

EXPERIMENT-2 MEASUREMENT OF POWER

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Three phase power measurement by two wattmeter method.

Theory

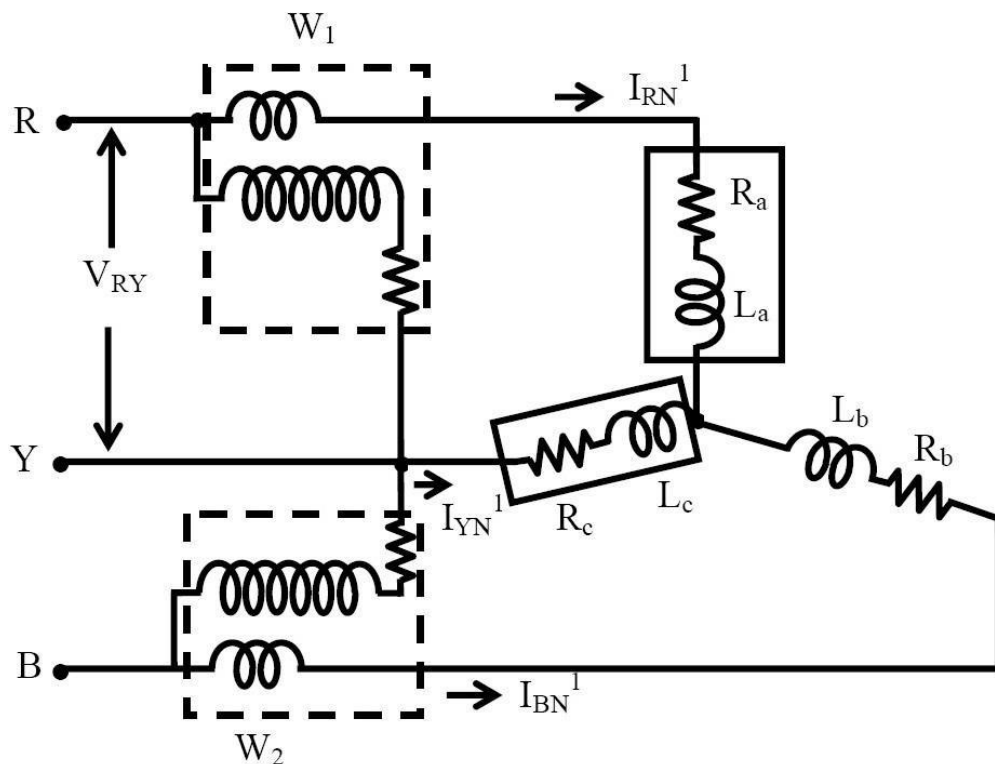


Fig 1: Connection diagram for three phase power measurement using two wattmeter method

The connection diagram for the measurement of power in three phase power measurement circuit using two wattmeter's method is shown in figure 1. This is irrespective of the circuit connection star or delta. The circuit may be taken as balanced or unbalanced one, balanced type being only a special case. Please note the connection of two wattmeter's. The current coil of the wattmeter's 1 and 2 in series with R

and B phase with the pressure voltage coils being connected across R-Y and B-Y respectively. Y is the third phase in which no current coil is connected.

If star connected circuit is taken as an example the total instantaneous power consumed in the circuit is,

$$W = I_{RN} * V_{RN} + I_{YN} * V_{YN} + I_{BN} * V_{BN} \dots (1)$$

Each of the terms in the above expression equation (1) is the instantaneous power consumed by the phases. From the connection diagram, the circuit in and the voltages across the respective (current, pressure or voltage) coils in the wattmeter, W_1 are I_{RN} and.

$$V_{RY} = V_{RN} - V_{YN}$$

So, the instantaneous power measured by the wattmeter W_1 is.

$$W_1 = I_{RN} * V_{RY}$$

Similarly the instantaneous power measured by the wattmeter W_2 is .

$$W_2 = I_{BN} * V_{BY} = I_{BN} * (V_{BN} - V_{YN})$$

Some of the two readings as given above is,

$$\begin{aligned} W_1 + W_2 &= I_{RN}(V_{RN} - V_{YN}) + I_{BN}(V_{BN} - V_{YN}) \\ &= I_{RN}V_{RN} + I_{BN}V_{BN} - V_{YN}(I_{RN} + I_{BN}) \dots (2) \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{and } I_{RN} + I_{BN} + I_{YN} = 0$$

applying in equation (2),

$$W_1 + W_2 = I_{RN}V_{RN} + I_{BN}V_{BN} + V_{YN}I_{YN} \dots (3)$$

Procedure

Fig 2: Phasor diagram of three phase balanced star connected circuit

BALANCED LOAD :

