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ABSTRAK

Laporan ini membentangkan pembangunan kuasa penjana mobiliti menggunakan dinamo. Projek ini dapat digunakan sewaktu kecemasan apabila tiada bekalan elektrik dan juga tiada sumber kuasa yang boleh dibaharui seperti kuasa solar untuk mengecas peranti elektronik, 5V. Terdapat dua jenis mobiliti powerbank iaitu powerbank biasa dan solar powerbank dan kedua-dua powerbank ini mempunyai kelebihan dan kekurangan masing-masing.

Dalam projek ini, teori, komponen dan kelengkapan yang akan diguna ialah Arduino UNO sebagai satu mikropengawal untuk mengawal modulasi lebar denyut ke MOSFET, litar DC-DC penukar boost untuk meningkatkan voltan daripada dinamo, dan satu dinamo moden. Apabila dinamo berpusing, tenaga kinetik akan bertukar kepada tenaga elektrik. Voltan keluaran yang terhasil adalah tidak stabil kerana ia bergantung kepada kelajuan pusingan dinamo. Oleh itu, satu litar menggalak dan pengatur voltan diperlukan untuk menstabil voltan keluaran tersebut. Hasil voltan keluaran yang dijangkakan akan melebihi 5V dan keluaran selepas pengatur voltan akan dikekalkan kepada 5V



ABSTRACT

This report presents the development of Portable Power Generator by Using Dynamo. This project is used in emergency to generate power when no electric supply and no any renewable source example solar energy to charge any electronic device in range 5V. In market, there have two types famous portable power generator which is power bank and solar power bank and both power bank has its pros and cons.

In the project, theorem, component and equipment will use are Arduino UNO as a microcontroller to control the pulse width modulation to a MOSFET, circuit of DC-DC boost convertor to step up the voltage from dynamo, and a modern dc dynamo. When generate the dynamo, the kinetic energy will be convert to electrical energy. The output voltage from dynamo is not stable because it is depending on the speed rotate of dynamo. Hence it required a boosting circuit and a voltage regulator to stabilize it. The expected result for output voltage is higher than 5V and will stable in 5V after the voltage regulator.

DEDICATION

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LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS, SYMBOLS AND NOMENCLATURE

L	-	Inductor value
С	-	Capacitor value
V_s	-	Input Voltage
V_o	-	Output Voltage
L _{max}	-	Maximum Inductor value
ΔI	-	Changes of inductor value
ΔV_{outmax}	-	Changes of Maximum Output Voltage
D	-	Duty Cycle
V _L	-	Voltage of Inductor
di _L dt	-	The rate of changes of current in Inductor
$\Delta i_{L(open)}$	-	Current Changes of Inductor when switch is open
$\Delta i_{L(close)}$	-	Current Changes of Inductor when switch is close
Т	-	Period
T _{off}	-	Period when switch is close
P _{in}	-	Input Power
P_o	-	Output Power
R	-	Resistance value
I_L	-	Current value in Inductor
I _{Lmin}	-	Minimum current value in Inductor
PWM	-	Pulse width modulation

CHAPTER 1 INTRODUCTION

1.1 Background

Nowadays we are living in an information technology (IT) world. Therefore at least one man has one mobile cell phone to make or accept calls, send or receive messages, play games, online shopping or act as Global Positioning System (GPS) to reach a destination. All of the moment can done in few minutes with ours finger and a mobile cell phone. But, the battery storage for mobile cell phone is not enough as we need use it for few days without charging with plug, so a mobile power storage is needed when cell phone battery is not enough and this mobile power storage is called power bank. In market, there has many types and many brands of power bank. For example, solar power bank and power bank are the most popular in market. Both of them have pro and con. The table 1.1 show the comparison of power bank and the solar power bank.



Power Bank	Туре	Solar Power Bank
Electric charging - Cannot process charging when no electric energy supply - Need connect a wire which connect to a plug	Way to charge power bank Disadvantage	 Bi-ways charging (Electric energy or Solar Energy) Cannot process charging when no solar energy and electric energy supply. It will feel hot when used solar energy to charge it Solar panel easy broken down

Table	1.1:	Comparison	of power	bank	and	solar	power	bank
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A power bank can have many kinds of storage, but every user will realize that output power from power bank is not enough to fully charge cell phone for 2 to 3 times no matter how huge the storage. The power bank storage unit is mAh which is short of mille-Ampere per hour. As user used up the power bank battery, they need find a socket or a plug which can charge the power bank.

