

HOMOPOLAR "generator like" operation ?

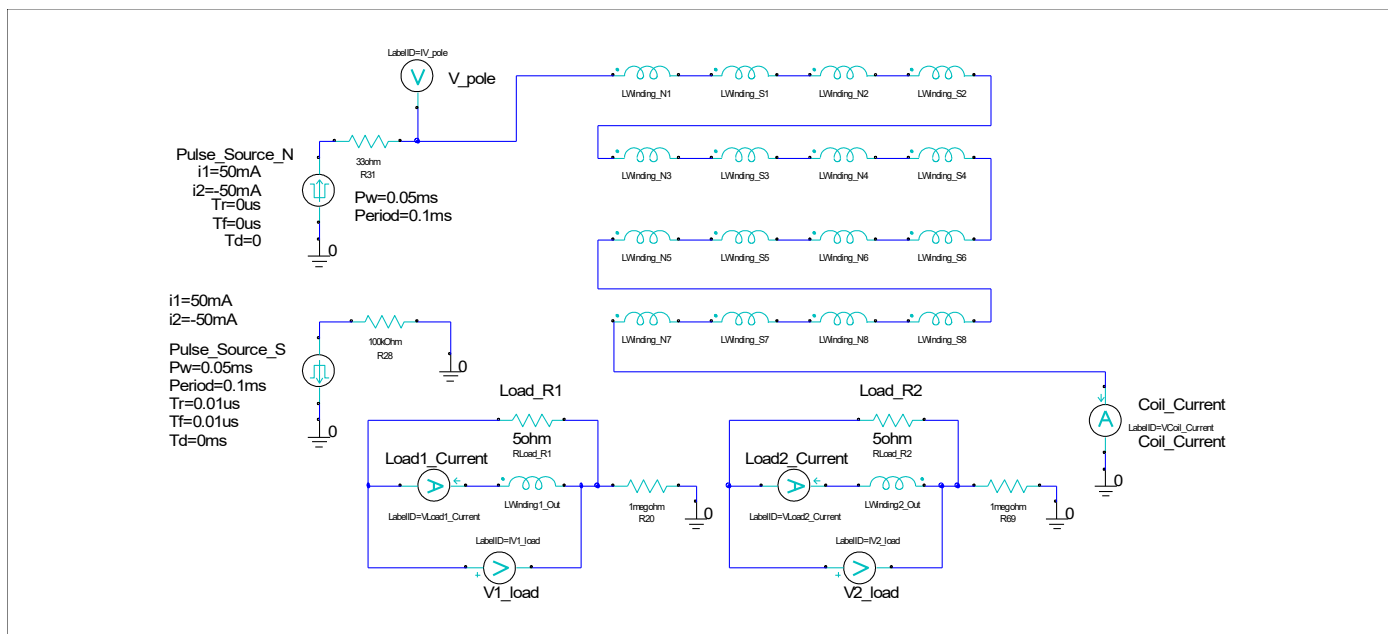
TFG_Z05 PRELIMINARY PERFORMANCE STUDY

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Output swings "+" & "-" since the fields in the "U" Core reverse via the NS sequencing, Homopolar generators provide a DC output since they "spin" only in one direction? Interesting operation non-the-less.

[Driver current is kept constant at a (+50mA/-50mA) 100mA Square Wave - simulates a Full H-Bridge]

Loop turns does NOT seem to have an effect on the output power - which leads me to believe the system is behaving like a Homopolar device. This will likely be affected by the Output Load characteristics.



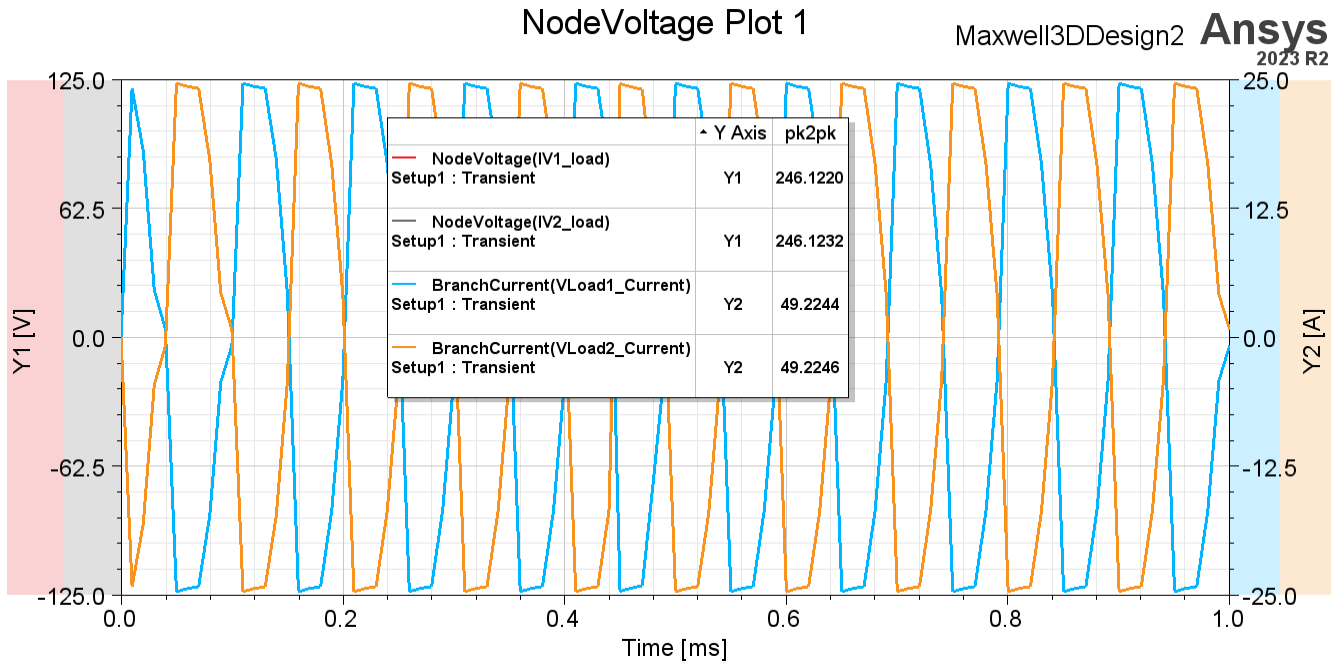
Very Preliminary Observations: (based on the WAG dimensions and physical layout)

- Number of Loop turns does not seem to make a significant difference (Output Loop terminated into 5 ohms),
- Frequency (Pulse - Pperiod and Pwidth) does not seem to increase the output to any extent,
- Coil turns DOES have a significant impact on the output. Appears to be the 'prime parameter.'
- Output ranges from 24.2KW (500 Coil turns) to 49.3W (20 Coil turns) at a Coil Drive of 100mA (+50mA/-50mA).

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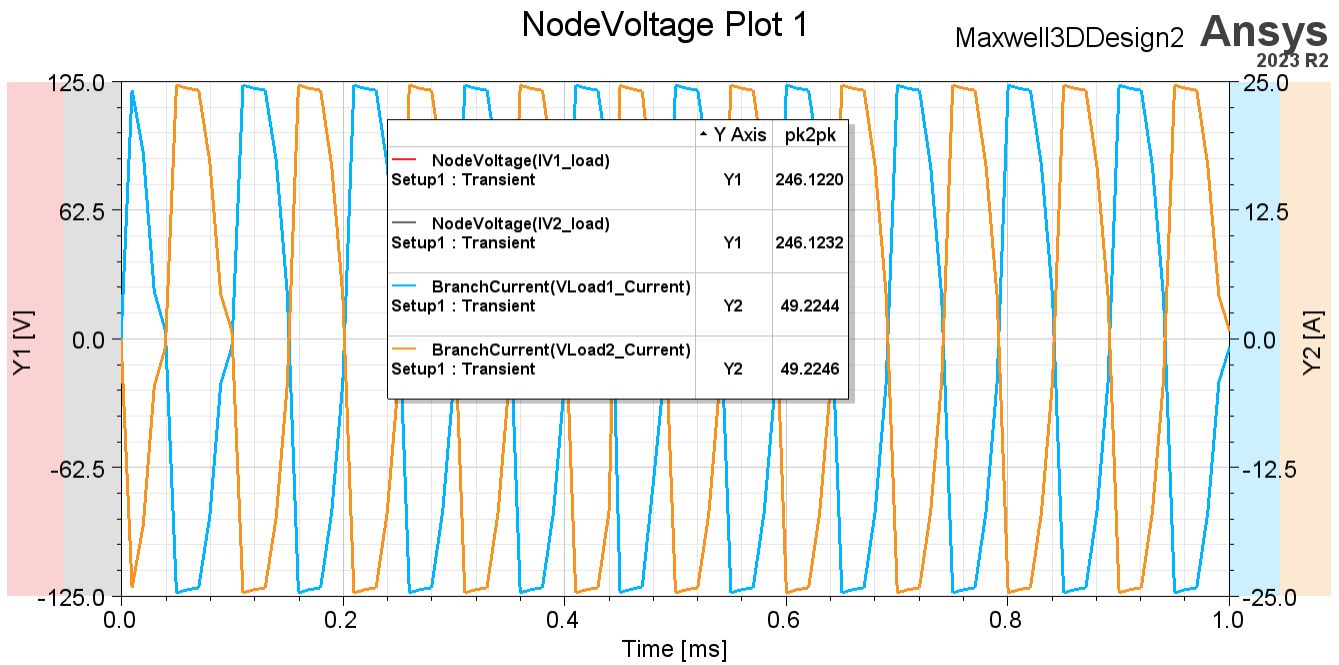
Stop=1 mS, Stime Step=0.01, Pwidth=0.05mS, Pperiod=0.1mS; **500** Coil turns, **1000** Loop turns:

{ 246Vpp X 49.2App = 12,108 W X 2 Loops = 24.2 KW }



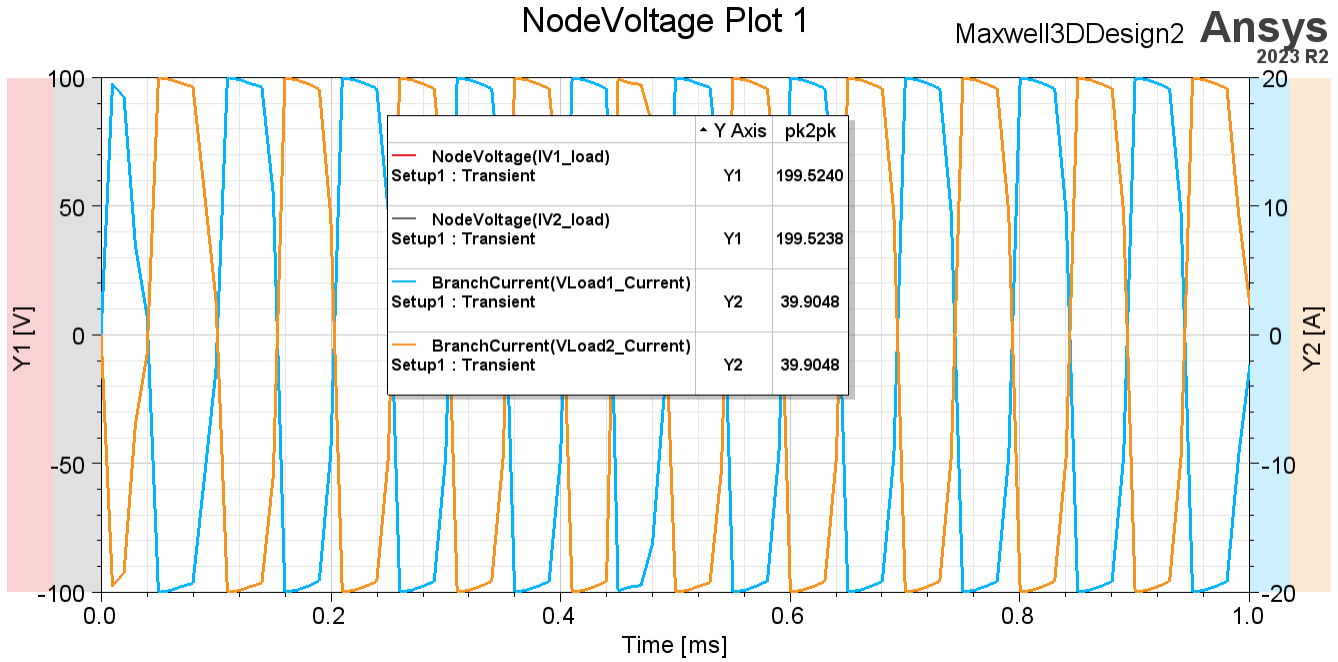
Stop=1 mS, Stime Step=0.01, Pwidth=0.05mS, Pperiod=0.1mS; **500** Coil turns, **1** Loop turn:

{ 246Vpp X 49.2App = 12,108 W X 2 Loops = 24.2 KW }



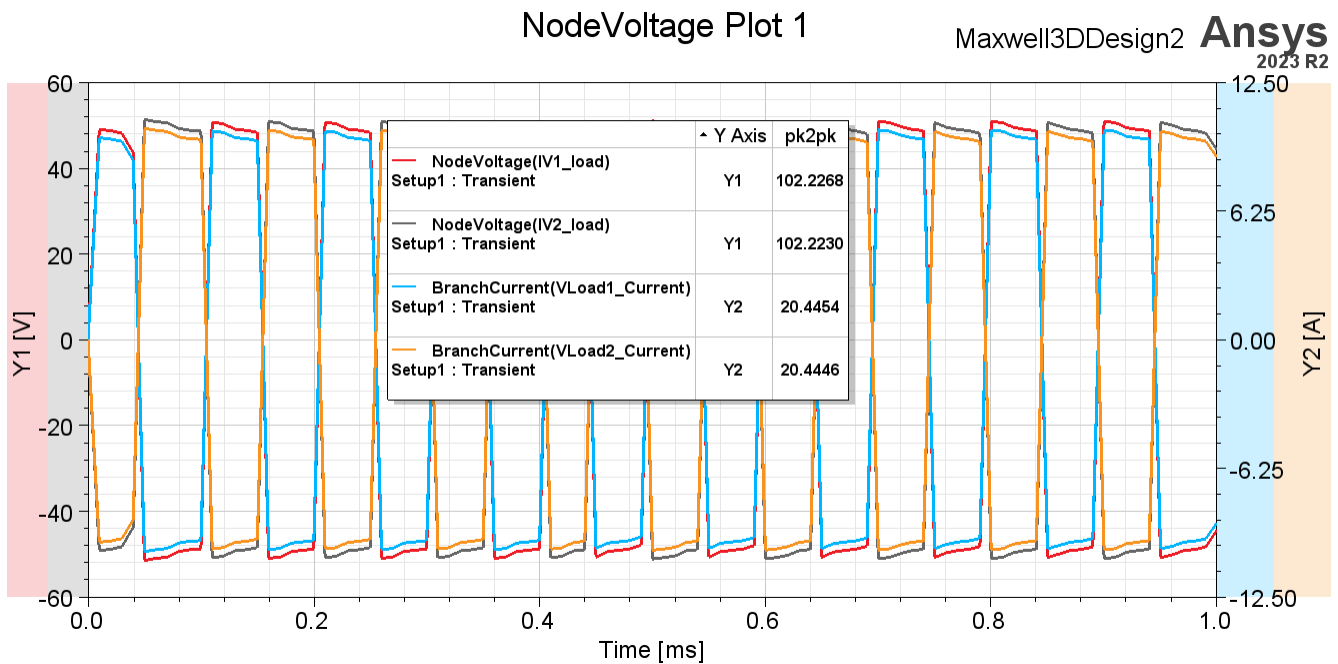
Stop=1 mS, Stime Step=0.01, Pwidth=0.05mS, Pperiod=0.1mS; **400** Coil turns, **1** Loop turn:

{ 200Vpp X 40App = 8,000 W X 2 Loops = 16 KW }



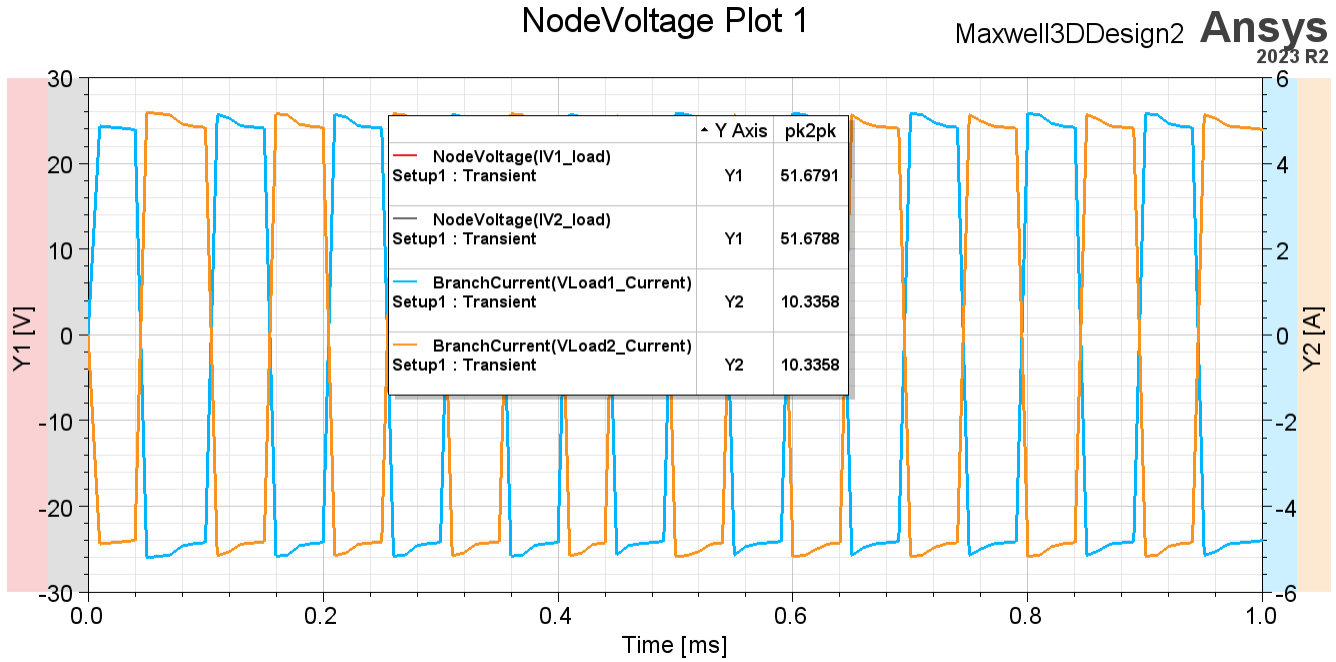
Stop=1 mS, Stime Step=0.01, Pwidth=0.05mS, Pperiod=0.1mS; **200** Coil turns, **1** Loop turn:

{ 102.2Vpp X 20.44App = 2,089 W X 2 Loops = 4.177 KW }



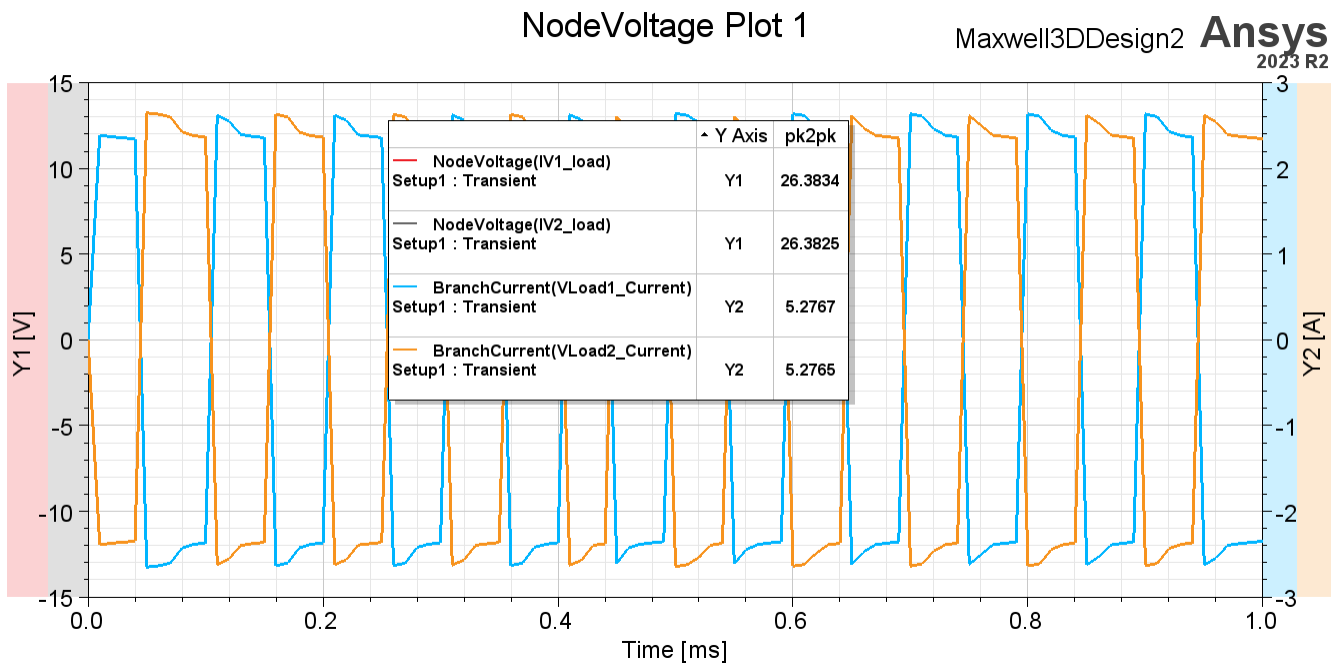
Stop=1 mS, Stime Step=0.01, Pwidth=0.05mS, Pperiod=0.1mS; **100** Coil turns, **1** Loop turn:

{ 51.7Vpp X 10.3App = 532.5 W X 2 Loops = 1.065 KW }



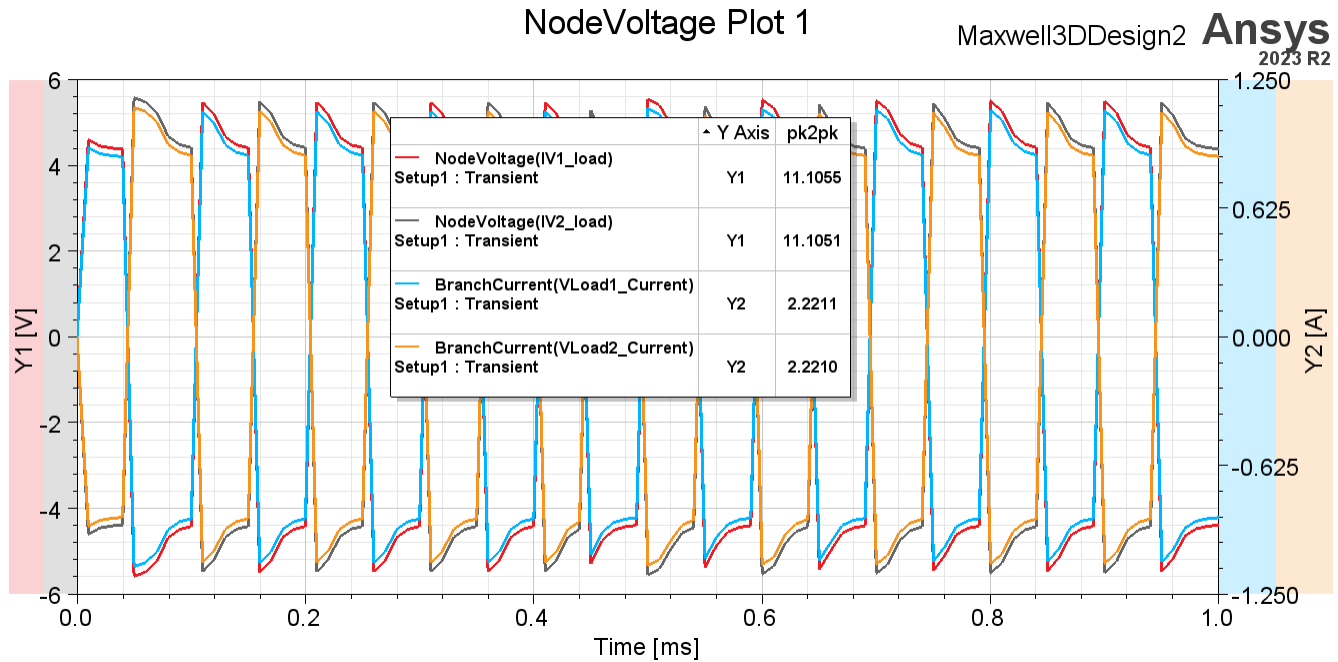
Stop=1 mS, Stime Step=0.01, Pwidth=0.05mS, Pperiod=0.1mS; **50** Coil turns, **1** Loop turn:

{ 26.4Vpp X 5.3App = 140 W X 2 Loops = 280 W }



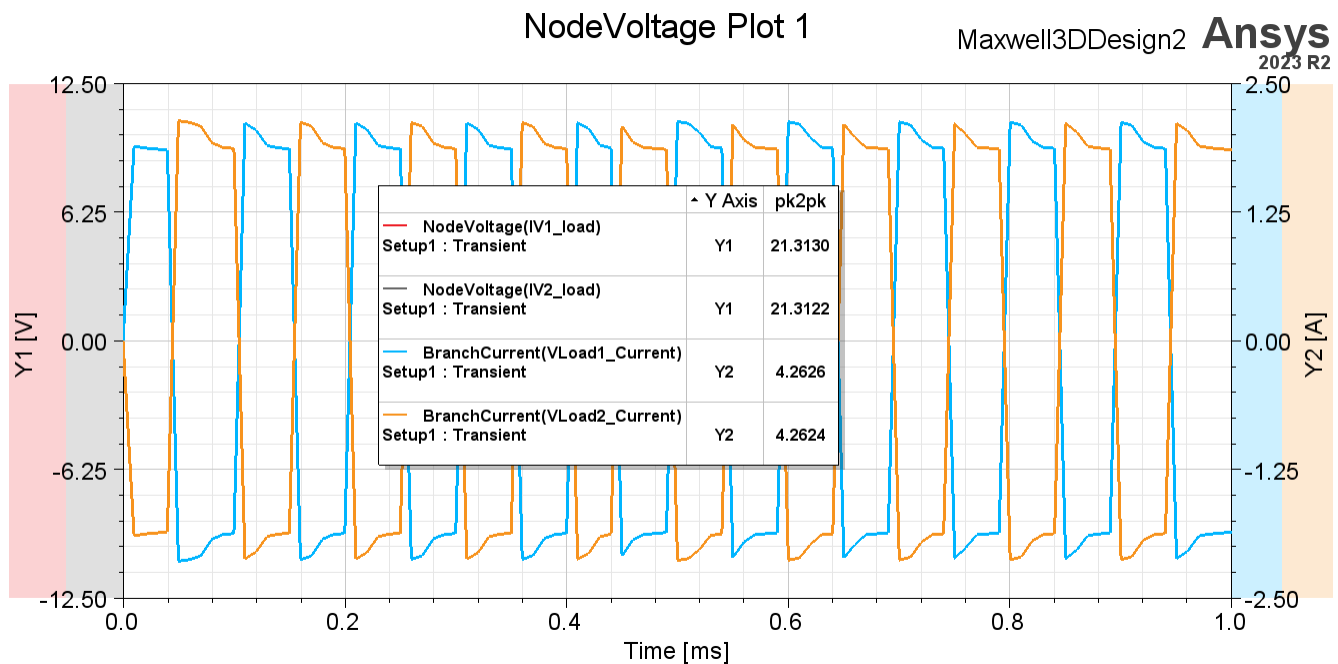
Stop=1 mS, Stime Step=0.01, Pwidth=0.05mS, Pperiod=0.1mS; **20** Coil turns, **1** Loop turn:

{ 11.1Vpp X 2.22App = 24.6 W X 2 Loops = 49.3 W }



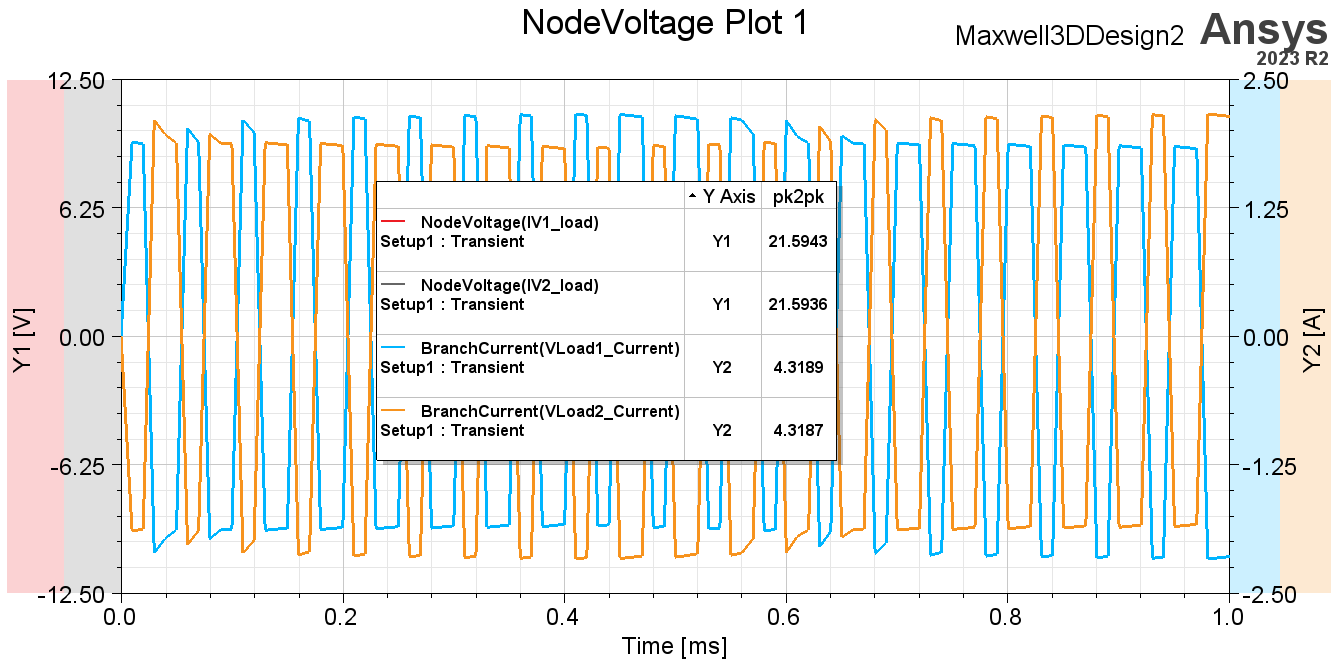
As a validation - **change the current in the circuit to +100mA/-100ma (200mA)**, everything else remains the same
Stop=1 mS, Stime Step=0.01, Pwidth=0.05mS, Pperiod=0.1mS; **20** Coil turns, **1** Loop turn:

{ 21.3Vpp X 4.26App = 90.7 W X 2 Loops = 181.5 W }



Change the Frequency from 10Hz to **20Hz** (Pwidth=0.025mS, Pperiod=0.05mS) Leave the rest the same.

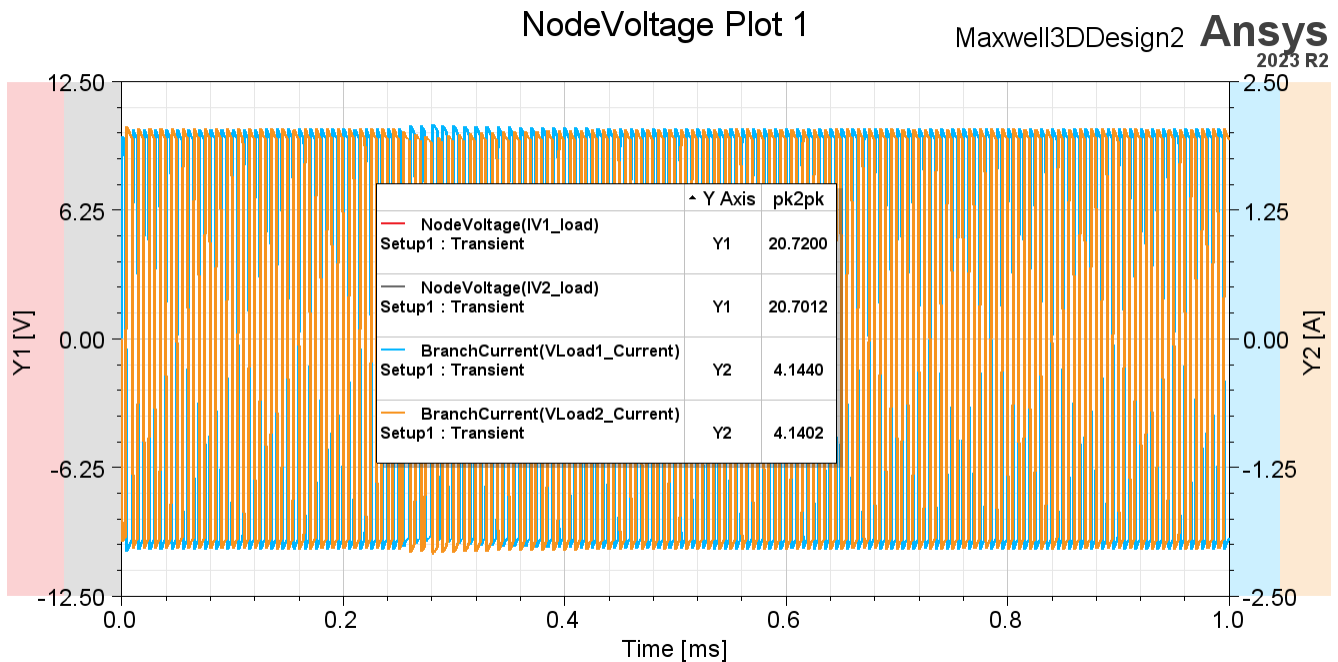
{ 21.6Vpp X 4.3App = 92.9 W X 2 Loops = 185.76 W }



