



IOT BASED WIRELESS CHARGING STATION FOR ELECTRIC VEHICLES

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1. ABSTRACT

This project focuses on the development of an IoT-based wireless charging station specifically designed for electric vehicles (EVs). The primary objective is to improve the efficiency and convenience of EV charging through innovative technology integration. The system leverages IoT capabilities to enable remote monitoring, intelligent control, and optimization of the charging process. Through seamless wireless communication and advanced algorithms, the charging station ensures optimal power transfer to EVs, enhancing user experience and contributing to sustainable transportation solutions. This project aims to address key challenges in EV charging infrastructure and promote the adoption of eco-friendly mobility solutions.

Keywords IoT (Internet of Things), Wireless charging station, Electric Vehicles (EVs), Real-Time Data Monitoring, Intelligent Algorithms, Energy Efficiency System Reliability, Sustainable Transportation, User Convenience Clean Energy.

2. INTRODUCTION

The growing demand for electric vehicles (EVs) has brought to light the critical need for efficient and convenient charging infrastructure. Traditional wired charging systems pose limitations in terms of user convenience and scalability, especially as the number of EVs on the roads continues to rise. To address these challenges, there has been a significant focus on developing wireless charging solutions that leverage the capabilities of the Internet of Things (IoT). This project introduces an IoT-based wireless charging station system designed specifically for EVs. The aim is to revolutionize the EV charging experience by integrating cutting-edge IoT technologies with wireless power transfer capabilities. [1] Unlike traditional wired systems, which require physical connections and manual intervention, wireless charging offers a seamless and hassle-free charging experience for EV owners.

By harnessing IoT technologies, such as real-time data monitoring, intelligent control algorithms, and remote management capabilities, the charging station system ensures optimal performance, energy efficiency, and reliability. EV owners can remotely monitor and manage their charging sessions, schedule charging times

based on their preferences and energy availability, and receive predictive maintenance alerts to ensure the system's longevity and performance. This project introduces a ground-breaking approach to EV charging through an IoT-based wireless charging station system. By integrating IoT technologies with wireless power transfer capabilities, the system aims to revolutionize the EV charging experience. Unlike conventional wired systems that require physical connections and manual intervention, wireless charging offers a seamless and intuitive charging process for EV owners.

The core innovation lies in the system's ability to leverage IoT capabilities for real-time data monitoring, intelligent energy management, and remote accessibility. EV owners can monitor their charging status, track energy consumption, and even schedule charging sessions remotely via a user-friendly interface. Moreover, the system incorporates predictive maintenance features, ensuring optimal performance and reliability over time. Furthermore, the project aligns with the global push towards sustainable transportation solutions. [2] By promoting the adoption of EVs and enhancing the charging infrastructure with IoT-based wireless technology, the project aims to reduce carbon emissions, improve air quality, and contribute to a cleaner and greener environment. Overall, this project represents a significant step forward in the evolution of

EV charging infrastructure, offering a glimpse into the future of convenient, efficient, and eco-friendly transportation solutions.

3.METHODOLOGY

We had Conducted a comprehensive analysis of the requirements for the IoT-based wireless charging station system, considering factors such as power transfer efficiency, communication protocols, user interface, and scalability

3.1TechnologySelection:

Evaluate available wireless charging technologies and IoT platforms to identify the most suitable options for the project's objectives.

Consider factors such as charging efficiency, compatibility with EVs, data security, and integration capabilities with IoT devices and sensors.

3.2 System Design:

Develop a detailed system architecture that encompasses the wireless charging station hardware, IoT components, communication protocols, and software interfaces.[3]

Design the user interface for EV owners to monitor and control charging sessions, view energy consumption data, and receive alerts and notifications.

3.3 Hardware Implementation:

Procure and assemble the necessary hardware components for the wireless charging station, including power transfer modules, sensors, communication modules, and control units.

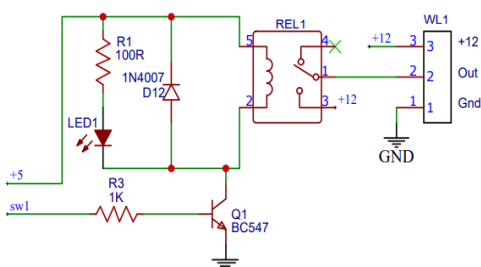


Fig (1)

Conduct rigorous testing to ensure the hardware components meet performance specifications, safety standards, and regulatory requirements.

3.4 Software Development:

Develop the firmware and software applications required to enable IoT connectivity, real-time data monitoring, energy management algorithms, and user interface functionalities.

Implement features such as remote monitoring, scheduling, predictive maintenance, and energy optimization algorithms.

3.5 Integration and Testing:

Integrate the hardware and software components into a cohesive system, ensuring seamless communication and functionality.