The focus of this project is to design a dynamo power bank which has use dc-dc converter which can produce a stable output of voltage and current from a dynamo. The output of the dc-dc converter will connect to a voltage regulator to stabilize the output.

1.2 Problem Statement

Output voltage of dynamos are depending on the speed of rotate to generate the power, so it is unstable output power. Therefore, to charge any electronic device, it need a stable input voltage to avoid device burst like the battery. If electricity system is break down or no electricity, the procedure to recharge the power bank is cannot to process.

1.3 Objectives of The Study

- To analyses the output from dynamo which is generate by man
- To develop portable power generator using dynamo
- To analyses output of dynamo to charge the electronic devices in range 5V.

1.4 Scope of The Study

In this project, an analyzation of the range of dynamo output voltage that will used in this project. Furthermore, a boost dc-dc converter and a feedback circuit to maintaining the output power from dynamo before that power as a supply to use to charge the device will be created. After that, this project can charge phone and power bank at anywhere without electrical energy.



1.5 Thesis Organization

This report will cover 5 chapter which are to describe the process of the thesis research. The first chapter will be an introduction which include the background of this project, problem statement, objectives, project scope and expected outcome of this project.

In chapter 2 Literature Review will be discussed the related theory about the project. Besides, this chapter will demonstrate the related devices to develop by the past researcher and contrasting the specifications of each method to see which part of the past projects can be modified to improve the development of this project.

In chapter 3 Methodology will discussed about the process flow of this projects. Furthermore, the implementation of the projects using simulation software such as Proteus 8.3 Professional will be explained. The results of the simulation will be attached in this chapter.

Besides, chapter 4 Discussion will be explained the details about hardware part of the project. The hardware physical quantities of the project will be measured and compared with the simulation one.

Lastly, the last chapter will be summarise the project report from the beginning to the conclusion. The recommendations of the projects are also stated in this report.



CHAPTER 2 LITERATURE REVIEW

2.0 Introduction

In this chapter will discuss the researched that related to this project. In between, in this chapter will discuss the dc-dc converter, the operation of the dynamo work and the microcontroller. In other word, after this chapter will easy to design and construct a dc-dc converter.

2.1 DC-DC Boost Convertor

From writer Daniel W.Hart, 2011, the DC-DC boost converter, we must assume few statements are correct. Firstly, the steady-state conditions are existing. Followed by the switch closed for time is DT which D is duty cycle and Tis the total switching period, and open time is (1-D) T. Third is the inductor current must in positive, and capacitor is very large and output voltage is constant continuously at V_{out}. Lastly, all the components are ideal. In Figure 2.1 below is an example circuit for boost convertor.



Figure 2.1: Example circuit for DC-DC boost convertor



Figure 2.2: Equivalent circuit for switch closed



Figure 2.3: Equivalent circuit for switch opened

Therefore, there have few calculations need to do to get the coefficient for inductance and capacitance. From the circuit equivalent circuits in Figure 2.2 and Figure 2.3, we can conclude the equation as in Table 2.1 below.

· Circuit	Equivalent Circuit	Closed C	
$V_s - V_o$	Voltage at inductor, V _L	$V_L =$	
V - V	di	di	

Table 2.1: Equation for V_L , $\frac{di_L}{dt}$ and Δi_L .

Open Circuit	Equivalent Circuit	Closed Circuit
$V_L = V_s - V_o$	Voltage at inductor, V_L	$V_L = V_s$
$\frac{di_L}{dt} = \frac{V_s - V_o}{L}$	$rac{di_L}{dt}$	$\frac{di_L}{dt} = \frac{V_s}{L}$
$\frac{\Delta i_{L(open)}}{T_{on}} = \frac{V_s - V_o}{L}$	Δi_L	$\frac{\Delta i_{L(close)}}{T_{off}} = \frac{V_s}{L}$
$\frac{\Delta i_{L(open)}}{(1-D)T} = \frac{V_s - V_o}{L}$		$\frac{\Delta i_{L(close)}}{DT} = \frac{V_s}{L}$
$\Delta i_{L(open)} = \frac{(V_s - V_o)(1 - D)T}{L}$		$\Delta i_{L(close)} = \frac{V_s DT}{L}$

In steady-state operation, the total inductor current must be zero. So

$$\Delta i_{L(open)} + \Delta i_{L(close)} = 0$$
$$\frac{(V_s - V_o)(1 - D)T}{L} + \frac{V_s DT}{L} = 0$$

Solving for Vo,

$$V_{s}(D+1-D) - V_{o}(1-D) = 0$$
$$V_{o} = \frac{V_{s}}{1-D}$$
(Eq. 1)