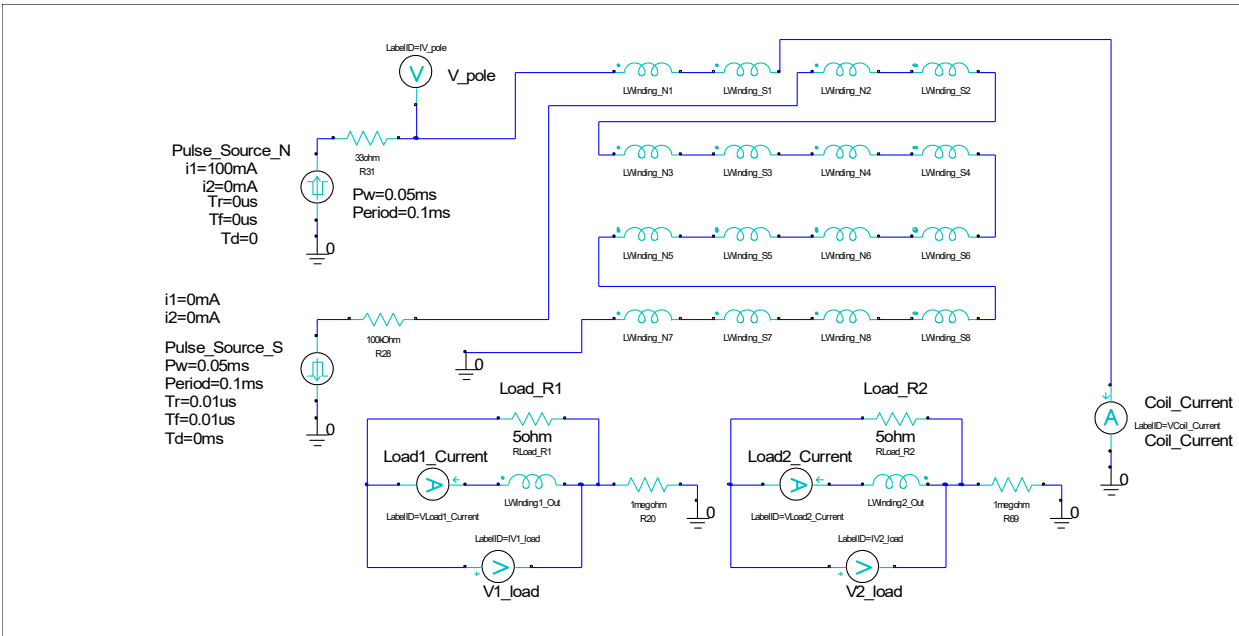
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Frequency 100Hz [Pwidth=0.005mS ,Pperiod=0.01mS],
Coil turns = 20, Loop turns = 50; **Drive = +100mA/-100mA (200mA)**

{ 20.7Vpp X 4.14App = 85.7 W X 2 Loops = 171.4 W }



===== ADD EACH POLE IN SEQUENCE =====



----- From the Schematic - LWinding_N1 => N1, LWinding_S1 => S1 -----

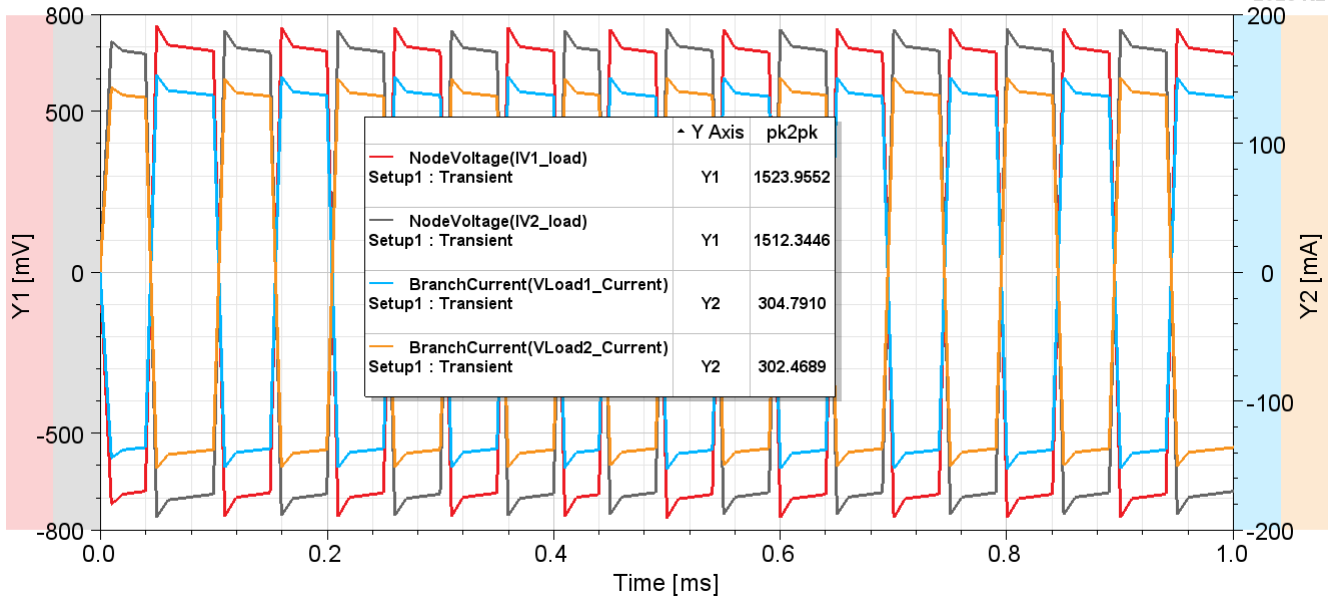
1 of 8 POLES:

Active: N1/S1 - Short: N2/S2 N3/S3 N4/S4 N5/S5 N6/S6 N7/S7 N8/S8
 PW = 0.05 Pp = 0.1; **Coil turns = 100, Loop = 1**; Drive = -50mA/+50mA (100mA)

