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Abstract: In the evolving landscape of vibration analysis, the integration of machine learning technologies for semi-automated analytical processes presents challenges in establishing clear cause-and-effect relationships in decision-making formulas. This research addresses this gap by exploring analytical diagnosis through residual signals, enabling the identification of anomalies and underperformance in machinery. Vibration signature analysis, focusing on distinctive vibration patterns, proves instrumental in detecting bearing defects and optimizing maintenance for enhanced operational efficiency and safety. Mathematical modeling, particularly worst-case analysis, provides a structured framework for decision-making under uncertainty. The research employs descriptive methods to analyze bearing wear data, transforming it into quantitative data for multiple regression equations. The derived equations reveal the dominance of harmonics in determining bearing wear stages, with PeakVue and overall vibration further indicating damage progression. The findings emphasize the significance of harmonic detection and high-frequency vibration analysis in predicting bearing health, offering a comprehensive approach to enhance machinery reliability. The study concludes with practical recommendations for bearing damage diagnosis based on the developed mathematical models, providing valuable insights for predictive maintenance strategies.

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1. Introduction

Evolving landscape of vibration analysis, machine learning technologies are gaining traction for their potential to enable semi-automated analytical processes (Ghazali et al, 2021). However, a critical examination reveals a significant challenge: the foundational formulas guiding decision-making often lack a clear cause-and-effect relationship, deviating from empirical realities observed in field conditions (Fischhoff et al, 2020). For example, while machine learning algorithms may generate predictions about impending machinery failures, the absence of a definitive cause-effect linkage undermines the interpretive and predictive robustness of such models (Leukel et al, 2021). This gap between algorithmic outputs and empirical data not only compromises the reliability of analysis outcomes but also highlights the imperative for developing causally grounded mathematical frameworks in the domain of vibration analysis (Hosni et al, 2020).

Analytical diagnosis relies on inconsistencies between actual process behavior and its expected behavior, exhibited in signals called residuals (Kinnaert, 2003). These discrepancies manifest as residual signals, which capture the deviations from expected patterns (Pierce et al, 1986). By analyzing these residuals, analysts can pinpoint areas where the system may be underperforming or exhibiting anomalies (Hashemi et al, 2019). This method offers a quantitative approach to diagnostics, allowing for objective evaluations of bearing wear (Cui et al, 2016). Understanding these inconsistencies is crucial for predictive maintenance and enhancing system reliability (Wang et al,

2020). Thus, analytical diagnosis serves as a pivotal tool in ensuring operational efficiency and reliability (Su, 2010).

Vibration signature analysis effectively detects and locates even small bearing defects, improving maintenance and safety in rotating machines (Azeez et al, 2014). This method capitalizes on the unique vibration patterns emitted by machines, which are indicative of specific fault types (Saxena et al, 2016). By detecting these subtle signatures, technicians can preemptively address issues before they escalate, thereby prolonging the lifespan of the equipment (McFadden et al, 2000). Additionally, the early identification of defects contributes significantly to bolstering safety measures, minimizing the risk of catastrophic failures (Plante et al, 2015). In essence, vibration signature analysis plays a pivotal role in optimizing both operational efficiency and equipment longevity (Dai et al, 2008).

Mathematical modeling is crucial for decision-making under severe uncertainty, with worst-case analysis being particularly important (Sniedovich, 2007). It offers a structured framework to evaluate various scenarios and outcomes, aiding stakeholders in making informed choices amidst ambiguity (Badiru et al, 2013). Within this realm, worst-case analysis emerges as a critical component, emphasizing the examination of scenarios with the most adverse implications. By focusing on worst-case scenarios, decision-makers can develop strategies that are resilient to extreme conditions, thereby mitigating potential risks (Beyerer et al, 2016). In essence, mathematical modeling, complemented by worst-case analysis, enhances the robustness and reliability of decision-making under conditions of severe uncertainty.

2. Materials and Methods

Descriptive research focuses on describing a phenomenon and its characteristics, often using observation and survey tools, and is often analyzed quantitatively to determine relationships (Nassaji, 2015). The bearing wear descriptive data in this study is sourced from secondary data obtained from the Vibration Analysis Training Course (Mobius, 2016). The descriptive data on bearing wear includes Ball Pass Frequency Inner race (BPFI), Ball Pass Frequency Outer race (BPFO), Ball Spin Frequency (BSF), Fundamental Train Frequency (FTF), and Rotating Looseness (RL).

