- From Figure 1-10c, a reasonable maximum flux density would be about 1.2 T. Notice that the saturation effects become significant for higher flux densities.
- At a flux density of 1.2 T, the total flux in the core would be

$$\phi = BA = (1.2 \text{ T})(0.05 \text{ m})(0.05 \text{ m}) = 0.0030 \text{ Wb}$$

The total reluctance of the core is:

$$\mathcal{R}_{TOT} = \mathcal{R}_{stator} + \mathcal{R}_{air\,gap\,1} + \mathcal{R}_{rotor} + \mathcal{R}_{air\,gap\,2}$$

At a flux density of 1.2 T, the relative permeability μ_r of the stator is about 3800, so the stator reluctance

$$\mathcal{R}_{\text{stator}} = \frac{l_{\text{stator}}}{\mu_{\text{stator}} A_{\text{stator}}} = \frac{0.60 \text{ m}}{(3800) (4\pi \times 10^{-7} \text{ H/m}) (0.05 \text{ m}) (0.05 \text{ m})} = 50.3 \text{ kA} \cdot \text{t/Wb}$$

At a flux density of 1.2 T, the relative permeability μ_r of the rotor is 3800, so the rotor reluctance is

$$\mathcal{R}_{\rm rotor} = \frac{l_{\rm rotor}}{\mu_{\rm stator} A_{\rm rotor}} = \frac{0.05 \ {\rm m}}{\left(3800\right)\!\left(4\pi \times 10^{-7} \ {\rm H/m}\right)\!\left(0.05 \ {\rm m}\right)\!\left(0.05 \ {\rm m}\right)} = 4.2 \ {\rm kA \cdot t/Wb}$$

The reluctance of both air gap 1 and air gap 2 is

$$\mathcal{R}_{\text{air gap 1}} = \mathcal{R}_{\text{air gap 2}} = \frac{l_{\text{air gap}}}{\mu_{\text{air gap}}} = \frac{0.0005 \text{ m}}{(4\pi \times 10^{-7} \text{ H/m}) (0.0018 \text{ m}^2)} = 221 \text{ kA} \cdot \text{t/Wb}$$

Therefore, the total reluctance of the core is

$$\mathcal{R}_{TOT} = \mathcal{R}_{stator} + \mathcal{R}_{air\;gap\;1} + \mathcal{R}_{rotor} + \mathcal{R}_{air\;gap\;2}$$

$$\Re_{TOT} = 50.3 + 221 + 4.2 + 221 = 496 \text{ kA} \cdot \text{t/Wb}$$

The required MMF is

$$\mathcal{F}_{TOT} = \phi \mathcal{R}_{TOT} = (0.003 \text{ Wb})(496 \text{ kA} \cdot \text{t/Wb}) = 1488 \text{ A} \cdot \text{t}$$

Since $\mathcal{F} = Ni$, and the current is limited to 1 A, one possible choice for the number of turns is N = 2000. This would allow the desired flux density to be achieved with a current of about 0.74 A.

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SOLUTION

(a) The current in the bar at starting is
$$i = \frac{V_B}{R} = \frac{100 \text{ V}}{0.25 \Omega} = 400 \text{ A}$$

Therefore, the force on the bar at starting is

$$\mathbf{F} = i(\mathbf{l} \times \mathbf{B}) = (400 \text{ A})(1 \text{ m})(0.5 \text{ T}) = 200 \text{ N}$$
, to the right

The no-load steady-state speed of this bar can be found from the equation

$$V_B = e_{\text{ind}} = vBl$$

$$v = \frac{V_B}{Bl} = \frac{100 \text{ V}}{(0.5 \text{ T})(1 \text{ m})} = 200 \text{ m/s}$$