{ 1.523Vpp X 0.303App = 0.461 W X 2 Loops = 0.923 W }

NodeVoltage Plot 1

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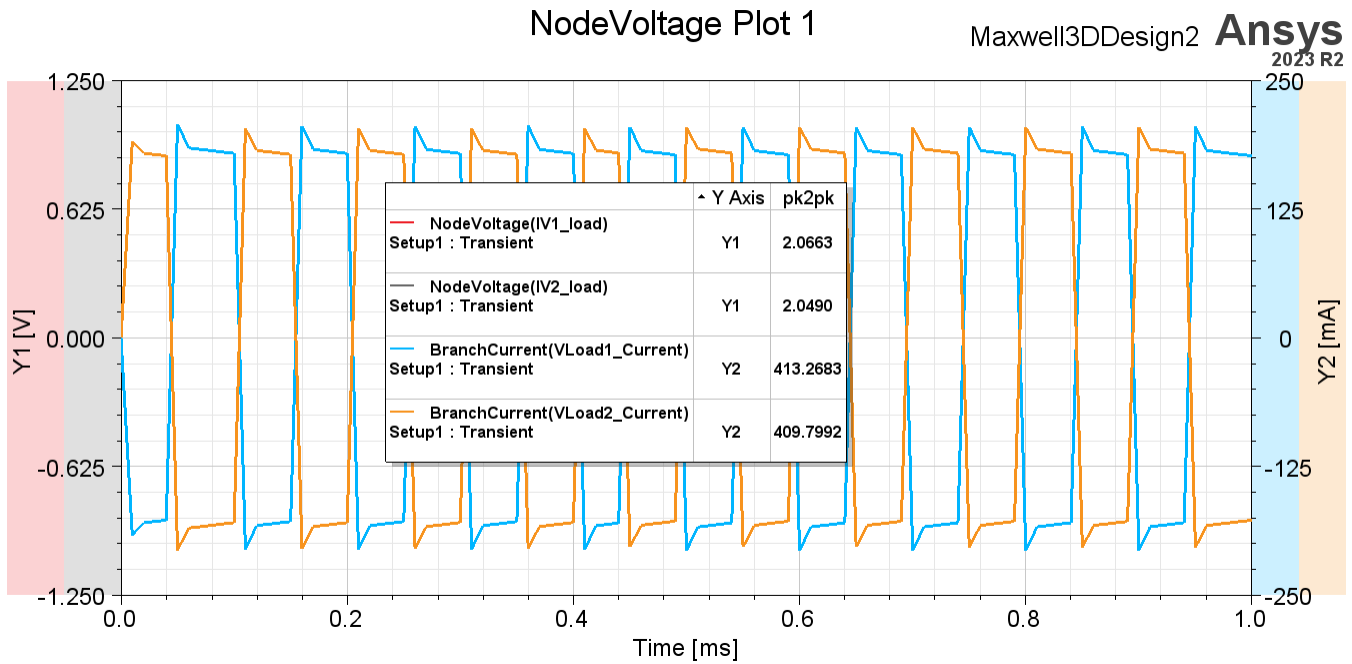


2 of 8 POLES:

Active: N1/S1 N2/S2 - Short: N3/S3 N4/S4 N5/S5 N6/S6 N7/S7 N8/S8

PW = 0.05 Pp = 0.1; Coil turns = 100, Loop = 1; ; Drive = -50mA/+50mA (100mA)

{ 2.07Vpp X 0.412App = 0.852 W X 2 Loops = 1.07 W }

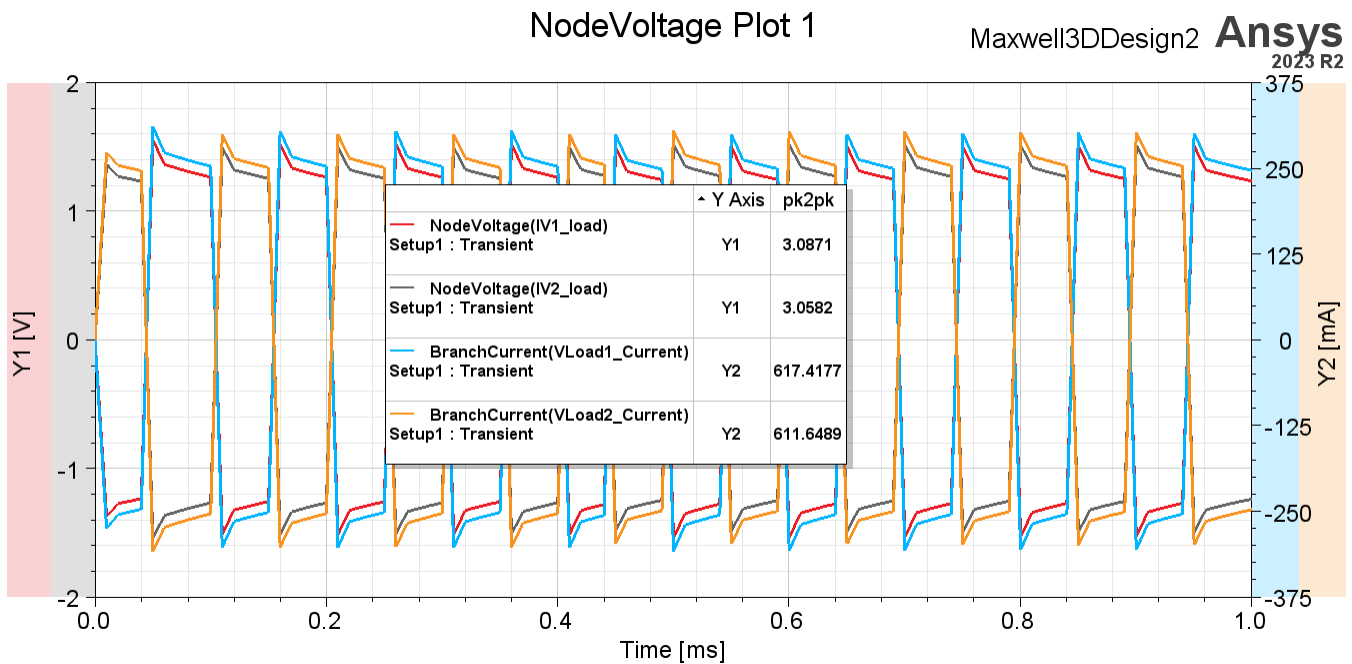


3 of 8 POLES:

Active: N1/S1 N2/S2 N3/S3 - Short: N4/S4 N5/S5 N6/S6 N7/S7 N8/S8

PW = 0.05 Pp = 0.1; Coil turns = 100, Loop = 1; ; Drive = -50mA/+50mA (100mA)

