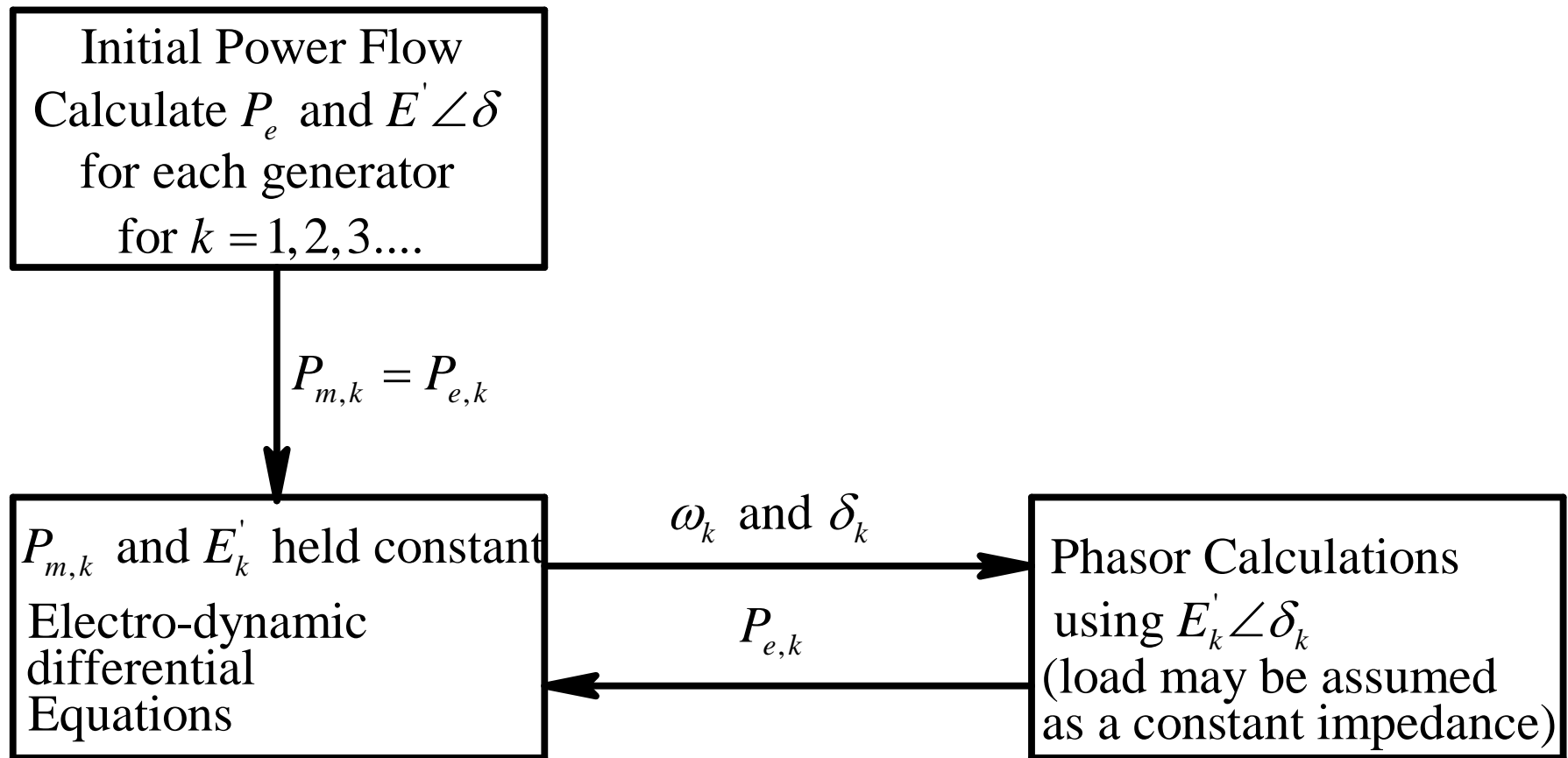


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Fig. 11-8 Block diagram of transient stability program for an n-generator case. 1

