
$$

The sets $X$ and $B$ correspond to the axiomatic definition of a graph, denoted $G(X, B)$
[24], the orientation of each branch can be a priori any or indefinite (Fig. 1)


Fig. 1. Structure of a Distribution Power System
Network topology, synonym of its operating diagram corresponds to the permanent or temporary assembly of its components.

In graphic terms, this topology is associated with a sub-graph of $G$, defined by the set $X$ and a set of links $L$ such that $L \subset B$.

The links belonging to $L$ mean that each of them can exchange a flow (current) between the two corresponding nodes. It said, in this case, that the link is in service. For each link in the complementary set, this exchange is interrupt intentionally and it said that the link is out of service.

In the case of distribution power systems, the partial graph is connected. It means that it is possible to achieve, from a given node any other node via a path composed by the elements of $L$. In addition, the number of branches belonging to $L$ is the total number bus minus 1 .

This particular partial graph of G is called a tree, which will be denoted $T(X, L)$.


Fig. 2. Topology of a Distribution Power System

### 1.2. General mathematic formulation

The problem to solve is to determine the optimal exploitation schemes in accordance with specified criteria and constraints. In this section, it is proposed to express it mathematically.

For a distribution network defined by its structure, or by the its graph, it is associated to the set B a set Y and a set U such that:
$Y \quad$ set of state variables representing the currents in the branches
$U \quad$ set of decision variables representing the topologic stats of branches; such as:
$\forall u_{k} \in U \quad \begin{cases}u_{k}=1 & \text { if the branch } b_{k} \text { is in service } \\ u_{k}=0 & \text { if the branch } b_{k} \text { is out of service }\end{cases}$
Also, it is associated with the set $X$ a set $Z$ such as:
$Z \quad$ set of state variables representing the voltage at the nodes.

According to this notation, an optimization problem can be formulated. Where the components of $Y, Z$ and $U$ should be defined (1).

$$
\begin{array}{ll}
\min f(Y, Z, U) & \text { objective function } \\
\text { s.t. } & \\
g(Y, Z, U)=0 & \text { Kirchoff's law } \\
h(Y, Z, U) \leq 0 & \text { security constraints } \\
s(U)=1 & \text { radiality } \\
t(U) \leq 0 & \text { number of switch } \tag{1}
\end{array}
$$

### 1.3. Kirchhoff equations

This constraint laid by the Lemma of Kirchhoff about the currents.

$$
\begin{equation*}
\sum_{k=1}^{M} u_{k} \cdot a_{i k} \cdot I_{k}=J_{i} \tag{2}
\end{equation*}
$$

where

$$
a_{i k}=\left\{\begin{array}{cl}
+1 & \text { if } b_{k} \text { is oriented to } x_{i} \\
-1 & \text { if } b_{k} \text { is oriented from } x_{i} \\
0 & \text { if } x_{i} \text { is not an end of } b_{k}
\end{array}\right.
$$

$I_{k} \quad$ is the current in the branch $b_{k}$
$J_{i} \quad$ is the load current at the bus $x_{i}$

This constraint also involves the continuity of service, ie the desire to fully meet the load at any node of the network.

Since the solution of the optimization problem must ansure that the network is radial without isolating any load buses, the second lemma of Kirchhoff about the tensions will be implicitly respected.

### 1.4. Radiality

This constraint is related to decision variables. It involves the conservation of the radially operation of the network.

$$
\begin{equation*}
\sum_{k=1}^{M} u_{k}=N-1 \tag{3}
\end{equation*}
$$

To complete the constraint [3]; It is necessary to impose the connectivity of the operating diagram. It can be expressed as follows:

$$
\begin{equation*}
\forall x_{i}, x_{j} \exists\left(L_{i} \Delta L_{j}\right) \text { whether } \prod_{b_{i} \in L_{i}} u_{i} \cdot \prod_{b_{j} \in L_{j}} u_{j}=1 \tag{4}
\end{equation*}
$$

where $L_{i} \Delta L_{j}$ is a path connecting the buses $x_{i}$ and $x_{j}$ and where $u_{i}$ and $u_{j}$ denote the topological states of the branches of $L_{i}$ and $L_{j}$ constituting this path ( $\Delta$ is the symmetric difference).