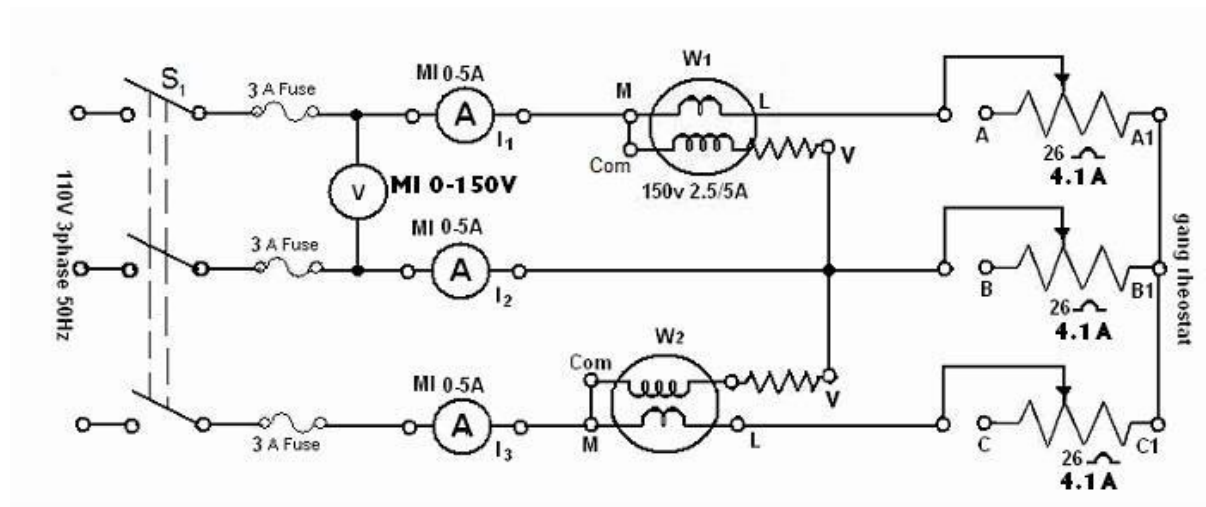


Fig. 1. Three phase power measurement circuit under balance condition

1. Connect the circuit as shown in Fig. 1.
2. Adjust the ganged rheostat for the maximum resistance.
3. Switch on the supply.
4. Close switch S_1 .
5. Read the meters to obtain V_L , I_1 , I_2 and I_3 . Note the wattmeter reading W_1 and W_2 (Note the multiplying factor on the wattmeter).
6. Vary the load resistance and obtain at least five sets of observations, the current should not exceed the limit (4.1 A).

UNBALANCED LOAD :

