



Chaotic Circuit Generating Two Main Frequency Band Oscillations

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abstract

In this study, novel chaotic circuit generating two main frequency band oscillations is proposed. We consider that this circuit is suitable for finding a novel phenomena related to quasi-synchronization.

1. Introduction

Many kinds of interesting phenomena have been observed in coupled chaotic circuits. One topic of coupled chaotic circuits is a chaotic synchronization. A chaotic synchronization is a phenomenon that orbits of coupled chaotic oscillators become same. There are many studies about a chaotic synchronization. Especially, we pay attention to a chaotic quadi-synchronization. In large-scale coupled chaotic circuits, chaotic quadi-synchronization is observed and some related phenomena are observed. The observed phenomena are influenced by a coupling strength, a topology of the system and characteristics of coupled circuits. The coupling strength and the topology can be changed easily. However, changing the characteristics of coupled circuits is not easily, because of there are not so much the number of chaotic circuits. In order to progress the study of coupled chaotic circuit systems, many kinds of chaotic circuits are needed.

In this study, novel chaotic circuit generating two main frequency band oscillations is proposed. Normally, a chaotic oscillation has a continuous frequency band including main frequency. We consider that this circuit is suitable for finding a novel phenomena related to quasi-synchronization.

2. Proposed circuit

Figure 1 is a proposed circuit in this study. The circuit consists of two capacitors, two inductors, two diodes and one negative resistor. By two L - C set, two main bands are generated. Parameters C_1 and L_1 are set as smaller values than parameters C_2 and L_2 .

In order to derive a circuit equation, bidirectionally coupled diodes are modeled as a piecewise linear function shown

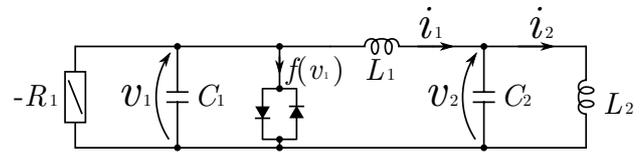


Figure 1: Proposed circuit.

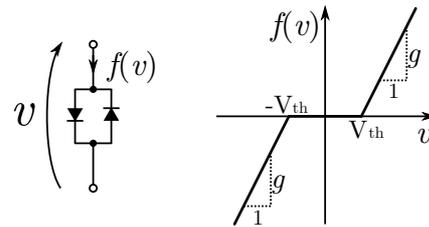


Figure 2: Bidirectionally coupled diode model.

in Fig. 2. By using this model, the circuit equation is described as follows:

$$\begin{cases} C_1 \frac{dv_1}{dt} = \frac{1}{R_1} v_1 - i_1 - f(v_1), \\ L_1 \frac{di_2}{dt} = v_1 - v_2, \\ C_2 \frac{dv_3}{dt} = i_1 - i_2, \\ L_2 \frac{di_4}{dt} = v_2, \end{cases} \quad (1)$$

where

$$f(v) = gv_1 + g(|v_1 - V_{th}| - |v_1 + V_{th}|)/2. \quad (2)$$

By substituting the variables and the parameters,

$$\begin{aligned} x_1 &= \frac{v_1}{V_{th}}, & x_2 &= \sqrt{\frac{L_1}{C_1}} \frac{i_1}{V_{th}}, & x_3 &= \frac{v_2}{V_{th}}, \\ x_4 &= \sqrt{\frac{L_1}{C_1}} \frac{i_2}{V_{th}}, & \frac{d}{dt} &= \dots, & \tau &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{L_1 C_1}} t, \\ \alpha &= \frac{1}{R_1} \sqrt{\frac{L_1}{C_1}}, & \beta &= \frac{C_1}{C_2}, & \gamma &= \frac{L_1}{L_2} \text{ and } \delta = g \sqrt{\frac{L_1}{C_1}}. \end{aligned} \quad (3)$$

equations (1) and (2) are normalized as

$$\begin{cases} \dot{x}_1 &= \alpha x_1 - x_2 - x_d, \\ \dot{x}_2 &= x_1 - x_3, \\ \dot{x}_3 &= \beta(x_2 - x_4), \\ \dot{x}_4 &= \gamma x_3, \end{cases} \quad (4)$$

where

$$x_d = \delta x_1 + \delta(|x_1 - 1| - |x_1 + 1|)/2. \quad (5)$$

3. Exact solutions and Poincaré Map

Since the circuit equations (4) are piecewise-linear, solutions in each linear region can be derived. At first, we define three piecewise-linear region as follows.