### 1.5. Inequality constraints

Security: changing the default, adjusting the template as follows. These constraints imply only the state variables, namely the branches currents and the buses voltages, must not exceed the allowable limits.

For current, the security constraint is expressed for each branch by the following inequality:

$$
\begin{equation*}
\left|I_{k}\right| \leq u_{k} \cdot I_{k}^{\max } \tag{5}
\end{equation*}
$$

where
$I_{k}^{\max } \quad$ is the thermal limit of current in the branch $b_{k}$
$I_{k} \quad$ is the current in the branch $b_{k}$

Operators must ensure voltage as close as possible to the nominal voltage at each consumption point; the maximum tolerated deviation can vary from one company to another. Generally, the absolute value of this difference varies between 5 and $10 \%$ depending on the normal operation or failure mode of the network. The expression of this constraint is:

$$
\begin{equation*}
\left|V_{i n}-V_{i}\right| / V_{i n} \cdot 100 \leq 5 \% \tag{6}
\end{equation*}
$$

$V_{i n}, V_{i}$ are respectively the nominal voltage and the voltage at the bus $x_{i}$

Number of switching operations: Due to failure of a branch, operators wish to restore the continuity of service using a backup operating scheme that is as close as possible to the original topology. This desire led to the limitation of the number of switching operations:

$$
\begin{equation*}
\sum_{k=1}^{M}\left|u_{k}-u_{k}^{0}\right| \leq \Upsilon_{\max } \tag{7}
\end{equation*}
$$

$u_{k}^{0} \quad$ is the initial topology of the branch $b_{k}$
$\Upsilon_{\text {max }}$ is the maximum number of allowed switching

### 1.6. Objective function

Losses: It is inevitable and cause problems for both technical and economic. They can expressed according to the following expression

$$
\begin{equation*}
f_{R}=\sum_{k=1}^{M} u_{k} \cdot R_{k} \cdot I_{k}^{2} \tag{8}
\end{equation*}
$$

$R_{k}$ is the resistance of the branch ${ }^{b_{k}}$
$I_{k}$ is the current of the branch ${ }^{b_{k}}$
Load balancing: The load balancing results from the desire to exploit the network optimally by dividing current reserves uniformly.

$$
\begin{equation*}
f_{I}=\sum_{k=1}^{M}\left(I_{k} / I_{k}^{\max }\right)^{2} \tag{9}
\end{equation*}
$$

Maximum voltage deviation: the aim of this objective is to minimize the maximum voltage deviation

$$
\begin{equation*}
f_{V}=\max \left|V_{i n}-V_{i}\right| / V_{i n} i=1, \ldots, N \tag{10}
\end{equation*}
$$

## III. EVOLUTIONARY ALGORITHM (EA)

Here, we descript the use of the EA to solve the problem of the reconfiguration of a DPS. The EA used in this work is inspired from the original algorithm presented by David E. Goldberg in [25].

### 1.7. Fitness:

Like in GA, when at least one constraint is violated the objective function is set to a very small value:

$$
v a l=\left\{\begin{array}{cc}
\frac{1}{L} & \text { if all constraints are respected }  \tag{11}\\
-\infty & \text { othewese }
\end{array}\right.
$$

Where $L$ is a composite function of $f_{R}, f_{I}$ and $f_{V}$ (8, 9 and 10).

## 1.8. coding:

The number of opened lines is equal $N_{\text {off }}=M-N+N_{\text {feeder }}$, where $N_{\text {feeder }}$ is the number of feeders. Hence, ${ }^{N_{\text {off }}}$ strings should be used. Each string is coded by a binary way, with a length equal to:

$$
\begin{equation*}
\operatorname{fix}(\ln (M))+1 \tag{12}
\end{equation*}
$$

Where fix is a round towards zero function.

### 1.9. Initialization:

The starting population is chosed randomly. However, to ensure the research in the feasible space (especialy the respect of the constraint (4)) the original situation is used.

### 1.10. Branches exchanging operator $\otimes$

The well known and elementary operation an DPS used by the exploitants is the load ripage, which consist of the balancing a load from a overloading branch to other lessloading branch. This operation is elementary and vital as it preserve the radiability and connectivity of DPS.