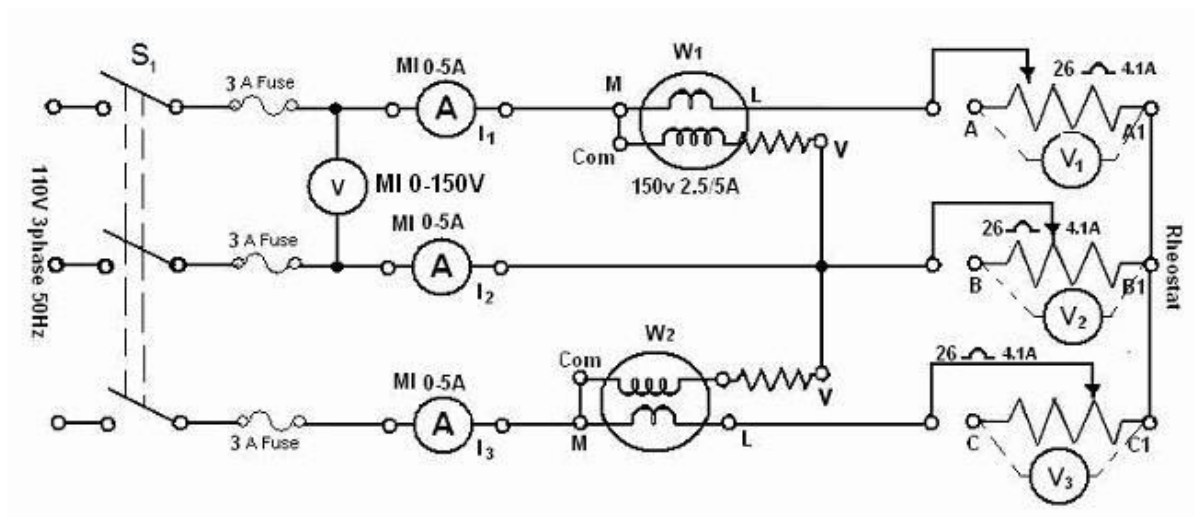
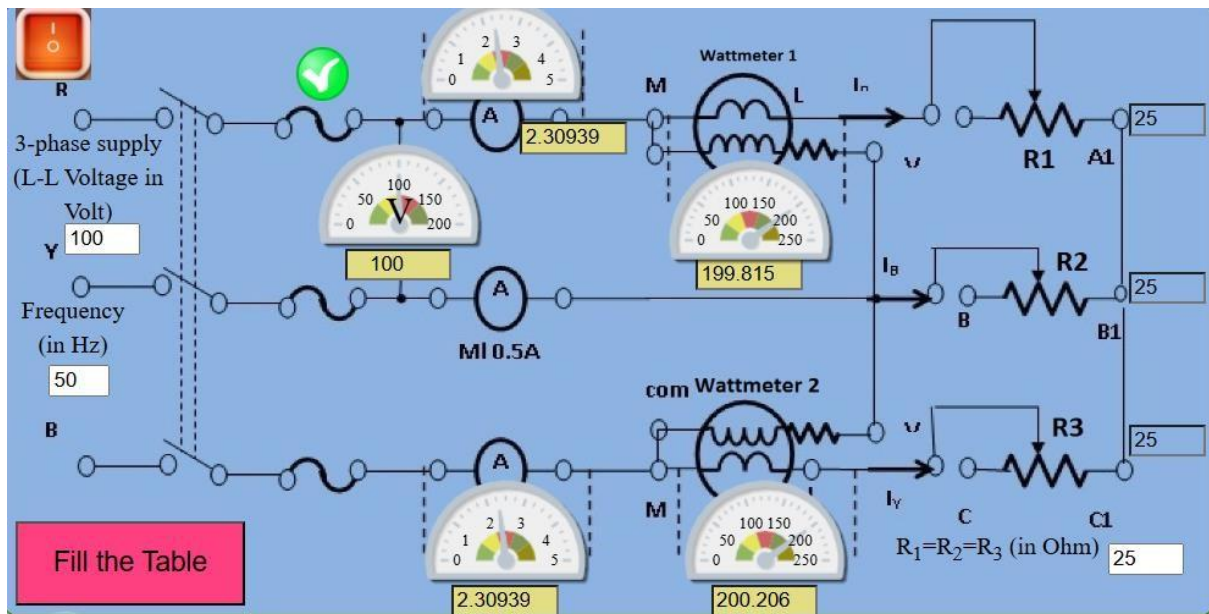


Fig. 2. Three phase power measurement circuit under unbalance condition

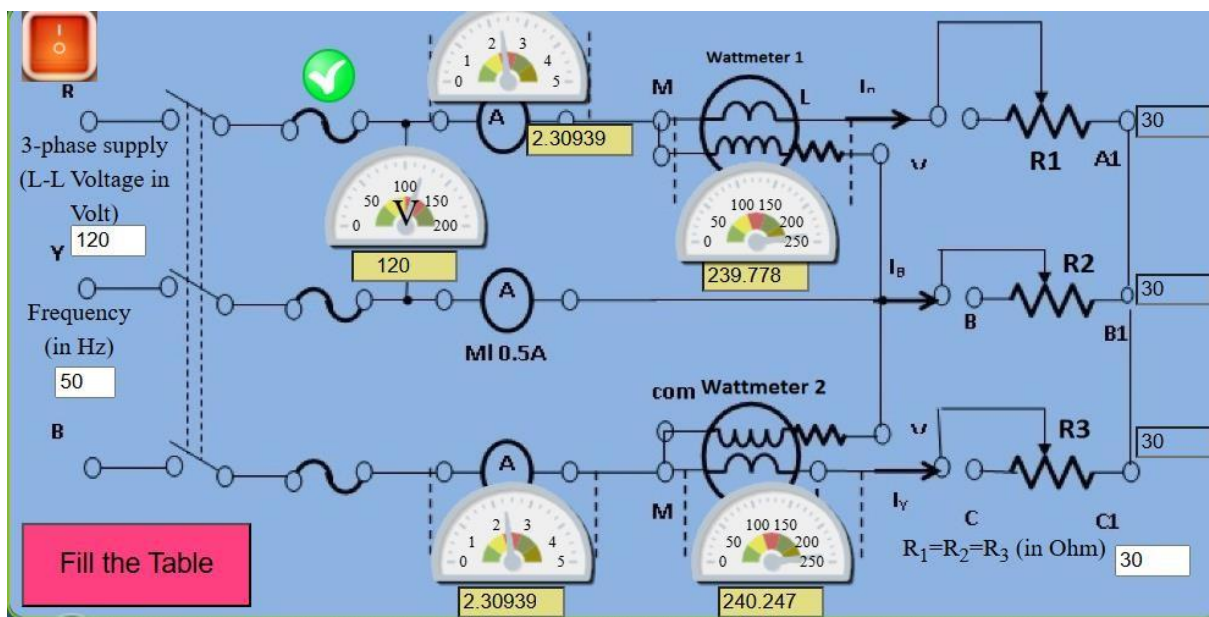
- i. Connect the circuit as shown in Fig. 2.
- ii. Replace the ganged rheostat by three separate rheostats of 26 Ω , 4.1 A and connect in a star.
- iii. Adjust the three rheostats at the maximum values.
- iv. Switch on the supply and set the autotransformer to 110 V.
- v. Close switch S_1 and take five sets of observation for different rheostat settings such that the reading of I_1 , I_2 and I_3 in each set is appreciably different to create unbalanced loading condition. The current should not exceed the limits in each arm.