Table 1. This is a table of rolling element bearing defect frequency (Mobius, 2016).

Bearing Defect Frequencies	Spectrum Pattern Data		
	Harmonic	Position 1 st Peak	Sideband
Ball Pass Frequency Inner Race (BPFI)	Yes	Non-Synchronous	1xTS*
Ball Pass Frequency Outer Race (BPFO)	Yes	Non-Synchronous	-
Ball Spin Frequency (BSF)	Yes	Non-Synchronous	FTF (0.3xTS – 0.5xTS)
Fundamental Train Frequency (FTF)	Yes	Sub-Synchronous	-
Rotating Looseness (RL)	Yes	1xTS*	-

* TS = Turning Speed.

Bearing defect frequencies is a critical parameter for monitoring bearing health and performance (El-Thalji et al, 2015). BPFI, or Ball Pass Frequency Inner race, is the frequency at which the rolling elements in a bearing pass over the inner race (Cole et al, 2002). BPFO stands for Ball Pass Frequency Outer race. It refers to the frequency at which the balls or rolling elements in a bearing pass over the outer race of the bearing assembly (Hou et al, 2019). Ball Spin Frequency (BSF) is the frequency at which the rolling elements in a bearing rotate around their own axis.

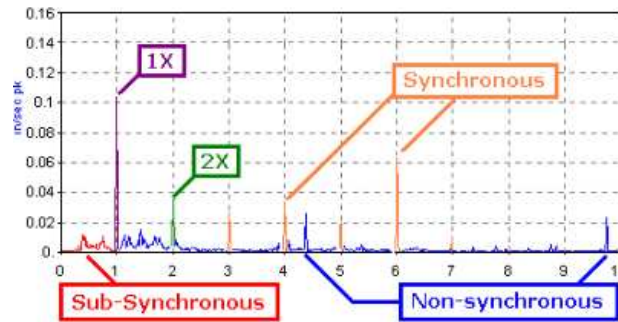


Figure 1. Spectral energy can be categorized into one of three groups (Mobius, 2016).

In the realm of vibration analysis, understanding the distinctions between sub-synchronous, synchronous, and non-synchronous harmonics in spectrum readings is pivotal for accurate diagnostics (Fong et al, 2020). Sub-synchronous harmonics occur at frequencies below the fundamental, often linked to mechanical issues like (FTF) Fundamental Train Frequency (Mobius, 2016). Synchronous harmonics align precisely with the running speed of the machine and are typically associated with (RL) Rotating Looseness (Mobius, 2016). On the other hand, non-synchronous harmonics are indicative of issues unrelated to machine running speed, encompassing BPFI, BPFO, BSF (Mobius, 2016). This nuanced understanding of harmonic types enhances the diagnostic precision of vibration analysis, enabling practitioners to decipher distinct machinery issues accurately (Veselovska et al, 2020). Anomalies signal is potential issues bearing wear (Jin et al, 2016). Monitoring allows for early detection of defects, enabling timely interventions to prevent catastrophic failures (Machado et al, 2015). Understanding and analyzing bearing defect frequencies is essential for effective predictive maintenance strategies (Ali et al, 2015).

This descriptive bearing wear vibration data will be modeled into quantitative data to describe a phenomenon and its characteristics, so that it can explain a relationship pattern. After that the data is converted into a multiple regression equation. Multiple linear regression is a method used to quantify the relationship between predictor variables and the dependent variable in a statistical study (Hawkins, 2004).

$$Y = \beta_0 + \beta_1 x_1 + \beta_2 x_2 \dots + \beta_p x_p \quad (1)$$

Explanation:

- Y = predicted or expected value of the dependent variable
- $x_1 - x_p$ = distinct independent or predictor variables
- β_0 = value of Y when all of the independent variables (X_1 through X_p) are equal to zero
- $\beta_1 - \beta_p$ = estimated regression coefficients

If used in descriptive for bearing wear data.

