## **Simple transmissions stability**

Interconnected systems operated in synchronous operation (same frequency) if active power is lesser than limit value. Otherwise system gets out of synchronism (parallel operation stability disturbation)

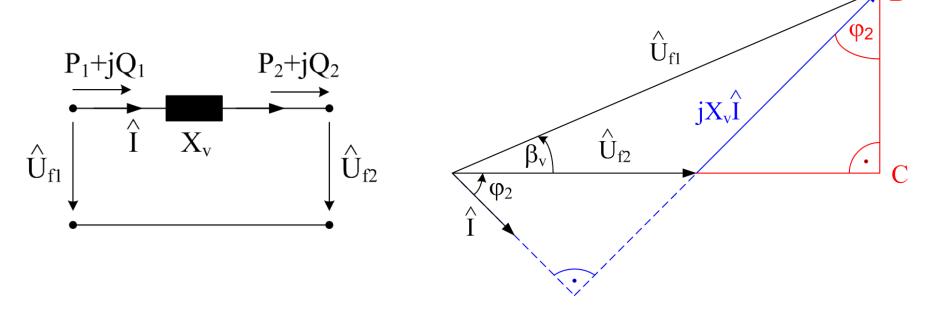
<u>Steady-stability</u> – is the ability of system to remain in the synchronous operation during slow changes.

<u>Transient stability</u> – is the ability of system to remain in the synchronous operation during sudden large changes (loading, parameters). Electromechanical transient events  $\rightarrow$  to have a sufficient reserve power during the steady-state operation.

Importance: sources and systems collaboration keeping, AC power lines length limiting

## **Basic relations**

Assumption: only longitudinal reactance considered Transmission angle (power angle)  $\beta_v$  – between voltages at both transmission ends



Consumed active power (single phase)

$$P_f = U_{f2}I\cos\phi_2$$

$$Q_{\rm f} = U_{\rm f2} I \sin \phi_2$$

$$\overline{BC} \sim X_v I \cos \varphi_2 = U_{f1} \sin \beta_v$$

$$I \cos \varphi_2 = \frac{U_{f1}}{X_v} \sin \beta_v$$

Transmission power equation

$$P_{f} = \frac{U_{f1}U_{f2}}{X_{v}}\sin\beta_{v}$$

 $0^{\circ} \div 90^{\circ}$ : stable area

 $90^{\circ} \div 180^{\circ}$ : unstable area

 $\beta_{\rm v} = 90^{\circ}$ : steady-state stability limit

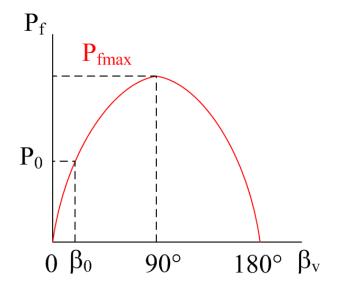
$$P_{f \text{ max}} = \frac{U_{f1}U_{f2}}{X_{v}}$$

In addition to power lines also reactance of generators, transformers ...  $\rightarrow$  higher power angle. Generators have the biggest influence (X).

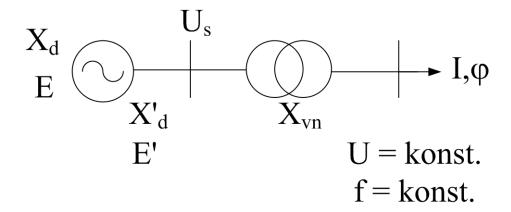
$$X_{v}I\sin\phi_{2} + U_{f2} = U_{f1}\cos\beta_{v}$$