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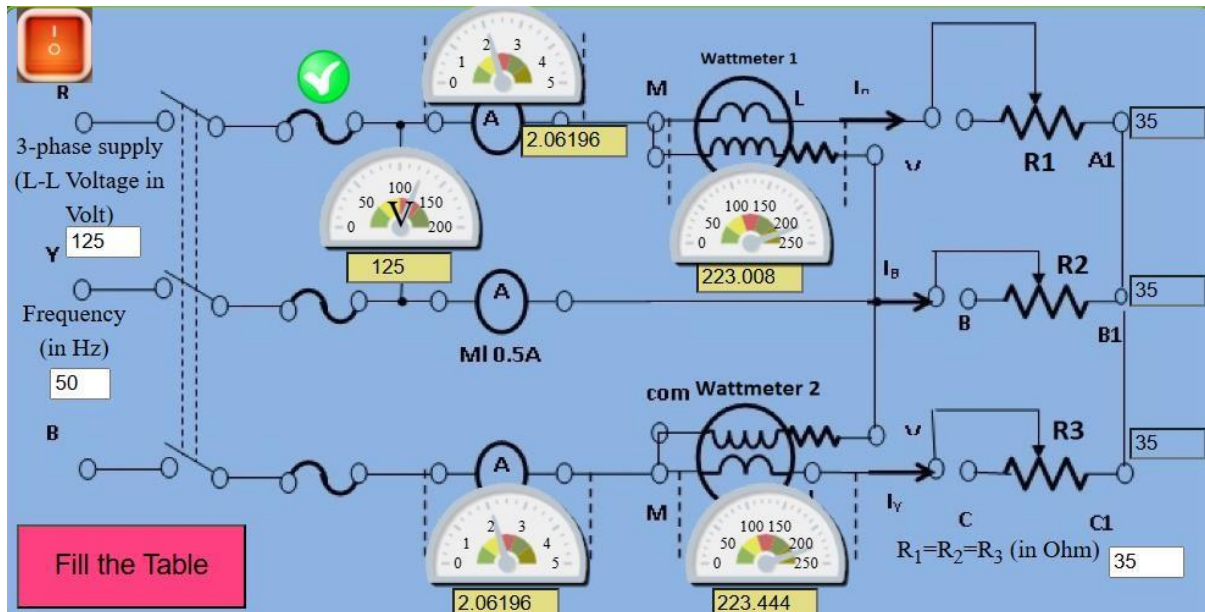
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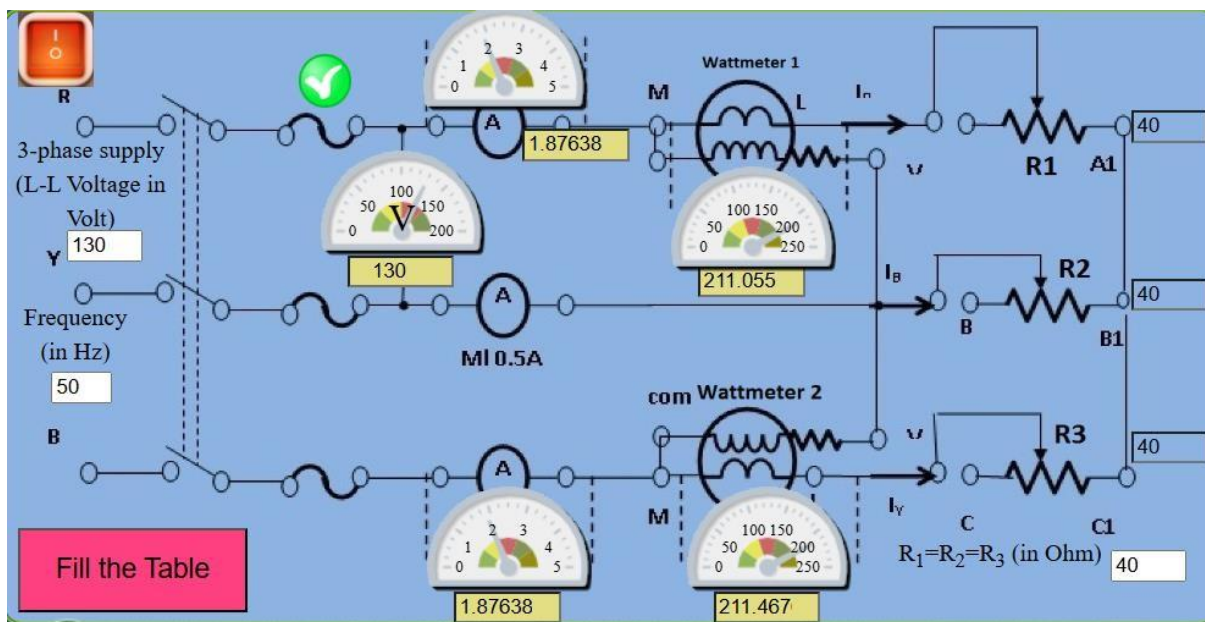
CASE 2