Let $s^{(\text {Old })}$ is the initial configuration of a DPS, the rippage consist of reaching a new configuration $s^{(\text {new })}$ by closing an opened branch $b_{O N}=\left\{x_{n}, x_{m}\right\}$ and opning a closed branch $b_{\text {OFF }}=\left\{x_{i}, x_{j}\right\}$ that belongs to the same independent loop. This elementary operation can be samarized by:

$$
\begin{equation*}
s^{(n e w)}=s^{(o l d)} \otimes\left(b_{O N}, b_{O F F}\right) \tag{13}
\end{equation*}
$$



Fig. 3. Branches exchanging

$$
s^{(\text {new })}=s^{(o l d)} \otimes\left(b_{O N}, b_{O F F}\right)
$$

a) configuration $s^{(\text {(old })}$
b) configuration $s^{(\text {new })}$

Considering that the load are modelled by a constant current (neglecting the capacitive effect of lines - short lines), only the currents related to the correspondent loop will be changed and consequently only the voltage of the nodes in this loop will be change with the voltage of their aval nodes.

As the three objective functions $f_{R}, f_{I}$ and $f_{V}$ are not in conflict, we interest only in ${ }^{f_{R}}$. The new value can be calculated as following:

$$
\begin{equation*}
f_{R}^{(\text {new })}=f_{R}^{(o l d)}+\Delta f_{R}^{(n e w)} \tag{14}
\end{equation*}
$$

$\Delta f_{R}^{\text {new })}=I_{O F F}^{2}\left(\sum_{b_{k} \in\left(L_{n} \Delta L_{m} \cup b_{o N}\right)} R_{k}\right)+$
$2 I_{\text {OFF }}\left(\sum_{b_{k} \in L_{n}} R_{k} I_{k}^{\text {(old) }}-\sum_{b_{k} \in L_{m}} R_{k} I_{k}^{\text {(old) })}\right.$
where
$I_{\text {OFF }}$ the current in branch ${ }^{b_{\text {OFF }}}$
$R_{k}$ the resistance of branch $b_{k}$
$f_{R}^{(\text {new })}$ total Joule's losses at the configuration $s^{(\text {new })}$ $f_{R}^{(\text {old })}$ total Joule's losses at the configuration $s^{\text {(old })}$
$I_{k}^{\text {(old) }}$ the current of the branch $\mathrm{bk}{ }^{b_{k}}$ at the configuration $s^{\text {(old) }}$
$x_{m}$ the node that is in the side that contains $b_{\text {OFF }}$.
The detail related to this expression can be found in Appendice I.

For the voltage computation, the new values can be evaluated as:

$$
\begin{equation*}
V_{g}^{(\text {new })}=V_{g}^{(o l d)}+\Delta V_{g}^{(n e w)} \tag{16}
\end{equation*}
$$

where

$$
\begin{aligned}
& \Delta V_{g}^{(\text {new })}= \\
& \begin{cases}-I_{\text {OFF }} \sum_{b_{k} \in L_{g}} Z_{k} & \text { if } L_{g} \subset L_{n} \\
+I_{\text {OFF }} \sum_{b_{k} \in L_{g}} Z_{k} & \text { if } L_{g} \subset L_{j} \\
V_{n}^{\text {(new) }}-V_{m}^{\text {(old) }}+ & \text { if } L_{g} \subset L_{m} \text { and } L_{j} \subset L_{g} \\
I_{\text {OFF }}\left(\sum_{b_{k} \in L_{g} \Delta L_{m}} Z_{k}-\sum_{b_{k} \in L_{n}} Z_{k}-Z_{O N}\right) & \\
V_{e}^{\text {(new) }}-V_{e}^{\text {(odd) }} & \text { if } L_{e} \subset L_{g} \text { and } \\
0 & x_{e} \in \text { loop and } x_{g} \notin \text { loop } \\
0 & \text { otherwise }\end{cases}
\end{aligned}
$$

For the current computation, the new values can be evaluated as:

$$
\begin{equation*}
I_{k}^{(\text {new })}=I_{k}^{(\text {old })}+\Delta I_{k}^{(\text {new })} \tag{17}
\end{equation*}
$$

where
$\Delta I_{k}^{(\text {new })}= \begin{cases}+I_{\text {OFF }} & \text { if } b_{k} \in L_{n} \cup b_{\text {ON }} \\ -I_{\text {OFF }} & \text { if } b_{k} \in L_{m} \\ 0 & \text { othewise }\end{cases}$

Thereby, it is faster to calculate the new objective functions, when the exchange operation (mutation or crossover) occurs than at the end of the performance of GA operations, like in the case of all known GA.

