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Lab Report

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2.1 Objective:

to analyze and establish the relationship between the phase current and the line current in a wyeconnected 3-phase balanced system.

2.2 Theory:

Phase current is the current that flows through each phase of the load in a three-phase system.

Line current is the current that flows through each line connecting the power source to the load in a three-phase system.

In a delta connected three phase system, the relationship between line voltage and line current is:

$$V_P = V_L$$

Where V_P and V_L are phase voltage and line voltage respectively.

In a delta connected three phase system, the relationship between line voltage and line current is:

$$I_L = I_P$$

Where I_L and I_P are line current and phase current respectively.

2.3 Required Apparatus:

- 1. Ammeter
- 2. Voltmeter
- 3. Resistance
- 4. AC voltage source
- 5. Connecting wires
- 6. Multimeter

2.4 Circuit Diagram:

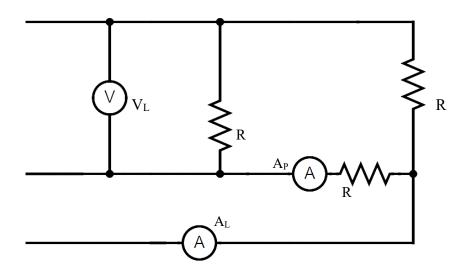


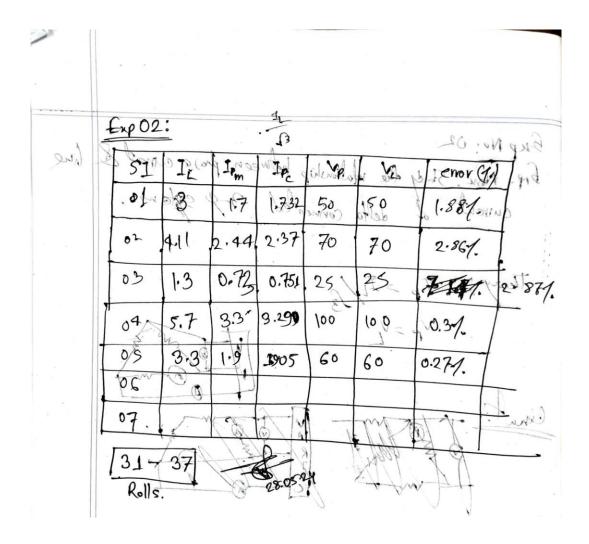
Fig. 2.1: Circuit diagram

2.5 Procedure:

The circuit was built according to the diagram and the readings were collected several times for verification.

2.6 Data Table:

Sl No.	$I_{\rm L}$	I_{Pm}	I _{Pc}	V_{P}	$V_{\rm L}$	Error(%)
	(A)	(A)	(A)	(V)	(V)	
01	3	1.7	1.732	50	50	1.88
02	4.11	2.44	2.37	70	70	2.86
02	4.11	2.44	2.37	70	70	2.80
03	1.3	0.72	0.751	25	25	2.87



2.7 Discussion:

The experiment gave the results we expected, but it wasn't very accurate because of some problems with the machines and math mistakes. Sometimes it took several tries to complete the experiment because students sometimes connected the wires incorrectly, which led to wrong calculations. The theory says that if everything works perfectly, the results will be accurate. Even with these issues, the experiment still supported the theory.

2.8 Precautions:

- 1. The connections should be made carefully.
- 2. The AC voltage source should be handled with care maintaining safety measures.
- 3. The readings of voltmeter and ammeter should be taken as precisely as possible.

2.9 Reference:

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