- Y_1 = BPFI
- Y_2 = BPFO
- Y_3 = BSF
- Y_4 = FTF
- Y_5 = RL
- Y = Bearing Wear
- x_1 = Harmonic
- x_2 = Position 1st peak (Sub-synchronous)
- x_3 = Position 1st peak (Non-synchronous)
- x_4 = Position 1st peak (1xTurning Speed)
- x_5 = Sideband Spacing Frequency (1xTurning Speed)
- x_6 = Sideband Spacing Frequency FTF (0.3xTS - 0.5xTS)
- $\beta_1 = 1$ = Yes
- $\beta_0 = 0$ = No

Ball Pass Frequency Inner Race (BPFI)

$$\begin{aligned} Y_1 &= \beta_1 x_1 + \beta_o x_2 + \beta_1 x_3 + \beta_o x_4 + \beta_1 x_5 + \beta_o x_6 \\ Y_1 &= 1.x_1 + 0.x_2 + 1.x_3 + 0.x_4 + 1.x_5 + 0.x_6 \\ Y_1 &= x_1 + x_3 + x_5 \end{aligned} \quad (1)$$

Ball Pass Frequency Outer Race (BPFO)

$$\begin{aligned} Y_2 &= \beta_1 x_1 + \beta_o x_2 + \beta_1 x_3 + \beta_o x_4 + \beta_o x_5 + \beta_o x_6 \\ Y_2 &= 1.x_1 + 0.x_2 + 1.x_3 + 0.x_4 + 0.x_5 + 0.x_6 \\ Y_2 &= x_1 + x_3 \end{aligned} \quad (2)$$

Ball Spin Frequency (BSF)

$$\begin{aligned} Y_3 &= \beta_1 x_1 + \beta_o x_2 + \beta_1 x_3 + \beta_o x_4 + \beta_o x_5 + \beta_1 x_6 \\ Y_3 &= 1.x_1 + 0.x_2 + 1.x_3 + 0.x_4 + 0.x_5 + 1.x_6 \\ Y_3 &= x_1 + x_3 + x_6 \end{aligned} \quad (3)$$

Fundamental Train Frequency (FTF)

$$\begin{aligned} Y_4 &= \beta_1 x_1 + \beta_1 x_2 + \beta_o x_3 + \beta_o x_4 + \beta_o x_5 + \beta_o x_6 \\ Y_4 &= 1.x_1 + 1.x_2 + 0.x_3 + 0.x_4 + 0.x_5 + 0.x_6 \\ Y_4 &= x_1 + x_2 \end{aligned} \quad (4)$$

Rotating Looseness (RL)

$$\begin{aligned} Y_5 &= \beta_1 x_1 + \beta_o x_2 + \beta_o x_3 + \beta_1 x_4 + \beta_o x_5 + \beta_o x_6 \\ Y_5 &= 1.x_1 + 0.x_2 + 0.x_3 + 1.x_4 + 0.x_5 + 0.x_6 \\ Y_5 &= x_1 + x_4 \end{aligned} \quad (5)$$

The onset of bearing wear hinges on specific conditions within the vibration spectrum, particularly concerning Rolling Element Bearing Frequency Defects (REFD). According to established literature, when an REFD emerges, it must coincide with a harmonic condition—whether sub-synchronous, synchronous, or non-synchronous—to signify impending bearing wear (Jain et al, 2021). Notably, the appearance of side bands alongside these harmonics remains variable; they may manifest or remain absent without negating the diagnostic significance of the primary harmonic detection (Yang et al, 2020). For instance, the detection of a synchronous harmonic in the presence of an REFD could signal an early stage of bearing wear, even in the absence of accompanying side bands. This nuanced understanding underscores the multifaceted nature of vibration analysis in predicting bearing health, necessitating a comprehensive evaluation of harmonic conditions and their associated phenomena (Alves et al, 2021).

Bearing Wear

$$\begin{aligned} Y &= Y_1 + Y_2 + Y_3 + Y_4 + Y_5 \\ Y &= (x_1 + x_3 + x_5) + (x_1 + x_3) + (x_1 + x_3 + x_6) + (x_1 + x_2) + (x_1 + x_4) \\ Y &= 5x_1 + x_2 + 3x_3 + x_4 + x_5 + x_6 \end{aligned} \quad (6)$$

From this multiple regression formula will show the relationship pattern and forms the basis for decision making regarding bearing life stages, by grouping them into stages one, two, three, or four (Mobius, 2016).