### 1.11. Selection:

To maintaining the elite invidious having a great fitness function, the selection should be competitive. In this paper, the 'roulette wheel selection' scheme is used where each string lodges an area of the wheel that is equal to the string's share of the total fitness.

### 1.12. Adaptative Mutation

At start the independent loops will identify, each independent loop contains only one open branch. From the open branch, the candidate branches to be closed $b_{\alpha}=\left\{x_{k}, x_{m}\right\}$ will be chosen randomly, i.e. that have the probability less to $P_{m}$. The branch to be opened $b_{\beta}$ will be chosen based on the Dynamic Neighbourhood Strategy (DNS); from a set of branches in $L_{k} \Delta L_{m}$. if $s^{(\text {old })}$ is the current configuration, $s^{(\text {new })}=s^{(\text {old })} \otimes\left(b_{\alpha}, b_{\beta}\right)$ is the first new configuration that ensure the inequality :

$$
\begin{equation*}
f\left(s^{\text {(new })}\right)<f\left(s^{(\mathrm{Old})}\right) \tag{18}
\end{equation*}
$$

If (18) cannot be realized we take the best $b_{\beta}$, i.e. that minimize as well as possible $f(\cdot)$.

In other hand, we can use the Maximum Neighbourhood Strategy (MNS); the difference from DNS is that all the $L_{k} \Delta L_{m}$ branches will be visited.

To speed up the mutation process, the function $f(\cdot)$ will be calculated only in the modified part of the network (see Appendix 1).

Its purpose is to maintain diversity within the population and inhibit premature convergence. Mutation alone induces a random walk through the search (Fig. 4).


Fig. 4. Mutation in three independent loops (----- open arc in children chromosome, ----- open arc in parent chromosome)

### 1.13. Adaptative Crossover

The crossover operation is perform on random two invidious (that have the probability less to $P_{c}$ ) from the mating pool and produces two new invidious (children), each will result from one part of the parent string. Mutation gives a technique to generate new information into the knowledge base.

In Figure 4, the crossover with one point is presented, this point is chosen randomly. It is important here to identify the loops to permutated exactly the branches.

For example in Figure 4, if $s_{1}$ (where $\left(b_{1, x}, b_{1, y}, b_{1, z}\right)$ are open) and $s_{2}$ (where $\left(b_{2, x}, b_{2, y}, b_{2, z}\right)$ are open) are the configurations of the parent invidious. Hence, the children invidious will have the following configuration:

$$
\begin{align*}
& s_{1}^{\prime}=s_{1} \otimes\left(b_{1, y}, b_{2, y}\right) \otimes\left(b_{1, z}, b_{2, z}\right)  \tag{19}\\
& s_{2}^{\prime}=s_{2} \otimes\left(b_{2, y}, b_{1, y}\right) \otimes\left(b_{2, z}, b_{1, z}\right)
\end{align*}
$$



Fig. 5. Crossover with one point in three independent loops (----- open arc in Parent 1 chromosome, ----- open arc in Parent 2 chromosome)
Unlike the simple GA where assessment is done after the crossover and mutation operations, in this work, the evaluation is done along the GA operations. This improves the convergence time of the algorithm.

## IV. CASE STUDY

The Distribution power system used is the 106 buses and 03 feeders LV ( 400 V ) network of the R'mali Medea city (Figure 6).


Fig. 6. R’Mali P297 Power system - candidate lines to switch in color

The figure 6 shows that this network contains six dependents loops. Hence, six lines should be switched off. To find these lines, the problem presented in (1) should be resolved, it is clear that it is an Integer Non Linear Programming (INLP) problem. The parameters of the Genetic Algorithms (GA) are described in the Table I.