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{R}_1 &: x_1 > 1. \\ \mathbf{R}_2 &: -1 \leq x_1 \leq 1. \\ \mathbf{R}_3 &: x_1 < -1. \end{aligned} \quad (6)$$

The eigenvalues in each region are calculated from Eq. (4). The eigenvalues in each region are described as follows.

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{R}_1 \text{ and } \mathbf{R}_3 &: \lambda_{11}, \lambda_{12}, \sigma_{11} \pm j\omega_{11}. \\ \mathbf{R}_2 &: \sigma_{21} \pm j\omega_{21}, \sigma_{22} \pm j\omega_{22}. \end{aligned} \quad (7)$$

The eigenvalues in each region are obtained from the 4th order eigenequation of Eq. (4). The equilibrium points of each region are calculated by putting the right side of Eq. (4) to be equal to zero. Then, the solutions in each linear region can be described. We omit the description, because it is complicated enough to write here.

Now, we are deriving the Poincaré map and the Jacobian matrix.

Let us define the following subspace

$$\mathbf{S} = \mathbf{S}_1 \cap \mathbf{S}_2. \quad (8)$$

where,

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{S}_1 &: x_1 = 1, \\ \mathbf{S}_2 &: x_2 > \alpha. \end{aligned} \quad (9)$$

The subspace \mathbf{S}_1 corresponds to the boundary condition between \mathbf{R}_1 and \mathbf{R}_2 , while the subspace \mathbf{S}_2 corresponding to

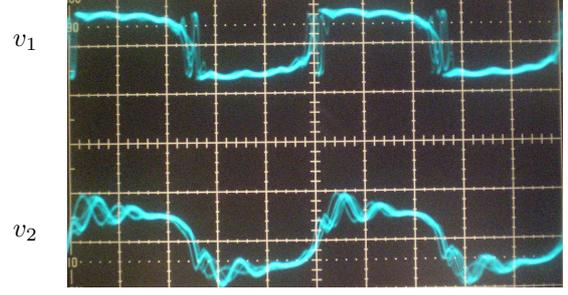


Figure 3: Waveform observed in the circuit experiment. $R_1 = 3.0[\text{k}\Omega]$.

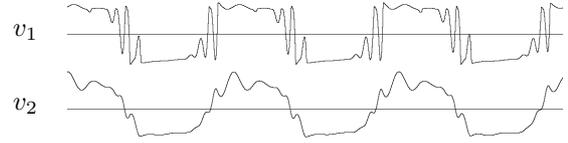


Figure 4: Waveform observed in the computer calculation. $\alpha = 0.6$.

the condition $\dot{x}_1 < 0$. Namely, \mathbf{S} corresponds to the transitional condition from \mathbf{R}_1 to \mathbf{R}_2 .

Let us consider the solution starting from an initial point on \mathbf{S} . The solution returns back to \mathbf{S} again after wandering \mathbf{R}_1 , \mathbf{R}_2 and \mathbf{R}_3 . Hence, we can derive the Poincaré map as follows.

$$\mathbf{T}: \mathbf{S} \rightarrow \mathbf{S}, \quad \mathbf{x}_0 \mapsto \mathbf{T}(\mathbf{x}_0). \quad (10)$$

where, \mathbf{x}_0 is an initial point on \mathbf{S} , while $\mathbf{T}(\mathbf{x}_0)$ is the point at which the solution starting from \mathbf{x}_0 hits \mathbf{S} again. $\mathbf{T}(\mathbf{x}_0)$ can be derived by using the exact solutions. The Jacobian matrix \mathbf{DT} of the Poincaré Map \mathbf{T} can be also derived.

We can calculate the largest Lyapunov exponent by

$$\mu = \lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{N} \sum_{j=0}^{N-1} \log |\mathbf{DT}_j \cdot \mathbf{e}_j|. \quad (11)$$

here \mathbf{e}_j is a normalized base.

