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Wind energy is a promising renewable and clean energy source and wind turbines are the common devices to harvest this energy. Vertical-axis wind turbines (VAWTs), one kind of wind turbines, are concerned because of their

congenital advantages of easy maintenance. However, one main issue of VAWTs is that the aerodynamic phenomenon of dynamic stall typically occurs under low tip-speed-ratio conditions, which negatively affects their power extraction performance. This study focuses on exploring a better blade design to improve the power coefficient of VAWTs. Two passive flow control designs: 1) serration design, 2) twist design are therefore employed to decrease these negative effects. A conventional H-type VAWT model is used as baseline in this study to compare the power output against the modified VAWT designs. The computational fluid dynamics (CFD) commercial software, STAR CCM+, is used to calculate the power coefficient of VAWTs. The Taguchi method is used as a statistical tool to find the optimum blade design given the prescribed range of design variable values under consideration. Interaction effects between design factors are observed during the data analysis, and the additive model is further developed to adapt this condition. The final analysis illustrates that the optimum model has a power coefficient of 26.47% compared with the baseline model power coefficient of 22.37% (18.3% improvement). It is shown that the twist design can also decrease the vibration of VAWTs. This effect is beneficial to maintain the structural integrity of VAWTs, and improve its lifespan due to lower vibrations. Flow field analysis verifies that the hybrid design inherits the advantages from the serration

design and the twist design. The optimum model suppresses the dynamic stall and increases the power output.
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As the fastest growing source of energy in the world, wind has a very important role to play in the global energy mix. This text covers a spectrum of leading edge topics critical to the rapidly evolving wind power industry. The reader is introduced to the fundamentals of wind energy aerodynamics; then essential structural, mechanical, and electrical subjects are discussed. The book is composed of three sections that include the Aerodynamics and Environmental Loading of Wind Turbines, Structural and Electromechanical Elements of Wind Power Conversion, and Wind Turbine Control and System Integration. In addition to the fundamental rudiments illustrated, the reader will be exposed to specialized applied and advanced topics including magnetic suspension bearing systems, structural health monitoring, and the optimized integration of wind power into micro and smart grids.
The Design and Testing of a Vertical-axis Wind Turbine Using Sails Presses inter Polytechnique
The depletion of global fossil fuel reserves combined with mounting environmental concerns has served to focus attention on the development of ecologically compatible and renewable alternative sources of energy. Wind

energy, with its impressive growth rate of 40% over the last five years, is the fastest growing alternate source of energy in the world since its purely economic potential is complemented by its great positive environmental impact. The wind turbine, whether it may be a Horizontal Axis Wind Turbine (HAWT) or a Vertical Axis Wind Turbine (VAWT), offers a practical way to convert the wind energy into electrical or mechanical energy. Although this book focuses on the aerodynamic design and performance of VAWTs based on the Darrieus concept, it also discusses the comparison between HAWTs and VAWTs, future trends in design and the inherent socio-economic and environmental friendly aspects of wind energy as an alternate source of energy.

Design of a Floating Offshore Vertical Axis Wind Turbine BoD – Books on Demand

th This volume contains the papers presented at the 16 DGLR/STAB-Symposium held at the Eurogress Aachen and organized by RWTH Aachen University, Germany, November, 3 - 4, 2008. STAB is the German Aerospace Aerodynamics Association, founded towards the end of the 1970's, whereas DGLR is the German Society for Aeronautics and Astronautics (Deutsche Gesellschaft für Luft- und Raumfahrt - Lilienthal Oberth e.V.). The mission of STAB is to foster development and acceptance of the discipline “Aerodynamics” in Germany. One of its general guidelines is to concentrate resources and know-how in the involved

institutions and to avoid duplication in research work as much as possible. Nowadays, this is more necessary than ever. The experience made in the past makes it easier now, to obtain new knowledge for solving today's and tomorrow's problems. STAB unites German scientists and engineers from universities, research-establishments and industry doing research and project work in numerical and experimental fluid mechanics and aerodynamics for aerospace and other applications. This has always been the basis of numerous common research activities sponsored by different funding agencies. Since 1986 the symposium has taken place at different locations in Germany every two years. In between STAB workshops regularly take place at the DLR in Göttingen.

