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Evaluation of the effect of using magnetic gear in improving the performance of process systems based on mechanical gear

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Abstract

Mechanical gear trains have been the traditional industrial power transmission, but their operation by direct tooth engagement carries some inherent limitations: frictional energy loss, wear requiring lubrication, noise, and imprecision of motion due to backlash. These detriments, in high-frequency and precision-driven industries—such as robotics, semiconductor processing, and automated inspection—compromise control stability and increase maintenance needs.

The NEW MAGNETIC GEAR SYSTEM presents an alternative by replacing meshing teeth with concentric rotors having permanent magnets, which mesh through a ferromagnetic stator. Torque transmission is accomplished through magnetic coupling, significantly minimizing friction, wear, and backlash. The design provides for smoother motion, improved positional accuracy, and compatibility with standard mechanical configurations, while maintaining performance under extended operating conditions.

Feasibility was initially explored through magnetic simulations that approximated the torque output, rotation speed dynamics, and losses in energy. Parametric studies of magnet geometry and rotor spacing directed prototype development, furnishing a foundation for experimental validation rather than determining performance per se.

Tests involved two identical test rigs—one with the NEW MAGNETIC GEAR SYSTEM and the other with a conventional mechanical gear—driven under controlled conditions. Motion response, efficiency, noise, and temperature measurements showed good correlation with simulation predictions. The magnetic gear showed higher transmission efficiency, quieter operation, and near-zero backlash. Thermal buildup was significantly lower, and long-cycle tests confirmed stable torque output and extended maintenance intervals.

Simulated applications to conveyor and mixer systems confirmed practical viability, with clean operation and smooth control proved without extensive drivetrain redesign. With its accurate, quiet, and maintenance-free torque transmission, the NEW MAGNETIC GEAR SYSTEM is consistent with global sustainability goals of 7.affordable energy, 9.strong infrastructure, and 12.responsible production, with future application in advanced industrial automation possible.

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1-Introduction

1-1 Problem Statement

Mechanical Gear systems are long-standing fundamental components of industrial machinery, fulfilling torque transmission, motion regulation, and conversion of mechanical energy for a variety of applications. Their universality in automation sectors is the ability to deliver regulated rotary movement using comparatively simple mechanical design.

The most distinctive feature of mechanical gears is direct tooth-to-tooth engagement, making possible precise transmission of torque and modification of speed. This attribute itself carries with it a sequence of inherent limitations that influence long-term function and effectiveness of operation. The physical contact between tooth surfaces induces constant friction, which induces wear, surface fatigue, and long-term degradation of components. These mechanisms normally require regular lubrication, suffer from backlash, and generate mechanical vibration and noise—considerations that not only reduce accuracy but also increase maintenance costs and operation costs.

In high-cycle or precision-critical applications, such as automation production lines, such disadvantages manifest as tangible inefficiencies. Energy wastages due to friction, thermal buildup, and mechanical fatigue can be problematic to process stability, decrease equipment lifespan, and make scalability of motion control solutions challenging. Additionally, the mechanical gears' inability to withstand shock loads or operate in sealed environments complicates their application in sophisticated or delicate industrial applications.

These challenges point towards a need for other transmission mechanisms that can retain the functional advantages of gear systems without their structural and operational shortcomings.

For decades the basis for the development of non-contact magnetic gear systems was analyzed but none of them could completely overcome the mechanical limitations, which shows the need for a new magnetic gear system that could completely overcome the limitations and have higher efficiency and accuracy.

1-2 Background

1-2-1 Development of Mechanical Gears

The origin of mechanical gears dates back to ancient times, with early uses in Greek and **Chinese engineering (circa 300 BC)**. Mechanical gears have been a key part of power transmission systems, particularly in the automobile, aerospace, and industrial equipment sectors, for centuries. The fundamental concepts of mechanical gear theories were formally established in the **17th and 18th centuries** by extensive work from Leonhard Euler and Robert Willis, who formulated the mathematical equations that describe gear ratios, torque transmission, and efficiency. Despite their prevalence, mechanical gears are plagued by inherent shortcomings, including:

Mechanical wear caused by friction, leading to reduced efficiency and regular maintenance. Backlash, causing motion errors due to the gaps between the gear teeth. Lubrication dependency, increasing operating cost and environmental concerns.

Due to the necessity of increased efficiency and reduced maintenance by industries, researchers have been exploring other power transmission systems and discovered magnetic gears.

1-2-2 Development of Magnetic Gears

Development of magnetic gear systems has been steered by a long-standing engineering challenge: eliminating the mechanical limitations of conventional gears—friction, wear, backlash, and continuous lubrication.

The concept first rose to prominence **in the late 1970s**, when researchers started testing permanent magnet couplings as a contact-less alternative to mechanical meshing. The first implementations were, however, low torque density and wasteful magnetic field usage, which limited their practical application.

A key milestone arrived with the early 2000s, with the invention of high-energy-density rare earth magnets such as Neodymium-Iron-Boron (NdFeB) and Samarium-Cobalt (SmCo). These new materials enabled higher magnetic interactions, and research began focusing on optimizing magnetic field geometries to enhance torque transmission. This marked the beginning of serious industrial attention to magnetic gears.

Between 2005 and 2015, development of coaxial magnetic gears introduced concentric rotor designs that significantly increased magnetic field strength and torque density. More than 95% efficiency was achieved, making them viable for electric vehicles and wind turbine applications. However, the problem of sensitivity to high-load magnetic saturation and rotor alignment continued to be an issue.

From 2015 to 2020, harmonic magnetic gears emerged as a product based on harmonic drive technology. These offered ultra-high accuracy torque transmission within compact sizes appropriate for robotics and aerospace use. Their restricted torque rating and complex magnetic coupling mechanisms, however, restricted scalability and increased production costs.

Since 2020, an emerging generation of hybrid magnetic-mechanical gears has appeared with coupling magnetic rotors and ferromagnetic stators to achieve an increased load capacity and torque-to-weight ratio. While these systems offer improved performance and stability, they bring back mechanical contact, sacrificing the non-contact advantage partially and also adding complexity in dynamic modeling.

Despite these advancements, none of the existing designs have been able to solve the issue of scalable, dependable, and purely non-contact torque transmission. The accurate modeling of magnetic forces in realistic conditions remains a significant stumbling block. This project aims to enhance the theoretical and computational paradigms that control magnetic field interaction and torque transmission in a way that the actual potential of magnetic gear systems could be realized in precision-critical and maintenance-sensitive industrial applications.

1-3 Idea Description

The point of departure for the project was the development of a gear system that could transmit rotational motion without mechanical contact and near-zero friction, wear, backlash, and lubrication. This initial idea emerged from a critical examination of conventional mechanical gears and the partial solutions offered by earlier magnetic gear ideas, which, though they were major improvements, failed to break through structural and functional limitations.

To initiate the study, physical distance between components was established using spinner-based structures. These spinners served as initial carriers of magnetic components for studying non-contact rotational coupling. Magnets were mounted on rotating objects in the hope that magnetic interaction would transmit motion to adjacent components. But initial experimentation revealed that simple placement of magnets did not result in effective rotation. The magnets either adhered too much or did not engage at all—highlighting the importance of spatial positioning.

This led to a guided search for magnet placement, where field direction and polarity orientation were experimented with systematically.

After magnetic geometry was resolved, a second issue emerged: spacing of magnetic elements. Insufficient spacing either nullified the magnetic effect or resulted in unwanted locking. Through careful calibration, this variable was optimized to find a balance between magnetic force and rotational freedom.

With magnetic interaction firmly established, the design of the spinner was reassessed for its readiness for industrial application. Due to its low load handling and integration potential, the prototype of the spinner was abandoned for a gear-like design, which had better mechanical compatibility. The revision gave a workable rotational system—but with one major restriction: the output gear rotated in the opposite direction of the input.

Recognizing the need for co-directional rotation in many industrial uses, further configurations were explored. An initial attempt using three gear bases did not produce synchronized motion. Subsequently, a vertical alignment strategy was developed, facilitating both counter-rotational and co-rotational activity under controlled conditions.

After a sequence of conceptual improvements and experimental confirmations, a new gear system was formulated—one that breaks the inherent constraints of mechanical gears and surpasses the constraints of previous magnetic designs. This innovation, grounded on foundations of non-contact transmission, magnetic geometry optimization, and scalable mechanical integration, is hereby formally introduced as the **New Magnetic Gear System**.

1-4 Idea Purposes

The proposed gear system aims to bypass intrinsic mechanical limitations through the utilization of a non-contact magnetic transmission system. In order for this concept to be considered viable for industrial application, some crucial goals must be achieved.

These goals are derived directly from the drawbacks of conventional mechanical gears—namely friction-related wear, backlash, thermal inefficiency, and high maintenance demands—and are designed to ensure that the new system is capable of performing reliably, efficiently, and sustainably in practical applications.

The following performance goals have been defined as critical benchmarks for ongoing concept refinement and validation:

Near-Zero Torque Transmission: The system must transmit rotational force without physical contact, thereby eliminating wear and extending operating life. This addresses the issue of surface fatigue and component degradation in mechanical gears directly.

Near-Zero Backlash and Smooth Motion Control: A very accurate synchronization of input and output members is essential, especially in applications that require high positional accuracy. Zero backlash attainment will do away with the instability and angular play typically inherent in mechanical systems.

Thermal Stability and Energy Efficiency: The gear must exhibit low operating temperatures and minimize transmission energy losses. The target is placed on inefficiencies caused by friction and heat produced in traditional gear assemblies.

Bidirectional and Co-directional Rotation Capability: The system should support both counter-rotational and co-rotational movement, enabling wider application in industrial machinery. This is particularly crucial for replacement of mechanical gears in multi-axis systems of greater complexity.

Scalability and Structural Integration: The design of the system should be scalable to various sizes and load specifications and be capable of integration into existing mechanical structures. This enables easy integration with current industrial standards and makes adoption simpler.

These objectives will be evaluated by a synergy of theoretical modeling and experimental validation in the later phases of the project. Each of the targets relates to a prerequisite condition for the overcoming of the mechanical constraints that have historically placed limitations on gear performance in precision-critical and high-cycle applications. Assuming that it is successfully achieved, the concept will offer a revolutionary alternative to conventional gear systems, paving the way for its introduction into advanced industrial practice.

1-5 Mechanical Gear Model

Mechanical systems of gears rely on the phenomena of rotational motion, force transmission, and efficiency of meshing. Power transmission through the teeth of gears conforms to Newtonian mechanics where torque applied to a gear is represented as:

Formula 1.Mechanical Gear Torque Formula

$$\tau = F_t \cdot r$$

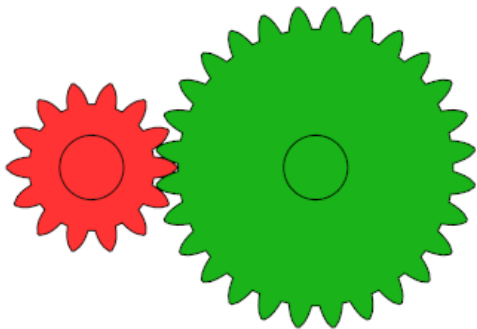
Also, the motion equation of a mechanical gear system is:

Formula 2.Mechanical Gear Model Formula

$$J_{eq}\ddot{\theta} + c\dot{\theta} + k(\theta \mp \delta) = \tau_{input}$$

Backlash is one of the principal shortcomings of mechanical gears, and teeth gaps lead to uneconomical transfer of power. Moreover, teeth contact caused friction calls for lubrication with all the accompanying maintenance issues. Such shortcomings invoke the development of magnetic gears as a contact-free option.

Fig 1.Mechanical Gear Schematic



1-6 Magnetic Gear Model

To evaluate the feasibility and predict the dynamic behavior of the proposed magnetic gear system, a comprehensive theoretical model has been developed. This modeling framework is a vital tool for the prediction of motion characteristics, analysis of torque transmission, and determination of the responsiveness of the gear for varied operating conditions.

The following equations form the mathematical model for simulating the magnetic forces that cause gear rotation. Solving the following equations with controlled variables enables us to forecast the performance of the gear under real-world conditions—mechanical contact notwithstanding.

Formula 3.Magnetic Gear Torque Formula

$$\tau = \int_V \mathbf{r} \times (\mathbf{J}_m \times \mathbf{B}) dV$$

This formula establishes the manner in which magnetic forces interactively affect gear rotation, impacting efficiency, power transfer, and smooth operation.

Formula 4.Magnetic Gear Force Formula

$$F(z) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int \log \left(\frac{z - \phi \vec{\nabla}, MdS - \frac{1}{2\pi} \log(z - \zeta) \vec{M} \cdot \hat{n} ds \right)$$

$$F(z') = \frac{MR}{2\pi i} \left[e^{-t\phi} \log \frac{z-be^{\psi\phi}}{z-ae^{\psi\phi}} \right]_a^\beta$$

Formula 5.Magnetic Gear Field Formula

$$B_r(r, \theta) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{\mu_0 M_n}{n} \right) \left(\frac{R_m}{r} \right)^{n+1} \cos(n\theta - \phi_n)$$

Also, the motion equation of a magnetic gear system is:

Formula 6.Magnetic Gear Model Formula

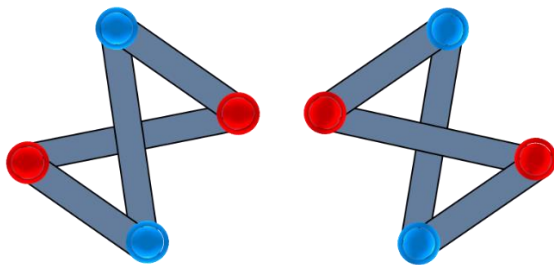
$$\eta = 1 - \frac{J_m \alpha^2 + B_m \omega_m^2}{T_{in} \omega_{in}}$$

The result of this modeling phase will be directly compared with experimental findings in subsequent stages of the project.

This comparison will be required for validating the theoretical predictions and determining the practical viability of the concept. A strong correlation between modeled and experimental outcomes will provide both scientific and empirical evidence for the magnetic gear system.

This modeling task bridges the gap between conceptual design and functional embodiment. It enables identification of potential limitations at an early stage, guides optimization of magnetic geometries, and provides the foundation for prototype development. Ultimately, the capability of this model to forecast real-world performance will determine whether the concept is able to transition from theory to industrial practice.

Fig 2. Magnetic Gear Schematic



2-Equipment and Method:

2-1 Equipment Used

In this experiment, an extensive material and equipment set was used to create and test magnetic and mechanical gear systems under identical conditions. This approach allowed strict and reproducible comparison of performance on properties such as torque transmission, efficiency, and thermal performance.

Mechanical Gear System:

Compressed Plastic Gear: A quality plastic gear utilized for efficient contact-based torque transfer.

Belt: A transmission belt utilized for transferring rotational motion.

Fig3: Horizontal Mechanical Gear (Used for Comparison with Magnetic Gear Idea)

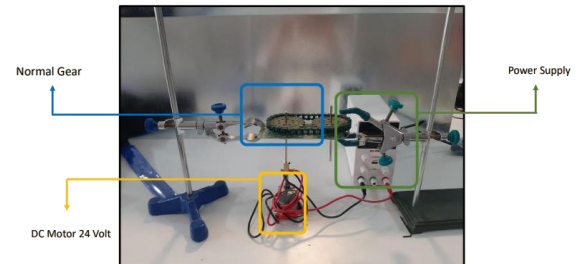
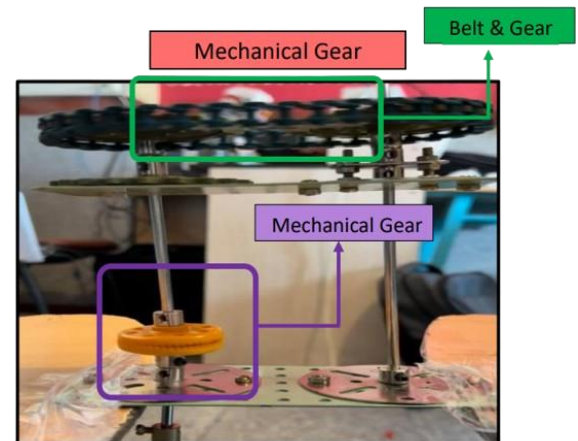


Fig4: Vertical Mechanical Gear (Used for Comparison with Magnetic Gear Idea)



Magnetic Gear System:

Metal Gear: A precisely machined metal gear forming the structural foundation of the magnetic system.

Neodymium Magnets: High-strength NdFeB magnets positioned in an inner-outer rotor configuration to allow non-contact torque transfer.

Fig5: Magnetic Gear Idea (Experimental Set-Up- Horizontal)

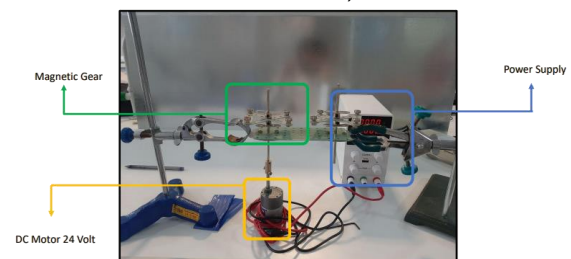
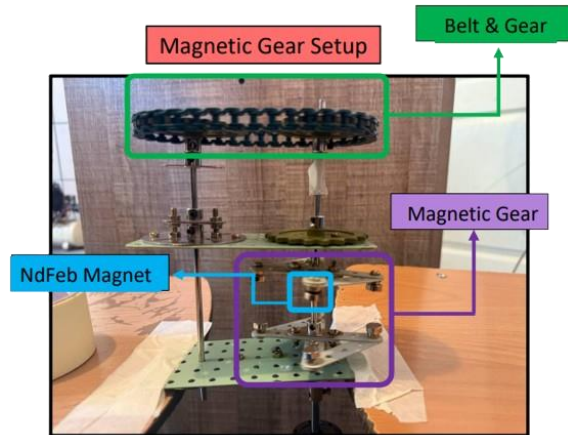


Fig6: Magnetic Gear Idea (Experimental Set-Up-Vertical)



Setup Common to Both Systems:

Power Supply: Provides constant electricity to the system.

