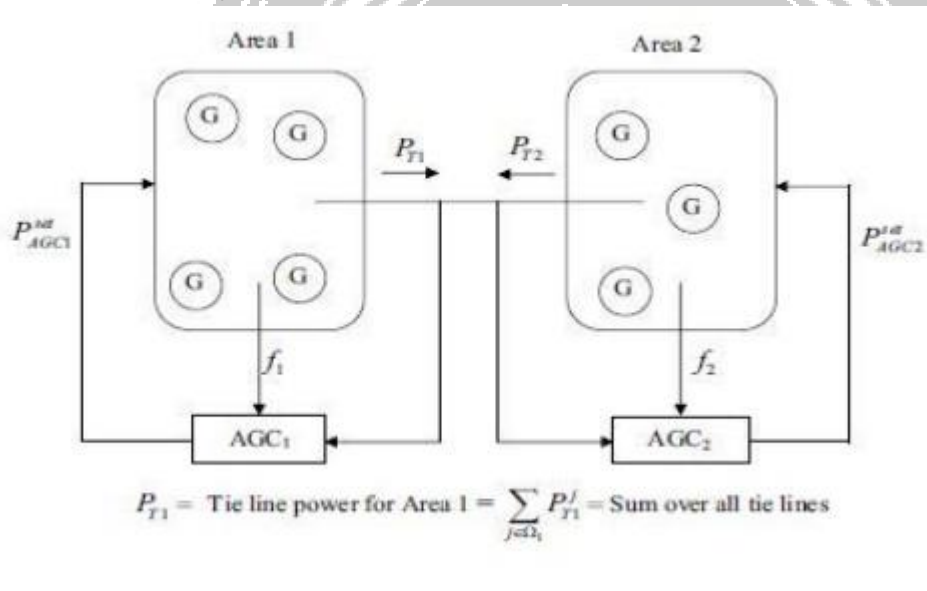


UNCONTROLLED TWO AREA LOAD FREQUENCY CONTROL SYSTEM

AGC IN A MULTI AREA SYSTEM

- In an interconnected (multi area) system, there will be one ALFC loop for each control area (located at the ECC of that area).
- They are combined as shown in Fig for the interconnected system operation.
- For a total change in load of ΔPD , the steady state Consider a two area system as depicted in Figure.
- The two secondary frequency controllers, AGC1 and AGC2, will adjust the power reference values of the generators participating in the AGC.
- In an N-area system, there are N controllers AGCi, one for each area i.



- A block diagram of such a controller is given in Figure 4.2. A common way is to implement this as a proportional-integral (PI) controller:
- Deviation in frequency in the two areas is given by

$$\Delta f = \Delta \omega_1 = \Delta \omega_2 = -\Delta PD / \beta_1 + \beta_2$$

where

$$\beta_1 = D_1 + 1/R_1$$

$$\beta_2 = D_2 + 1/R_2$$

E expression for tie-line flow in a two-area interconnected system Consider a change in load ΔPD_1 in area1. The steady state frequency deviation Δf is the same for both the areas.