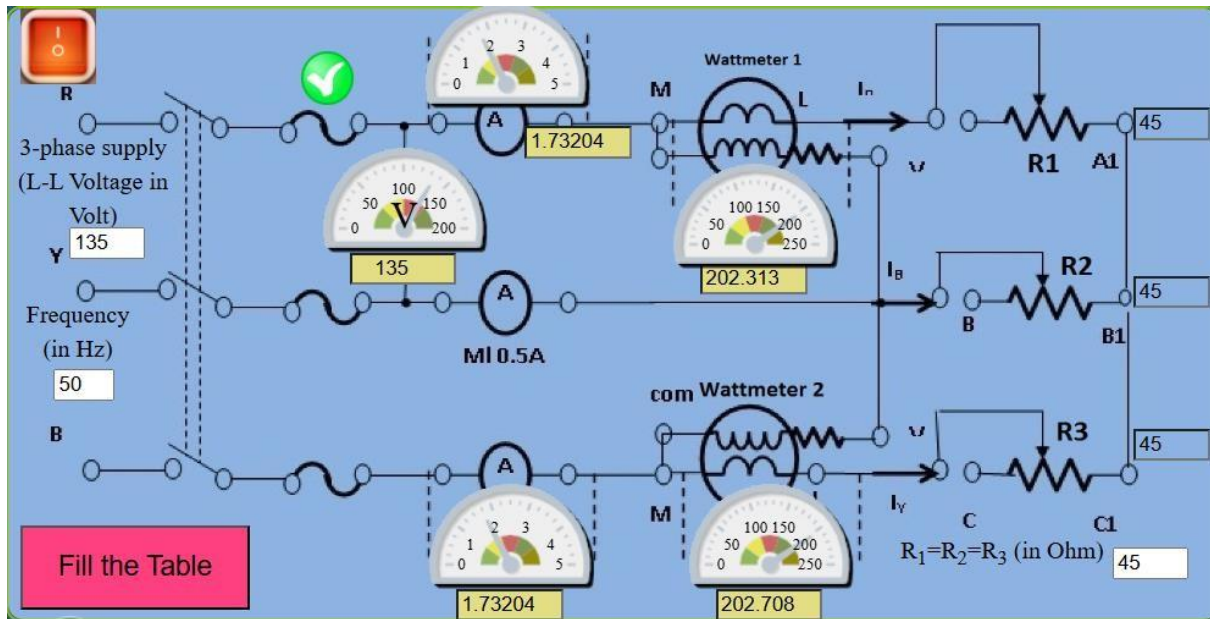
CASE 3



CASE 4



CASE 5

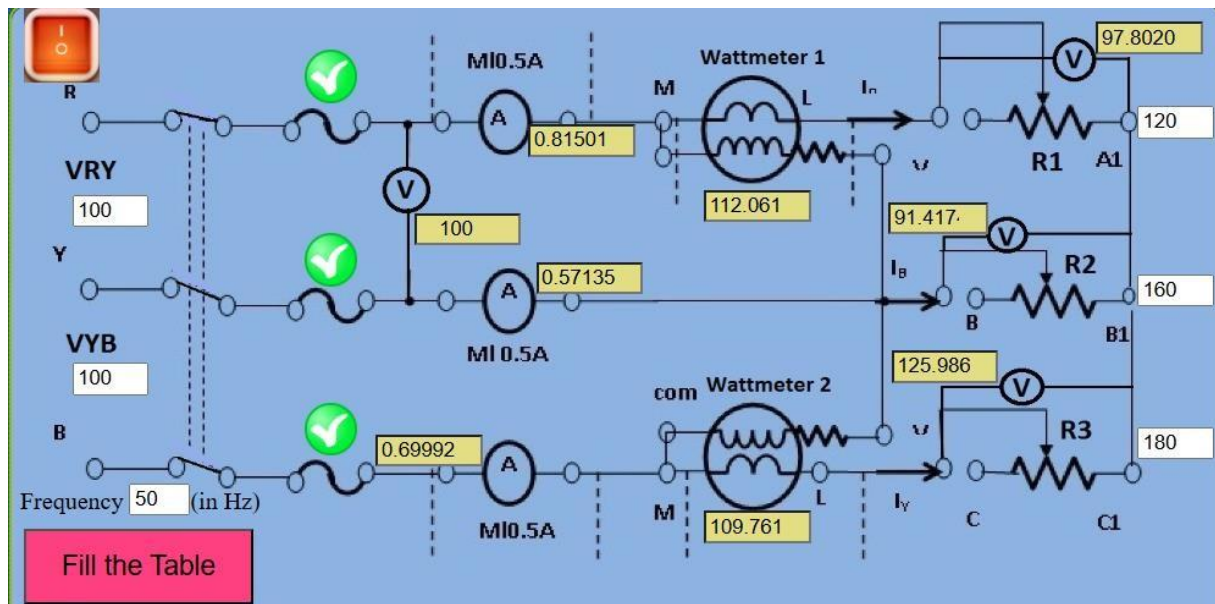


BALANCED LOAD TABULATION:

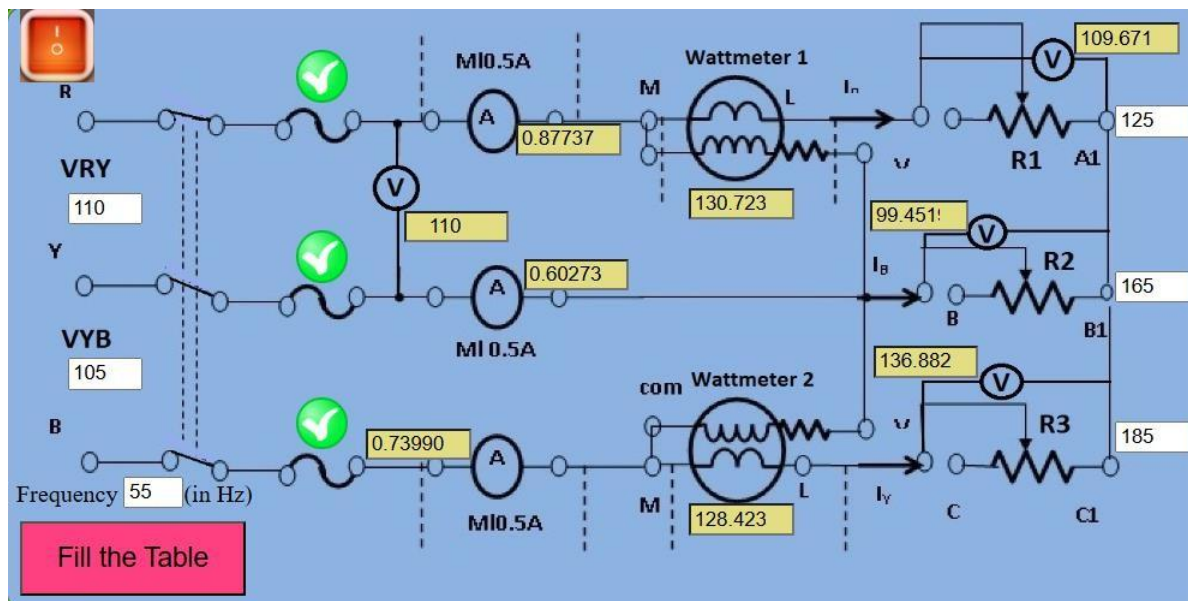
Serial no. of Observation	V_{RY}	I_R (Amp)	$\cos(V_{RY}, I_R)$	V_{BY}	I_B (Amp)	$\cos(V_{BY}, I_B)$	I_3 (Amp)	W_1	W_2	W_C (Calculated power)	W_M (Measured Power = $W_1 + W_2$)
1st	100	2.3093977	0.8652280	100	2.3093977	0.8669190	2.3093977	199.81557	200.20609	399.99885	400.02166
2nd	120	2.3093977	0.8652280	120	2.3093977	0.8669190	2.3093977	239.77868	240.24731	479.99862	480.02599
3rd	125	2.0619622	0.8652280	125	2.0619622	0.8669190	2.0619622	223.00844	223.44430	446.42729	446.45275
4th	130	1.8763856	0.8652280	130	1.8763856	0.8669190	1.8763856	211.05519	211.46768	422.49879	422.52288
5th	135	1.7320483	0.8652280	135	1.7320483	0.8669190	1.7320483	202.31326	202.70867	404.99884	405.02193