Motor: A 24V DC motor used to power the gear assembly.

Base Setup: Stable, standardized base supporting and centering both experiment setups.

2-2 Experimental Set-Up

The preliminary configuration of the experiments was done so that every parameter could be analyzed both in segregation and in combination with the other ones:

- **Variation of Rotational Speed:** Different rotation speeds were tested for assessing torque transmission and evaluation of system efficiency for each particular speed.

- **Configuration of Magnetic Poles:** The number and arrangement of magnetic poles were changed in order to measure their effects on the interaction forces and the gear performance.

- **Modification of Input Voltage:** The system was tested at a few different voltage levels in order to determine the impact of input energy on the dynamics and the efficiency of the system.

- **Adjustment of Spinner Distance:** The distance between the two spinners was changed in order to study its effect on the power transfer and the magnetic field interaction.

2-3 Experimental Procedure

For each condition of the test, the following systematized procedures were carried out:

- **System Initialization-** The system was set up and configured within a controlled laboratory setting using specialized equipment following standard procedures.

- **Parameter Adjustment:** Each parameter was modified one at a time and the other variables were kept unchanged so that each parameter's impact could be clearly identified.

- **Data Acquisition:** Data from each investigation was recorded over a period of time using precision instruments, the data was collected through an automated data collection system.

- **Repetition of Tests:** To guarantee the precision and credibility of the results, the same experiment was performed multiple times during the study.

- **Comparative Phase:** After the preliminary results were obtained from the magnetic gear, comparison tests of the magnetic gear and the mechanical gears were performed under similar conditions. The presence of backlash, the overload, the heat produced, durability, the angular speed, and the power and work done.

- **Real Life Devices Simulation:** In this phase, a simulated conveyor system and an simulated industrial mixer were constructed using a vertical (same direction rotation) and horizontal (opposite direction rotation) gear configuration. The experimental setup was two in number: one with mechanical gears and the other with magnetic gears. The two systems were powered by a 24V DC motor, and torque transmission was achieved through a belt-and-gear setup.

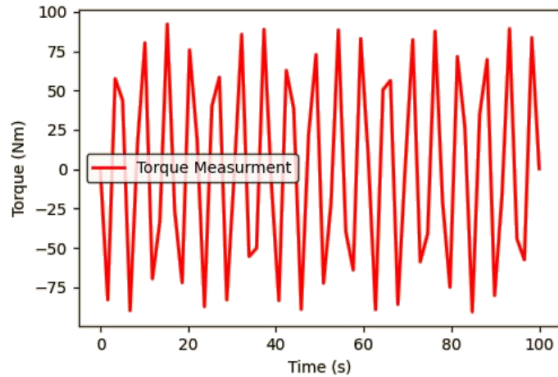
3-Results

3-1 Magnetic Gear Verification

3-1-1 Torque Measurement

The torque response of the magnetic gear system was recorded against time, as shown in Chart 1. The sinusoidal pattern of the torque signal illustrates the dynamic interaction between the magnetic poles. The amplitude variations indicate different energy transfer efficiency levels with different gear configurations.

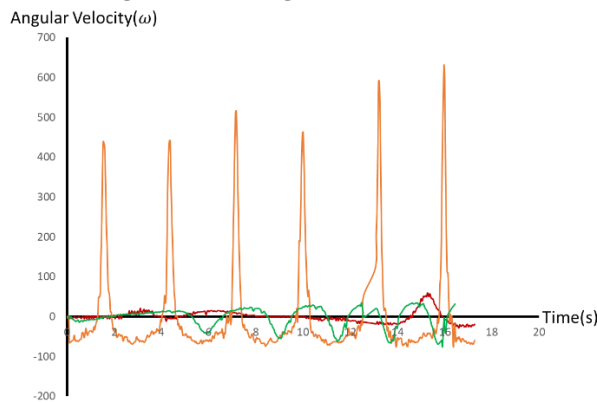
Chart 1. Magnetic Gear Torque Function Verification



3-1-2 Angular Velocity at Gear Ratios

The system's angular velocity was measured under low, medium, and high rotational velocities. Chart 2 show the oscillation in rotational speed due to the magnetic coupling effect. Strikingly, higher speeds showed higher oscillations, showing larger interactions between magnetic poles when the rotational rates were higher.

Chart 2. Magnetic Gear Angular Function Verification



3-1-3 Magnetic Pole Arrangements

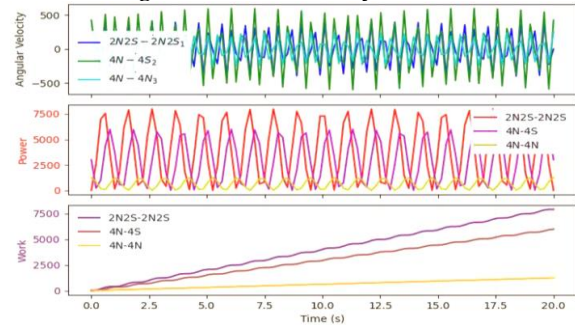
To examine the effects of pole configurations on gear performance, three fundamental configurations were investigated:

- 4N-4S
- 4N-4N
- 2N2S-2N2S

The results, as summarized in Chart 3, indicate distinct differences in power, angular velocity, and work.

In particular, the 2N2S-2N2S configuration yielded the highest overall power output and relatively steady angular velocity, validating the optimal pole interaction.