That is

$$\Delta f = \Delta f_1 = \Delta f_2.$$

Thus, for area 1, we have

$$\Delta P_{m1} - \Delta P_{D1} - \Delta P_{12} = D_1 \Delta f$$

Where, Area 2 ΔP_{12} is the tie line power flow from Area 1 to Area 2; and for

$$\Delta P_{m2} + \Delta P_{12} = D_2 \Delta f$$

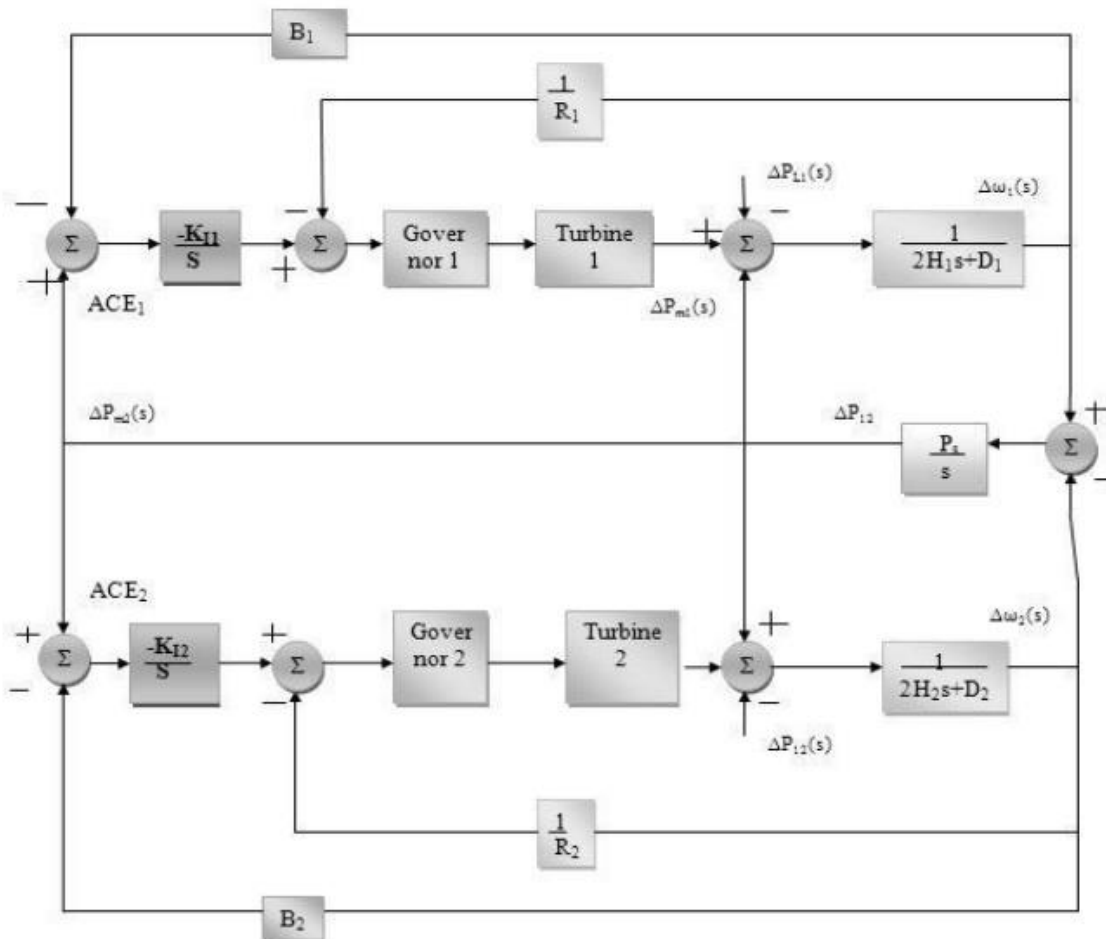
The mechanical power depends on regulation. Hence

$$\Delta P_{m1} = -\Delta f / R_1 \quad \Delta P_{m2} = -\Delta f / R_2$$

Substituting these equations, yields

$$(1/R_1 + D_1) \Delta f = -\Delta P_{12} - \Delta P_{m1}$$

$$(1/R_2 + D_2) \Delta f = -\Delta P_{12} - \Delta P_{m2}$$



A G C for a multi-area operation

Solving for Δf , we get

$$\Delta f = -\Delta P_{D1} / \beta_1 + \beta_2$$

- Where β_1 and β_2 are the composite frequency response characteristic of Area1 and Area 2 respectively.
- An increase of load in area1 by $\Delta PD1$ results in a frequency reduction in both areas and a tie-line flow of $\Delta P12$.
- A positive $\Delta P12$ is indicative of flow from Area1 to Area 2 while a negative $\Delta P12$ means flow from Area 2 to Area1.
- Similarly, for a change in Area 2 load by $\Delta PD2$, we have

$$\Delta f = -\Delta PD2 / \beta_1 + \beta_2$$