$$I\sin\phi_{2} = \frac{U_{f1}\cos\beta_{v}}{X_{v}} - \frac{U_{f2}}{X_{v}}$$

$$Q_{f} = \frac{U_{f1}U_{f2}\cos\beta_{v}}{X_{v}} - \frac{U_{f2}^{2}}{X_{v}}$$



# Turbo-alternator operating to a "hard" system



$$X_{dc} = X_d + X_{vn}$$

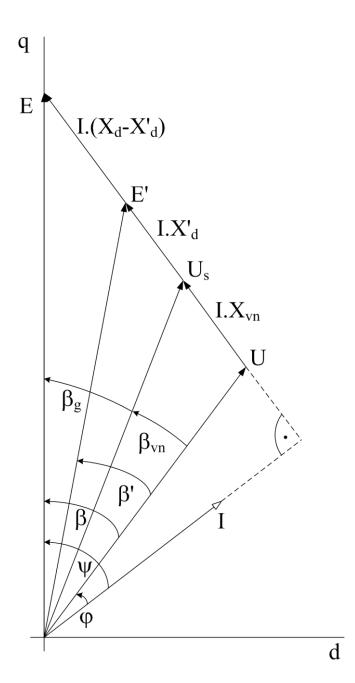
# Alternator inside power

$$P = \frac{E \cdot U}{X_{dc}} \sin \beta$$

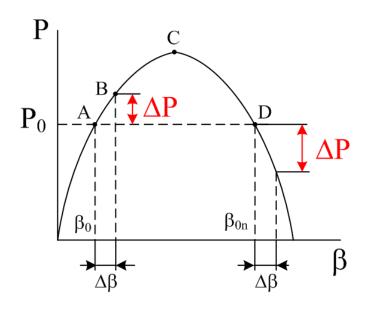
$$Q_{i} = \frac{E^{2}}{X_{dc}} - \frac{E \cdot U}{X_{dc}} \cos \beta$$

Valid for the hard system (f, U = konst., X = 0), constant excitation (E), smooth-core rotor (turbo alternator).

Stability influenced by transmitted power (P), excitation (E), transmission configuration (X).  $\rightarrow$  longitudinal compensation (C), higher excitation



#### System steady-state stability



#### Stable state

$$P_0 = P_m$$
 (electrical (machines) = mechanical (turbine), no losses)  $\omega_0 = konst.$  (system and machine)

Mechanical power of turbine is a constant – doesn't depend on  $\beta$  but depend on  $\omega$  (regulation P-f)

Point A: rotor acceleration  $\rightarrow \Delta\beta \rightarrow (P_0 + \Delta P) \rightarrow P_{el} > P_{mech} \rightarrow rotor$ retardation  $\rightarrow$  stabilization  $\rightarrow$  point A stable

Point D: rotor acceleration  $\rightarrow \Delta\beta \rightarrow (P_0-\Delta P) \rightarrow P_{el} < P_{mech} \rightarrow rotor$  acceleration  $\rightarrow loss of synchronism \rightarrow point D unstable$ 

Synchronization power

$$P_{c} = \frac{dP}{d\beta} = \frac{E \cdot U}{X_{dc}} \cos \beta$$

Stable area

$$P_{c} > 0$$

Steady-state stability limit

$$P_c = 0$$

Coefficient reserve power (usually above 20%)

$$k_{P} = \frac{P_{m} - P_{0}}{P_{0}}$$

Note: More machines → needs to watch P curve for each machine

#### Double-machine problem with between consumption (fault)

#### Superposition

$$\begin{split} \hat{I}_1 &= \hat{I}_{11} - \hat{I}_{12} & \hat{I}_2 = \hat{I}_{22} - \hat{I}_{21} & \hat{I}_k = \hat{I}_{k1} + \hat{I}_{k2} \\ \hat{I}_{11} &= \frac{\hat{U}_1}{\hat{Z}_{11}} & \hat{I}_{22} = \frac{\hat{U}_2}{\hat{Z}_{22}} & \hat{I}_{12} = \frac{\hat{U}_2}{\hat{Z}_{12}} & \hat{I}_{21} = \frac{\hat{U}_1}{\hat{Z}_{21}} \\ \hat{Z}_{11} &= \hat{Z}_1 + \frac{\hat{Z}_2 \hat{Z}_k}{\hat{Z}_2 + \hat{Z}_k} \\ \hat{Z}_{22} &= \hat{Z}_2 + \frac{\hat{Z}_1 \hat{Z}_k}{\hat{Z}_1 + \hat{Z}_k} \\ \hat{Z}_{12} &= \hat{Z}_{21} = \hat{Z}_1 + \hat{Z}_2 + \frac{\hat{Z}_1 \hat{Z}_2}{\hat{Z}_1} \end{split}$$

$$\hat{S}_{1} = \hat{U}_{1}\hat{I}_{1}^{*} = \frac{U_{1}^{2}}{\hat{Z}_{11}^{*}} - \frac{\hat{U}_{1}\hat{U}_{2}^{*}}{\hat{Z}_{12}^{*}}$$

$$\hat{S}_{1} = \frac{U_{1}^{2}}{\hat{Z}_{11}^{*}} - \frac{U_{1}U_{2}}{\hat{Z}_{12}^{*}} e^{j\beta}$$

$$P_{1} = \text{Re}\{\hat{S}_{1}\} \qquad Q_{1} = \text{Im}\{\hat{S}_{1}\}$$

#### For R=0:

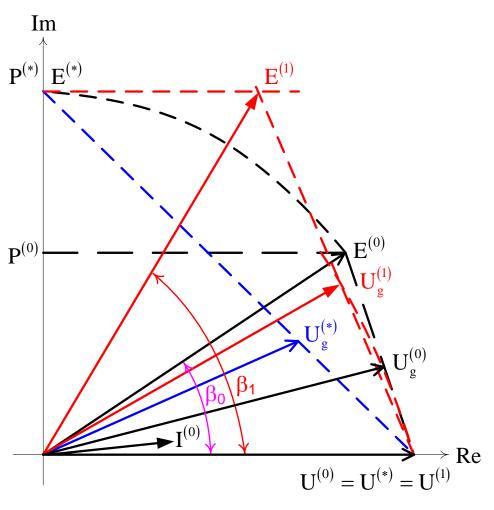
$$\hat{S}_{1} = \frac{U_{1}^{2}}{-jX_{11}} - \frac{U_{1}U_{2}}{-jX_{12}} (\cos \beta + j\sin \beta)$$

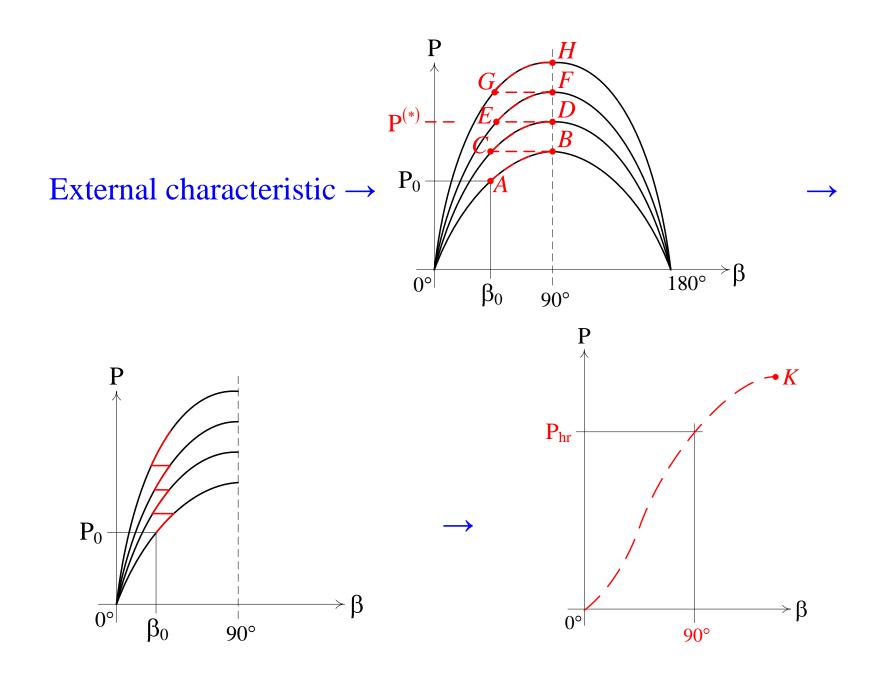
$$P_1 = \frac{U_1 U_2}{X_{12}} \sin \beta$$

$$Q_1 = \frac{U_1^2}{X_{11}} - \frac{U_1 U_2}{X_{12}} \cos \beta$$

# Regulation of excitation

$$P = \frac{E \cdot U}{X_{dc}} \sin \beta = k \cdot E \cdot \sin \beta$$





#### Machine with salient poles

$$I \cdot X_{q} \cdot \cos \varphi = E_{q} \cdot \sin \beta$$

$$E_{q} = E - I_{d} \cdot (X_{d} - X_{q})$$

$$I_{d} \cdot X_{d} = E - U_{g} \cos \beta$$

#### Modification

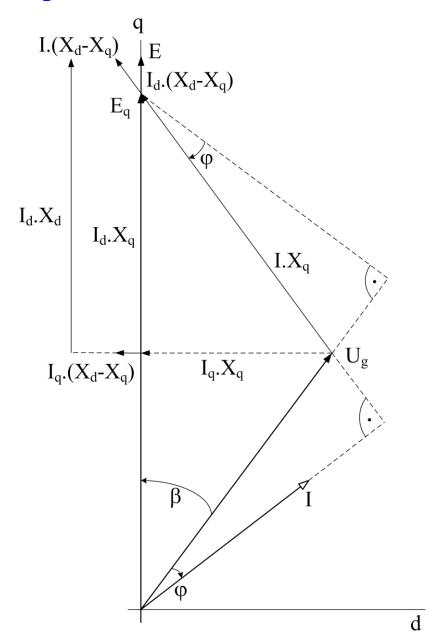
$$I_{d} = \frac{E}{X_{d}} - \frac{U_{g}}{X_{d}} \cos \beta$$

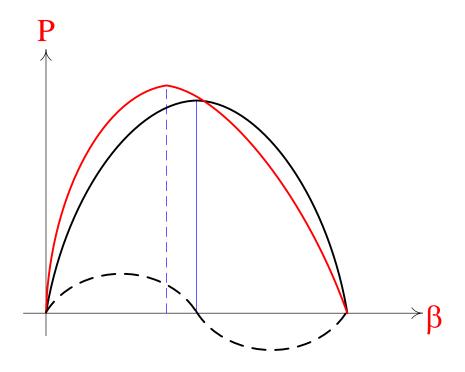
$$E_{q} = E \cdot \frac{X_{q}}{X_{d}} + U_{g} \cos \beta \cdot \frac{X_{d} - X_{q}}{X_{d}}$$

#### Generator power

$$P = U_g \cdot I \cdot \cos \varphi$$

$$P = \frac{E \cdot U_g}{X_d} \sin \beta + \frac{U_g^2}{2} \cdot \frac{X_d - X_q}{X_d X_q} \sin 2\beta$$



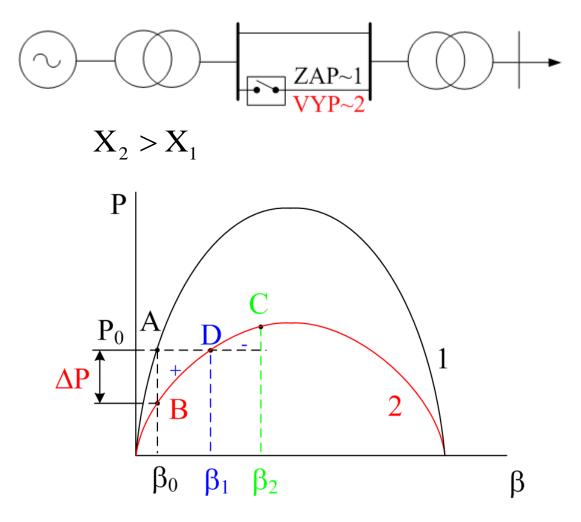


Generator to the network over series impedance

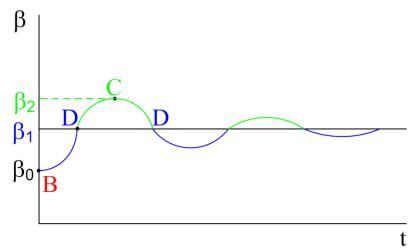
$$P = \frac{E \cdot U_{g}}{X_{d} + X_{vn}} \sin \beta + \frac{U_{g}^{2}}{2} \cdot \frac{X_{d} - X_{q}}{(X_{d} + X_{vn})(X_{q} + X_{vn})} \sin 2\beta$$

# Sytem transient stability

Parameters changes in the system  $\rightarrow$  impact power changes  $\rightarrow$  possible loss of stability.



