

« EMR AND INVERSION-BASED CONTROL OF AN ELECTRIC VEHICLE »

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Studied EV

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EMR of the studied EV

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Inversion-based control of the EV





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« 1. STUDIED EV »

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- e-Commander at University of Sherbrooke -

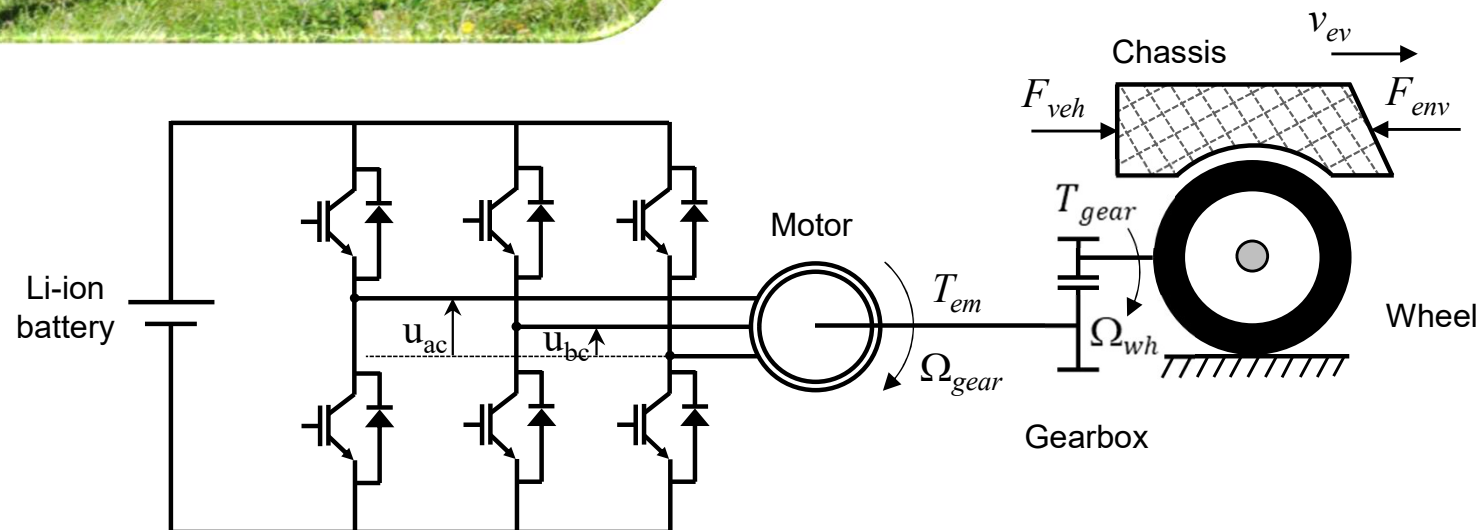
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e-Commander specifications (off-road vehicle)

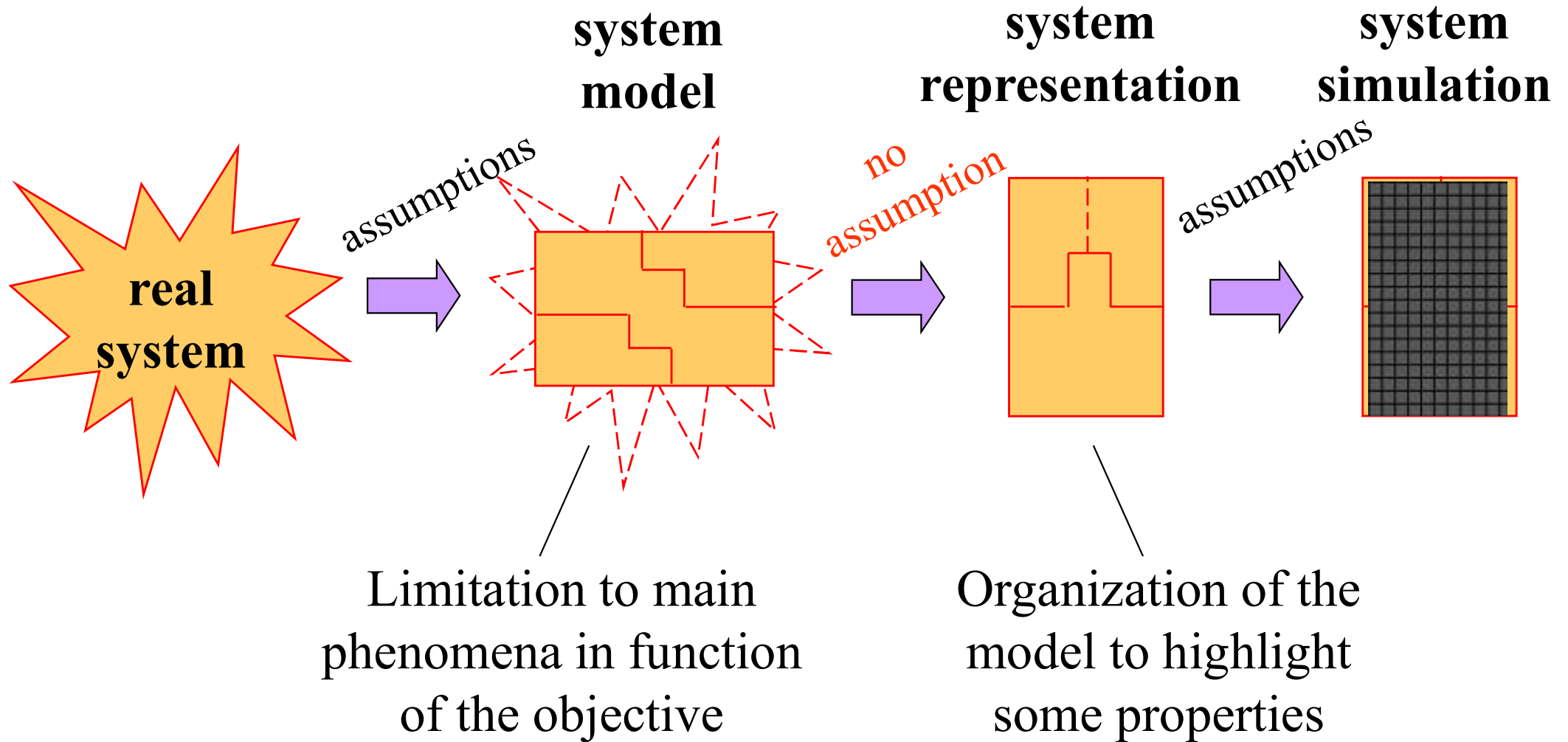
- 8,5 kW induction motor
- 48V 110Ah Lead-acid battery
- 871 kg (curb weight)
- Maximum speed: 45 km/h





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« 2. EMR OF THE STUDIED EV »

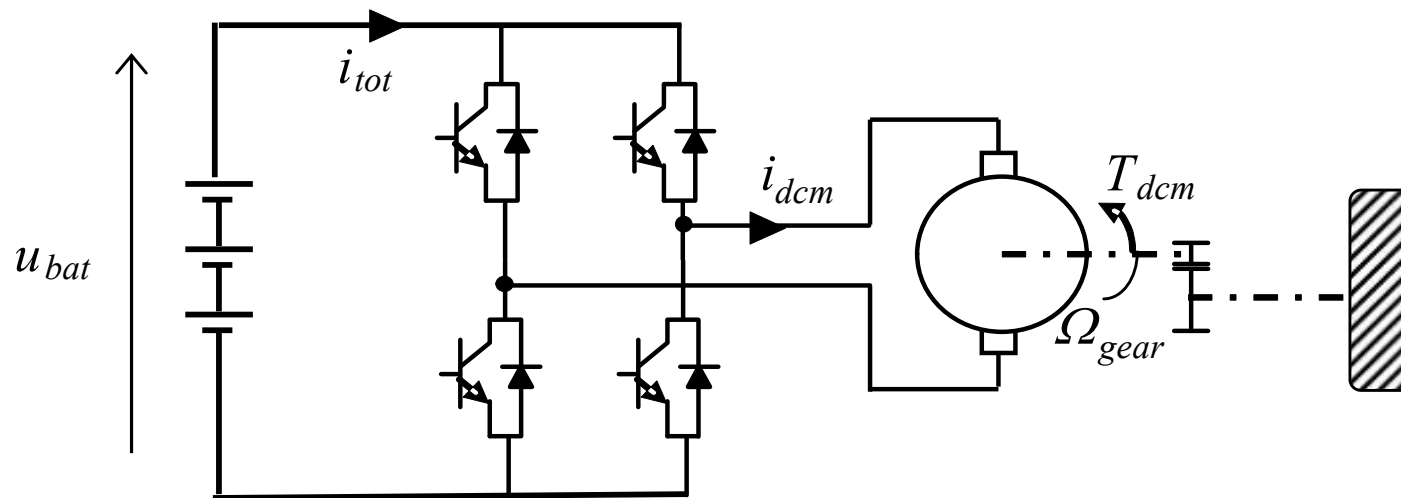


Objective:

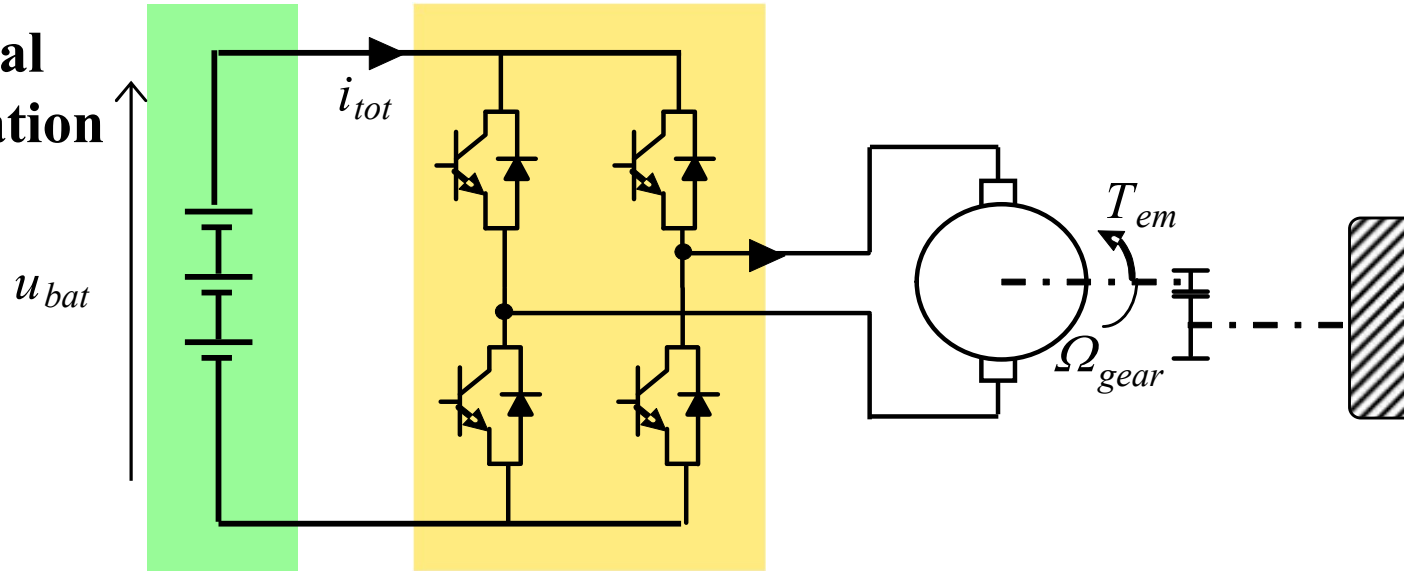
control of the traction system in straight road

Simplifications:

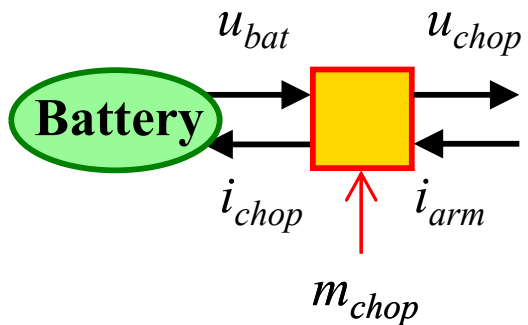
- a permanent magnet DC machine is considered in the first step
- the PE converter is a H-bridge (chopper)
- an equivalent wheel is considered



Structural Representation



Functional Description



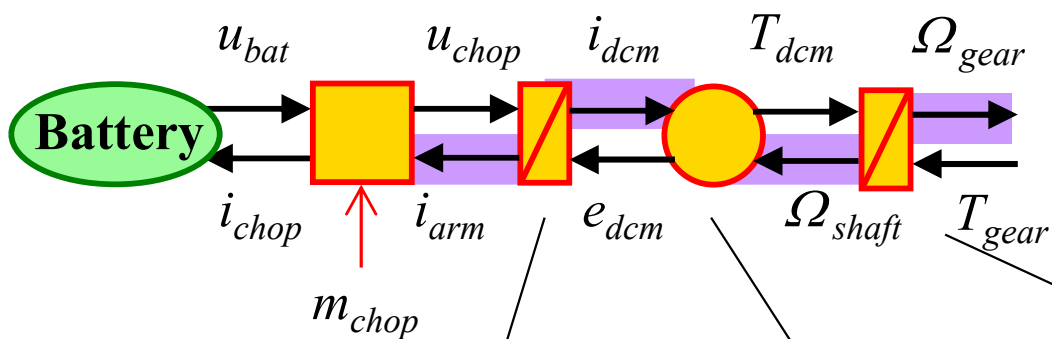
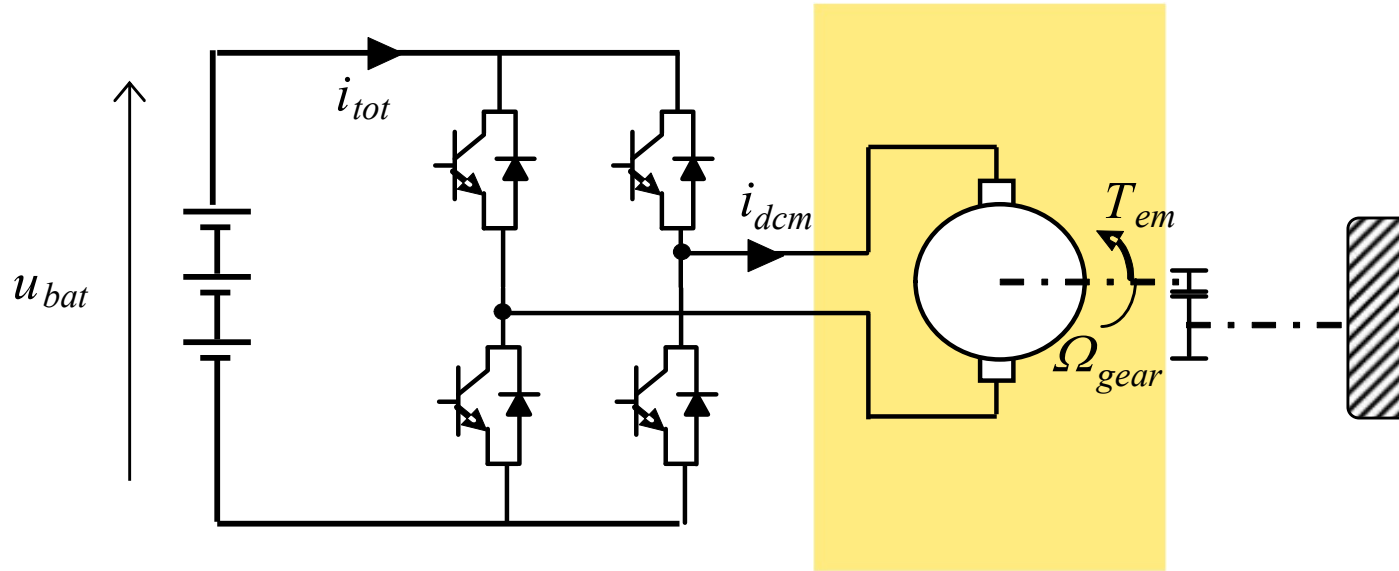
$$\begin{cases} u_{chop} = m_{chop} V_{bat} \\ i_{chop} = m_{chop} i_{arm} \end{cases}$$

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$$L_{arm} \frac{d}{dt} i_{dcm} = u_{chop} - e_{dcm} - R_{arm} i_{dcm}$$

$$\begin{cases} T_{dcm} = k_{dcm} i_{dcm} \\ e_{dcm} = k_{dcm} \Omega_{shaft} \end{cases}$$

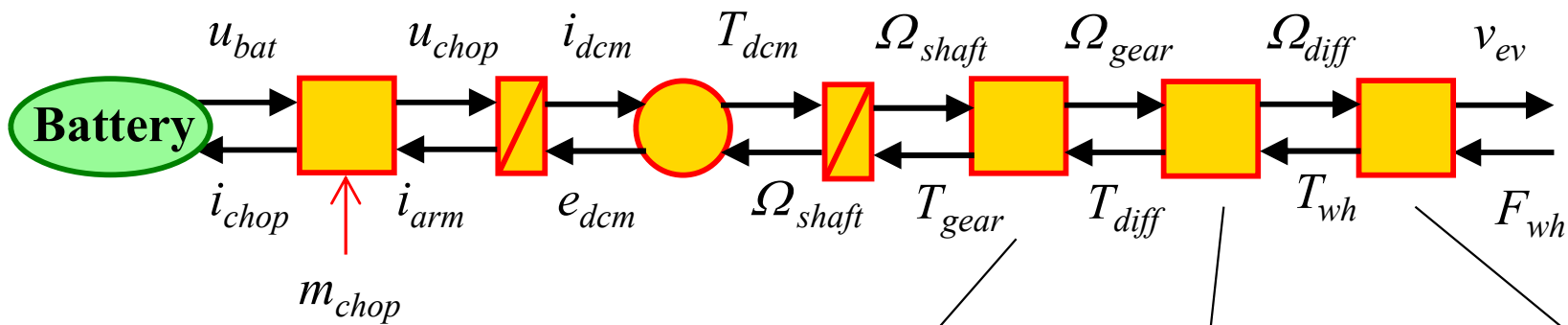
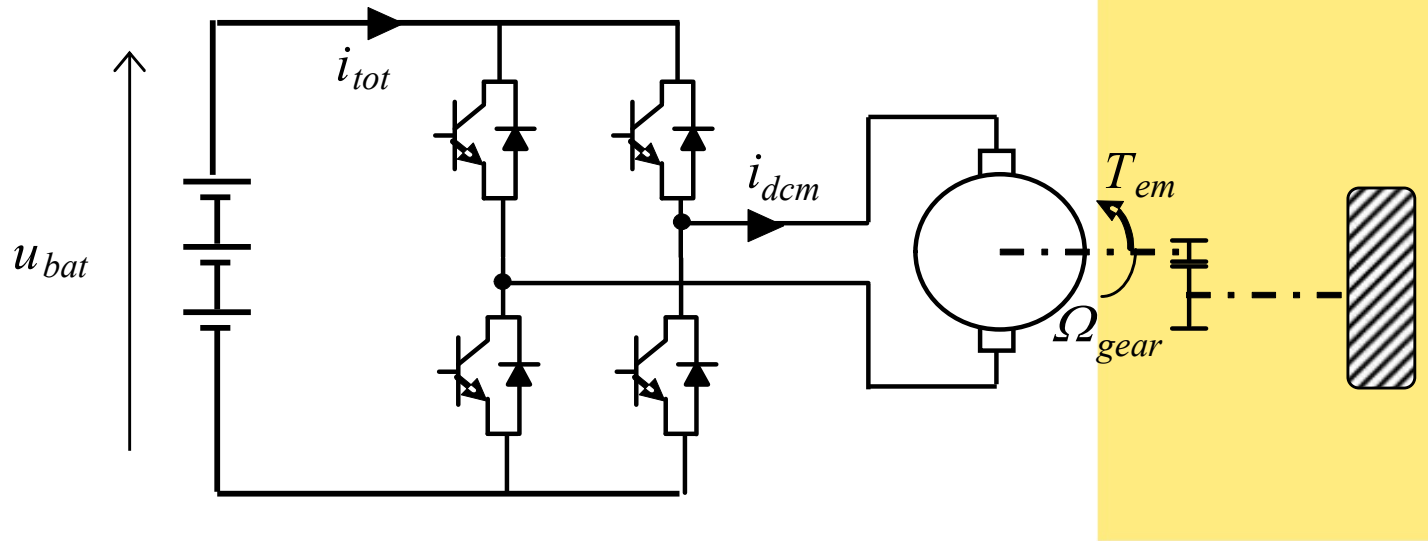
$$J \frac{d}{dt} \Omega_{gear} = T_{dcm} - T_{gear} - f \Omega_{gear}$$

