

Quiz_04_Power System Stability

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The power angle characteristics of a machine connected to infinite bus is 1 point
 $P_e = 2 \sin(\delta)$ pu. It is operating at $\delta = 30$ degree. Which one of the following is the synchronizing power coefficient.

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1.0

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1.732

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2.0

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0.5773

Clear selection

The steady state stability of power system can be improved by 1 point

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(a) Increasing number of parallel lines between the transmission lines

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(b) Connecting capacitors in series with the lines

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(c) Reducing excitation of machines

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Either (a) and (b)

Clear selection



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Your answer

A synchronous generator connected to infinite bus is overexcited.
Considering only the reactive power, from point of view of the system, the machine acts as

1 point

- ☐ Capacitor
- ☐ Inductor
- ☒ Resistor
- ☐ None of the above

Clear selection

The stability of power system is not affected by

1 point

- ☐ Generator reactance
- ☐ Line reactance
- ☒ Line losses
- ☐ Excitation of generators
- ☐ Output torque

Clear selection



For transient stability analysis, as long as equal area criterion is classified, 1 point
the maximum angle to which rotor angle can oscillate is

- ☐ 90 degree
- ☐ 45 degree
- ☒ Greater than 90 degree
- ☐ Less than 90 degree

Clear selection

Maximum power will be transferred from the sending end to receiving end by 1 point
the transmission lines when the line reactance is

- ☐ Equal to the resistance
- ☐ Root two times of the reactance
- ☒ Root three times of reactance
- ☐ Zero

Clear selection

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Your answer



A 500 MVA, synchronous machine has $H_1=4.6$ MJ/MVA and a 1500 MVA machine has $H_2=3.0$ MJ/MVA. The two machines are operating in parallel in the power station. The equivalent H constant for the two, relative to a 100 MVA base will be

1 point

- ☐ 22
- ☐ 45
- ☐ 52
- ☒ 68

Clear selection

For a fault in a power system, the term critical clearing time is related to

1 point

- ☐ Reactive power limit
- ☒ Transient stability limit
- ☐ Short circuit current limit
- ☐ Steady state stability limit

Clear selection

Steady state stability of a power system is ability of power system to

1 point

- ☐ maintain voltage at the rated voltage level
- ☐ maintain frequency exactly at 50 Hz
- ☐ maintain a spinning reserve margin at all times
- ☒ maintain synchronism between machines and in external tie lines

Clear selection



The equal area criterion of transient stability is used for

1 point

- ☐ No load on the bus bar
- ☒ One machine and infinite bus bar
- ☐ More than one machine and infinite bus bar
- ☐ None of the above

Clear selection

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