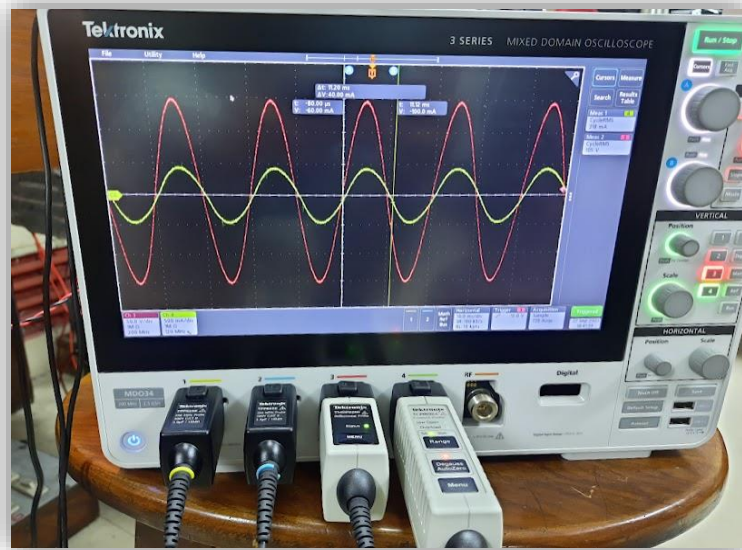


Applied Power Electronics Research Group

Welcome to Power Electronics and Renewable Energy Lab (PEARE)



Area of Research:

- Designing and Developing Analog Circuits and Power Converters along with their Controllers
- Renewable Energy Systems
- Electric Vehicles (EVs)
- Permanent Magnet Synchronous Motors (PMSM), Brushless DC Motors (BLDC), and Induction Motors (IM) Drives

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Sponsored Project:

Sl. No.	Project Title	Sponsoring Agency	Sanction Amount	Details of Sanction
01	Development of SMART Grid-interactive SPV Systems	DST, Ministry of Science & Technology, Government of India	INR: 94,30,000.00	Memo No. DST/TM/SERI/D31(G) dated: 10/08/2016.
02	Development of Compact and Efficient Grid Tied Solar Powered Inverter (SPI) Systems	DST, Ministry of Science & Technology, Government of India	INR: 1,28,81,808.00	Memo No. DST/TMD/CERI/RES/2020/22(G) dated: 03/09/2021.
03	Development of Remote Energy Metering System towards the Estimation of Zonal Energy Consumption with AMR	CPRI, Ministry of Power, Government of India.	INR 27,00,000.00	Sanction year 2011-2013

Consortium Partners for Projects enlisted at Sl. No. 1 and 2:

- University of Calcutta
- Kalyani Government Engineering College
- Jadavpur University
- Indian Institute of Engineering Science and Technology, Shibpur (IIST)
- St. Thomas College of Engineering and Technology
- Statcon Energia Pvt. Ltd., Noida, U.P (*Technical Collaborator*).

Some Notable Research Publication:

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8. "Active Cell Balancing of Lithium-ion Battery Pack Using Dual DC-DC Converter and Auxiliary Lead-acid Battery", A Samanta, S Chowdhuri, *Journal of Energy Storage*, volume 33, Elsevier, 2021, pp102-109
9. "Design and Implementation of Hybrid Self-Control Scheme for PM Synchronous Motor Drive", Arabindo Chandra, Soumyajit Datta, Sumana Chowdhuri, *Journal of The Institution of Engineers (India): Series B, (), 1-7, DOI 10.1007/s40031-021-00580-y, pp-671-677*

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Facility At PEARE Laboratory

Developed Research Facility:

Developed Systems	Controller
Three-Phase Grid Connected Inverter based System	dsPIC30F4011 & PIC18F4550
Single-Phase Grid Connected Inverter based System	STM32G474RE
Permanent Magnet Synchronous Motor Drive	Atmel SAM3X8E ARM Cortex-M3
Brushless DC Motor Drive	STM32F303RE
Three-Phase Induction Motor Drive	dsPIC30F4011
Single-Phase Induction Motor Drive	PIC18F4550
DC Motor Drive	PIC16F877A
DC Buck Converter Setup	PIC16F877A
DC Quasi-Resonant Boost Converter Setup	??
Three-Phase Active Front-End PWM Rectifier	STM32G474RE
Wireless Battery Charger	??

Major Equipment Acquired:

- SPV Simulator
- D-Space 1104
- High Voltage Differential Probe
- Current Probe
- DSO

Glimpses of the Developed Prototypes:



DC Buck Converter



DC Motor Drive



Wireless Battery Charger



DC Quasi-Resonant Boost converter



PR Controlled Single Phase Inverter using d-Space 1104



Permanent Magnet Synchronous Motor Drive



Three-Phase Grid Connected Inverter based System



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Participation and Collaborations:



Members and Collaborators participating at 4Xth AGM of IEEE Kolkata Section



Members and Collaborators participating at IEEE Kolkata IAS Chapter's Annual Meeting



Distinguished Lecture by Prof. V. Khadkikar, an IEEE Kolkata IAS Chapter event.