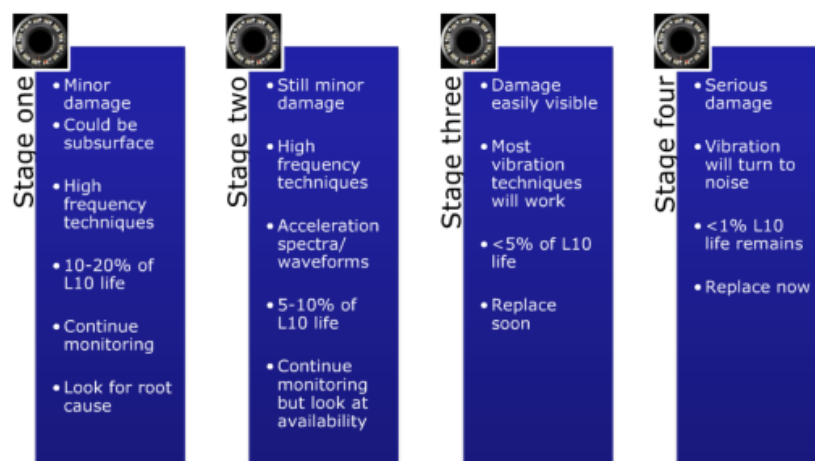


Figure 2. Four stages of bearing lifetime (Mobius, 2016).

Stage one represents the initial phase in the bearing's lifetime condition, detectable solely at ultra-high frequencies through the employment of ultrasound-based PdM technology (Lu et al, 2009). It exhibits subtle symptoms, characterized by normal noise and normal temperature (Baruffaldi et al, 2020). Ultrasound measurements indicate an increased spike in energy, yet overall vibration values remain normal (Pribil et al, 2019). Recommendations suggest that the equipment can still operate normally, with a remaining lifetime of 10% to 20% of the L10 or 1 to 2 years (Mobius, 2016). So it can be said that when the bearing is still in stage one, potential failure has not yet occurred.

Stage two represents stress wave or subsurface damage in intermediate phase in the bearing's lifetime condition, detectable at ultra-high frequencies and now accessible through PdM technologies such as ultrasound and high-frequency vibration analysis, including enveloping or PeakVue (Darlow et al, 1976). Characterized by a slight increase in noise levels and normal temperatures, this stage is marked by a sharp rise in spike energy during ultrasound measurements. While overall vibration (RMS) values slight rise, the PeakVue values exhibit an increase (Degrande et al, 2004). Recommendations at this point suggest initiating plans for bearing replacement, with a remaining lifetime of 5% to 10% of the L10 or 6 months to 1 year (Mobius, 2016). So it can be said that when the bearing is stage two, potential failure already occurred.



Figure 3. Stress wave or sub surface damage (Bruce et al, 2018).

Stage three signifies an advanced phase in the bearing's lifetime condition, detectable at low frequencies through vibration analysis, commonly known as spectrum velocity (Nistane et al, 2016). This stage is marked by an audible increase in noise levels, a slight rise in temperature, and a notable increase in overall vibration (RMS) values. Frequencies associated with the bearing, such as FTF, BPFI, BPFO, and BSF, become clearly evident in the spectrum velocity, where harmonics and sidebands are prominently visible (Isranuri et al, 2020). Recommendations at this stage suggest the need for bearing replacement, with a remaining lifetime $< 5\%$ of the L10 or < 6 months (Mobius, 2016).

Stage four signifies the final phase in the bearing's lifetime condition, where bearing frequencies are detected in a random broadband manner through vibration analysis (Nistane et al, 2016).

Characterized by a distinct increase in noise levels with a highly varied rhythm, there is a drastic rise in temperature. The overall vibration (RMS) values sometimes increase and other times decrease, the latter due to the formation of new ball bearing grooves inside the bearing. Frequencies associated with the bearing, such as FTF, BPFI, BPFO, and BSF, are clearly visible in the spectrum velocity, with harmonics and sidebands prominently evident. Recommendations at this critical stage emphasize the immediate need for bearing replacement, with a remaining lifetime $<1\%$ of the L10 or <1 month (Mobius, 2016).

If used in descriptive for bearing lifetime data.