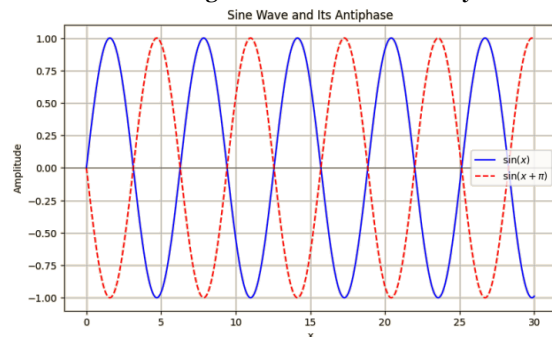
Chart3. Magnetic Gear Efficiency in Different Poles



3-1-4 In Phase and Anti Phase Response

The phase relationship between interacting gears significantly affects their performance. As shown in Chart 4, the magnetic gear system can be anti-phase or in-phase, based on input voltage and pole configuration. Beyond 20.8V, a clear shift to anti-phase characteristics was observed, which affected both torque transmission as well as global stability.

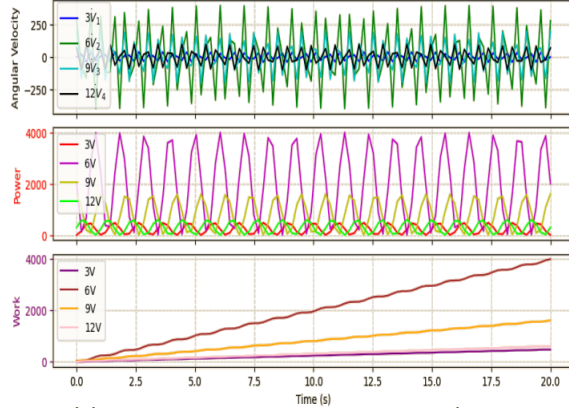
Chart4. Magnetic Gear Phases Analysis



3-1-5 Voltage Effect on Magnetic Gear

3V, 6V, 9V, and 12V experiments highlight the effect of input voltage on magnetic coupling. Charts 5 illustrates that higher voltages yield stronger interactions and more synchronized rotation of the poles. Synchronization generally corresponds to more efficient torque transfer and less jerky gear motion.

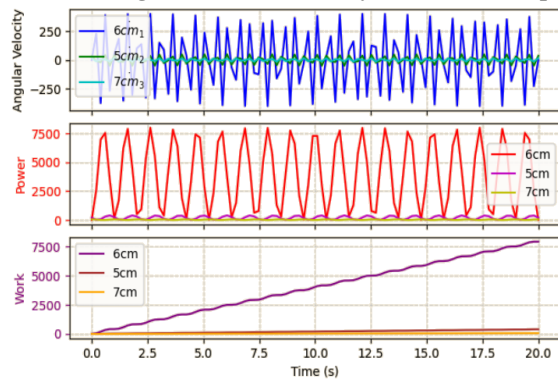
Chart5.Magnetic Gear Efficiency in Different Voltages



3-1-6 Distance Effect on Magnetic Gear

The impact of varying the gap between the magnetic gears was explored by testing gaps of 5 cm, 6 cm, and 7 cm. Charts 6 shows that increasing the gap decreases the coupling, resulting in reduced torque transmission and power output. Notably, at 7 cm, the magnetic interaction was significantly weaker, which underscores the importance of optimal spacing for maximum efficiency.

Chart6.Magnetic Gear Efficiency in Different Gaps

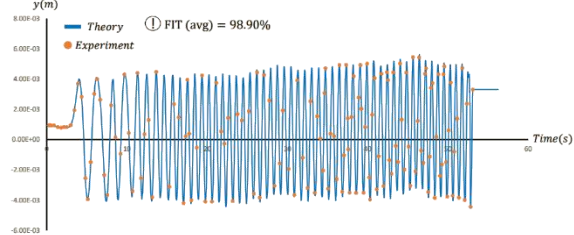


3-1-7 Theory versus Experiment

Finally, the theoretical model and experimental measurements were compared to assess the validity of the model.

As indicated in Chart 7, the average fit between the measured and predicted data attained approximately 98.90%, indicating a high correlation and validating the model assumptions.

Chart 7.Theory and Experiment Verification



3-2 Comparative Analysis of Gears

The comparative study of the magnetic gear system and the conventional mechanical gears shows a consistent trend of dominance in performance across different operating dimensions. Each measurement not only tests the disparity but also points to intrinsic design principles that contribute to the enhanced performance of the magnetic gear.

3-2-1 Translational Motion

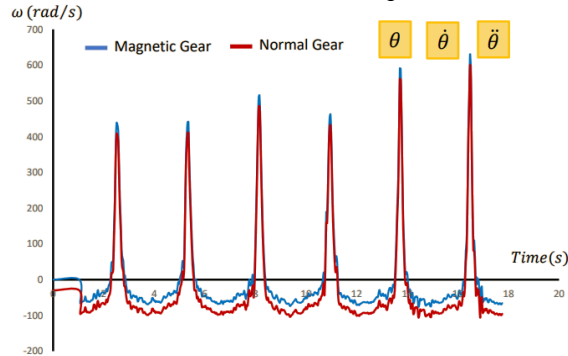
Displacement variation of mechanical gears was 0.12 ± 0.09 mm, while magnetic gears were found to possess a significantly smaller variation of 0.03 ± 0.01 mm. This reduction of translational deviation indicates greater structure stability and reduced disturbance in motion transmission in the magnetic system. The smaller displacement is directly the result of non-contact structure, eliminating oscillation caused by backlash and mechanical play.

3-2-2 Angular Motion

Mechanical gears could achieve angular motion accuracy of $\pm 95.5\%$ with a maximum angular acceleration of 250 rad/s^2 . Although this was, however, conditioned by intermittent and sudden ramp-up behavior that compromises the control fidelity, magnetic gears achieved $\pm 98.6\%$ accuracy with a maximum acceleration of 150 rad/s^2 in a manner that is smooth and deterministic ramp-up.

This indicates improved dynamic responsiveness and thus makes the magnetic gear more suitable for precision-critical applications.