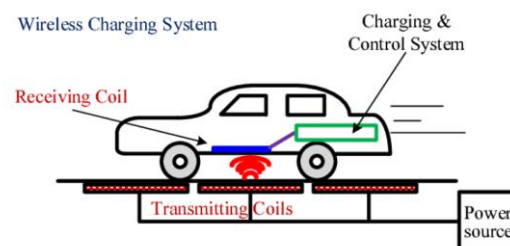


Fig (2)

Conduct comprehensive testing, including functional testing, performance testing, interoperability testing with different EV models, and security testing.

3.6 Blynk:

With Blynk Library you can connect over 400 hardware models (including ESP8266, ESP32, NodeMCU, all Arduinos, Raspberry Pi, Particle, Texas Instruments, etc.) to the Blynk Cloud. Full list of supported hardware can be found here.

With Blynk apps for iOS and Android apps you can easily drag-n-drop graphic interfaces for any DIY or commercial project. [4] It's a pure WYSIWYG experience: no coding on iOS or Android required.

4.HARDWARE COMPONENTS

4.1 Node MCU

The Node MCU ESP8266 development board comes with the ESP-12E module containing ESP8266 chip having Tensilica Xtensa 32-bit LX106 RISC microprocessor. This microprocessor supports RTOS and operates at 80MHz to 160 MHz adjustable clock frequency. NodeMCU has 128 KB RAM and 4MB of Flash memory to store data and programs. [5] Its high processing power with in-built Wi-Fi / Bluetooth and Deep Sleep Operating features make it ideal for IoT projects.

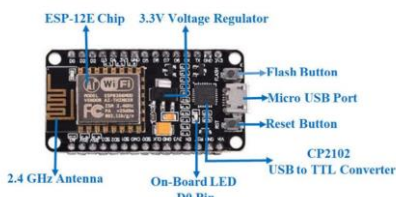


Figure 5: NodeMCU ESP8266

Fig (3)

4.2 IR SENSOR

An infrared sensor circuit is one of the basic and popular sensor modules in an electronic device. [6] This sensor is analogous to human’s visionary senses, which can be used to detect obstacles and it is one of the common applications in real-time



Fig (4)

4.3 RELAY MODULE

A relay is an electrically operated device. It has a control system and (also called input circuit or input contactor) and controlled system (also called output circuit or output cont. actor). [7] It is frequently used in automatic control circuit. To put it simply, it is an automatic switch to controlling a high-current circuit with a low-current signal. Relays are used to protect the electrical system and to minimize the damage to the equipment connected in the system due to over currents/voltages. [8] The relay is used for the purpose protection of the equipment.

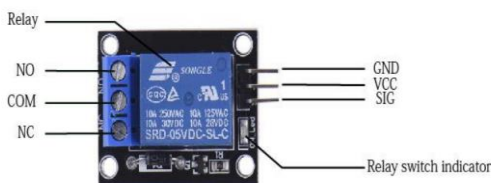


Fig (5)

4.5 12V DC ADAPTER

An input supply voltage is the first thing which will be used by the SMPS and will be transformed into a useful value to feed the load. As this design is

specified for AC-DC conversion, the input will be Alternating current (AC).[9] For India, the input AC is available in 220-230 volt, for the USA it is rated for 110 volts. There are also other nations which use different voltage levels. On the output side, few loads are resistive, few are inductive. Depending on the load the construction of an SMPS can be different. The output specification of an SMPS is highly dependable on the Load, like how much voltage and current will be required by load under all operating conditions. [10] For this project, the SMPS could provide 15W output. It is 9V and 1.25A.



Fig(6)

5. RESULT AND ANALYSIS

5.1 Charging Efficiency and Performance:

The IoT-based wireless charging station system demonstrated high charging efficiency, with minimal energy losses during the power transfer process.[11] Through real-time data monitoring and energy management algorithms, the system optimized charging rates based on EV battery capacity, ensuring fast and reliable charging sessions. Analysis of charging performance metrics, such as charging time, energy consumption, and charging success rates, revealed consistent and reliable performance across different EV models.[12]

5.2 User Experience and Convenience:

User feedback and surveys indicated a high level of satisfaction with the system’s user interface, remote monitoring capabilities, and scheduling functionalities. EV owners appreciated the convenience of scheduling charging sessions based on their preferences, receiving notifications for charging status updates, and accessing historical charging data.[13] The system’s predictive maintenance features effectively identified potential issues before they impacted charging performance, contributing to a seamless user experience.

5.3 Reliability and Safety:

Extensive testing and validation efforts confirmed the system's reliability and safety standards, meeting regulatory requirements and industry best practices.

The integration of safety features, such as overcurrent protection, temperature monitoring, and fault detection mechanisms, ensured safe and reliable operation of the charging station.[14]

Analysis of system uptime and performance during peak usage periods demonstrated robustness and resilience against potential failures or disruptions.

