

Experimental Verification of 3-D Hysteresis Multi-Scroll Chaotic Attractors

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Abstract—This paper introduces a novel circuit design for experimental verification of 3-D hysteresis multi-scroll chaotic attractors. A block circuit diagram is shown for realizing 1-D 5 ~ 11-scroll, 2-D 3 × 5 ~ 11-grid scroll, and 3-D 3 × 3 × 5 ~ 11-grid scroll chaotic attractors by operating the switches. Moreover, this design provides a theoretical principle for hardware implementation of chaotic attractors in multi-directions with a large number of scrolls.

I. INTRODUCTION

Recently, generating multi-scroll chaotic attractors by using some simple electronic circuits has been a topic with increasing interest [1-15]. Yalcin *et al.* [2] proposed a step function method for creating one-directional (1-D) n -scroll, two-directional (2-D) $n \times m$ -grid scroll, and three-directional (3-D) $n \times m \times l$ -grid scroll chaotic attractors. Lately, Lü *et al.* [3-4] presented a switching manifold approach for generating chaotic attractors with multiple-merged basins of attraction. Hysteresis can also create chaos [5-12]. Some theoretical analysis and synthesis of hysteresis chaos generators are reported in [5-7], and recently Lü *et al.* [9] introduced a hysteresis series method for creating 1-D n -scroll, 2-D $n \times m$ -grid scroll, and 3-D $n \times m \times l$ -grid scroll attractors, with a rigorously mathematical proof for the chaotic behaviors.

All the aforementioned multi-scroll chaotic attractors can be easily realized by *numerical simulations*. Yet, it is much more difficult to realize multi-scroll chaotic attractors by a physical *electronic circuit*. Yalcin *et al.* [15] experimentally confirmed the 3- and 5-scroll chaotic attractors in a generalized Chua's circuit. Zhong *et al.* [14] also proposed a systematical circuit design for physically realizing up to as many as ten scrolls visible on the oscilloscope. Yalcin *et al.* [2] experimentally verified the maximum 2-D 3 × 3-grid scroll and 3-D 2 × 2 × 2-grid scroll chaotic attractors.

It is very difficult to physically realize a nonlinear resistor which has an appropriate characteristic with many segments [2,14]. Moreover, the realization of a nonlinear resistor with multi-segment is essential for hardware implementation of a chaotic attractor in multi-directions with a large number of scrolls. However, physical conditions always limit or even prohibit such circuit realization. A novel block circuit diagram

is designed in this paper for experimentally verifying the 3-D hysteresis multi-scroll chaotic attractors. It should be noted that it is the first time to report an experimental verification of 2-D 3 × 11-grid scroll and 3-D 3 × 3 × 11-grid scroll chaotic attractors.

The rest of this paper is organized as follows. In Section II, the hysteresis multi-scroll chaotic system is briefly introduced. A novel block circuit diagram is then described in Section III for experimental verification of the 3-D hysteresis multi-scroll attractors. Conclusions are finally given in Section IV.

II. HYSTERESIS MULTI-SCROLL CHAOTIC ATTRACTORS

Recently, Lü *et al.* [9] introduced a three-dimensional hysteresis multi-scroll chaotic system, which is described by

$$\dot{X} = AX + B\theta(X), \quad (1)$$

where $X = (x, y, z)^T$ is the state vector, $B = -A$, and

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ -a & -b & -c \end{pmatrix}.$$

There are three different cases to consider, as follows:

- (1) 1-D hysteresis n -scroll attractors:

$$\theta(X) = \begin{pmatrix} h(x, p_1, q_1) \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad (2)$$

where the hysteresis series function $h(x, p_1, q_1)$ is defined by

$$h(x, p_1, q_1) = \begin{cases} -p_1 & \text{if } x < -p_1 + 1 \\ i & \text{if } i - 1 < x < i + 1 \\ & \text{if } i = -p_1 + 1, \dots, q_1 - 1 \\ q_1 & \text{if } x > q_1 - 1. \end{cases} \quad (3)$$