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$$\begin{cases} T_{gear} = k_{gear} T_{diff} \\ \Omega_{gear} = k_{gear} \Omega_{shaft} \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{cases} T_{diff} = k_{diff} T_{wh} \\ \Omega_{diff} = k_{diff} \Omega_{gear} \end{cases}$$

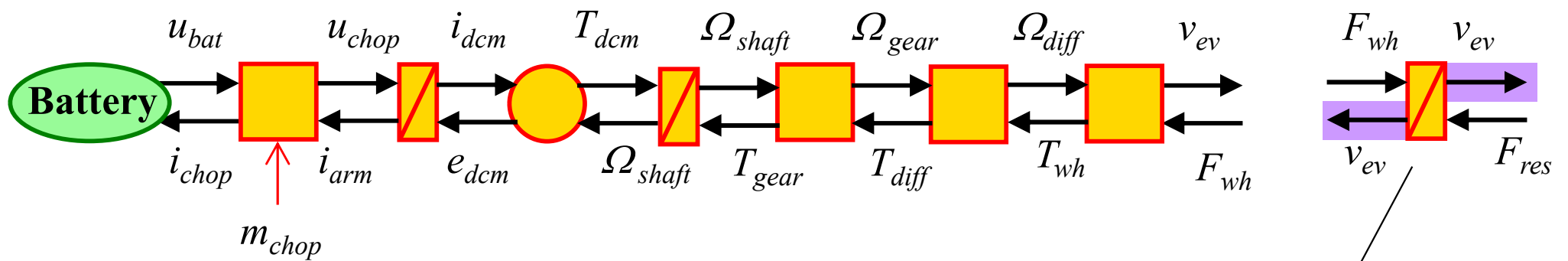
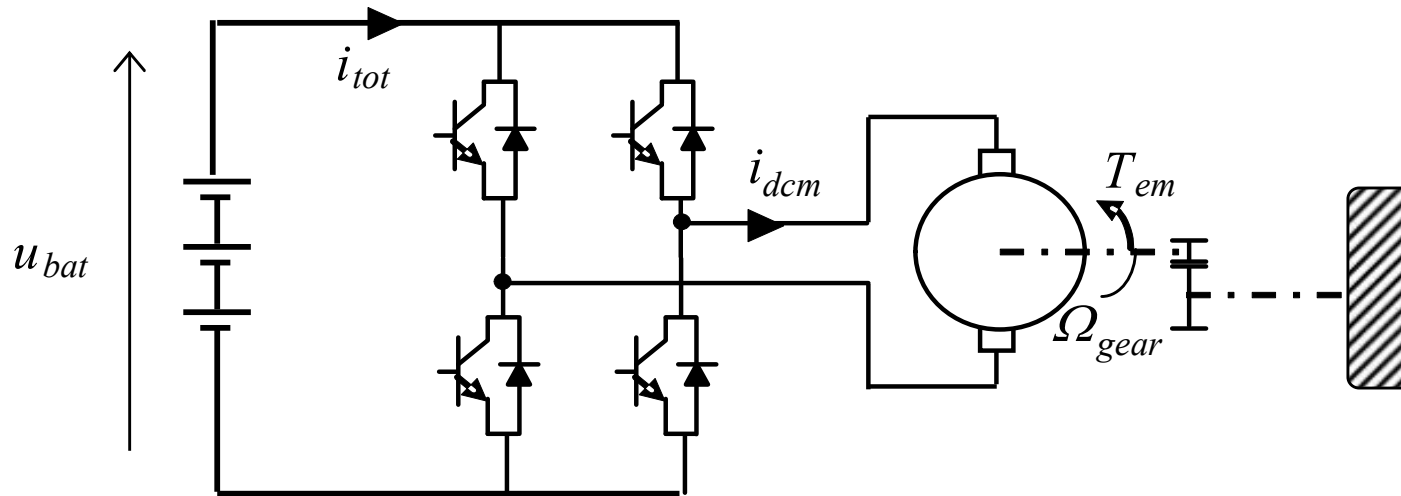
$$\begin{cases} T_{wh} = R_{wh} F_{wh} \\ v_{ev} = R_{wh} \Omega_{diff} \end{cases}$$

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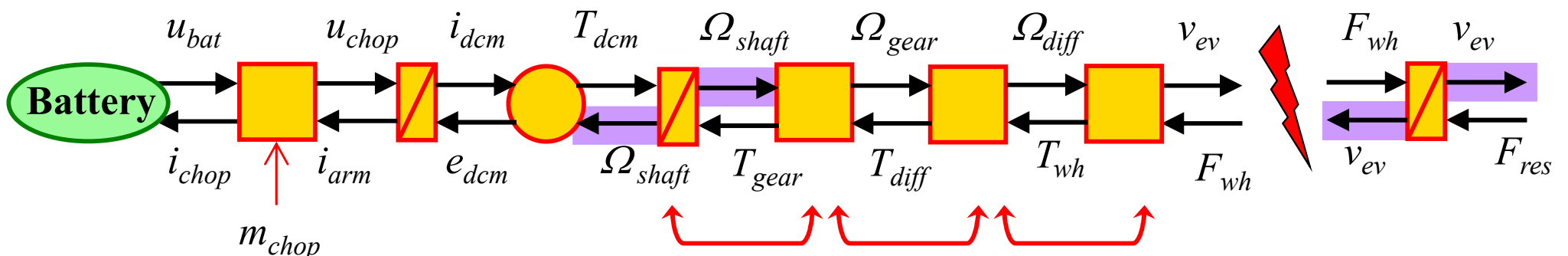
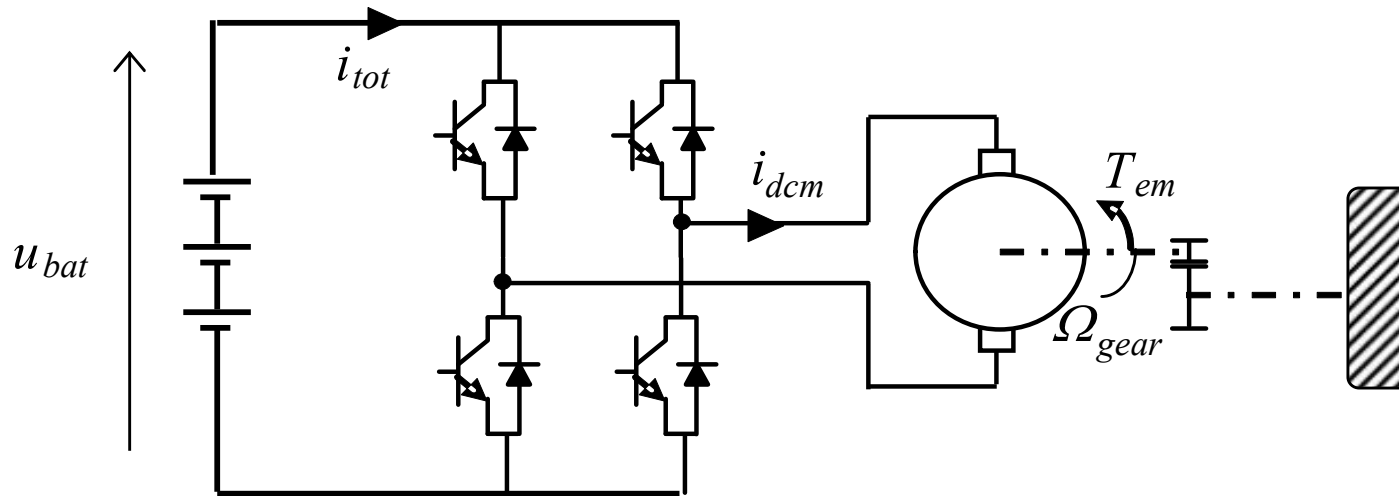
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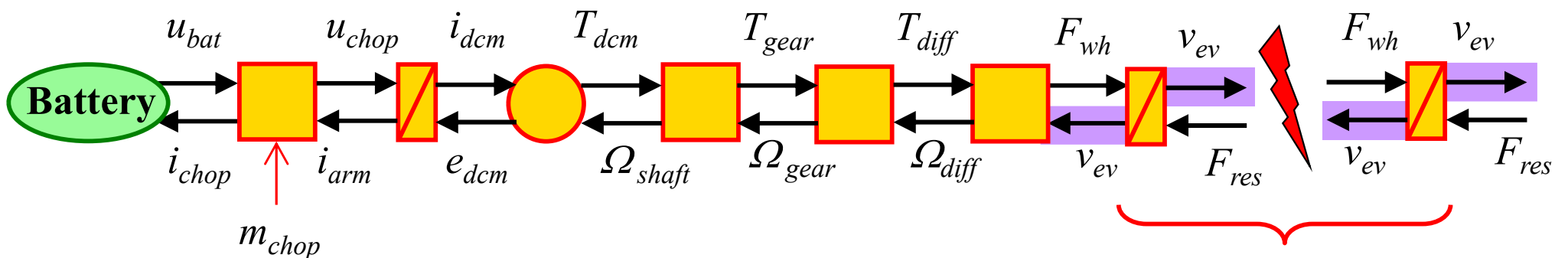
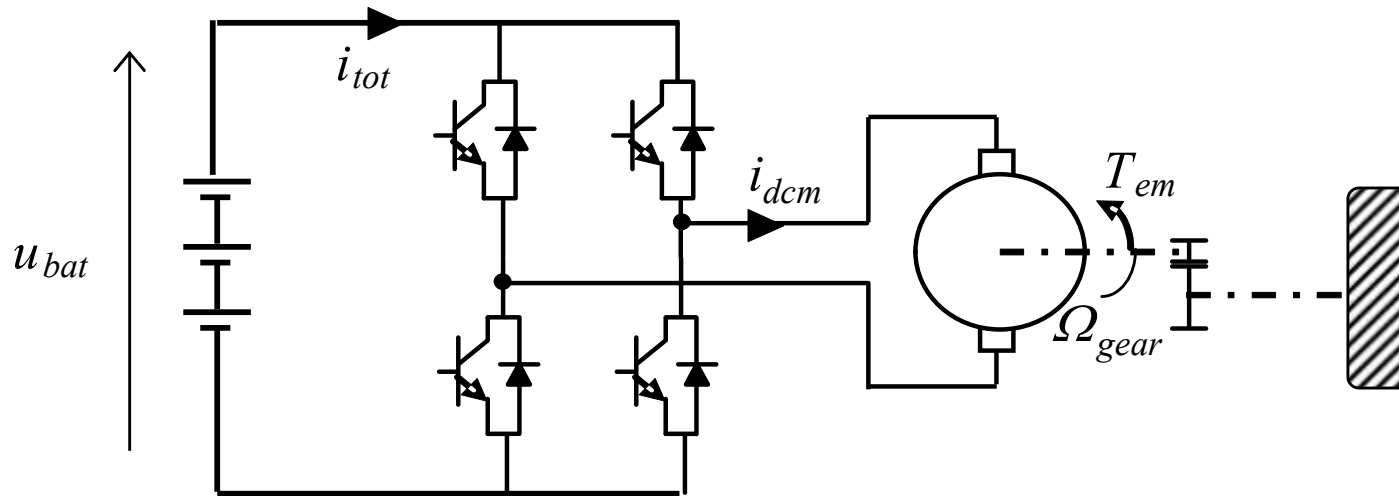
$$M \frac{d}{dt} v_{ev} = F_{tot} - F_{res}$$