{ 3.09Vpp X 0.615App = 1.90 W X 2 Loops = 3.80 W }

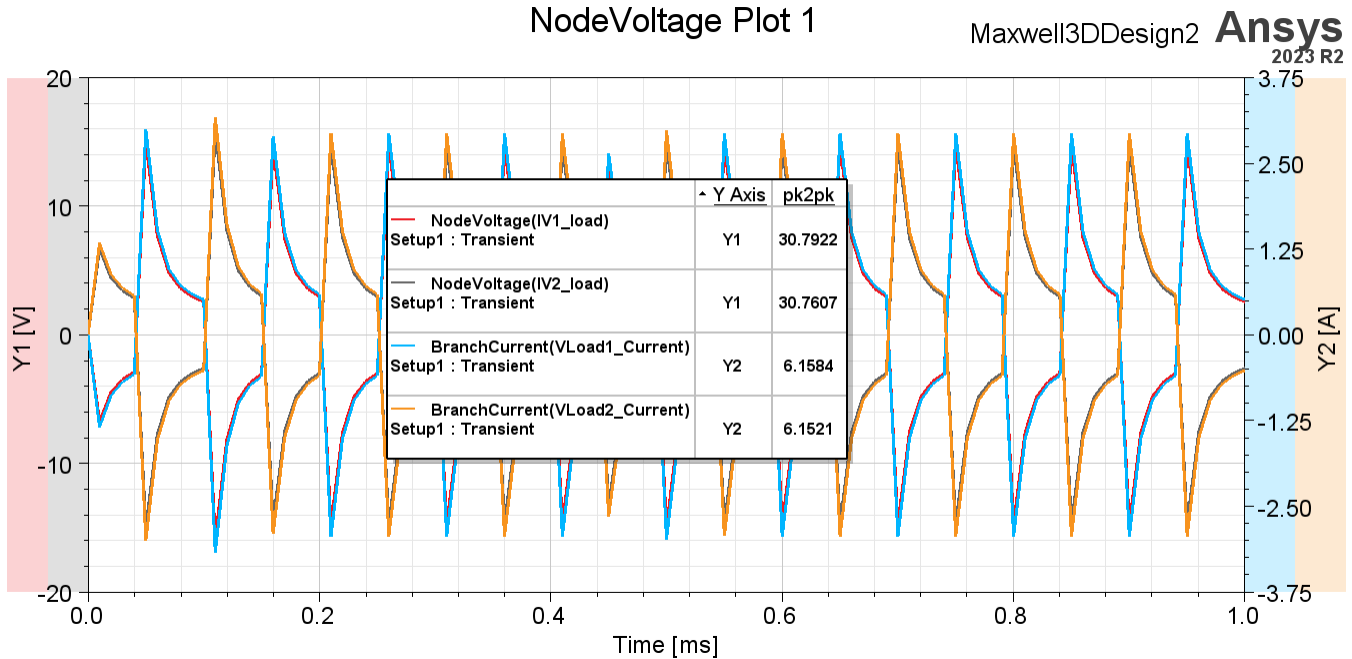


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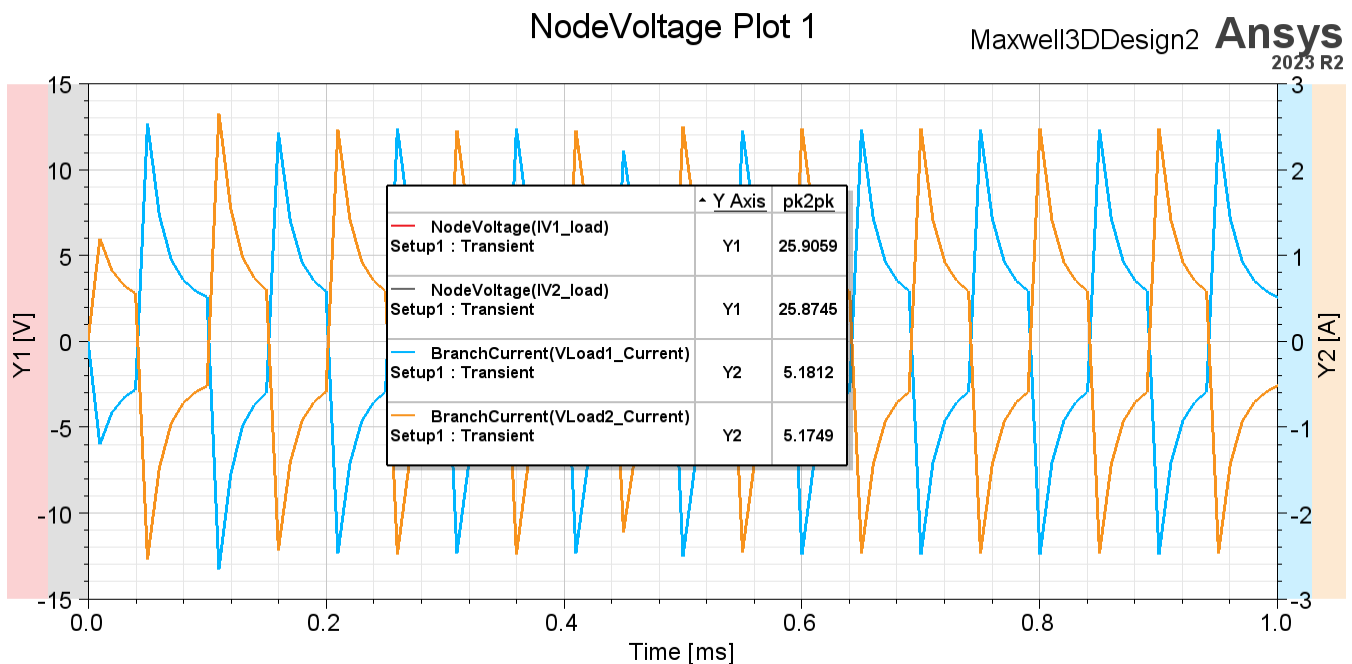
Active: N1/S1 N2/S2 N3/S3 N4/S4 - Short: N5/S5 N6/S6 N7/S7 N8/S8
PW = 0.05 Pp = 0.1; Coil turns = 100, Loop = 1; ; Drive = -50mA/+50mA (100mA)

{ 3.09Vpp X 0.615App = 1.90 W X 2 Loops = 3.80 W }



REQUIRES A CLOSER LOOK - Cause unknown at the moment!

Drop back to Coil turns = 80:



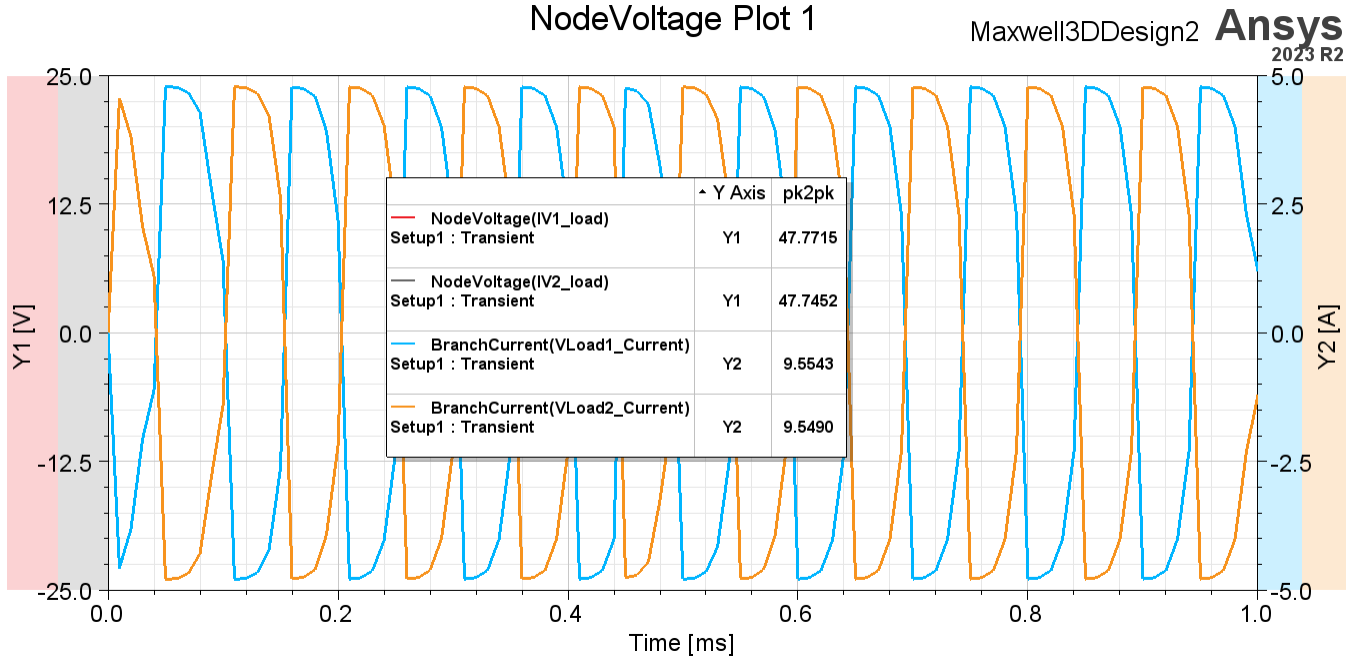
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5 of 8 POLES:

Active: N1/S1 N2/S2 N3/S3 N4/S4 N5/S5 - Short: N6/S6 N7/S7 N8/S8
PW = 0.05 Pp = 0.1; Coil turns = 100, Loop = 1; ; Drive = -50mA/+50mA (100mA)

{ 47.8Vpp X 9.55App = 456.5 W X 2 Loops = 913 W }



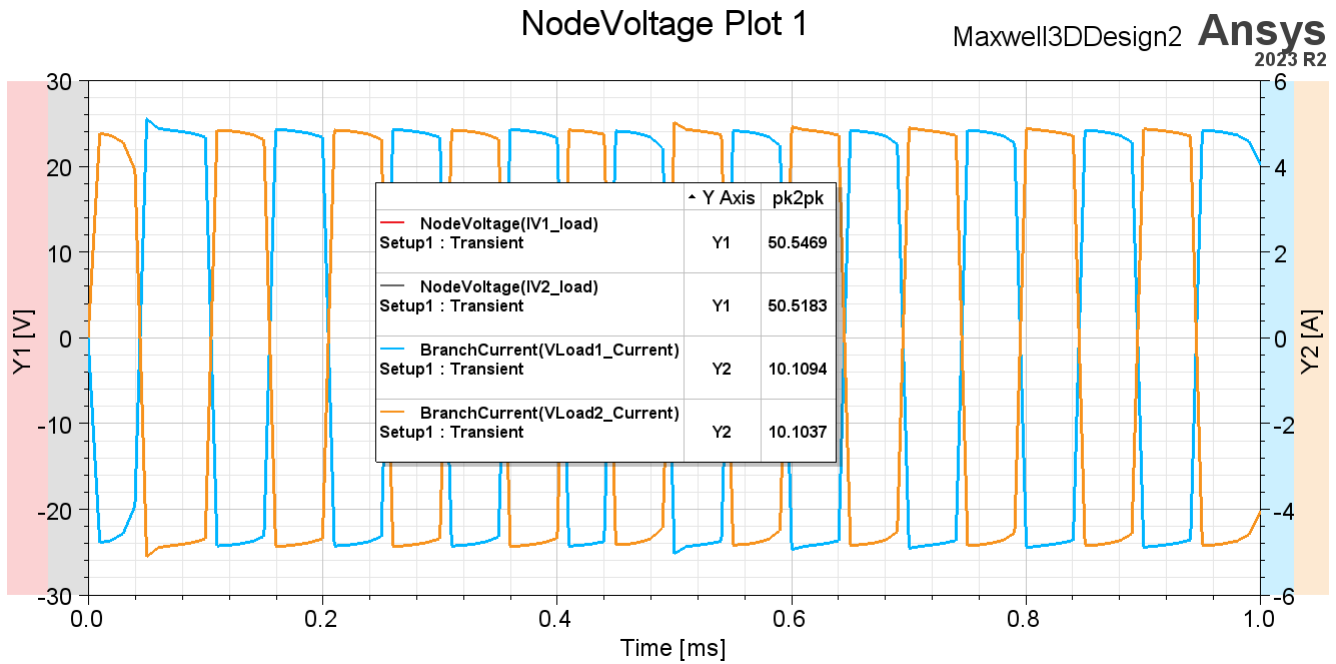
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6 of 8 POLES:

Active: N1/S1 N2/S2 N3/S3 N4/S4 : N5/S5 N6/S6 - ShortN7/S7 N8/S8

PW = 0.05 Pp = 0.1; Coil turns = 100, Loop = 1; ; Drive = -50mA/+50mA (100mA)

{ 50.52Vpp X 10.1App = 510 W X 2 Loops = 1.021 KW }



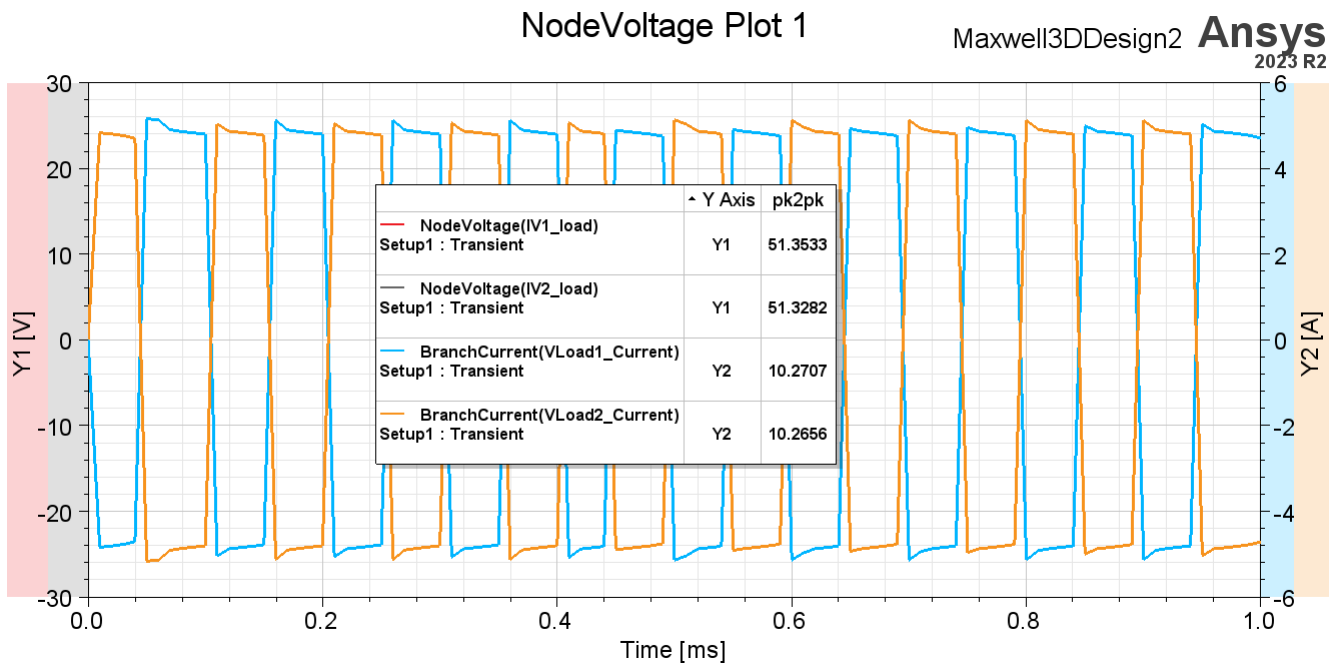
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7 of 8 POLES:

Active: N1/S1 N2/S2 N3/S3 N4/S4 : N5/S5 N6/S6 N7/S7 - ShortN8/S8

PW = 0.05 Pp = 0.1; Coil turns = 100, Loop = 1; ; Drive = -50mA/+50mA (100mA)

{ 51.32Vpp X 10.27App = 527 W X 2 Loops = 1.054 KW }

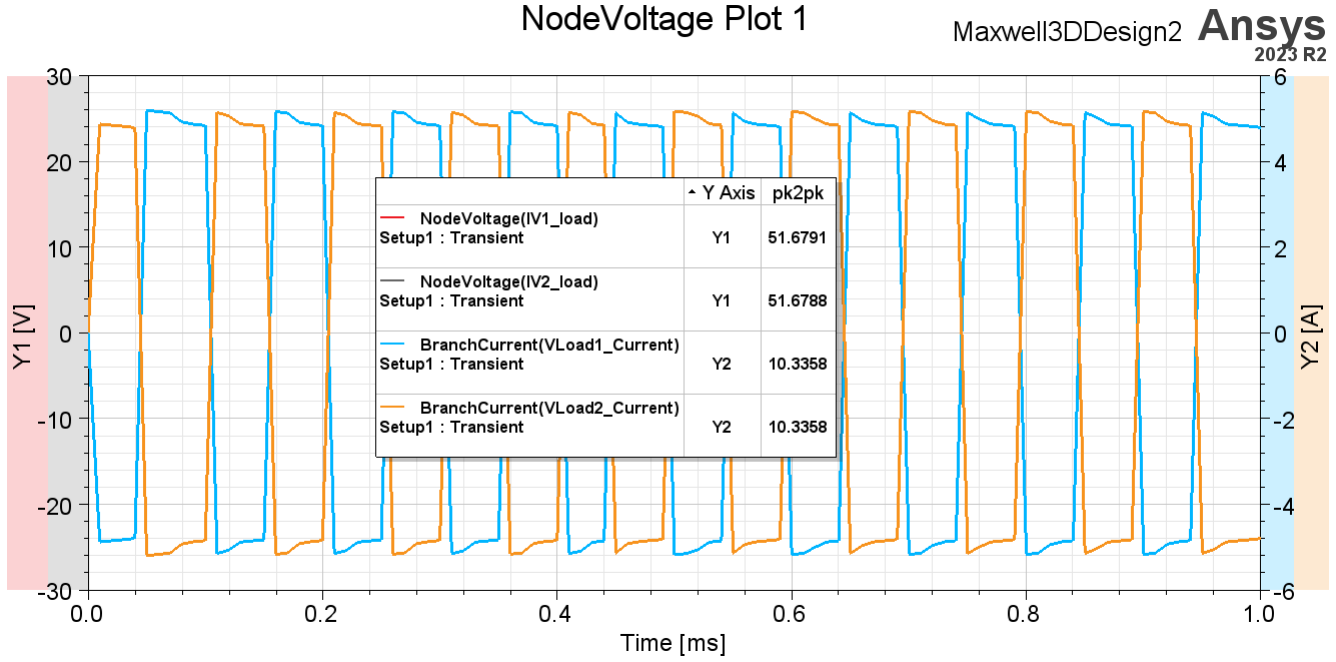


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8 of 8 POLES:

Active: N1/S1 N2/S2 N3/S3 N4/S4 N5/S5 N6/S6 N7/S7 N8/S8- Short: 0
PW = 0.05 Pp = 0.1; Coil turns = 100, Loop = 1; ; Drive = -50mA/+50mA (100mA)

{ 51.6Vpp X 10.34App = 533.5 W X 2 Loops = 1,067 KW }



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Adding Poles seems to appear straight forward, except an anomaly was seen at "4 of 8 Poles." This observation will require further investigation.

SUMMARY

A TFG_EE (Transverse Flux Generator using Electronically controlled Electromagnets) similar to the discussed WAG approach appears to meet, or exceed, all design requirements based upon preliminary CAE Analysis.