- (2) 2-D hysteresis $n \times m$ -grid scroll attractors:

$$\theta(X) = \begin{pmatrix} h(x, p_1, q_1) \\ h(y, p_2, q_2) \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad (4)$$

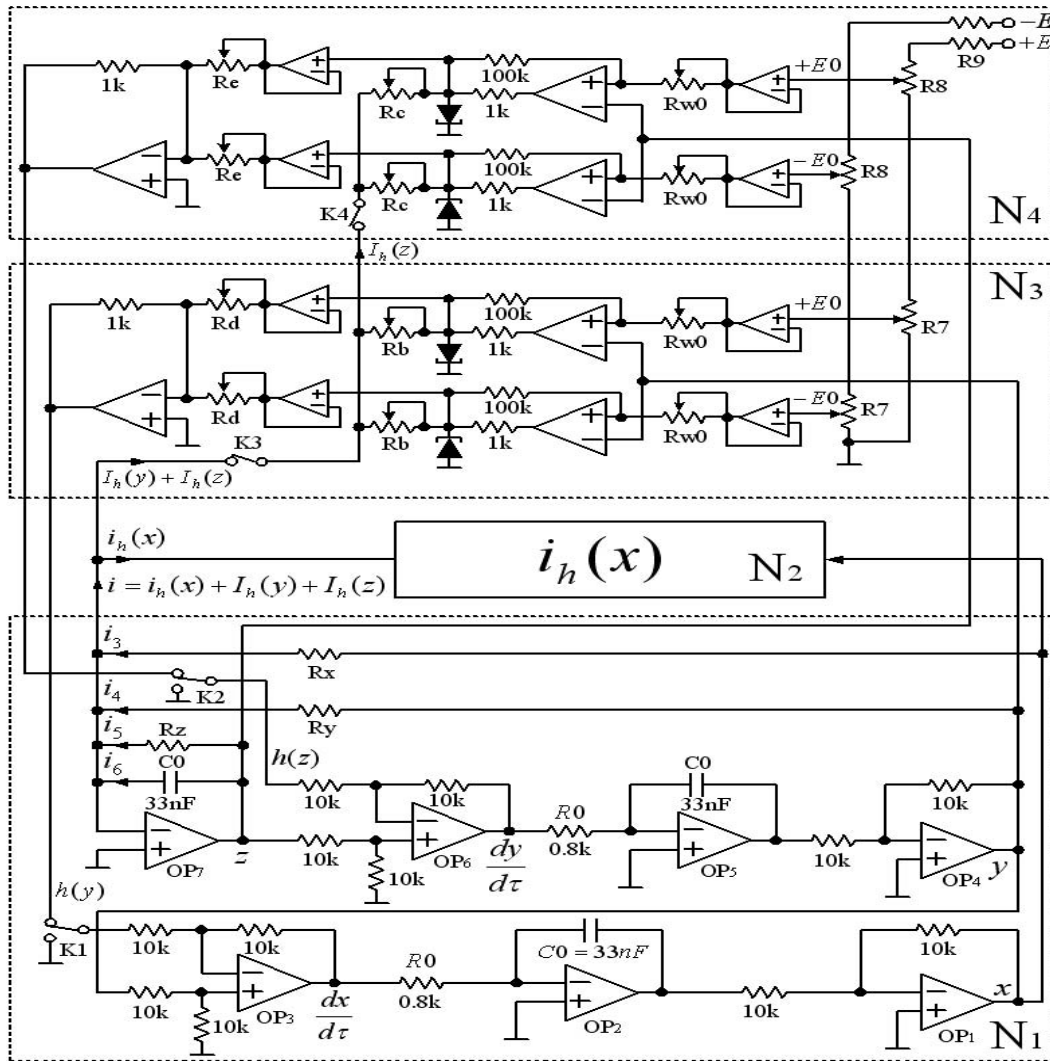


Fig. 1. Circuit diagram for 3-D hysteresis multi-scroll chaotic attractors.

where the hysteresis series functions $h(x, p_1, q_1)$ and $h(y, p_2, q_2)$ are defined by (3).

