

# CMPE2150 SA 08

## Permanent Magnet DC (PMDC) Motors

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1. Why do PMDC motors generally have less torque than other types of motors of the same size? (Choose One)
  - a. The stator in a PMDC motor has coil windings to produce a stationary magnetic field, and coil windings produce less magnetic flux density than permanent magnets of the same size.
  - b. The rotor in a PMDC motor has permanent magnets to produce a stationary magnetic field, and magnets produce less magnetic flux density than coil windings of the same size.
  - c. The stator in a PMDC motor has permanent magnets to produce a stationary magnetic field, and magnets produce less magnetic flux density than coil windings of the same size.
  - d. The rotor in a PMDC motor has coil windings to produce a stationary magnetic field, and coil windings produce less magnetic flux density than permanent magnets of the same size.
2. The manufacturer specifications for a particular PMDC motor include the torque-speed curve given below.

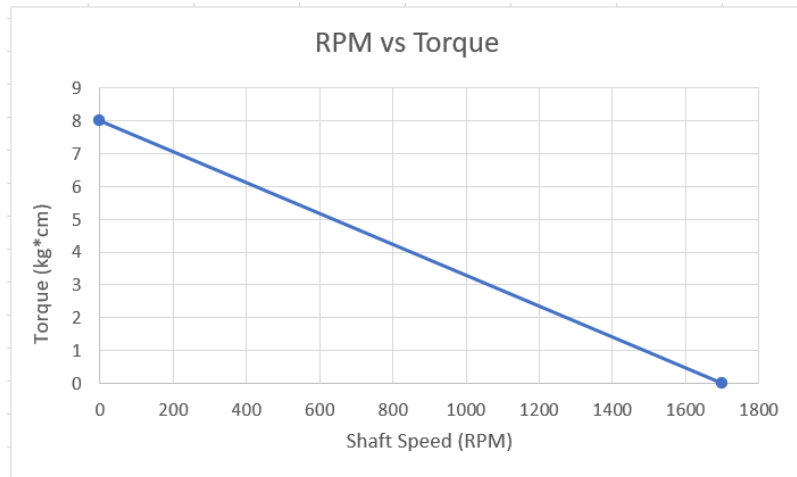


Figure 1: PMDC RPM vs. Torque

- What is the no-load speed for this motor in radians per second?  
\_\_\_\_\_  $s^{-1}$
  - What is the stall torque of this motor? \_\_\_\_\_  $Nm$
3. Complete the following below by selecting and circling the best options: (Armature/Stator) current will *decrease* when the back EMF (increases/decreases).
  4. Complete the following below by selecting and circling the best options: Motor shaft speed will *decrease* when the load torque (increases/decreases), and this will cause back EMF to (increase/decrease).
  5. The magnetic field flux between the magnet and armature of a PMDC motor (represented by the product  $K\phi$ ) is a result of: (choose one)
    - a. The magnetic field multiplied by the absolute temperature, measured in degrees Kelvin  $[K]$
    - b. Magnetic flux and the motor speed of the armature
    - c. The strength of the of the motor's permanent magnets
    - d. The intensity of the magnetic field produced by the coil windings in the armature, and aspects of the motor's construction that reduces the intensity of the magnetic field by factor  $K$
    - e. The intensity of the magnetic field produced by the stator's permanent magnets, and aspects of the motor's construction that reduces the intensity of the magnetic field by factor  $K$
  6. Choose and circle the best option: Load torque and the torque produced by the motor armature are in the (same/opposite) direction.
  7. If load torque is constant, what is the effect of increasing the terminal voltage applied to a DC motor? (Choose one)

- Motor speed will increase until the back EMF causes armature current to decrease, such that the motor eventually stops accelerating.
- Motor speed will decrease until the back EMF causes armature current to decrease, such that the motor eventually stops decelerating.
- Motor speed will increase, because the back EMF will increase according to Ohm's Law.
- Motor speed will increase, because the total power consumed by the motor must remain constant.

Consider the pinout for the L295D below and the [manufacturer's data sheet](#) when answering the questions that follow

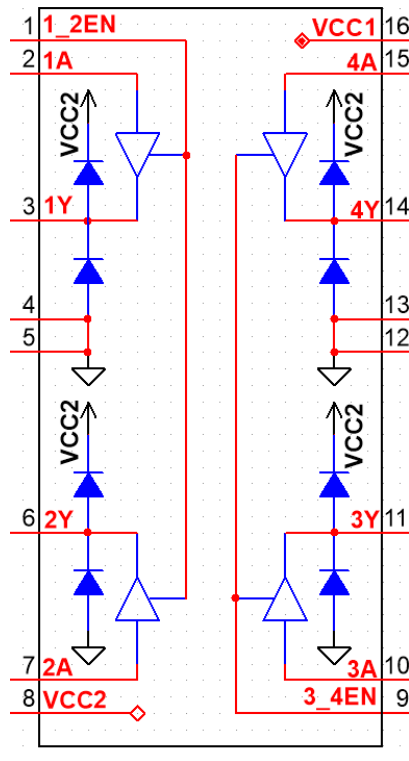


Figure 2: L295D Quadraple Half-H Drivers

8. Choose and circle the best options for connecting the L295D:
- Power for the IC's logic should be connected to pin(s) (8, 16, 8 and 16)
  - Power for the PMDC motor should be connected to pin(s) (8, 16, 8 and 16)
  - For reversible control, the PMDC motor should be connected between pins (2 and 7, 3 and 6, 3 and 4, 6 and 5)
  - Two logic control lines should be connected to pins (1 and 2, 1 and 7, 2 and 3, 7 and 6, 2 and 7)

- For smooth, free-run speed control, a Pulse Width Modifier (PWM) should be connected to pin (1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8)

**Answers**

1. C.
2.  $178Nm$ ,  $0.784s^{-1}$
3. Armature, increases
4. increases, decrease
5. E.
6. opposite
7. A.
8. 16, 8, 3 and 6, 2 and 7, 1