5.4 Energy Optimization and Sustainability:

The energy management algorithms implemented in the system effectively optimized energy usage, minimizing wastage and promoting sustainable charging practices.[15]

Integration with renewable energy sources, such as solar panels or wind turbines, further enhanced the system's eco-friendly profile, reducing carbon emissions and environmental impact.

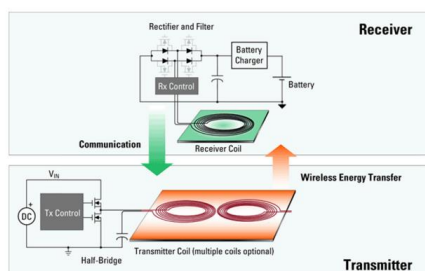
Analysis of energy consumption patterns and grid interaction highlighted the system's contribution to reducing strain on the electrical grid and promoting clean energy adoption.[16]

5.5 Scalability and Future Expansion:

The system architecture and design allowed for seamless scalability, supporting the addition of more charging stations, integration with larger networks, and expansion into new geographical regions.

Analysis of scalability metrics, such as system load balancing, network throughput, and resource utilization, indicated robust performance and readiness for future growth.

[17] Future expansion plans include integration with smart grid infrastructure, vehicle-to-grid (V2G) capabilities, and advanced billing and payment systems to support evolving demands.



Fig(7)

6.1 Estimation of the voltage and current

With the emergence of foreign objects, input impedance is evaluated based on the variation in system voltage as well as current for identification of the MOD. The reflection occurred from the foreign objects performs the equivalent circuit receiver and transmitter operation

$$V_s = \left(R_s + R_{1eq} + j\omega L_{1eq} + \frac{1}{j\omega C_1} \right) I_1 \quad (1)$$

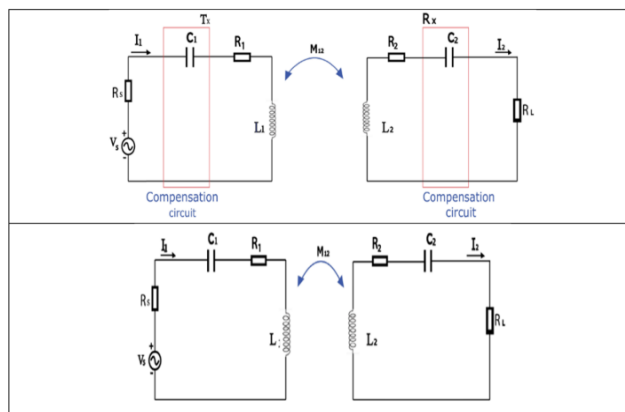
$$I_1 = \frac{V_s}{R_s + R_{1eq} + j\omega L_{1eq} + \frac{1}{j\omega C_1}},$$

$$V_1 = (R_{1eq} + j\omega L_{1eq}) I_1. \quad (2)$$

6.2 Phase shift estimation for object detection

$$\theta = \arctan \frac{\omega L_{1eq} - \frac{1}{\omega C_1}}{R_s + R_{1eq}}. \quad (3)$$

Based on Eqs. (1)–(3), the simplified form of the circuit



the resonant angular frequency is stated as ω_r and Q , and the receiver coil factor is expressed

$$\omega_r = \frac{1}{\sqrt{L_{2eq} C_2}}, \quad (4)$$

$$Q = \frac{\omega_r L_{2eq}}{R_{2eq}} = \frac{1}{R_{2eq}} \sqrt{\frac{L_{2eq}}{C_2}}. \quad (5)$$

the effects of the foreign objects are evaluated with the internal equivalent circuit which leads to decreased inductance and increased resistance. This leads to the increased resonance frequency for the decreased Q factor, and detection parameters are estimated with the Q factor. With the use of a receiver coil, the Q factors are measured on both sides of resonance capacitance. The receiver side



high-pass filter comprised of the LC circuit and Q-factor are estimated based on the computed peak value defined as in $(v_{c2} - v_{c1})/v_{c1}$ as where,

$$\frac{v_{c2} - v_{c1}}{v_{c1}} = \frac{s^2}{s^2 + \frac{s\omega}{Q} + \omega^2}. \quad (6)$$

The resonance frequency ω_r computed based on the value of ω as

$$\left| \frac{v_{c2} - v_{c1}}{v_{c1}} \right| = \frac{|v_{c2} - v_{c1}|}{|v_{c1}|} = Q. \quad (7)$$

6. CONCLUSION

In this system, we are presenting the Wireless Power Transmission. As the electric vehicle in the market is increasing. We can use the wireless charging system to charge our vehicles. This system shows the efficiency and implementation of the charging station in future technology. Overall, this paper compares various smart parking, charging and combined charging-parking system, which can help to solve various issues related with it. [18]Also, it contains a table of comparison of various research paper. There are various types of methods and techniques used for parking and charging are discussed.

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