



Reduced Order Function Projective Combination Synchronization of Three Josephson Junctions Using Backstepping Technique

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Abstract: In this paper, a new synchronization scheme, combination synchronization, is used to realize reduced order function projective synchronization among three chaotic Josephson junction systems using backstepping technique. In the first case, function projective synchronization of two (2) third order drive systems with a single second order Josephson junction is considered while in the second case, a single third order system is synchronized with two (2) second order system using backstepping. Controllers are designed and simulated to show the efficacy of combination synchronization scheme.

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1 Introduction

Synchronization between two chaotic systems has evolved greatly since its proposition by Pecora and Carroll [1]. Many types of synchronization schemes have been proposed and implemented including complete synchronization (CS) [1], projective synchronization (PS) [2, 3], lag synchronization (LS) [4], modified projective synchronization [5] while techniques such as adaptive control method [6], active control [7], active backstepping [2] and feedback control [8] have been used for design of controllers. Backstepping scheme has been efficient in the design technique for stabilization, tracking and synchronization

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