For the comparison, the classical method BB and is used.

The table 2 confirms the superiority of the EA and EA-DNS then the BB and the classical GA.

Moreover, AGA-DNS is faster than the AGA. In addition, these two methods go to the global optimal solution.


Fig. 7. Comparison EA-DNS and EA

We have evaluated all the $C_{35}^{6}$ solutions and have determine that there are 18640 feasible solutions and the solution obtained with AGA and AGA-DNS is the global salutation

Table 1 EA parameter

| Parameter | Values |
| :--- | :---: |
| Population size | 20 |
| Maximum generation | 50 |
| Crossover probability | 0.01 |
| Mutation probability | 0.10 |

It is clear that the three objectives are not conflicting; the optimization of one of these three objectives leads to the optimization of the two others.

The simple GA is very time consuming due to searching on the unfeasible region, whoever EA and EA-DNS can solve this problem.

Table 2 Comparison GA and BB for R'mali DPS

| Method | switched off lines | $\begin{aligned} & f_{R} \text { in } \\ & \text { kW } \end{aligned}$ | $f_{I}$ | $f_{V}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Simple Genetic Algorithms | $\begin{aligned} & 35-36 \\ & 52-63 \\ & \mathbf{0 4 - 0 5} \\ & \mathbf{3 5 - 5 0} \\ & \mathbf{5 0 - 8 1} \\ & \mathbf{6 6 - 6 7} \end{aligned}$ | 2.7666 | 1.0765 | 5.23\% |
| Branch and Bound | 51-54 <br> 37-38 <br> 04-05 <br> 35-50 <br> 50-81 <br> 66-67 | 2.7811 | 1.0765 | 5.66\% |
| EA | $\begin{aligned} & 38-39 \\ & 35-81 \\ & 51-52 \\ & \mathbf{0 4 - 0 5} \\ & \mathbf{3 5 - 5 0} \\ & \mathbf{6 6 - 6 7} \end{aligned}$ | 2.5883 | 1.3274 | 4.92\% |
| EA - DNS | $\begin{aligned} & 38-39 \\ & 35-81 \\ & 51-52 \\ & \mathbf{0 4 - 0 5} \\ & \mathbf{3 5 - 5 0} \\ & \mathbf{6 6 - 6 7} \end{aligned}$ | 2.5883 | 1.3274 | 4.92\% |

From figure 7, the AGA-DNS is faster than the AGA this is due to the improvement of the mutation process.

## V. CONCLUSION

This paper proposes the application of a metheuristic optimization technique called Genetic Algorithms (binary coded) for the reconfiguration of the Distribution Power System to minimize the loses, improving the load-ability and the voltage profile. For the comparison the Branch and Bound technique, which is used by the Algerian company,
is implemented. To conclude, the GA is clearly superior to $B \& B$.

As the GA is very time consuming; EA and EA-DNS will improve this weakness due to the search tower the feasible space.

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## 1. Appendices

It is clear that the new value of the power loss $f_{R, k}^{(n e w)}$ at the branch $b_{k}$ will be change only in the loop (Fig. 3)

$$
f_{R, k}^{(\text {new })}= \begin{cases}R_{k}\left(I_{k}^{(o d)}+I_{\text {OFF }}\right)^{2} & \text { if } b_{k} \in L_{n} \\ R_{k}\left(I_{k}^{(o d)}-I_{\text {OFF }}\right)^{(2)} & \text { if } b_{k} \in L_{m} \\ R_{k}\left(I_{\text {OFF }}-I_{\text {OFF }}\right)^{2} & \text { if } b_{k}=b_{\text {OFF }} \\ R_{k} I_{\text {OFF }} & \text { if } b_{k}=b_{\text {ON }} \\ R_{k} I_{k}^{\text {(od }} 2 & \text { otherwise }\end{cases}
$$