4. Circuit Experiments And Computer Calculations

Figures 3, 4 and 5 are a circuit experiment results and a computer calculation results. In circuit experiments, circuit parameters are fixed as $C_1 = 0.015[\mu\text{F}]$, $L_1 = 5[\text{mH}]$, $C_2 = 0.10[\mu\text{F}]$ and $L_2 = 100[\text{mH}]$. Corresponding parameters of computer calculations are fixed as $\beta = 0.15$, $\gamma = 0.05$ and $\delta = 10$. Control parameters are set as R_1 and α .

Waveforms are shown in Figs 3 and 4. Long and short wavelengths are observed.

Projections of attractors onto v_1 and v_2 are shown in Fig. 5 (a). Projections of attractors onto x_1 and x_3 and their Poincaré maps are shown in Fig. 5 (b) and (c), respectively. Rows of Fig. 5 are corresponding to each others.

By changing control parameters, periodic orbits are observed in Figs. 5 (1), (2), (4) and (5). Chaotic phenomena are observed in Figs. 5 (3) and (6).

One-parameter bifurcation diagram and the calculated largest Lyapunov exponent are shown in Fig. 6 and Fig. 7, respectively. Bifurcation phenomena of periodic orbits, chaos, window and so on are observed. For $1.40 < \alpha < 7.80$, the largest Lyapunov exponent becomes positive though some large windows are observed. By using this result, We can say the generation of chaos is confirmed numerically. By changing other parameters, period doubling bifurcation phenomena, tours and so on are also observed in this circuit.

5. Conclusions

In this study, a novel chaotic circuit generating two main frequency band oscillations has been proposed. By circuit experiments, chaotic attractors have been observed and by using a linearized model, the generation of chaos has been confirmed numerically.

We consider that this circuit is suitable for finding a novel phenomena related to quasi-synchronization. Therefore, it is expected that this circuit contributes to studies of large scale coupled chaotic circuits.

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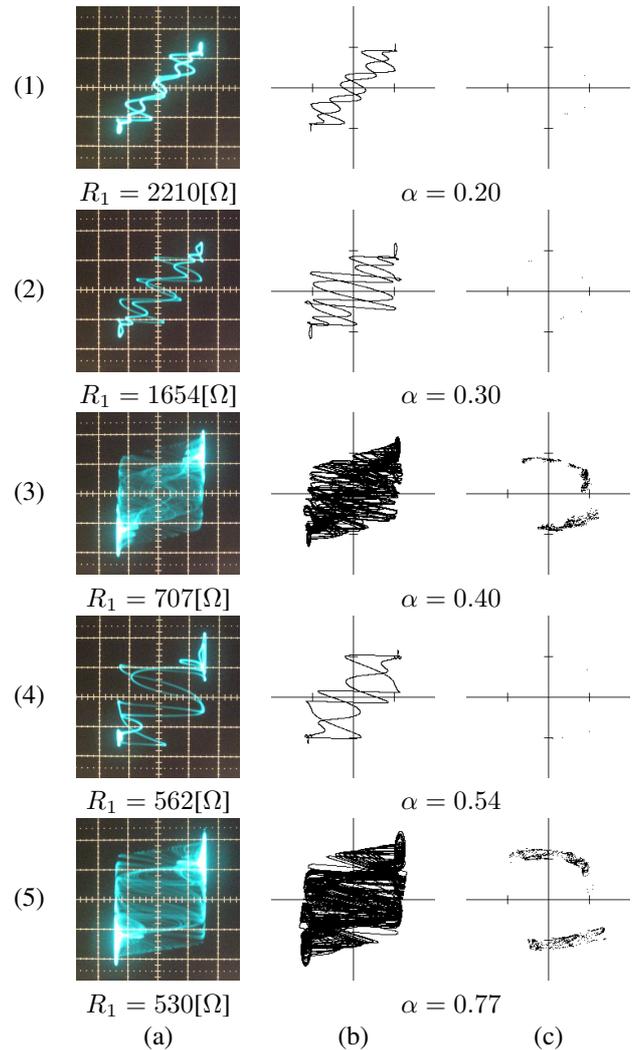


Figure 5: Circuit Experimental Results and Computer Calculation Results. (a) Circuit Experiments. v_1 - v_2 . (b) Attractors. x_1 - x_2 . (c) Poincaré maps. v_1 - v_3 .