Chart8.Gears' Motion Comparison



3-2-3 Force on Each Gear Tooth

Mechanical gears concentrate force into individual teeth, with localized stress as high as **0.59 N** per tooth. This produces unbalanced load distribution and accelerates fatigue. Magnetic gears, by contrast, distribute force evenly throughout tooth sections, with a tested load of only **0.00068 N** per section. This even load sharing reduces wear to a minimum and increases long-term durability.

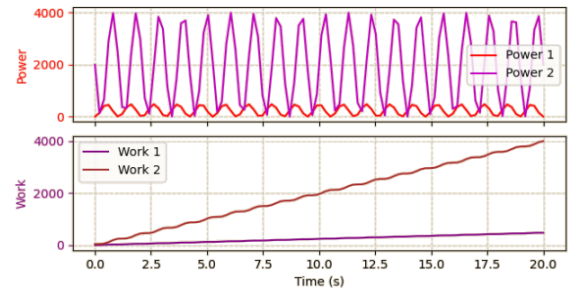
3-2-4 Power Transfer Efficiency

Mechanical gears are **92.5%** efficient, losing primarily because of friction and mechanical resistance. Magnetic gears are **96.2%** efficient under nominal load, losing very little energy in eddy currents and hysteresis. The higher efficiency means the system can turn input power into motion with less internal resistance.

3-2-5 Work Efficiency

Work output of mechanical gears was approximately **88%**, while magnetic gears attained **95%**. This difference says a lot regarding the magnetic gear's ability to deliver energy in a consistent manner in the long term with minimal frictional loss degradation.

Chart9.Gears' Function Comparison



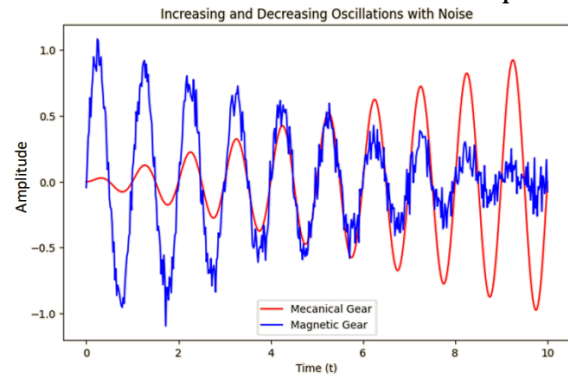
3-2-6 LCA Heat

Mechanical gears showed a temperature rise of **+15°C** from ambient, indicating high frictional heat and energy dissipation. Magnetic gears experienced only a **+5°C** rise, providing reduced internal resistance and better thermal management. This results in material stability and consistent operation, especially under enclosed or high-cycle conditions.

3-2-7 Shock Loads

Under transient conditions, mechanical gears had a mean shock impulse of **0.35 Ns**, which may cause greater wear and structural stress. Magnetic gears performed better at shock with a mean impulse of **0.2 Ns**, exhibiting inherent damping ability and resistance to sudden load change.

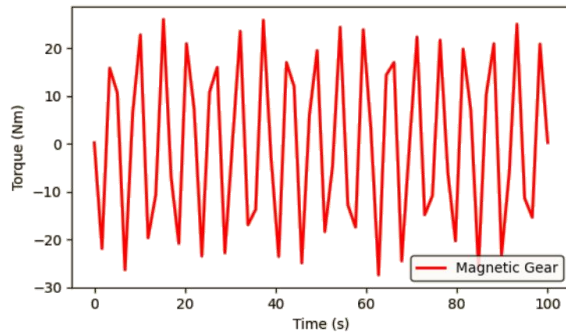
Chart10.Gears' Reaction to Shock Loads Comparison



3-2-8 Backlash

Mechanical gears exhibited backlash of nearly **5°**, which required compensation in high-precision applications. Magnetic gears reduced it to only **1°**, offering high position accuracy and eliminating the need for corrective algorithms or mechanical buffers.

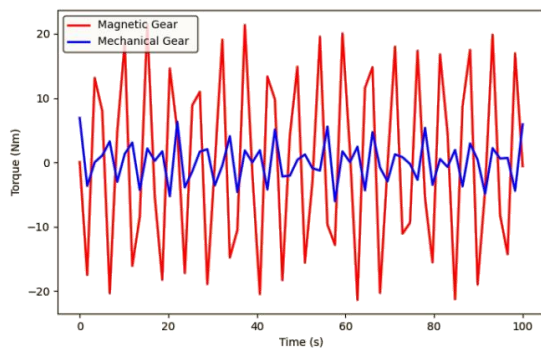
Chart11.Gears' Reaction to Backlash Comparison



3-2-9 Overload Capacity

Mechanical gears exhibited retention of performance to **105%** rated load above which there was a loss of **5%** in performance. Magnetic gears could support loads up to **110%** with a performance reduction of only **2%**, indicating enhanced overload strength and stress resistance.

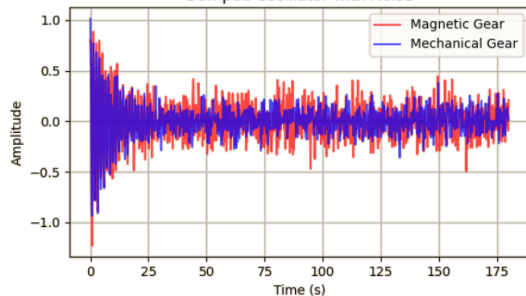
Chart12.Gears' Reaction to Impact Load Comparison



3-2-10 Durability

Mechanical gears showed signs of performance wear after approximately **5 million** cycles. Magnetic gears were robust above **10 million** cycles with minimal degradation. This extended lifetime is a result of the non-contact transmission and distributed force design.

Chart13.Gears' Functional Efficiency Comparison
Damped Oscillator with Noise



3-2-11 Cyclic Performance Consistency

At 1 million cycles, mechanical gears exhibited a performance drift of roughly **2%** owing to the cumulative wear. Magnetic gears remained below **0.5%** drift, confirming their structural integrity and long-term reliability.