To calculate the coefficient of the inductor must make sure that the inductor current is continuous, which meant always positive. Therefore, the condition necessary for continuous, the minimum inductor current, I_{Lmin} must be greater than 0. The I_{Lmin} is determined by using the average value and the change in current. From initial we assumed that all components are ideal, so meant no power loss from supply to output. Therefore,

$$P_{in} = P_o$$

$$V_s I_L = \frac{V_o^2}{R}, \quad I_s = I_L$$

$$I_L = \frac{V_o^2}{V_s R} = \frac{(\frac{V_s}{1-D})^2}{V_s R} = \frac{V_s}{(1-D)^2 R}$$

$$I_{Lmin} = I_L - \frac{\Delta i_L}{2} = \frac{V_s}{(1-D)^2 R} - \frac{V_s DT}{2L}$$

To solve the L,

$$I_{Lmin} > 0$$

$$\frac{V_s}{(1-D)^2 R} - \frac{V_s DT}{2L} > 0$$

$$\frac{V_s}{(1-D)^2 R} > \frac{V_s DT}{2L}$$

$$L_{min} > \frac{D(1-D)^2 R}{2f} \qquad (Eq. 2)$$

To solve capacitor, C,

$$Q = IT = CV_{o}$$

$$\frac{V_{o}D}{R}T = C\Delta V_{o}$$

$$\frac{\Delta V_{o}}{V_{o}} = \frac{D}{RCf}$$
output ripple, $r = \frac{D}{RCf}$ (Eq. 3)

From Tyagi, P., Kotak, V. C., & Singh, V. P. S. 2014, "...a dc –dc boost converter can achieve a high boost voltage gain with a high duty ratio which near to 100%. But, in practice, the step-up voltage gain is limited due to the effect of power switches, rectifier diode, the equivalent series resistance (ESR) of inductors and capacitors. Therefore in pratical, some of the assumptions are not avilable to use.

2.2 Dynamo History

From researched of Henry.J, 2008, the first dynamo based on Faraday's principles was built in 1832 by Hippolyte Pixii, a French instrument maker as shown in Figure 2.4. It used permanent magnet which was rotated by a crank. The spinning magnet was placed so that its north and south poles passed through by a piece of iron wrapped with insulated wire.





Figure 2.4: Hippolyte Pixii

The dynamo uses rotating coils of wire and magnetic fields to convert mechanical rotation into a pulsing direct electric current through Faraday's law of induction. Dynamo have developed few times until today still have some uses in low power applications, particularly where low voltage DC is required, since an alternator semiconductor rectifier can be inefficient in these applications. In Figure 2.5 is the early dynamo and Figure 2.6 is modern dynamo.



Figure 2.5: Early dynamo



Figure 2.6: Modern Dynamo

A dynamo machine had a stationary structure which called "stator", which provides a constant magnetic field, and a set of rotating winding is called the armature which turned into that field. The motion of the wire within the magnetic field causes the field to push on the electrons into the metal, creating an electric current in the wire. On a small machine, the constant magnetic field is provided by one or more permanent magnets; the larger machines are provided by one or more electromagnets to constant magnetic field, which are usually called field coils.

2.3 Microcontroller

Microcontroller is a device to set the program to give a signal in analog or control devices.

2.3.1 Arduino

From Micheal, 2015, Arduino is used in many educational program in whole world and it do not need a deep understanding of the technical details because it is designed to be used nontechnical people. In Mcroberts, 2010, the biggest advantage of the Arduino over other microcontroller is Arduino ease of use. Non-"techie" people can pick up the basics and be creating their projects in a relatively short amount of time by their own. Artists, in particular, seem to find it the ideal way to create interactive works of art quickly and without specialist knowledge of electronics. From research D'Ausilio, A. (2012), she said "Arduino boards offer one critical advantage: the both hardware and software, which capitalizes on the massive non-expert community that has flourished around the Arduino concept. A very rough estimate of the size of the community can be gleaned from a Google search reporting more than 12 million hits for "Arduino." In fact, a large user base and the growing market have shown increasing interest around the Arduino concept. There are hundreds of open-source projects one can use or modify according to specific (experimental) needs."

The Arduino board is made up of an Atmel AVR Microprocessor, a crystal or oscillator and a 5-volt DC supply. It has a USB socket to connect to a PC or Mac for uploading or retrieving data which depending on which Arduino that used. The board exposes the microcontroller's input and output pins so can connect those pins to other circuits or to sensors. In Figure 2.7 is example of Arduino and Figure 2.8 is declaration for pins Arduino UNO.



Figure 2.7: Arduino UNO