- (3) 3-D hysteresis $n \times m \times l$ -grid scroll attractors:

$$\theta(X) = \begin{pmatrix} h(x, p_1, q_1) \\ h(y, p_2, q_2) \\ h(z, p_3, q_3) \end{pmatrix}, \quad (5)$$

where the hysteresis series functions $h(x, p_1, q_1)$, $h(y, p_2, q_2)$, and $h(z, p_3, q_3)$ are defined by (3).

System (1) with (2) can generate a 1-D $(p_1 + q_1 + 1)$ -scroll chaotic attractor for some suitable parameters a, b, c ; system (1) with (4) can create a 2-D $(p_1 + q_1 + 1) \times (p_2 + q_2 + 1)$ -grid scroll chaotic attractor for some suitable parameters a, b, c ; system (1) with (5) can generate a 3-D $(p_1 + q_1 + 1) \times (p_2 + q_2 + 1) \times (p_3 + q_3 + 1)$ -grid scroll chaotic attractor for some suitable parameters a, b, c . Moreover, Lü *et al.* [9] constructed a two-dimensional Poincaré return map to verify the chaotic behaviors of the generated hysteresis multi-scroll attractors via a rigorous *theoretical approach*.

However, experimental observations are still lacking. For this purpose, a novel circuit diagram is designed below, to generate the hysteresis multi-scroll chaotic attractors by means of a physical *electronic circuit*.

III. EXPERIMENTAL VERIFICATION OF HYSTERESIS MULTI-SCROLL ATTRACTORS

Figure 1 shows the circuit diagram for the hysteresis multi-scroll attractors. Figure 2 shows the circuit diagram of the hysteresis generator.

Table 1

On-off of switches $K1 \sim K4$ and the number of directions for the multi-scroll attractors.

$K1$	$K2$	$K3$	$K4$	Number of directions
off	off	off	off	1
on	off	on	off	2
on	on	on	on	3

As in Table 1, when the switches $K1, K2, K3, K4$ are switched off, Fig. 1 can generate the 1-D 5 ~ 11-scroll