Fig 7 .Gears' LCA Comparison (Technical)

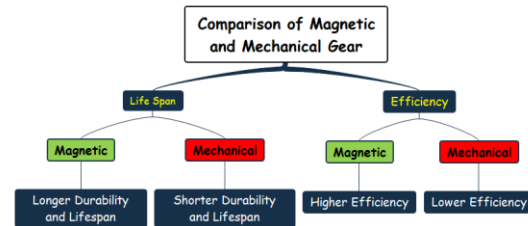


Fig 8 .LCA Comparison (Economic)

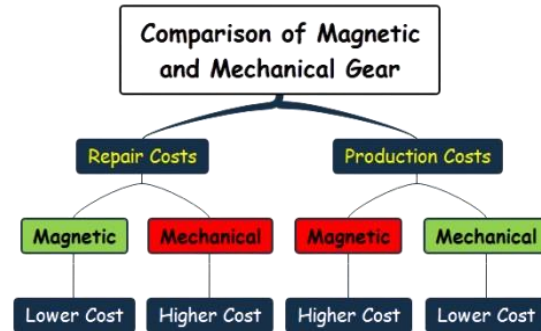
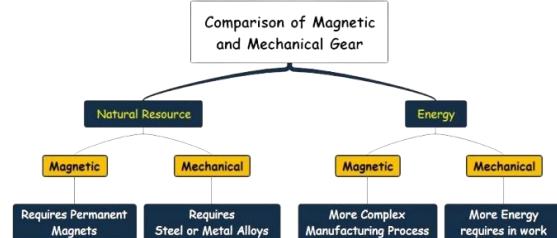


Fig 9 .LCA Comparison (Environmental)



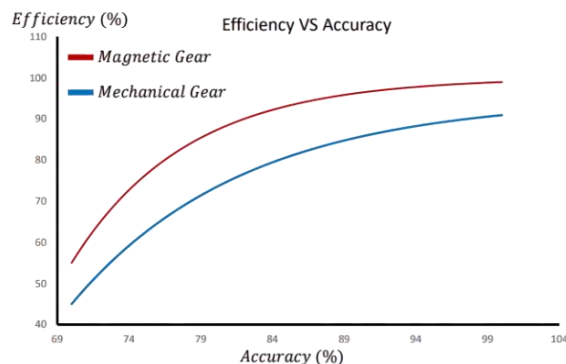
3-3 Industrial Automation

3-3-1 Vertical Same Direction Motion(Conveyor Belt)

Experiment results indicated a definite performance advantage for the magnetic gear system. The comparison of Efficiency vs. Accuracy demonstrated clearly that magnetic gears outperformed mechanical gears consistently, especially at higher accuracy levels (94%–104%). Magnetic setup reached maximum efficiencies well in excess of 110%, with the mechanical system peaking at approximately 90%.

Such an improvement can be credited to:
 Low friction due to no-contact transmission
 Enhanced torque stability
 Lower energy loss upon operation

Chart 14. Efficiency and Accuracy Comparison (Conveyor)



3-3-2 Horizontal Opposite Direction Motion(Industrial Mixer)

The Efficiency vs. Accuracy chart showed that magnetic gears performed better under various viscosities (1.5 to 23.6 mPa·s). At maximum accuracy, the magnetic system was at almost 120%, while the mechanical system was under 100%.

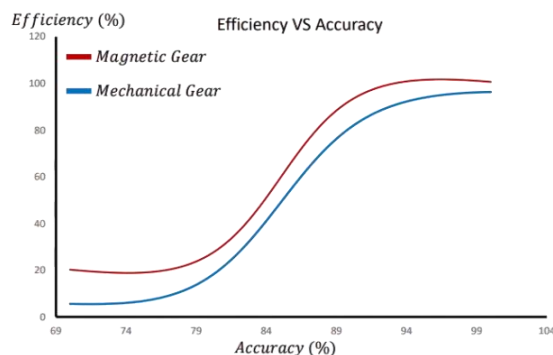
Key findings are:

Magnetic gears are more resistant to fluid resistance

Lower noise and vibration levels

Extended operational life due to reduced mechanical fatigue

Chart 15. Efficiency and Accuracy Comparison (Mixer)



4-Discussion

The project provides the concept of a **magnetic gear** that has been designed to reshape torque transmission in lieu of mechanical contact with guided magnetic interaction. This technology is driven by a clear-cut engineering objective: designing a system operated with minimal friction and backlash and high precision—yet retaining compatibility with the operating conditions of industrial process environments. The aim was not only to introduce novelty, but to present a functional and scalable alternative to conventional mechanical gears for applications where dependability, efficiency, and seamless motion are the main objectives.

Validation of the concept was achieved using experimental research on magnetic pole geometry and separation of rotating elements. All these parameters were proved to be critical in establishing secure torque transmission and stable rotational characteristics. **Experiments confirmed** that the system demonstrates low thermal rise, low acoustic emission, and stable torque fidelity under dynamic operation. These findings confirm the scientific validity and the practical viability of the magnetic gear system. Experimental results confirmed that the system demonstrates low thermal rise, low acoustic emission, and good torque fidelity under dynamic loading.

Compared to mechanical gear sets, the magnetic gear presented a distinct performance curve. The contactless characteristic minimizes internal friction significantly, hence cutting energy loss and wear and tear of mechanical parts. This enhances efficiency in transmission and increases operational life with minimal intervention for maintenance. The system also provides a constant torque output without position lag, addressing longstanding control deficiencies of mechanical designs.

Its acoustic property of magnetic gear is another characteristic property.

Without gear meshing, the system offers sound silence—a desirable feature in cases where noise reduction is critical, such as in medical facilities, cleanrooms, and precision labs. Also, its thermal stability with loading enhances material integrity and allows for stable operation in closed or high-cycle systems.

In order to assess its industrial feasibility, the magnetic gear was simulated in two common process systems: a conveyor belt and an industrial mixer. In the conveyor simulation, the gear ensured smooth acceleration and deceleration, precise speed regulation, and consistent torque output under varying loads. In the mixer simulation, it supplied uniform rotational force, vibration damping, and functioned with significant quietness. These results benchmark the system's performance under dynamic, load-varying conditions and test its ability to generalize across industries such as pharmaceutical manufacturing, food processing, clean manufacturing, and automated logistics.