- Point A before the changes
- Inertia  $\rightarrow \beta_0$  doesn't change by step  $\rightarrow$  generator power drops by  $\Delta P$
- $P_m P_{el}$  = accelerating power
- In the point D  $\omega > \omega_0 \rightarrow \beta$  grows up to the point C, gradual retardation
- Stabilization after several swings in the point D (a few seconds period)



The point C is too far ( $\Delta P$  accelerating)  $\rightarrow$  loss of synchronism.

# Behavior solution $\beta = f(t)$ Motion equation

$$W_k = \frac{1}{2}J\omega^2$$

$$P_a = P_m - P_e = \frac{dW_k}{dt} = \frac{1}{2}J2\omega\frac{d\omega}{dt}$$

$$P_a > 0 - accelerating power$$

$$P_a < 0 - retarding power$$

#### Swing equation

$$P_{m} - \frac{E \cdot U}{X_{dc}} \sin \beta(t) = J\omega(t) \frac{d\omega(t)}{dt}$$

$$\omega(t) = \omega_{0} + \frac{d\beta(t)}{dt}$$

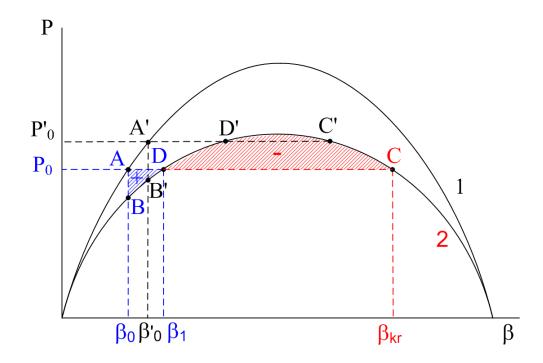
$$\beta(0) = \beta_{0}; \ \omega(0) = \omega_{0}$$

## Inertia moment from start-up time

$$P = M\omega = J\omega \cong J\frac{\Delta\omega}{\Delta t}\omega = \frac{J\omega^{2}}{T}$$

$$J = \frac{T_{m}P_{n}}{\omega_{0}^{2}}$$

# Equal areas method



Accelerating energy (area +)

$$A_{a} = \int_{\beta_{0}}^{\beta_{1}} (P_{0} - P_{el}) d\beta$$

Retarding energy (area -)

$$A_{r} = \int_{\beta_{1}}^{\beta_{kr}} (P_{el} - P_{0}) d\beta$$

For keeping in synchronism

$$A_a \leq A_r$$

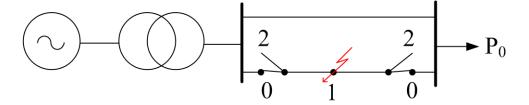
Transient stability

- limit at  $A_a = A_r$ , there is no strict angle limit
- during swing the angle can be  $\beta > 90^{\circ}$

# Auto-reclosing (AR)

During failure short disconnecting and after a while repeated reclosing of the faulted section.

- temporary failure disappeared → operation
- permanent failure → final disconnecting



A<sub>0</sub> initial state

 $A_1 - B_1$  short-circuit

B<sub>1</sub> short-circuit disconnecting

B<sub>2</sub> - C<sub>2</sub> disconnected power line

C<sub>2</sub> AR (successful)

 $C_3$  -  $D_3$  swinging on the original characteristic

AR disconnecting time  $\sim$  between angles  $\beta_1$  and  $\beta_2$  (compromise between stability and arc burning).

