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**Calculators may be used.**

This question paper consists of 5 pages and a 5-page formula sheet.



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- INSTRUCTIONS AND INFORMATION**
1. Answer ALL the questions.
  2. Read ALL the questions carefully.
  3. Number the answers correctly according to the numbering system used in this question paper.
  4. Start each question on a NEW page.
  5. Keep subsections of questions together.
  6. ROUND OFF ALL calculations to THREE decimal places.
  7. Use the correct symbols and units.
  8. Write neatly and legibly.

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TIME: 3 HOURS  
MARKS: 100  
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**QUESTION 1**

- 1.1 Explain, with the aid of a neat diagram, the operation of a Ward-Leonard control system, controlling the speed and direction of a large DC shunt motor. (7)
- 1.2 When running on no-load, a 220 V DC shunt motor draws a line current of 5 A and runs at 1 000 r/min. The armature and shunt field resistances are 0,5 ohms and 110 ohms respectively. The motor draws a line current of 45 A when running on full-load.

Calculate the following:

- 1.2.1 The full-load motor output (11)  
1.2.2 The full-load efficiency (2)  
[20]

**QUESTION 2**

- 2.1 The three line currents of an unbalanced, four-wire, three-phase, star-connected load is:

$$I_R = 12,7 \angle 0^\circ \text{ A}$$
$$I_Y = 35,93 \angle -165^\circ \text{ A}$$
$$I_B = 20,88 \angle 201^\circ \text{ A}$$

The line voltage is 440 V. Take  $V_{RN}$  as phasor reference and R-Y-B as phase rotation.

Calculate the load impedances  $Z_{RN}$ ,  $Z_{YN}$  and  $Z_{BN}$ . (7)

- 2.2 The current flowing in a circuit is represented by:

$i = 5 \sin \omega t + 0,5 \sin 3 \omega t$  amperes and the voltage by:

$$v = 200 \sin (\omega t + \frac{\pi}{6}) + 20 \sin (3 \omega t + \frac{\pi}{3}) \text{ volts.}$$

Calculate the following:

- 2.2.1 The total power supplied (3)  
2.2.2 The RMS value of the voltage and current (4)  
2.2.3 The power factor (2)  
[16]

**QUESTION 3**

3.1 Explain, with the aid of a neat diagram, how an open-circuit test is carried out on a single-phase transformer. (5)

3.2 A 125 kVA, 2 000/400 V, single-phase transformer has a primary resistance of 0,17 ohms and a secondary resistance of 0,0083 ohms. The iron loss is 1,3 kW.

Calculate the following:

3.2.1 The equivalent resistance referred to the secondary (2)

3.2.2 The full-load efficiency at 0,8 power factor lagging (4)

3.2.3 The maximum efficiency at 0,8 power factor lagging (3)

3.2.4 The percentage voltage regulation at full-load and at unity power factor (2)

HINT:  $R_{E2} = R_2 + R_1 \left( \frac{V_2}{V_1} \right)^2$

[16]

**QUESTION 4**

4.1 Define *regulation of an alternator*. (3)

4.2 A 12 MVA, 11 000 V, 50 Hz, three-phase, star-connected alternator is driven at 300 r/min. There are 360 slots in the stator containing SIX conductors per slot. The coil pitch is  $\frac{5}{6}$  of the pole pitch and the open-circuit EMF is 11 000 V.

Calculate the flux per pole if the form factor is 1,2. (12)  
[15]

**QUESTION 5**

5.1 Explain, with the aid of phasor diagrams, how a synchronous motor can be made to have a leading power factor. (6)

5.2 A 700 kVA, 2 200 V, three-phase, star-connected synchronous motor is fully loaded and takes 550 kW at a leading power factor. The machine has a percentage impedance of  $(5 + j50)$  percent.

Calculate the following:  
5.2.1 The power factor (1)  
5.2.2 The resistive and reactive volt drops (3)

- |       |                                         |      |
|-------|-----------------------------------------|------|
| 5.2.3 | The EMF to which the machine is excited | (4)  |
| 5.2.4 | The load angle in electrical degrees    | (1)  |
|       |                                         | [15] |

**QUESTION 6**

A 415 V, 6-pole, 50 Hz, three-phase induction motor has a rotor resistance of 0,15 ohms per phase and a rotor reactance of 0,7 ohms per phase at standstill. The rotor is star-connected and at standstill the EMF between slip-rings is 238 V.

Calculate the following:

- |     |                                                                   |      |
|-----|-------------------------------------------------------------------|------|
| 6.1 | The gross torque at a full-load slip of 5%                        | (8)  |
| 6.2 | The full-load output if the friction and windage losses are 500 W | (2)  |
|     |                                                                   | [10] |

**QUESTION 7**

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|-----|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|
| 7.1 | What are the effects of a low power factor?                                                                                                                                                                                                         | (2) |
| 7.2 | The voltage supply to a consumer is 400 V, 50 Hz, three-phase. The consumer has a lighting load of 2 kW at unity power factor and a 30 kW induction motor operating at a power factor of 0,8 lagging. The efficiency of the induction motor is 85%. |     |

Calculate the following:

- |       |                              |     |
|-------|------------------------------|-----|
| 7.2.1 | The total kVA of the load    | (5) |
| 7.2.2 | The power factor of the load | (1) |
|       |                              | [8] |

**TOTAL: 100**

## ELECTROTECHNICS N6

GS-MASJIENE

DC MACHINES

$$E = V - I_a R_a$$

$$\frac{E_1}{E_2} = \frac{N_1 \Phi_1}{N_2 \Phi_2}$$

$$\frac{T_1}{T_2} = \frac{I_1 \Phi_1}{I_2 \Phi_2}$$

SPOEDBEHEER

$$E = V - I_a \left( \frac{R R_{se}}{R + R_{se}} + R_a \right)$$

$$E = V - I_a R_a - I_{se} R_{se}$$

SPEED CONTROL

TOETSING  
DIREKTE METODE

$$\eta = \frac{2\pi N_r (W - S)}{60 IV}$$

TESTING  
DIRECT METHODSWINBURNE-  
METODE

$$\eta_{motor} = \frac{IV - (I_a^2 R_a + I_{a_o} V + I_s V)}{IV}$$

SWINBURNE  
METHOD

$$\eta_{generator} = \frac{IV}{IV + I_a^2 R_a + I_{a_o} V + I_s V}$$

HOPKINSON-  
RENDEMENTE  
DIESELFDE

$$\eta = \sqrt{\frac{I_1}{I_1 + I_2}}$$

HOPKINSON  
EFFICIENCIES  
THE SAMEYSTER-  
VERLIES

$$= I_2 V - \{(I_1 + I_3)^2 R_a + (I_1 + I_2 - I_4)^2 R_a + (I_3 + I_4) V\}$$

$$= C$$

IRON LOSS

$$\eta_{generator} = \frac{I_1 V}{I_1 V + (I_1 + I_3)^2 R_a + I_3 V + \frac{C}{2}}$$

$$\eta_{motor} = \frac{(I_1 + I_2) V - \{(I_1 + I_2 - I_4)^2 R_a + I_4 V + \frac{C}{2}\}}{(I_1 + I_2) V}$$

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**WS-BELASTING  
STERSTELSELS**

$$\bar{I}_R = \frac{V \phi^{\circ}}{Z_{RN} \underline{\phi_1}}$$

$$\bar{I}_Y = \frac{V | -120^{\circ}}{Z_{YN} \underline{\phi_2}}$$

$$\bar{I}_B = \frac{V | 120^{\circ}}{Z_{BN} \underline{\phi_3}}$$

$$\bar{I}_N = \bar{I}_R + \bar{I}_B + \bar{I}_Y$$

**GEBALANSEERDE KRING**

$$\bar{I}_n = 0$$

**BALANCED CIRCUIT**

**DELTA-STELSELS**

$$\bar{I}_{RY} = \frac{\bar{V}_{RY}}{Z_{RY}} \quad \bar{I}_R = \bar{I}_{RY} - \bar{I}_{BR}$$

$$\bar{I}_{YB} = \frac{\bar{V}_{YB}}{Z_{YB}} \quad \bar{I}_Y = \bar{I}_{YB} - \bar{I}_{RY}$$

$$\bar{I}_{BR} = \frac{\bar{V}_{BR}}{Z_{BR}} \quad \bar{I}_B = \bar{I}_{BR} - \bar{I}_{YB}$$

**DELTA-SYSTEMS**

**DRIEDRAAD-  
STELSELS**

$$V_{sn} = \frac{\bar{V}_{an}}{\underline{\bar{Z}_1}} + \frac{\bar{V}_{bn}}{\underline{\bar{Z}_2}} + \frac{\bar{V}_{cn}}{\underline{\bar{Z}_3}}$$
$$\frac{1}{\underline{\bar{Z}_1}} + \frac{1}{\underline{\bar{Z}_2}} + \frac{1}{\underline{\bar{Z}_3}}$$