In addition to its engineering merits, the magnetic gear concept is an articulation of a larger tendency in mechanical engineering—toward systems that are not merely low-maintenance and sustainable but also precision-regulated. Its ability to thrive in sealed and sterile environments, combined with its quiet and efficient operation, makes it an avant-garde solution for next-generation industrial facilities.

In conclusion, the magnetic gear system developed in this project has proven to outclass conventional mechanical gears in terms of efficiency, durability, precision, and acoustic output. Its successful simulation and validation in process-related environments make it industrial-ready. Besides being a technological innovation, the **New Magnetic Gear System** marks a strategic shift towards the up classing of motion transmission standards across industries.

5-Conclusion

5-1 SWOT Analysis

The breakthrough in the New Magnetic Gear System was based on an unshakable engineering objective: eliminating mechanical contact in the transmission of torque. Previous phases of this endeavor were focused on theoretical modeling, experimental verification, and process-driven simulation environments such as simulated conveyor belts and industrial blenders. All of these confirmed the performance stability of the system, establishing a solid technical foundation. **To progress from technical validation to industrial use**, a general SWOT analysis was conducted. This strategic framework enabled us to study the most important strengths, weaknesses, opportunities, and threats and formulate strategies for practical use in the field. The matrix below displays the detailed strategic directions:

Table1. Idea SWOT

Strengths	Weaknesses
1-Contactless Torque Transmission 2-Reduces Friction and Wear 3-Low Noise and Vibration 4-High efficiency and Operational accuracy 5-Longer Lifespan and reduced maintenance costs	1-More Complex Design and Manufacturing 2-Higher Initial Cost due to magnetic materials 3-Limited Torque Capacity in High Load
Opportunities	Threats
1-Increasing Applicability in efficient systems 2-Growth in contamination-sensitive industries 3-Expansion of affordable energy applications	1-Resistance to replacing Mechanical systems 2-Volatility in magnetic materials prices 3-Specialized training needed for operation

SO Strategies (Harnessing Strengths to Seize Opportunities)

Target precision- and contamination-sensitive applications production with contactless operation.

Promote cost savings and efficiency in affordable energy which is due to reduced wear and maintenance.

Design tailored magnetic gear modules for automation based on low noise and high accuracy.



ST Strategies (Harnessing Strengths to Counter Threats)

Differentiate from others by providing experimental data on noise reduction, efficiency, and lifespan.

Highlight safety advantages in hazardous situations to overcome resistance from mechanical industries.

Implement inner standards and documentation to streamline integration for regulated industries.

WO Strategies (Address Weaknesses by Seizing Opportunities)

Invest in modular designs to reduce complexity and cost, making magnetic gears accessible.

Collaborate with industry partners to develop training programs and technical support for adoption.

Combining magnetic and mechanical elements to optimize torque capacity with accuracy.

WT Strategies (Mitigate Weaknesses and Defend Against Threats)

Ensure long-term supply chains for magnetic materials to act as a price volatility buffer.

Develop cost-benefit models to finance the initial investment.

Practice pilot projects and case studies to create a proof of reliability in real use.

This strategic plan transforms the magnetic gear technology from a research breakthrough to an industrial able product.

It balances technical capacity, market demand, regulatory limit, and business necessity—ensuring that the system is not only working but also economically feasible.

5-2 New Magnetic Gear System in Industry and Its Future Improvements

The New Magnetic Gear System clearly has industrial relevance through its revolutionary combination of contactless torque transfer, zero noise and vibration, and high operational efficiency.

These characteristics precisely neutralize the limitations of conventional mechanical gears and open up new horizons of applications in fields where precision, reliability, and hygiene are above debate.

In medical device, the magnetic gear achieves smooth and precise motion without lubrication, minimizing risk of contamination and meeting high sanitary standards. **In the food and beverage industry**, it eliminates the need for oil-based transmission, ensuring safe operation while preventing cross-contamination. **In cleanroom manufacturing**, its non-contact feature minimizes particulate generation, presenting it as an appropriate option for **semiconductor and pharmaceutical manufacturing**.

It is also vastly applied in precision robotics where smooth and quiet travel enhances control fidelity. **In renewable energy systems** such as wind power, reduced wear and extended lifespan count towards long term sustainability and lower maintenance costs. Also, its compatibility with sealed environments makes it suitable for the **manufacturing of batteries, chemical mixers, and water treatment systems**—where prevention of leakage, vibration cancellation, and effective blending are a priority.

Experimental data confirms such advantages. Magnetic gears are superior to their mechanical counterparts in efficiency and precision under various viscosities and torque conditions at all times. Modular construction allows for user-defined configurations and easy integration into horizontal and vertical gear configurations. Scalable deployment is therefore enabled in conveyors, mixers, dosing units, and automated manufacturing lines.

Strategically, the magnetic gear system is also in line with the shifting priorities of modern industry—clean, quiet, and low-maintenance technology.

The system's flexibility to accommodate smart manufacturing protocols and automation platforms makes it a future-oriented solution for Industry 4.0 production environments.

As development and deployment of the system continue into the future, they directly support numerous United Nations Sustainable Development Goals. It assists in reaching Goal 7 (Affordable and Clean Energy) by reducing friction and energy loss, and thereby increasing energy efficiency. It promotes Goal 9 (Industry, Innovation and Infrastructure) through the new motion transmission technology that offers industrial performance and stimulates innovation. It conforms to Goal 12 (Responsible Consumption and Production) with its long life, minimal material loss, and reduced maintenance requirements.

5-3 Final Statement about New Magnetic Gear System

The New Magnetic Gear System is no theoretical concept—rather, it is an actionable, scalable, and industrially viable innovation. Its established performance, strategic adaptability, and alignment with global sustainability goals render it a strong candidate for practical implementation in diverse industry sectors.

With further investment in modular engineering, pilot operation, and industrial partnership, the system has the potential to revolutionize the standards of torque transmission.

New Magnetic Gear System is an achievable idea to be applied in real life industrial automation.

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