Small-Scale Vertical Axis Wind Turbine Design WIT Press

How does one visualize wind? Is it the way trees bend in a strong gust or the way smoke is carried in a breeze? What if wind could be visualized using design, technology, and light? This thesis documents the design of a large scale display of vertical axis wind turbines that can be used to visualize wind. The intent is to build a matrix of several hundred turbines at MIT as part of the 150th anniversary celebration in 2011. The main focus is the appearance of the turbines, which are fabricated using a novel dual-layer vacuum-forming process. In it, one layer of pre-cut plastic is sandwiched between a polyurethane foam mold and a top layer of plastic

which is heated and forms the seal for the vacuum. The top layer is subsequently removed and discarded leaving a formed part with clean, smooth edges. In order to optimize the manufacturing process and achieve repeatable results, variables such as heating time and material alignment had to be controlled. PETG and polystyrene were tested in a variety of configurations to maximize the respective strengths of each material and minimize their weaknesses. Each turbine is also designed to power its own LEDs. Potential designs for the necessary electronics are also included.

Design and Fabrication of a Vertical Axis Wind Turbine LAP Lambert Academic Publishing

The thesis focuses on the design of a small vertical axis wind turbine rotor with solid wood as a construction material. The aerodynamic analysis is performed implementing a momentum based model on a mathematical computer program. A three bladed wind turbine is proposed as candidate for further prototype testing after evaluating the effect of several parameters in turbine efficiency, torque and acceleration. The results obtained indicate that wood is a suitable material for rotor construction and a further development of the computer algorithm is needed in order to improve the flow conditions simulation.

Large Capacity Vertical Axis Wind Turbine Generators BoD – Books on Demand

Conventional wind turbines in small units

are costly and do not allow extensive use in our country for small-scale individual purpose. Also the highly efficient aerodynamically designed windmills require high wind velocity, which is not available in many states in India & Abroad. Considering all these an extremely simple design of a vertical axis wind rotor using two flat vertical vanes, swinging vanes has been fabricated and tested to obtain its performance. The torque and power coefficient have been obtained and presented in this Experimental thesis work. The results are highly encouraging and indicate the usefulness of the swingiDrag and torque coefficient of stationary S-shaped rotor have been investigated by measuring the pressure distribution on the blade surfaces for various rotor angles. The experiments have been carried out at a Reynolds number of 1.1 x 105 in a uniform flow jet produced by an open circuit wind tunnel. The measurements indicate that the drag force, and the torque, varies with rotor angle. The maximum net static torque occurs at 450 of rotor angle and it becomes negative in the range of 135 degree to 165degree of rotor angle.

The Design and Development of an Augmented Vertical Axis Wind Turbine

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The purpose of this book is to provide engineers and researchers in both the wind power industry and energy research community with comprehensive, up-to-date, and advanced design techniques and practical approaches. The topics

addressed in this book involve the major concerns in the wind power generation and wind turbine design.

Phase 1

Rotating machinery or turbomachinery is a machine with a rotating component that transfers energy to a fluid or vice versa. Rotating machines are one of the most widely used machines. They are used in everyday life, at least once a day. We find a turbomachine (fan) in a hair dryer and in a computer. We find a turbomachine (pump) in a refrigerator. Other commonly used household machines are clothes washers and dish washers. These machines need to drain the dirty water and replace with clean water. To do so an important component of these machines is a pump that is used to remove the dirty water. A water pump (hydrodynamic pump) is also essential to our car?s operation by maintaining an optimum operating temperature of the engine. The pump ensures that the coolant keeps circulating through the engine block, hoses and radiator, and maintains an optimum operating temperature. Turbomachines are also key machines used in power generation, fluid transportation, the processing industry and energy conversion. This book presents recent developments in improving the aero-thermal performance and the efficiencies of rotating machines.

With Emphasis on Darrieus Concept

The present work relates to the design of a new impeller type vertical axis wind turbine, which is uses wind energy more effectively. This design presents a

special frame design with vanes. The frame of the rotor wind turbine is designed to increase the output of a wind turbine that uses kinetic energy of the wind. In the present work the model of the rotor three frame movable vane cavity shape are fabricated and tested in a wind tunnel and CFD software.The vanes are located on vertical bars installed in hinges of the frames. Such a design enables the rotation of the bars with frames under the action of wind force simultaneously at one direction and independently at other directions. The frames are connected with the shaft, which one end is connected with the electric generator. The frames are designed with angular inclinations of vanes that create cavities when vanes are closed. On the other side of the impeller, when the movable vanes are open, and the frame is under wind action, the air passes freely through the frame, and decreases the negative torque. In the model using cavity shaped vanes, with 45 vane angle

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