**THREE-WIRE  
SYSTEMS**

$$\bar{V}_{aN} = \bar{V}_{aS} + \bar{V}_{sN}$$

$$\bar{V}_{bN} = \bar{V}_{bS} + \bar{V}_{sN}$$

$$\bar{V}_{cN} = \bar{V}_{cS} + \bar{V}_{sN}$$

$$\bar{I}_a = \frac{\bar{V}_{aS}}{\underline{\bar{Z}_1}}$$

$$\bar{I}_b = \frac{\bar{V}_{bS}}{\underline{\bar{Z}_2}}$$

$$\bar{I}_c = \frac{\bar{V}_{cS}}{\underline{\bar{Z}_3}}$$

**KOMPLEKSE GOLFVORMS**

$$e_1 = E_m \sin \omega t$$

**COMPLEX WAVE FORMS**

$$e_2 = K_2 E_m \sin 2 \omega t$$

$$e_3 = K_3 E_m \sin 3 \omega t$$

$$e = E_m (\sin \omega t + k_2 \sin 2 \omega t + k_3 \sin 3 \omega t)$$

$$P = \frac{E_m^2 1 + E_m^2 2 + E_m^2 3 + \dots + E_m^2 N}{2R}$$

$$P = (I_m^2 1 + I_m^2 2 + I_m^2 3 + \dots + I_m^2 N) R$$

$$I = \sqrt{\frac{I_m^2 1 + I_m^2 2 + \dots + I_m^2 N}{2}}$$

$$E = \sqrt{\frac{E_m^2 1 + E_m^2 2 + \dots + E_m^2 N}{2}}$$

$$\cos \phi = \frac{I^2 R}{E I} = \frac{R}{E I}$$

**TRANSFORMATORS**

$$\eta = \frac{S \cos \phi}{S \cos \phi + P_o + P_{sc}}$$

Enige waarde van belasting by  $k$  van volgas

**TRANSFORMERS**

Any value of load at  $k$  of full-load

$$\eta = \frac{k S \cos \phi}{k S \cos \phi + P_o + k^2 P_{sc}}$$

**MAKSIMUM RENDEMENT**

$$K = \sqrt{\frac{P_o}{P_{sc}}}$$

**MAXIMUM EFFICIENCY**

$$\eta = \frac{k S \cos \phi}{k S \cos \phi + P_o + k^2 P_{sc}}$$

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**FORMULES**

$$\% R = \frac{I \text{ Re}}{V}$$

$$\% X = \frac{I \text{ Xe}}{V}$$

$$\% Z_e = \% R_e + j \% X_e$$

$$V_{SC} = I Z_e$$

$$P_{SC} = I^2 R_e$$

$$\text{Cos } \phi_e = \frac{P_{SC}}{I_1 V_{SC}}$$

$$Reg = \frac{V_{SC} \text{ Cos}(\phi_e \pm \phi_2)}{V}$$

$$Reg = \frac{I Z \text{ Cos}(\phi_e \pm \phi_2)}{V}$$

$$Reg = \frac{I (\text{Re Cos } \phi_2 \pm X_e \text{ Sin } \phi_2)}{V}$$

**WS-MASJIENE  
ALTERNATORS**

$$n = \frac{f}{p}$$

$$Kd = \frac{\text{Sin} \frac{n\alpha}{2}}{n \text{ Sin} \frac{\alpha}{2}}$$

$$Kp = \text{Cos} \frac{\psi}{2}$$

$$E = 2 Kf Kd Kp f \Phi Z$$

$$E = \sqrt{(V \text{ Cos } \phi + IR)^2 + (V \text{ Sin } \phi \pm IX)^2}$$

$$E = V + IR \text{ Cos } \phi \pm IX \text{ Sin } \phi$$

$$\bar{E} = E | \phi + IR | o + IX | 90^\circ$$

$$Reg = \frac{E - V}{V}$$

**SINCHRONIE MOTOR**

$$\bar{V} + \bar{E} = \bar{E}_R \quad \bar{E}_R = \bar{I}Z$$

$$\bar{E} = V | -\phi + IR | 180^\circ + IX | -90^\circ$$

**FORMULAE**

**AC MACHINES  
ALTERNATORS**

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**INDUKSIEMOTOR**

$$\frac{Eo}{V_1} = \frac{Zr}{Z_s}$$

$$X_2 = SXo$$

$$Z_2 = \sqrt{R_2^2 + (SXo)^2}$$

$$Zo = \sqrt{R_2^2 + Xo^2}$$

$$I_2 = \frac{SEo}{\sqrt{R_2^2 + (SXo)^2}}$$

**MAKSIMUM RENDEMENT**

$$R_2 = SXo$$

*Rotorkoperverlies = S rotorinset  
Rotor copper loss = S rotor input*

$$S = \frac{N_1 - N_2}{N_1}$$

$$P = \sqrt{3} V_L I_L \cos \phi$$

$$KVA = \sqrt{3} V_L I_L$$

**INDUCTION MOTOR**

$$E_2 = SEo$$

$$I_2 = \frac{E_2}{Z_2}$$

$$Io = \frac{Eo}{Zo}$$

$$Io = \frac{Eo}{\sqrt{R_2^2 + Xo^2}}$$

**MAXIMUM EFFICIENCY**

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