Example Power System for Transient Stability Analysis

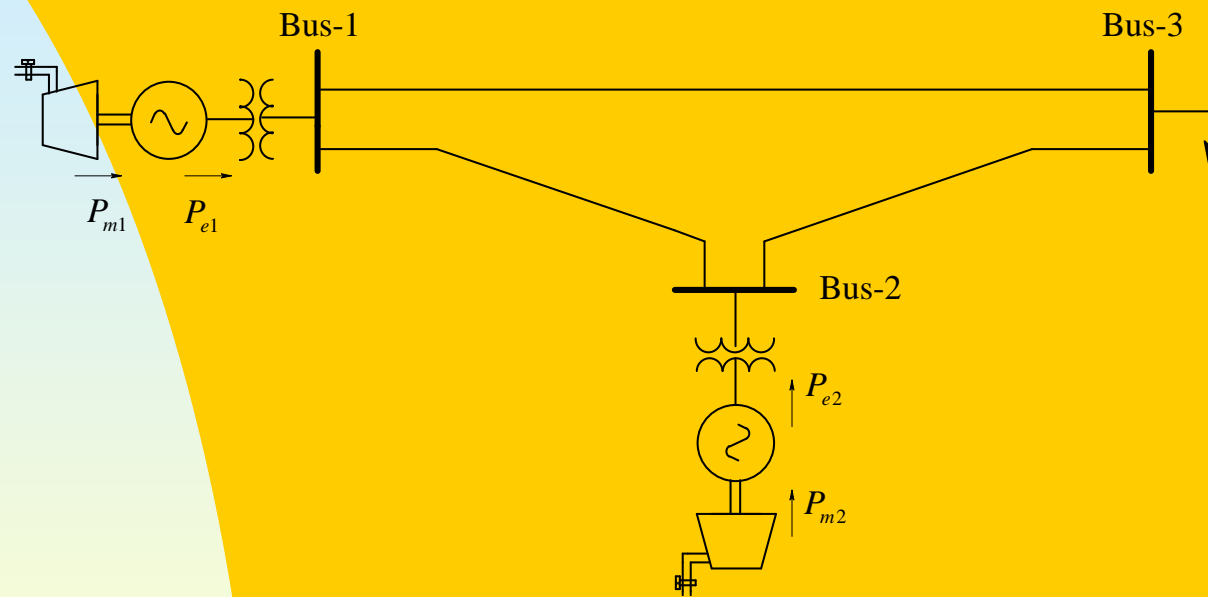


Fig. 11-9 A 345-kV test example system.

Rotor Angle Swings in the Example Power System Following a Fault

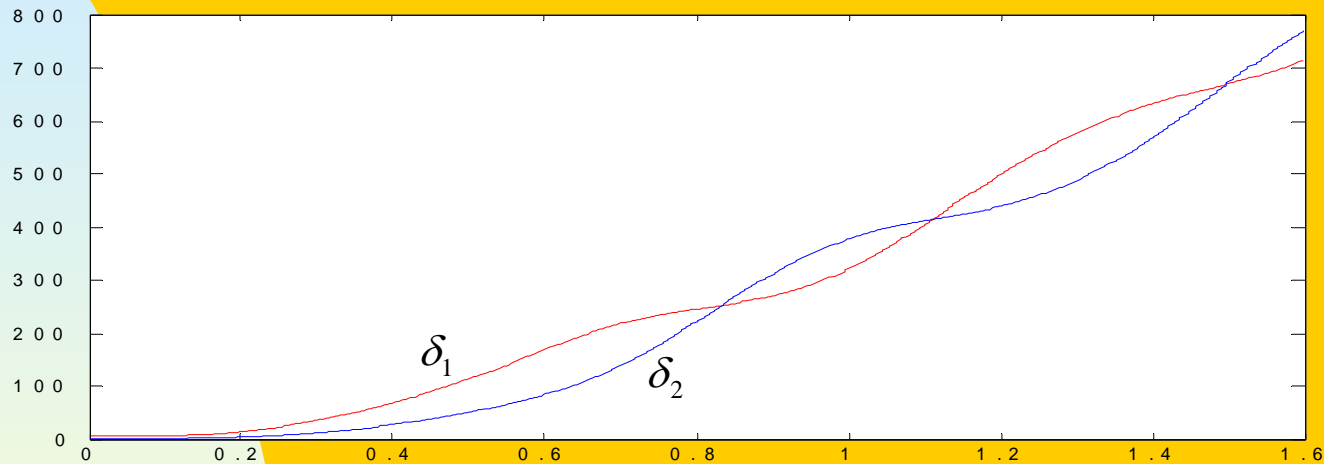


Fig. 11-10 Rotor-angle swings of δ_1 and δ_2 in Example 11-3.

Importance of Dynamic Stability

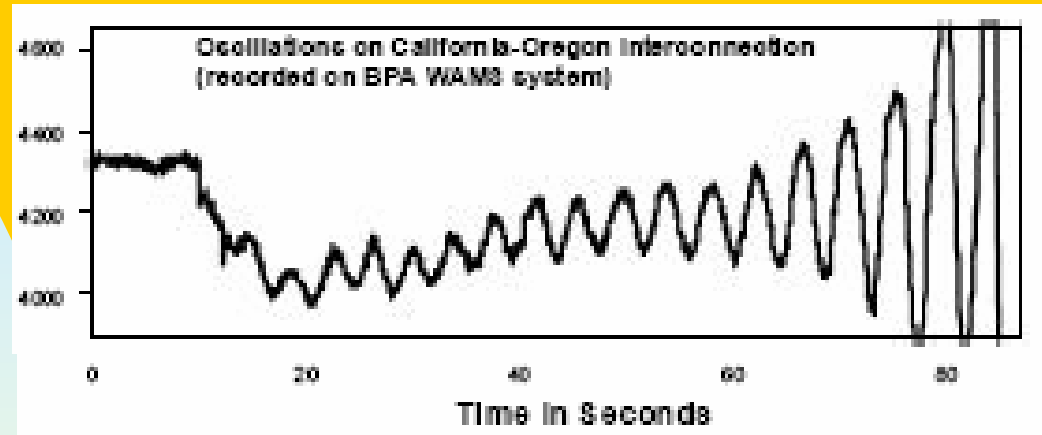


Fig. 11-11 Growing Power Oscillations: Western USA/Canada system, Aug 10, 1996 [4].

- **Cause is inadequate damping**
- **Due to Fast-acting Excitation Systems, HVDC, FACT**
- **Possible to prevent by PSS, HVDC Control**
- **Beyond the scope of the First Course**

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