- Z_1 = Stage One. Detected using ultrasound technology.
- Z_2 = Stage Two. Detected using Vibration technology.
- Z_3 = Stage Three. Detected using Vibration technology.
- Z_4 = Stage Four. Detected using Vibration technology.
- Z = Bearing Lifetime
- α_1 = Bearing Ultrasonic Frequency (without harmonic spectrum or only noise floor). Detected using Ultrasound technology.
- α_2 = Appear Harmonic spectrum Bearing Natural Frequency / stress wave / subsurface damage. Detected using Vibration technology.
- α_3 = Defect Harmonic spectrum Bearing Natural Frequency. Detected using Vibration technology.
- α_4 = Random Broadband Harmonic spectrum Bearing Natural Frequency. Detected using Vibration technology.
- γ_1 = low in noise sound. Detected using human hearing.
- γ_2 = normal in noise sound. Detected using human hearing.
- γ_3 = slight rise in noise sound. Detected using human hearing.
- γ_4 = drastic in noise sound. Detected using human hearing.
- μ_1 = low in noise sound. Detected using ultrasound technology.
- μ_2 = normal in noise sound. Detected using ultrasound technology.
- μ_3 = slight rise in noise sound. Detected using ultrasound technology.
- μ_4 = drastic with harmonic spectrum in noise sound. Detected using ultrasound technology.
- δ_1 = low in temperature. Detected using IR Thermography technology.
- δ_2 = normal in temperature. Detected using IR Thermography technology.
- δ_3 = slight rise in temperature. Detected using IR Thermography technology.
- δ_4 = drastic rise in temperature. Detected using IR Thermography technology.
- ε_1 = low in high frequency vibration (peakvue). Detected using Vibration technology.
- ε_2 = normal in high frequency vibration (peakvue). Detected using Vibration technology.
- ε_3 = slight rise in harmonic spectrum high frequency vibration (peakvue). Detected using Vibration technology.
- ε_4 = drastic rise in harmonic spectrum high frequency vibration (peakvue). Detected using Vibration technology.
- η_1 = low in overall vibration. Detected using Vibration technology.
- η_2 = normal in overall vibration. Detected using Vibration technology.
- η_3 = slight rise in harmonic spectrum overall vibration. Detected using Vibration technology.
- η_4 = drastic rise in harmonic spectrum overall vibration. Detected using Vibration technology.
- $\beta_1 = 1$ = Yes
- $\beta_0 = 0$ = No

Bearing Stage One (remaining lifetime 1 – 2 years)

$$\begin{aligned}
Z_1 &= \beta_1 \alpha_1 + x_1 \beta_2 \alpha_2 + x_1 \beta_3 \alpha_3 + x_1 \beta_4 \alpha_4 + \beta_1 \gamma_1 + \beta_1 \gamma_2 + \beta_1 \gamma_3 + \beta_1 \gamma_4 + \beta_1 \mu_1 + \beta_1 \mu_2 + \beta_1 \mu_3 + x_1 \beta_4 \mu_4 + \beta_1 \delta_1 + \beta_1 \delta_2 + \beta_1 \delta_3 + \beta_1 \delta_4 + \beta_1 \varepsilon_1 + \beta_1 \varepsilon_2 + \\
& x_1 \beta_3 \varepsilon_3 + x_1 \beta_4 \varepsilon_4 + \beta_1 \eta_1 + \beta_1 \eta_2 + x_1 \beta_3 \eta_3 + x_1 \beta_4 \eta_4 \\
Z_1 &= \beta_1 \alpha_1 + \beta_1 \gamma_2 + \beta_1 \mu_3 + \beta_1 \delta_2 + \beta_1 \varepsilon_2 + \beta_1 \eta_2 \\
Z_1 &= 1. \alpha_1 + 1. \gamma_2 + 1. \mu_3 + 1. \delta_2 + 1. \varepsilon_2 + 1. \eta_2 \\
Z_1 &= \alpha_1 + \gamma_2 + \mu_3 + \delta_2 + \varepsilon_2 + \eta_2
\end{aligned}
\tag{6}$$

Bearing Stage Two (remaining lifetime 6 months - 1 years)

$$\begin{aligned}
Z_2 &= \beta_1 \alpha_1 + x_1 \beta_1 \alpha_2 + x_1 \beta_2 \alpha_3 + x_1 \beta_3 \alpha_4 + \beta_1 \gamma_1 + \beta_1 \gamma_2 + \beta_1 \gamma_3 + \beta_1 \gamma_4 + \beta_1 \mu_1 + \beta_1 \mu_2 + \beta_1 \mu_3 + x_1 \beta_1 \mu_4 + \beta_1 \delta_1 + \beta_1 \delta_2 + \beta_1 \delta_3 + \beta_1 \delta_4 \\
& + \beta_1 \varepsilon_1 + \beta_1 \varepsilon_2 + x_1 \beta_1 \varepsilon_3 + x_1 \beta_1 \varepsilon_4 + \beta_1 \eta_1 + \beta_1 \eta_2 + x_1 \beta_1 \eta_3 + x_1 \beta_1 \eta_4 \\
Z_2 &= x_1 \beta_1 \alpha_2 + \beta_1 \gamma_2 + x_1 \beta_1 \mu_4 + \beta_1 \delta_2 + x_1 \beta_1 \varepsilon_3 + x_1 \beta_1 \eta_3 \\
Z_2 &= x_1.1. \alpha_2 + 1. \gamma_2 + x_1.1. \mu_4 + 1. \delta_2 + x_1.1. \varepsilon_3 + x_1.1. \eta_3 \\
Z_2 &= x_1 (\alpha_2 + \mu_4 + \varepsilon_3 + \eta_3) + \gamma_2 + \delta_2
\end{aligned}
\tag{7}$$

Bearing Stage Three (remaining lifetime < 6 months)

$$\begin{aligned}
Z_3 &= \beta_1 \alpha_1 + x_1 \beta_1 \alpha_2 + x_1 \beta_1 \alpha_3 + x_1 \beta_1 \alpha_4 + \beta_1 \gamma_1 + \beta_1 \gamma_2 + \beta_1 \gamma_3 + \beta_1 \gamma_4 + \beta_1 \mu_1 + \beta_1 \mu_2 + \beta_1 \mu_3 + x_1 \beta_1 \mu_4 + \beta_1 \delta_1 + \beta_1 \delta_2 + \beta_1 \delta_3 + \beta_1 \delta_4 \\
& + \beta_1 \varepsilon_1 + \beta_1 \varepsilon_2 + x_1 \beta_1 \varepsilon_3 + x_1 \beta_1 \varepsilon_4 + \beta_1 \eta_1 + \beta_1 \eta_2 + x_1 \beta_1 \eta_3 + x_1 \beta_1 \eta_4 \\
Z_3 &= x_1 \beta_1 \alpha_3 + \beta_1 \gamma_3 + x_1 \beta_1 \mu_4 + \beta_1 \delta_3 + x_1 \beta_1 \varepsilon_4 + x_1 \beta_1 \eta_4 \\
Z_3 &= x_1.1. \alpha_3 + 1. \gamma_3 + x_1.1. \mu_4 + 1. \delta_3 + x_1.1. \varepsilon_4 + x_1.1. \eta_4 \\
Z_3 &= x_1 (\alpha_3 + \mu_4 + \varepsilon_4 + \eta_4) + \gamma_3 + \delta_3
\end{aligned}
\tag{8}$$

Bearing Stage Four (remaining lifetime < 1 month)

$$\begin{aligned}
Z_4 &= \beta_1 \alpha_1 + x_1 \beta_1 \alpha_2 + x_1 \beta_1 \alpha_3 + x_1 \beta_1 \alpha_4 + \beta_1 \gamma_1 + \beta_1 \gamma_2 + \beta_1 \gamma_3 + \beta_1 \gamma_4 + \beta_1 \mu_1 + \beta_1 \mu_2 + \beta_1 \mu_3 + x_1 \beta_1 \mu_4 + \beta_1 \delta_1 + \beta_1 \delta_2 + \beta_1 \delta_3 + \beta_1 \delta_4 \\
& + \beta_1 \varepsilon_1 + \beta_1 \varepsilon_2 + x_1 \beta_1 \varepsilon_3 + x_1 \beta_1 \varepsilon_4 + \beta_1 \eta_1 + \beta_1 \eta_2 + x_1 \beta_1 \eta_3 + x_1 \beta_1 \eta_4 \\
Z_4 &= x_1 \beta_1 \alpha_4 + \beta_1 \gamma_4 + x_1 \beta_1 \mu_3 + \beta_1 \delta_4 + x_1 \beta_1 \varepsilon_3 + x_1 \beta_1 \eta_3 + x_1 \beta_1 \eta_4 \\
Z_4 &= x_1.1. \alpha_4 + 1. \gamma_4 + x_1.1. \mu_3 + 1. \delta_4 + x_1.1. \varepsilon_3 + x_1.1. \eta_3 + x_1.1. \eta_4 \\
Z_4 &= x_1 (\alpha_4 + \mu_3 + \varepsilon_3 + \eta_3 + \eta_4) + \gamma_4 + \delta_4
\end{aligned}
\tag{9}$$

Assuming that the observations on the bearing only use vibration monitoring technology and bearing lifetime stage one is normal condition, then.