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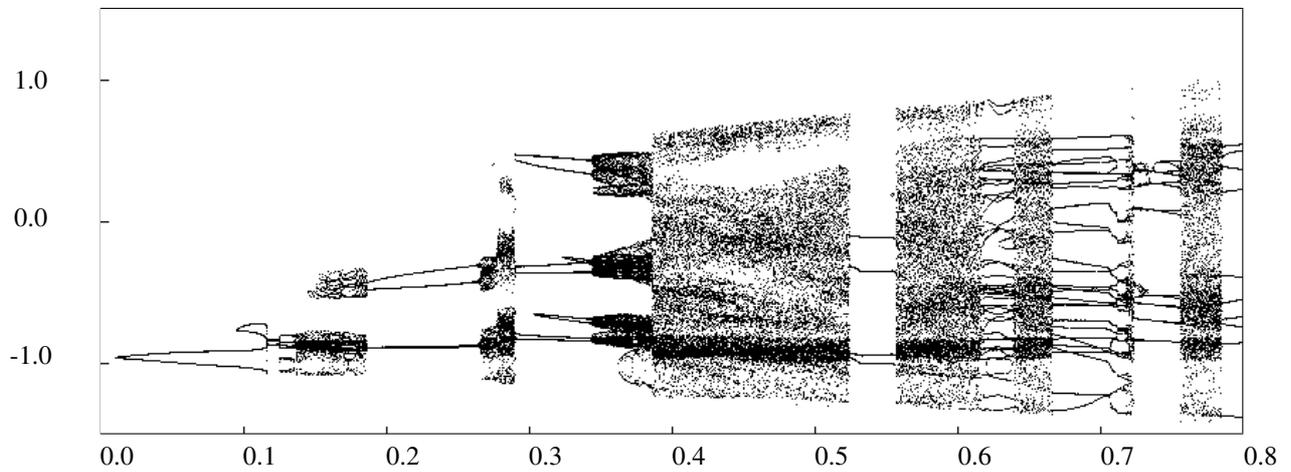


Figure 6: One parameter bifurcation diagram. Vertical axis: x_3 . Horizontal axis: α . $0.01 \leq \alpha \leq 0.80$. Parameter Step: 0.001. Plotted time: 10000[τ] per. one parameter.

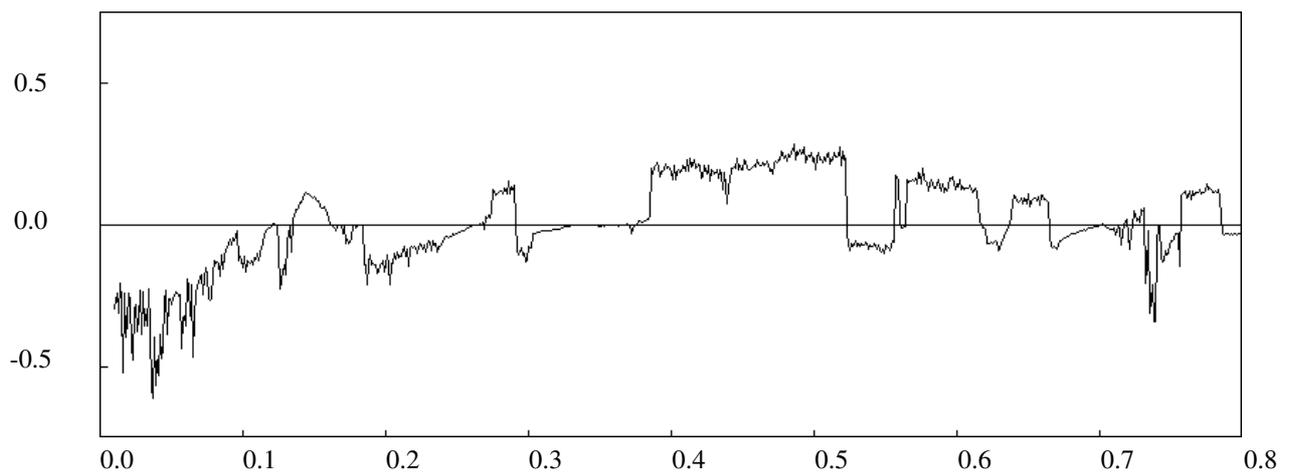


Figure 7: Largest Lyapunov exponent. Horizontal axis: α . $0.01 \leq \alpha \leq 0.80$. Parameter Step: 0.001.