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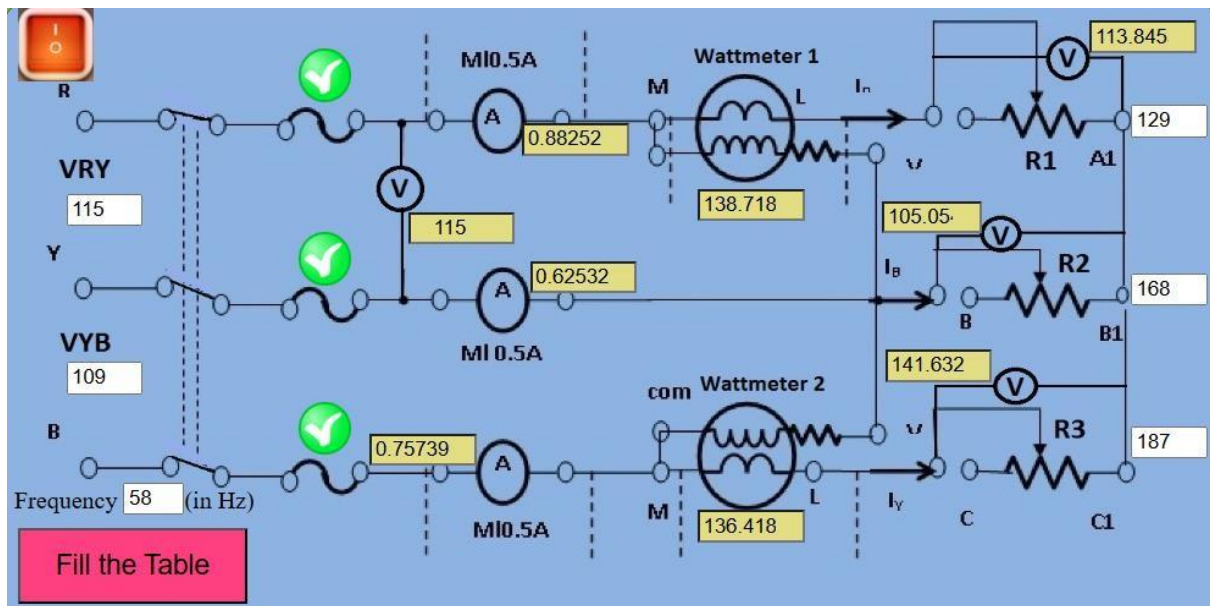
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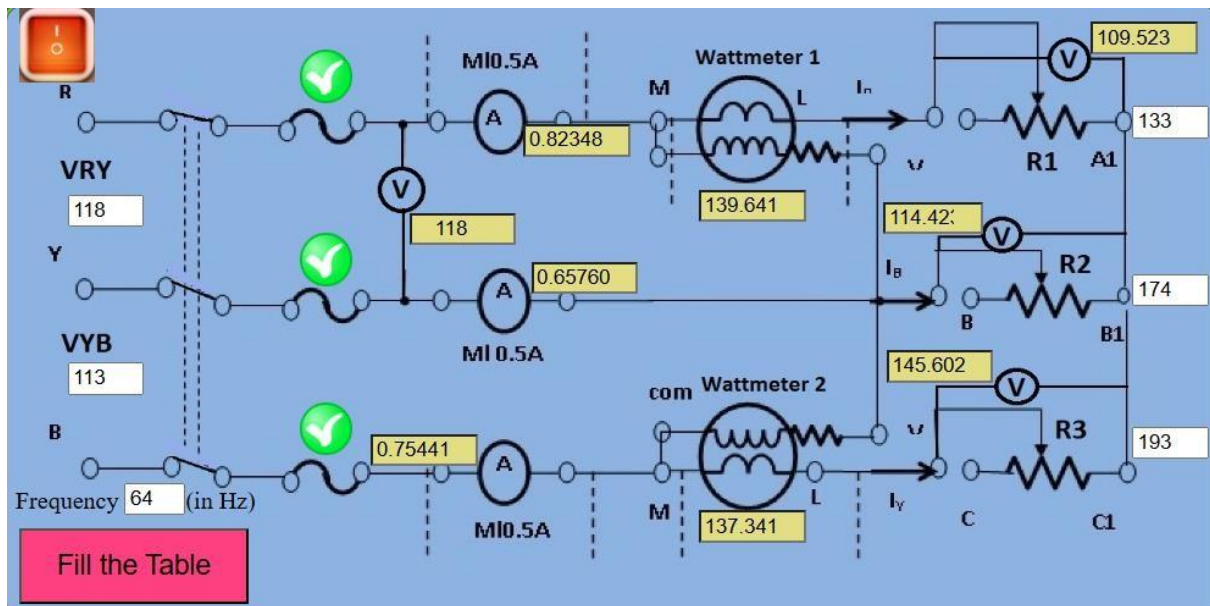
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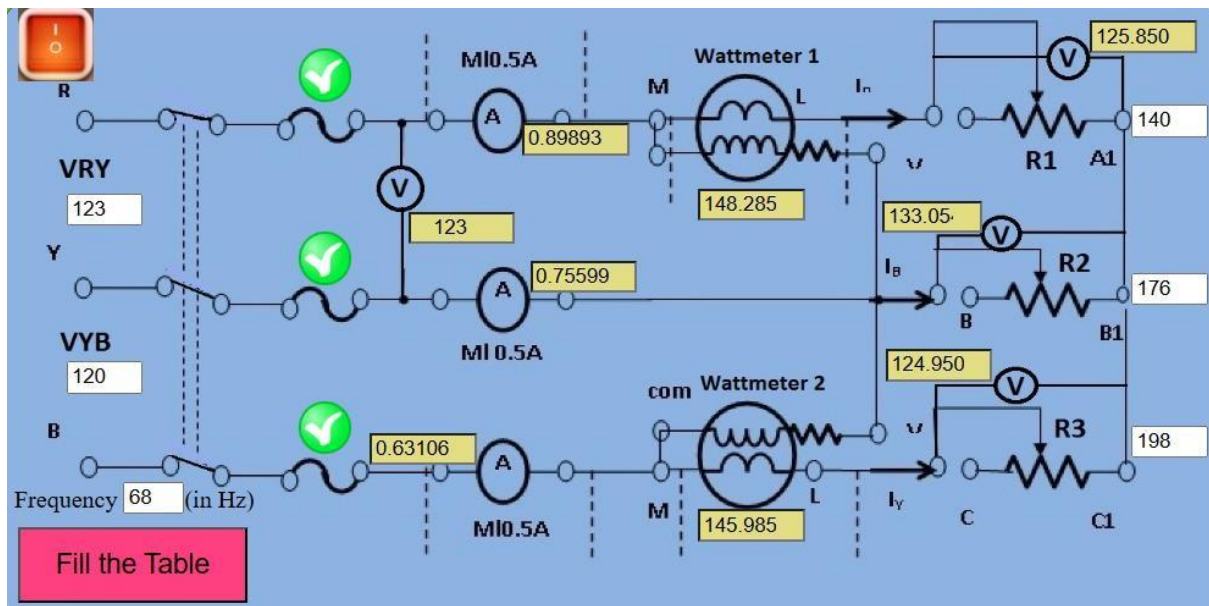
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CASE 5



UNBALANCED LOAD TABULATION:

Serial no. of Observation	V_R	V_Y	V_b	I_R (Amp)	I_Y (Amp)	I_B (Amp)	W_C (Calculated power)	W_1	W_2	W_M (Measured Power= W_1+W_2)
1st	97.802081	91.417450	125.98662	0.8150173	0.5713590	0.6999256	220.12385	112.06192	109.76192	221.82385
2nd	109.67180	99.451914	136.88242	0.8773744	0.6027385	0.7399045	257.44675	130.72335	128.42335	259.14675
3rd	113.84533	105.05481	141.63295	0.8825215	0.6253263	0.7573955	273.43672	138.71835	136.41835	275.13672
4th	109.52367	114.42317	145.60285	0.8234863	0.6576044	0.7544185	275.28200	139.64100	137.34100	276.98200
5th	125.85072	133.05450	124.95070	0.8989337	0.7559915	0.6310641	292.57145	148.28572	145.98572	294.27145

RESULT:

Measurement of power is simulated and validated.