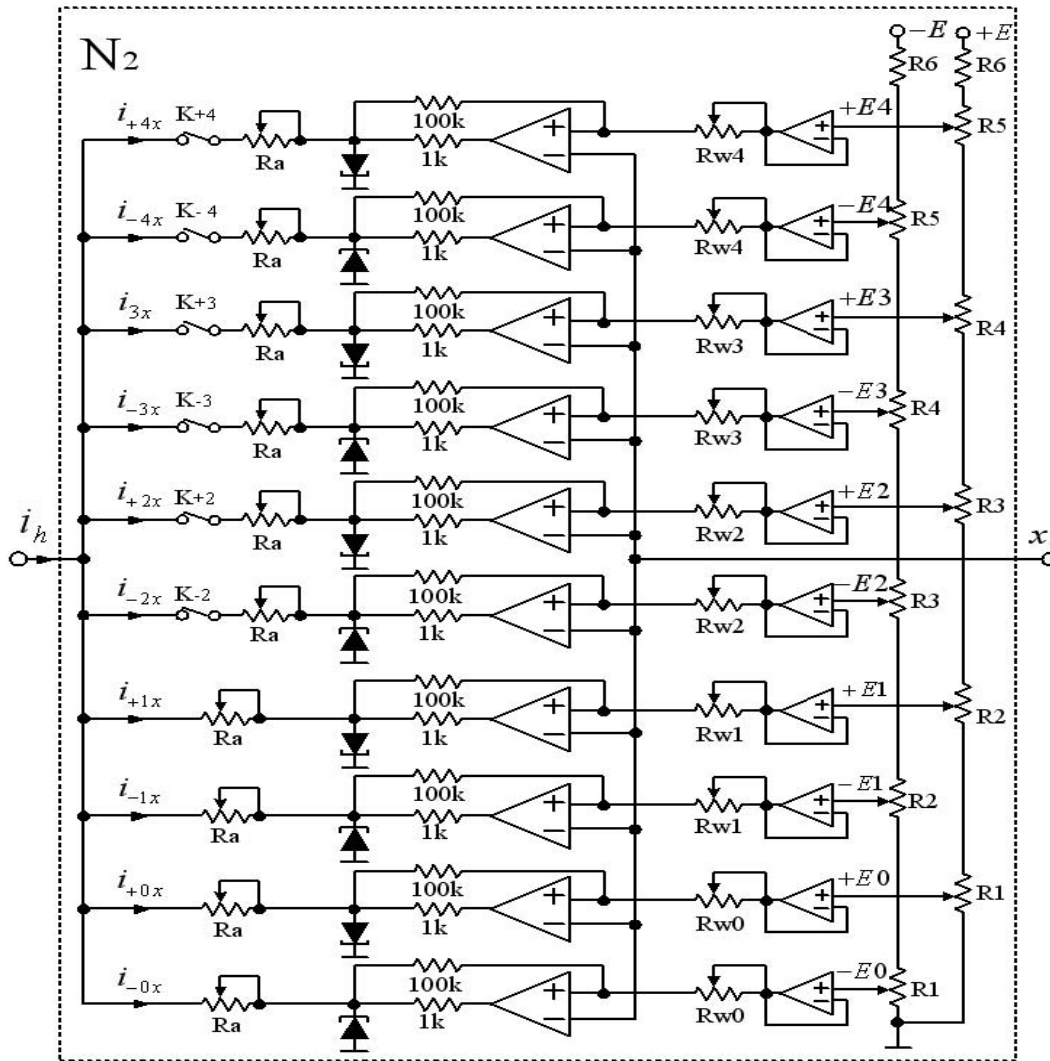


Fig. 2. Circuit diagram of hysteresis series generator.

chaotic attractors by switching the switches $K_{\pm n}$ ($n = 2, 3, 4$) in Fig. 2 based on Table 2; when the switches $K1, K3$ are switched on and the switches $K2, K4$ are switched off, Fig. 1 can create the 2-D $3 \times 5 \sim 11$ -grid scroll chaotic attractors by switching the switches $K_{\pm n}$ ($n = 2, 3, 4$) in Fig. 2 based on Table 2; when the switches $K1, K2, K3, K4$ are switched on, Fig. 1 can generate the 3-D $3 \times 3 \times 5 \sim 11$ -grid scroll chaotic attractors by switching the switches $K_{\pm n}$ ($n = 2, 3, 4$) shown in Fig. 2, based on Table 2.

Figure 3 shows the experimental observations of the 1-D 11-scroll and 2-D 3×11 -grid scroll chaotic attractors. Figure 4 shows experimental observations of a 3-D $3 \times 3 \times 11$ -grid scroll chaotic attractor.

Remarks:

(1) Notice that the real measurement values of E_n ($0 \leq n \leq 4$) in the circuit experiment may have a small departure from the theoretically calculated values, due to the discreteness of the real circuit parameters and the measurement errors. The differences can be corrected via a small adjustment of

the resistors $R_{w0} \sim R_{w4}$ and $R_1 \sim R_9$ in the circuit implementation.

Table 2

On-off of switches $K_{\pm n}$ ($n = 2, 3, 4$) and the number of scrolls N .

K_{+2}	K_{-2}	K_{+3}	K_{-3}	K_{+4}	K_{-4}	N
off	off	off	off	off	off	5
on	off	off	off	off	off	6
on	on	off	off	off	off	7
on	on	on	off	off	off	8
on	on	on	on	off	off	9
on	on	on	on	on	off	10
on	on	on	on	on	on	11

(2) Based on Tables 1 and 2, we can arbitrarily control the switches K_i ($1 \leq i \leq 4$) shown in Fig. 1 and the switches $K_{\pm n}$ ($n = 2, 3, 4$) shown in Fig. 2, to arbitrarily design various 1-D n -scroll, 2-D $n \times m$ -grid scroll, and 3-D $n \times m \times l$ -grid scroll chaotic attractors.

