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Paper Code : EE-401

ELECTRIC MACHINE - I

Time Allotted : 3 Hours

Full Marks : 70

The figures in the margin indicate full marks.

Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.

GROUP - A

(Multiple Choice Type Questions)

1. Choose the correct alternatives for any ten of the following : $10 \times 1 = 10$

- i) The flux in transformer core
- a) increases with load
 - b) decreases with load
 - c) remains constant irrespective of the load
 - d) none of these.

- ii) A transformer, designed for a supply frequency of 50 Hz, is supplied with 60 Hz system of the same voltage. Therefore
- a) the eddy current and hysteresis losses will increase
 - b) eddy current loss will decrease and hysteresis loss will increase
 - c) eddy current loss will not change but hysteresis loss will decrease
 - d) eddy current loss will be same but hysteresis loss will increase.
- iii) For successful parallel operation of two transformers, the essential condition is that their
- a) percentage impedances should be equal
 - b) turns ratio should be exactly equal
 - c) polarities must be properly connected
 - d) kVA rating should be equal.
- iv) A 3-phase transformer has its primary connected in delta and secondary in star. Secondary to primary turns ratio per phase is 5. For a primary voltage of 400 V, the secondary voltage would be
- a) 2000 V
 - b) 80 V
 - c) 3464 V
 - d) $80\sqrt{3}$ V.
- v) Tertiary winding is used in case of
- a) delta-delta
 - b) star-zigzag
 - c) star-star
 - d) none of these.

- vi) Unbalanced 3-phase voltage supply to an induction motor results in excessive heating of
- rotor shaft
 - rotor
 - stator
 - none of these.
- vii) The rotor power output of a three-phase induction motor is 15 kW. The rotor copper losses at a slip of 4% will be
- 600 W
 - 625 W
 - 650 W
 - 700 W.
- viii) Maximum torque in a 3-phase induction motor varies as
- f
 - $\frac{1}{f}$
 - $\frac{1}{f^2}$
 - $\frac{1}{f^3}$.
- ix) Star-delta starting of poly-phase induction motor is equivalent to auto transformer starting with
- 85% tapping
 - 58% tapping
 - 52% tapping
 - 33% tapping.
- x) A cumulatively compounded d.c. generator is supplying 20 A at 200 V. Now if the series field winding is short circuited, the terminal voltage
- will remain unaltered at 200 V
 - will rise to 220 V
 - will shoot up to very high value
 - will become less than 200 V.

- xi) The armature *mmf* in a d.c. machine is
- stationary with respect to field poles
 - stationary with respect to armature
 - rotating with respect to field poles
 - rotating with respect to armature.
- xii) A 4-point starter is used to start a
- DC shunt motor with armature resistance control
 - DC shunt motor with field weakening control
 - DC series motor
 - DC compound motor.

GROUP - B

(Short Answer Type Questions)

Answer any three of the following. $3 \times 5 = 15$

- Draw the connection diagram and corresponding phasor diagram for the vector groups (i) Dy 11 (ii) Dd 6.
- Show that the application of 3-phase balanced supply to a 3-phase symmetrical winding produces a rotating magnetic field of constant amplitude and speed.
- A 400 V, 50 Hz, 4-pole, three phase induction motor has a rotor resistance of 0.04Ω per phase. The maximum torque occurs at a speed of 1200 rpm. Calculate the ratio of the starting torque to the maximum torque.

5. What is armature reaction in a DC machine ? How does it affect commutation ? What steps are taken to have effective commutation ?
6. Explain with neat circuit diagram, the Ward-Leonard method of speed control of d.c. series motor. What are the advantages and disadvantages ?

GROUP - C

(Long Answer Type Questions)

Answer any *three* of the following. $3 \times 15 = 45$

7. a) Write the essential and desirable conditions for parallel operation of two three-phase transformers.
- b) Two equal ratio, 3-phase transformers A and B, are operating in parallel to supply a demand of 600 kVA at 0.8 power factor lag at 6600 V. The rating and impedance of the transformers are
- Transformer A : 400 kVA, $Z = 0.01 + j 0.05$ p.u.
- Transformer B : 200 kVA, $Z = 0.012 + j 0.04$ p.u.
- Find the currents supplied by each transformers and its power factor. 5 + 10

8. a) In open-delta transformers, show that the secondary line voltages form a balanced 3-phase system of voltages, in case the supply voltages are balanced.
- b) Three single phase transformers, connected in Δ / Δ supply a balanced 3-phase load of 1500 kW at 4400 V at 0.8 power factor lagging. The transformers are supplied from 3-phase mains at 11000 V. Find the current in the windings of the each transformer. If one transformer is found faulty and is removed and the supply is maintained in V-V connection, determine the currents in the windings and power supplied by each of the transformers. 7 + 8
9. a) Sketch and explain the torque-slip characteristics of a 3-phase induction motor using the expression of the torque in terms of slip. Show that maximum torque is independent of rotor resistance. State assumption made, if any.
- b) The shaft output power of a 3-phase, 50 Hz induction motor is 20 kW at 1440 rpm. Total stator i^2r losses are 650 W and stator core losses are 720 W. Friction and windage losses amount to 12% of shaft output power. Determine the rotor and stator input. 7 + 8

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10. a) Draw and explain the method of speed control of a DC motor by flux control method. Discuss the ranges of speed control by the flux control method.
- b) A shunt generator delivers 40 kW at 240 V when running at 450 rpm. The armature and field resistances are 0.03 ohm and 60 ohm respectively. Calculate the speed of the machine running as a shunt motor and taking 40 kW input at 240 V. Allow 1 V per brush for contact drop. 6 + 9
11. Write short notes on any *three* of the following : 3 × 5
- a) Three-phase to two-phase conversion
 - b) Difference between shell type and core type transformers
 - c) Cogging and crawling in induction motors
 - d) Grounding transformer
 - e) EMF polygon.
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