- $Z_1 = 0$
- $\alpha_1 = 0$
- $\gamma_1, \gamma_2, \gamma_3, \gamma_4 = 0$
- $\mu_1, \mu_2, \mu_3, \mu_4 = 0$
- $\delta_1, \delta_2, \delta_3, \delta_4 = 0$

Bearing Lifetime

$$\begin{aligned}
Z &= Z_1 + Z_2 + Z_3 + Z_4 \\
Z &= 0 + (x_1 (\alpha_2 + \mu_4 + \varepsilon_3 + \eta_3) + \gamma_2 + \delta_2) + (x_1 (\alpha_3 + \mu_4 + \varepsilon_4 + \eta_4) + \gamma_3 + \delta_3) + (x_1 (\alpha_4 + \mu_3 + \varepsilon_3 + \eta_3 + \eta_4) + \gamma_4 + \delta_4) \\
Z &= x_1 (\alpha_2 + 0 + \varepsilon_3 + \eta_3) + 0 + 0 + (x_1 (\alpha_3 + 0 + \varepsilon_4 + \eta_4) + 0 + 0) + (x_1 (\alpha_4 + 0 + \varepsilon_3 + \eta_3 + \eta_4) + 0 + 0) \\
Z &= x_1 (\alpha_2 + \alpha_3 + \alpha_4 + 2\varepsilon_3 + \varepsilon_4 + 2\eta_3 + 2\eta_4)
\end{aligned}
\tag{10}$$

3. Results

The outcomes derived from multiple regression mathematical models offer pivotal insights into bearing wear conditions (Campbell, 2014).

$$Y = 5x_1 + x_2 + 3x_3 + x_4 + x_5 + x_6 \tag{11}$$

Notably, empirical findings underscore that a coefficient value of 5 consistently correlates with the presence of harmonics, serving as a reliable indicator of potential bearing degradation. Additionally, a coefficient value of 3 emerges as significant, highlighting the appearance of non-synchronous

harmonics as the next dominant factor in bearing health assessment. For example, if a vibration analysis yields a coefficient of 5 for harmonics and 3 for non-synchronous components, it suggests a heightened risk of bearing wear, warranting immediate attention. This quantitative approach enhances the diagnostic accuracy of vibration analysis, emphasizing the critical role of regression modeling in prognosticating machinery health.

The outcomes derived from multiple regression mathematical models offer pivotal insights into bearing lifetime stage.

$$Z=x_1(\alpha_2+\alpha_3+\alpha_4+2\varepsilon_3+\varepsilon_4+2\eta_3+2\eta_4) \quad (12)$$

From the mathematical model utilizing multiple regressions above, it is evident that in determining the remaining lifetime of the bearing from stages 2 to 4, the dominant factor is the harmonic denoted by X_1 . It is observed that all variables for validation need to be multiplied by X_1 (harmonic) first, indicating that the first sign of bearing damage is the emergence of harmonics in the vibration spectrum. Following this, there is a slight rise in PeakVue represented by ε_3 , signifying that PeakVue (high-frequency vibration) also plays a significant role in determining the bearing's level of damage for the first time. Furthermore, there is a slight rise in overall vibration denoted by η_3 and a drastic rise in overall vibration represented by η_4 , both serving as evidence that higher vibration values correlate with increased bearing damage or a diminishing remaining lifetime, indicating the bearing has progressed to stages 3 and 4.

4. Conclusions

The conclusion of the research process using Quantitative Descriptive Decision-Making using Mathematical Models for Bearing Wear Lifetime Stage Diagnosis in Vibration Analysis can be concluded that :

- If a bearing is already damaged, the first step is to examine the presence of harmonic patterns, followed by substantiating and determining the nature of these patterns, whether they are sub-synchronous, synchronous, or non-synchronous.
- Bearing has entered the initial stage of bearing damage or the bearing is at stage 2 is the appearance of an increase in peakvue or high frequency vibration.
- The more damaged a bearing is, the overall vibration value will increase, indicating that the bearing is at stage 3 and stage 4.

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