Developping this equation

The new value of the total loss is

$$
\begin{aligned}
& f_{R}^{(n e w)}=\sum_{k=1}^{M} f_{R, k}^{\text {(new }}=f_{R}^{(o l d)}+ \\
& \left.\sum_{b_{k} \in L_{k} \Delta L_{m} u b_{\text {ov }}} R_{k} I_{\text {OFF }}{ }^{2}+2 I_{\text {OFF }}\left(\sum_{b_{k} \in L_{n}} R_{k} I_{k}^{(\text {(odd })}-\sum_{b_{k} \in L_{m}} R_{k} I_{k}^{(\text {odd }}\right)\right)
\end{aligned}
$$

Now,

$$
\begin{aligned}
& \Delta f_{R}^{f n e w}=I_{\text {OFF }}^{2}\left(\sum_{b_{k} \in\left(L_{\Delta}, \Delta L_{m} \cup b_{o N}\right)} R_{k}\right)+
\end{aligned}
$$

For the voltage; there are five cases :
If $L_{g} \subset L_{n}$

$$
\begin{aligned}
V_{g}^{(n e w)} & =V_{F}-\sum_{b_{k} \in L_{g}} Z_{k} k_{k}^{(\text {new })} \\
& =V_{F}-\sum_{b_{k} \in L_{g}} Z_{k}\left(I_{k}^{\text {(od) })}+I_{O F F}\right) \\
V_{g}^{\text {(odd) }} & =V_{F}-\sum_{b_{k} \in L_{g}} Z_{k} I_{k}^{\text {old }}
\end{aligned}
$$

Hence ;

$$
\begin{aligned}
\Delta V_{g}^{(\text {new })} & =V_{g}^{(\text {new })}-V_{g}^{(\text {(old })} \\
& =-I_{O F F} \sum_{b_{k} \in L_{g}} Z_{k}
\end{aligned}
$$

if $L_{g} \subset L_{j}$

$$
\begin{aligned}
V_{g}^{(\text {new })} & =V_{F}-\sum_{b_{k} \in L_{g}} Z_{k} I_{k}^{\text {new })} \\
& =V_{F}-\sum_{b_{k} \in L_{g}} Z_{k}\left(I_{k}^{(o l d)}-I_{\text {OFF }}\right) \\
V_{g}^{(o l d)} & =V_{F}-\sum_{b_{k} \in L_{g}} Z_{k} I_{k}^{(o l d)}
\end{aligned}
$$

Hence ;

$$
\begin{aligned}
\Delta V_{g}^{(\text {new })} & =V_{g}^{(\text {new })}-V_{g}^{(\text {old })} \\
& =+I_{O F F} \sum_{b_{k} \in L_{g}} Z_{k}
\end{aligned}
$$

If $L_{e} \subset L_{g}$ and $x_{e} \in$ loop and $x_{g} \notin$ loop
$V_{g}^{\text {new })}=V_{e}^{(\text {new })}-\sum_{b_{k} \in L_{g} \Delta L_{e}} Z_{k} I_{k}^{\text {new })}$
$V_{g}^{(\text {old })}=V_{e}^{(o l d)}-\sum_{b_{k} \in L_{g} \Delta L_{e}} Z_{k} I_{k}^{\text {(old })}$
As in this case; $I_{k}^{(\text {new })}=I_{k}^{(\text {old })}$ we will get:

$$
\begin{aligned}
\Delta V_{g}^{(\text {new })} & =V_{g}^{(\text {new })}-V_{g}^{(\text {old })} \\
& =V_{e}^{\text {(new) })}-V_{e}^{(\text {(old })} \\
& =\Delta V_{e}^{(\text {new })}
\end{aligned}
$$

If $L_{g} \subset L_{m}$ and $L_{j} \subset L_{g}$
$\Delta V_{g}^{(n e w)}=V_{g}^{(n e w)}-V_{g}^{(o d t)}$
$=\left(V_{F}-\sum_{b_{k} \in U_{g}^{\text {(new }}} Z_{k}^{(\text {Inew) }}\right)-\left(V_{F}-\sum_{b_{k} \in I_{g}^{\text {(aut }}} Z_{k} k_{k}^{(\text {old })}\right)$
$=-\sum_{b_{k} \in U_{g}^{\text {lew }}} Z_{k} I_{k}^{\text {(neev) }}+\sum_{b_{k} \in I_{g}^{\text {Iat }}} Z_{k} I_{k}^{(\text {old }}$






In the last case, there is no change in current and voltages


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