permutations

Conflict of association:

Ω_{shaft} and v_{ev} state variables, but $v_{ev} = R_{wh} k_{diff} k_{gear} \Omega_{shaft}$

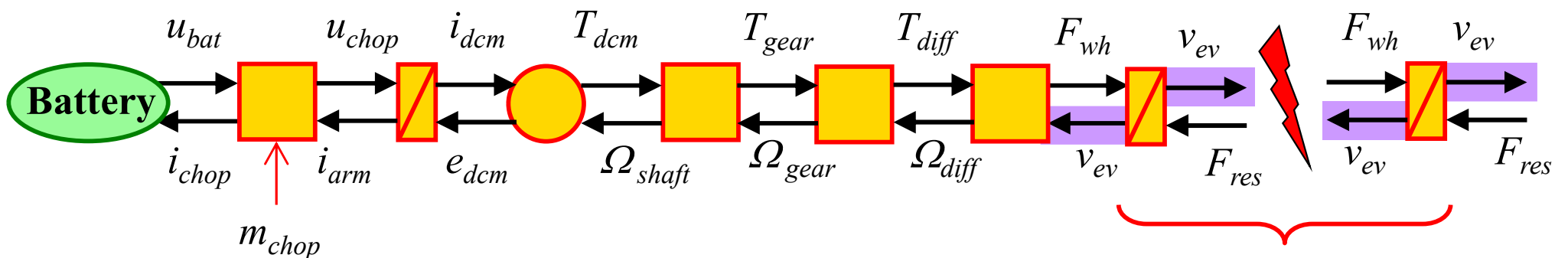
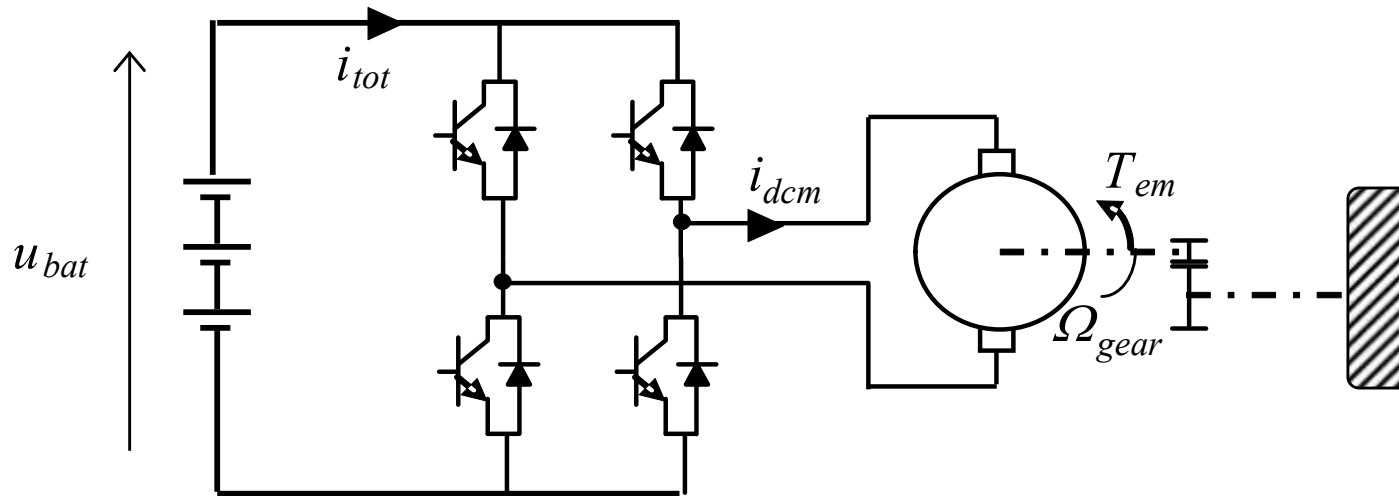


$$M_{eq} \frac{d}{dt} v_{ev} = F_{tot} - F_{res}$$

merging

Conflict of association:

a unique state variable is required!

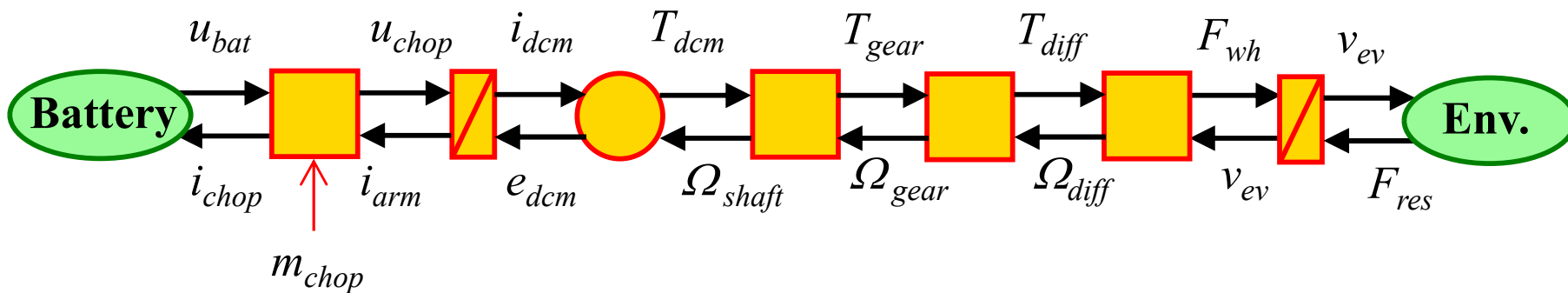
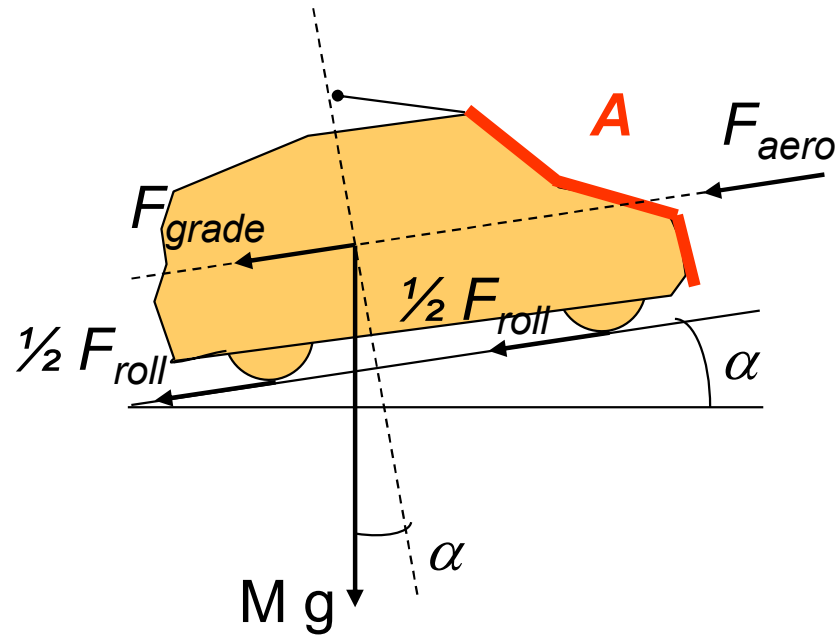


Conflict of association:
a unique state variable is required!

$$M_{eq} \frac{d}{dt} v_{ev} = F_{tot} - F_{res}$$

merging

$$M_{eq} = M + \frac{J_{shaft}}{\left(k_{gear}^2 k_{diff}^2 R_{wh}^2\right)}$$

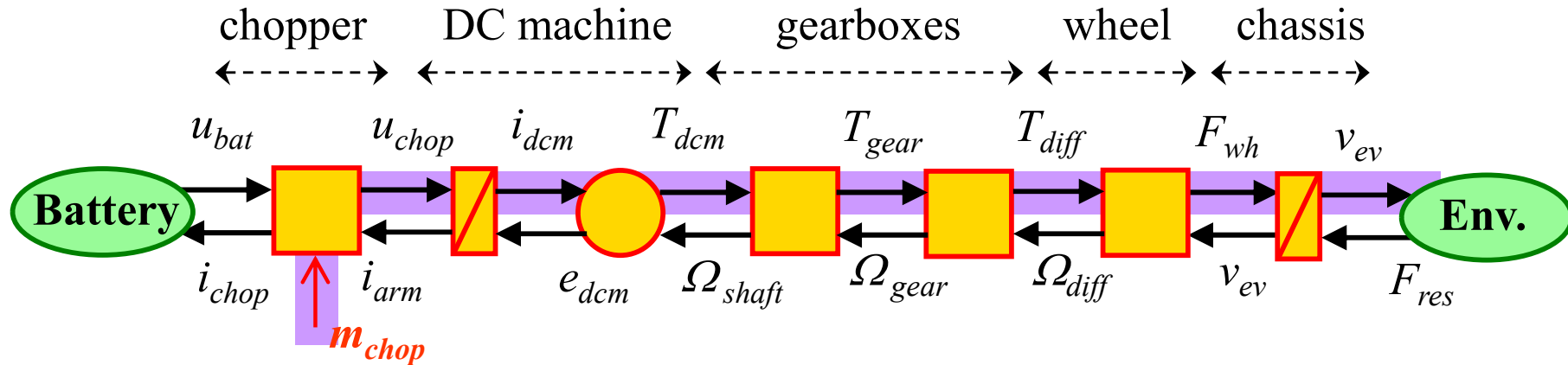


$$F_{res} = k_{roll} Mg \cos \alpha + \frac{1}{2} \rho_{air} A C_x v_{ev}^2 + Mg \sin \alpha$$



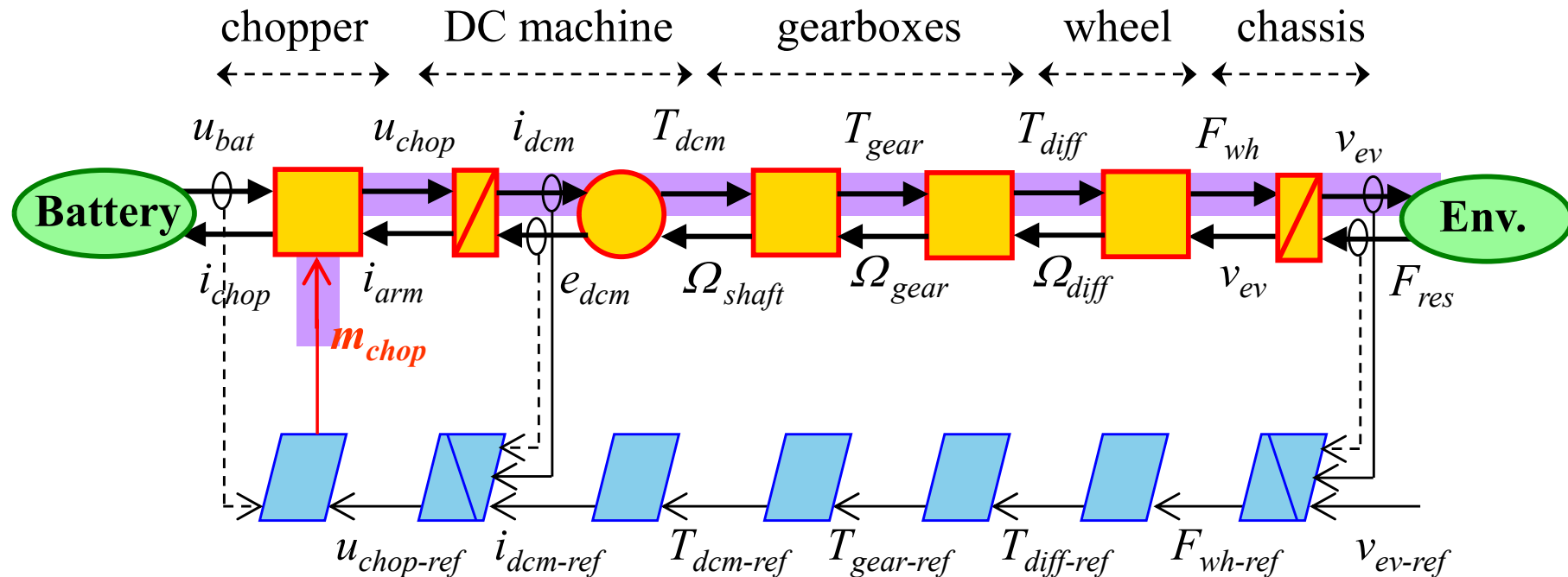
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**«3. INVERSION-BASED CONTROL OF
THE
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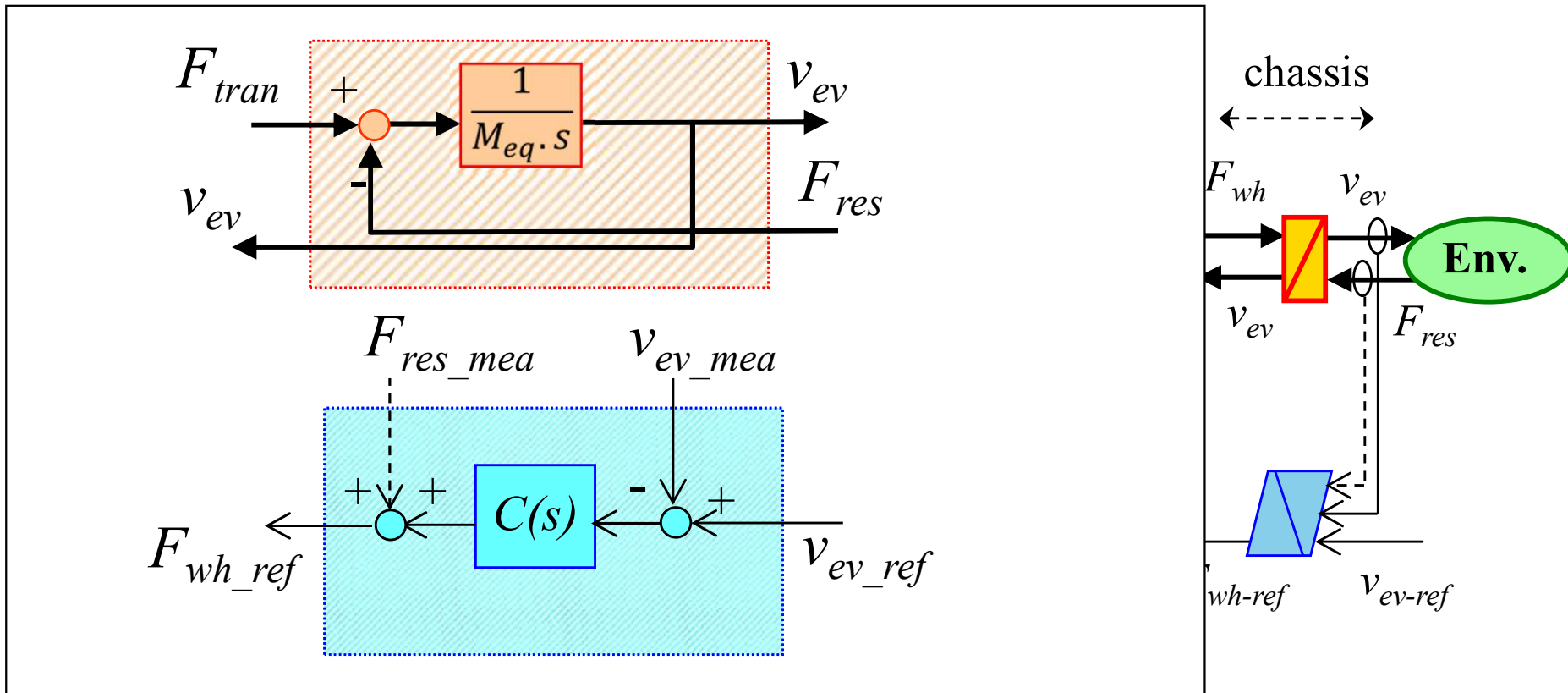
Objective: control the EV velocity

Tuning variable: modulation ratio of the DC-DC converter



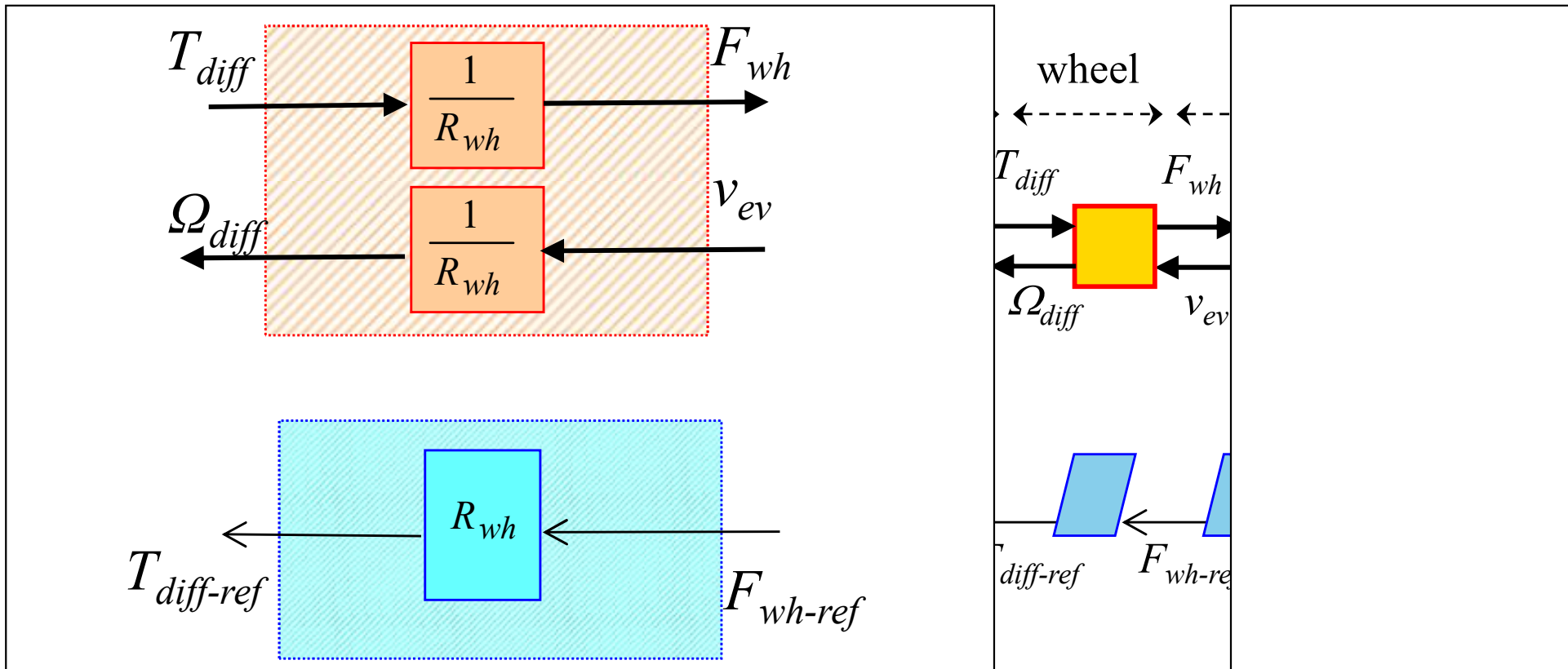
Maximum Control Structure:

- inversion of each element step-by-step
- all variables are assumed measurable



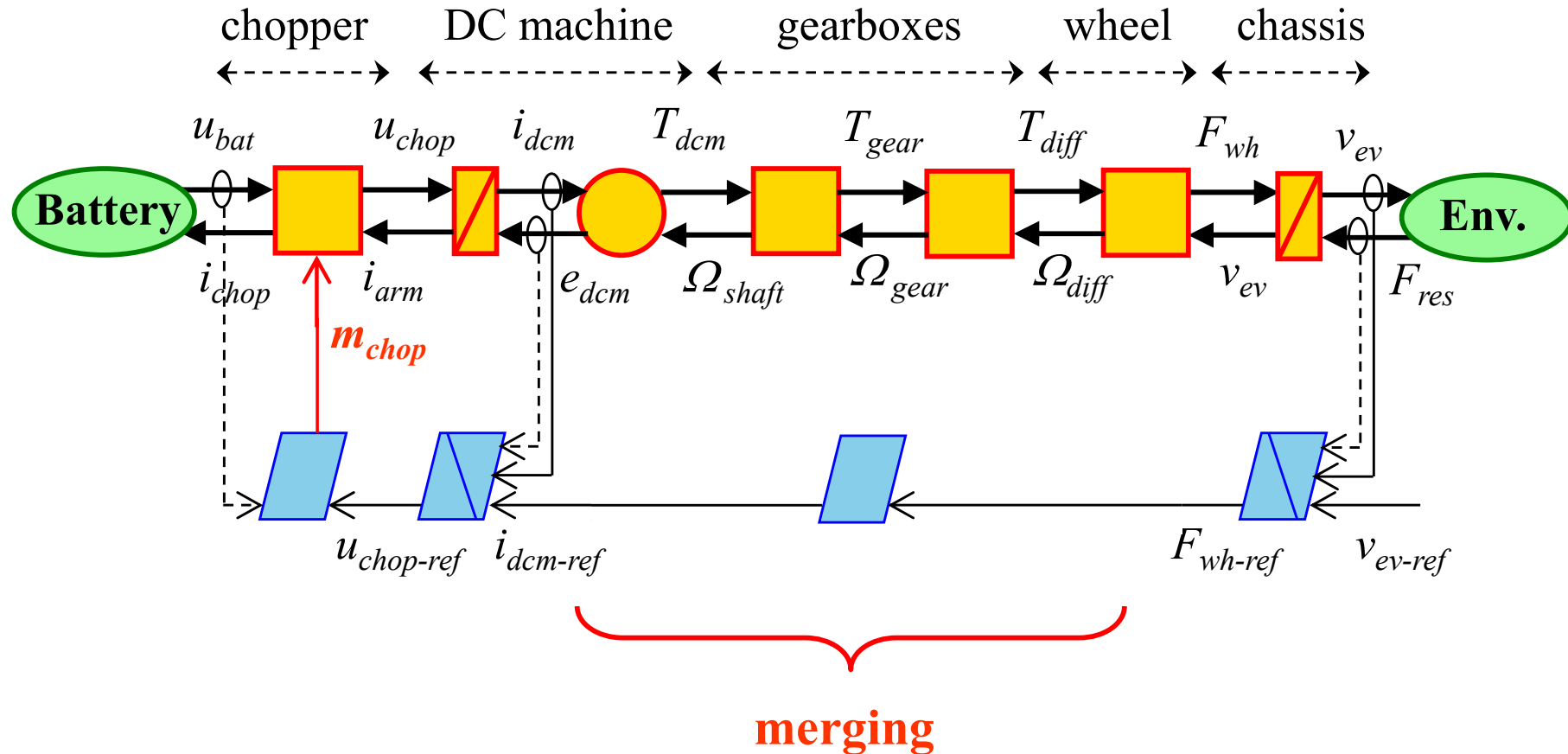
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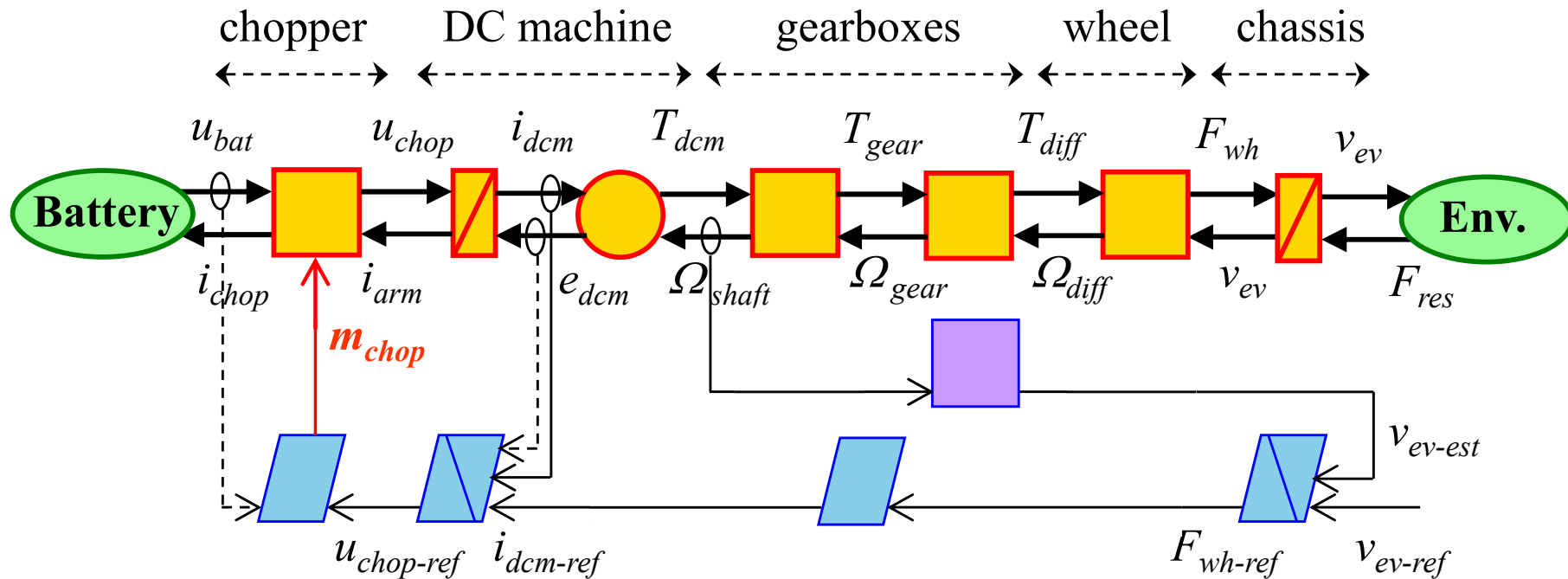
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Example of simplification:

- merging of gains

$$k_{tot} = R_{wh} \cdot \frac{1}{k_{diff}} \cdot \frac{1}{k_{gear}} \cdot \frac{1}{k_{dcm}}$$



Example of estimation:

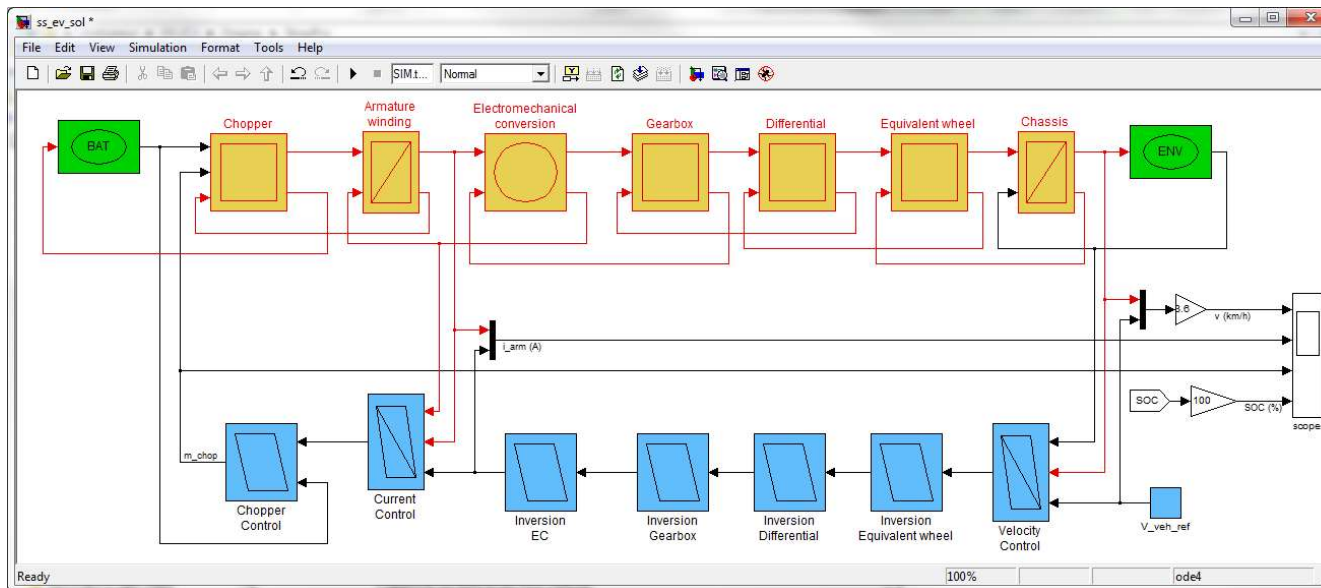
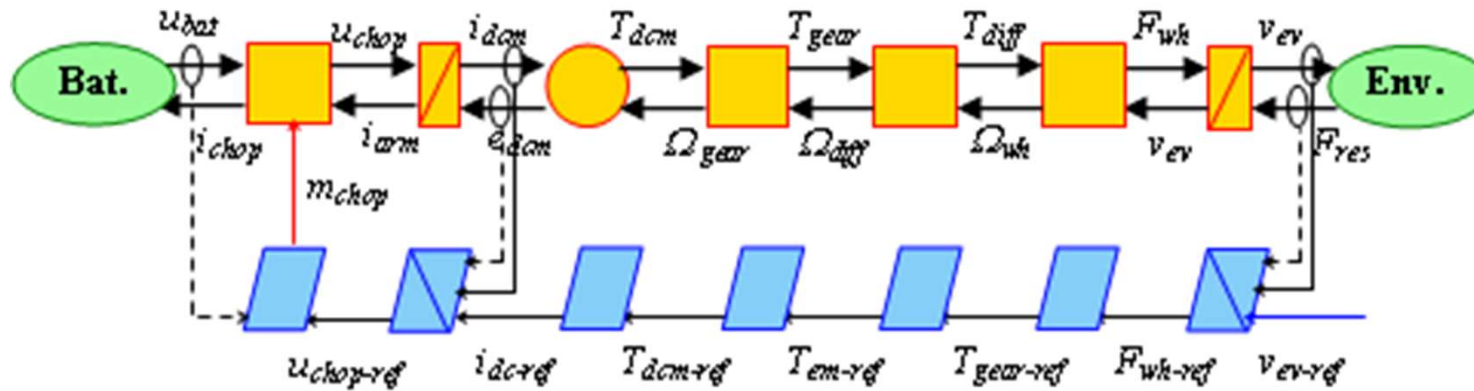
- estimation of velocity

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- Simulation -

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Matlab-Simulink ©, using the EMR library

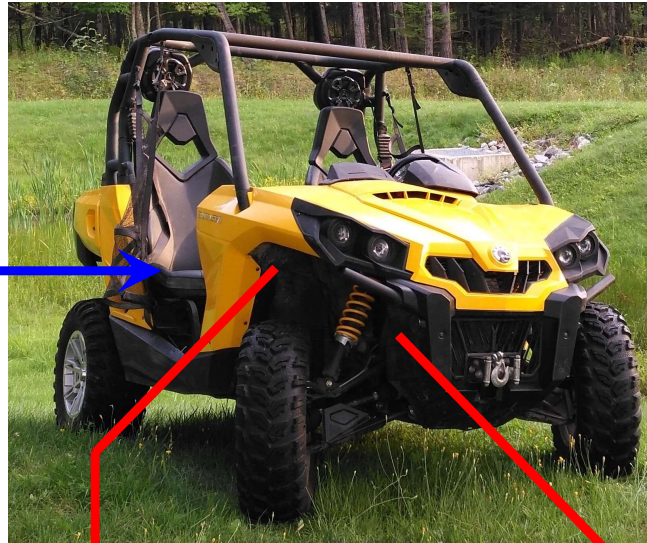
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- Implementation on the real vehicle -

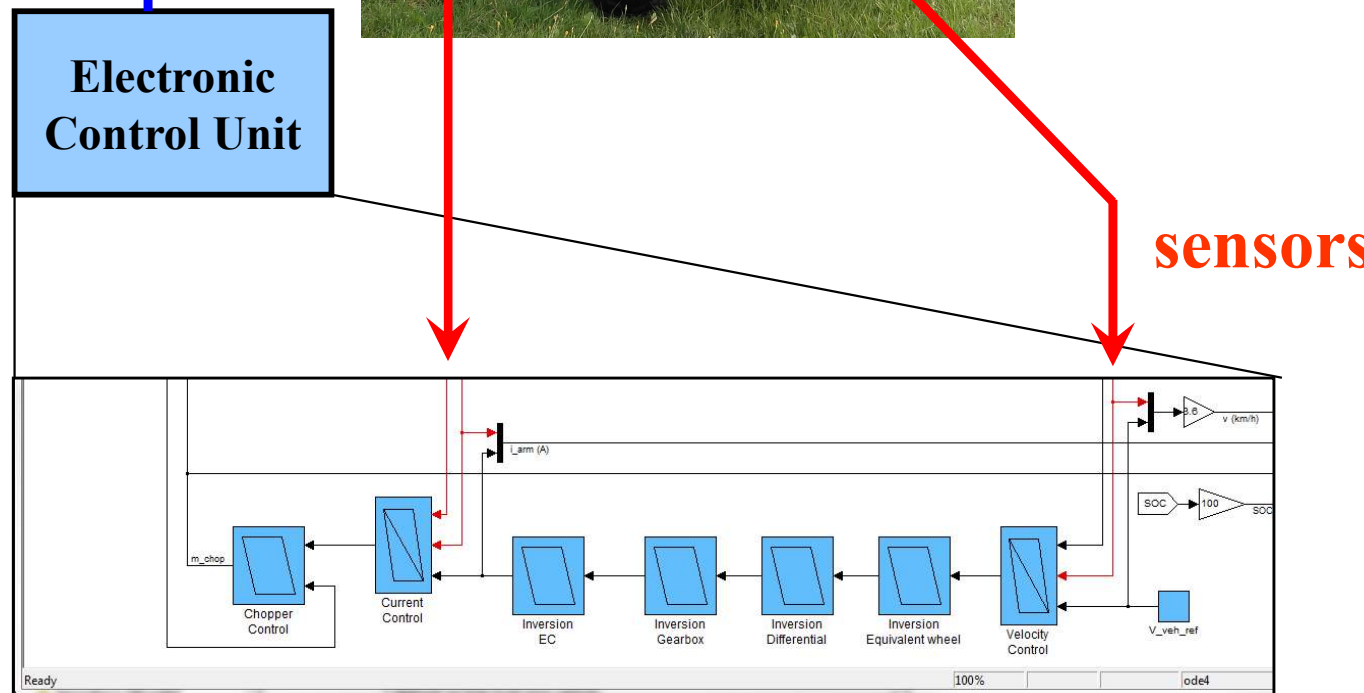
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« Summary »

- ❖ EMR: powerful approach for modeling and control of different systems
- ❖ Electric Vehicles (EVs), driven by:
 - DC motor(s)
 - Induction motor(s)
 - PM synchronous motor(s)
 - etc.
- ❖ EMR for EVs:
 - In the 1st step: Simplified model using DC motor with chopper (*for IM, PMSM: the same principles are applied*)
 - EMR: construction of elements step-by-step ...
 - Inversion-based control
 - Simulation: in Matlab/Simulink using EMR library



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« Appendix: EMR graphical rules »

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- Colors -

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Power
source

**pale
green**

Power
system

gold

System
model

violet

System
control

**sky
blue**

Control
strategy

blue

- orange background
RGB = (255,215,0)
« gold »
- red border
RGB = (255,0,0)
« red »

- light blue background
RGB = (135,206,235)
« sky blue »
- dark blue border
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- light green background
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« pale green »
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« green »

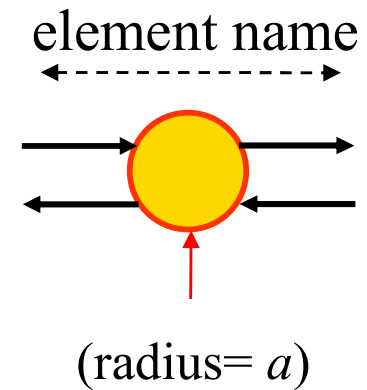
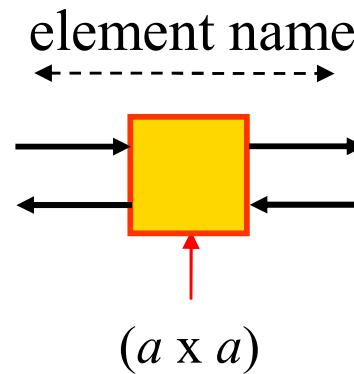
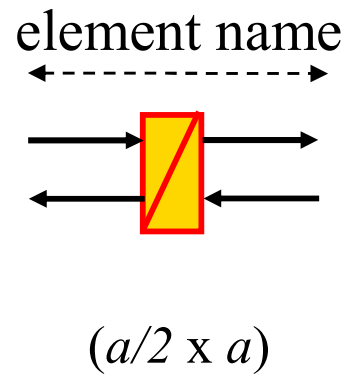
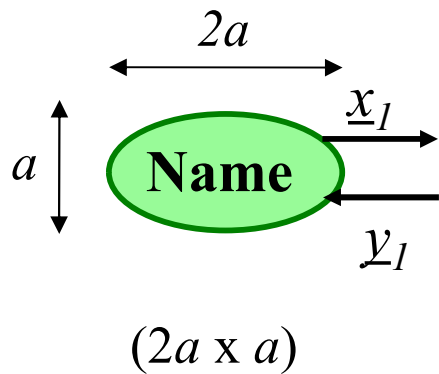
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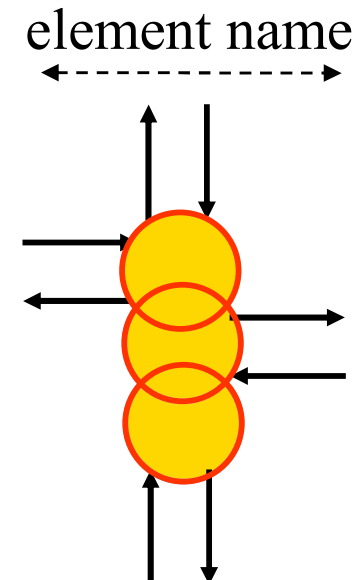
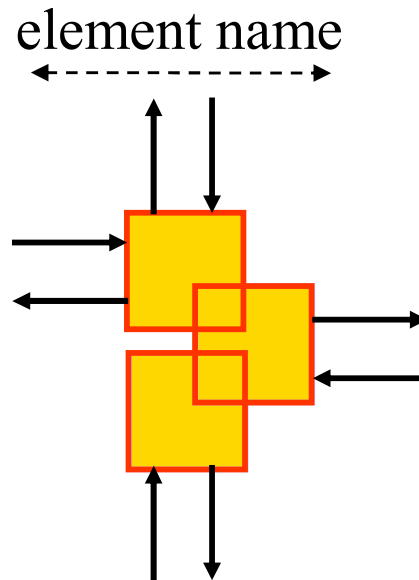
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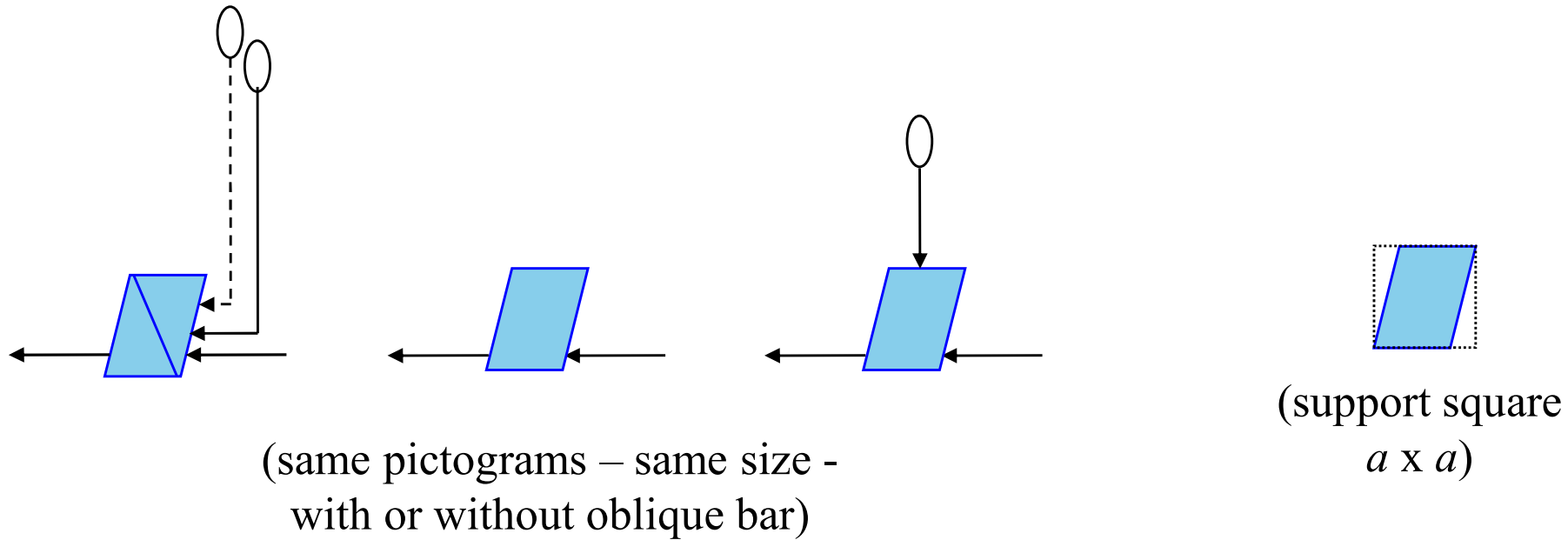


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→ power vectors
(size b , full arrows)

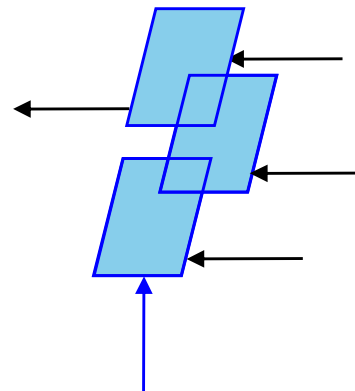
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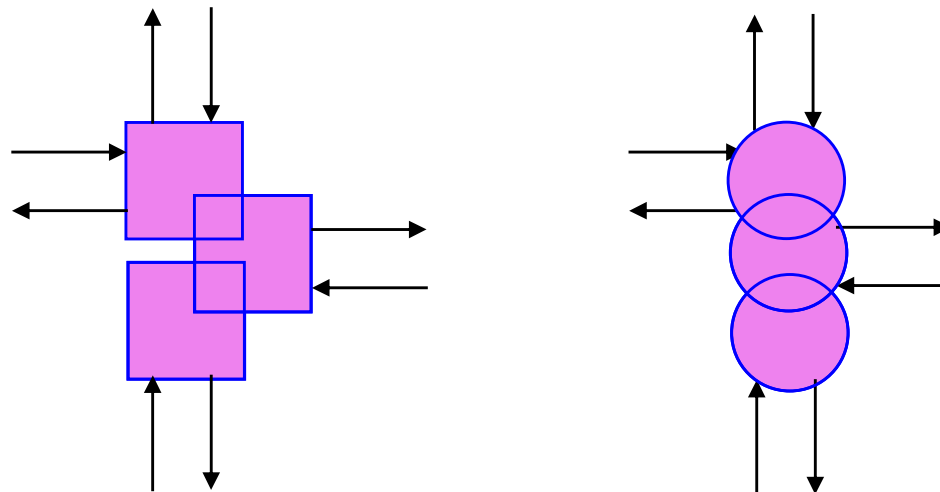
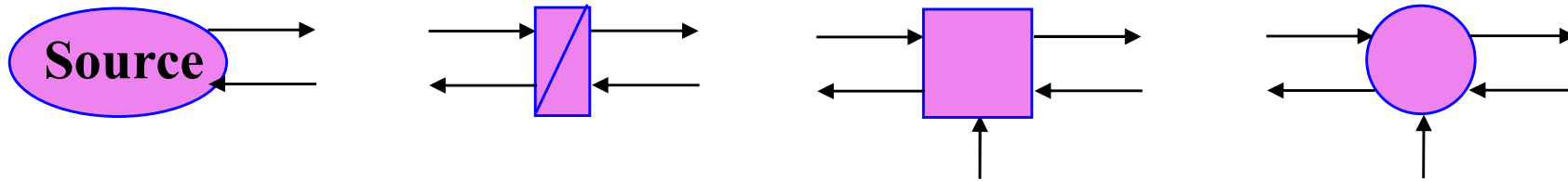




borders of control
elements = $b/2$ pt

↑ signal vectors
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borders of estimation elements = $b/2$ pt

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- Example -

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