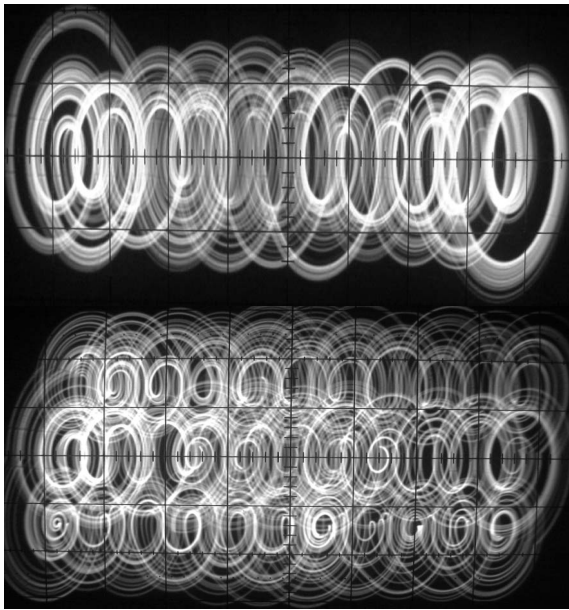


Fig. 3. Experimental observations of hysteresis multi-scroll attractors in the $x - y$ plane. From up to down: (a) 1-D 11-scroll, where $x = 1.3V/div$, $y = 0.75V/div$; (b) 2-D 3×11 -grid scroll, where $x = 1.44V/div$, $y = 0.8V/div$.

IV. CONCLUSIONS

This paper has reported a design of a novel block circuit diagram for hardware implementation of 1-D $5 \sim 11$ -scroll, 2-D $3 \times 5 \sim 11$ -grid scroll, and 3-D $3 \times 3 \times 5 \sim 11$ -grid scroll chaotic attractors by different switchings. This design idea provides a theoretical principle for physical realization of a chaotic attractor in multi-directions with a large number of scrolls. It should be pointed out that this is the first time to report the experimental verification of 2-D 3×11 -grid scroll and 3-D $3 \times 3 \times 11$ -grid scroll chaotic attractors. Moreover, the hardware implementation of reliable nonlinear circuits for generating various complex chaotic signals provides a basis for future applications of chaos-based information systems.

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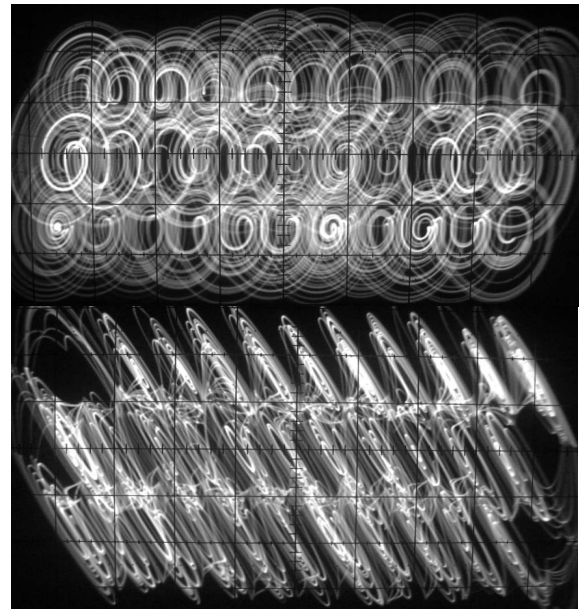


Fig. 4. Experimental observations of 3-D $3 \times 3 \times 11$ -grid scroll attractors. From up to down: (a) $x - y$ plane, where $x = 1.44V/div$, $y = 0.8V/div$; (b) $x - z$ plane, where $x = 1.44V/div$, $z = 0.8V/div$.

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