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Experiment Name : Three Phase Sequence test using motor.

Objectives:

i) To observe the three phase sequence by observing rotation of a motor.

Theory:

In a three-phase system, the order in which the voltages attain their maximum positive value is called Phase Sequence. There are three voltages or EMFs in the three-phase system with the same magnitude, but the frequency is displaced by an angle of 120° electrically.

Phase sequence is the order in which the three phases of a three-phase system reach their peak values. For example, if phase A reaches its peak before phase B, and phase B reaches its peak before phase C, then the phase sequence is ABC. If phase C reaches its peak before phase B, and phase B reaches its peak before phase A, then the phase sequence is CBA. The phase sequence can be either clockwise or counterclockwise, depending on the direction of rotation of the phasor diagram.

Diagram:



Fig.1: Delta Connection



Fig.2: Wye Connection

Required Apparatus:

- 1. A Motor
- 2. Connecting Wires
- 3. Voltage source

Results:

When the motor ar rotating to the direction of clock or clockwise, we can say that the phases are in **ABC** sequence.

And when the motor ar rotating to the reverse of clock



or anti-clockwise, we can say that the phases are in ACB sequence.

Discussions:

At the time of changing two connection between three phases , we could observe the opposite rotation of motor in both Wye and Delta connection . It was easy to decide that the sequence turned ABC to ACB . For the clockwise rotation it was **ABC** sequence and for anticlockwise rotation it was **ACB** sequence.

Precautions:

- i) Stay away from the motor.
- ii) Safely provided the connection to the voltage source.
- iii) Carefully observe the rotation: