

Transformers lab

Program: Electrician Technician

Course: EL170 - Motor and Industrial Controls

Objectives: Under the supervision of your instructor, you should be able to do the following:

- Identify the primary and secondary of a transformer.
- Identify if the transformer is a step-down or step-up.
- Be able to connect primary and secondary winding. Identify if the transformer is 3 phases or 1 phase. Be able to understand the transformer plate information.

Lab Equipment:

- 1 Circuit breaker mono phasic 10 amps or similar
- 1 Circuit breaker mono phasic 20 amps or similar
 - 1 Transformer 0.75 Kva 240/120 or similar
- 1 Circuit breaker
- 1 Electrical conductor different sizes
- 1 Electrical Transformer
- 1 Terminal board

Required Tools

- 1 Multi-meter 600 volts / 400 amp.
 - 1 Insulation tester

Materials:

- 12" #14 AWG THHN red
- 12" #14 AWG THHN black
- 12" #14 AWG THHN blue

Safety (PPE):

Safety glasses/goggles

Resources: N/A

Required Time: 120 Minutes



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Shop Maintenance:

- All work will cease 20 minutes prior to the end of class.
- All work areas must be cleaned.
 - Tools and equipment must be cleaned and returned to the designated areas (cage, tool room, cabinets etc.)
- Any broken or missing tools must be reported immediately.
 - Tools and equipment are students' responsibility.

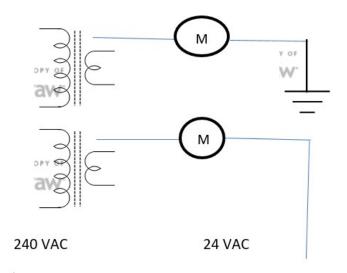
Procedures: (Eye protection must always be worn, and power must be turned off till testing)

Section 1:

- 1. Use the Ohmmeter to check that there is not a short circuit on the primary and secondary wiring.
- 2. Connect H1-H4 to a terminal board.
- 3. Use the appropriate conductor size to connect H1 and H4 to 120 VAC with the appropriate circuit breaker to protect the primary winding. All circuit breakers must be off.
- 4. Connect X1, X2, X3, and X4 to the appropriate terminal board.

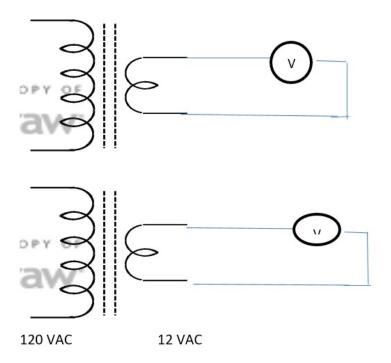
Section 2:

- 1. Turn on the circuit breaker.
- 2. Use a voltmeter to check the primary winding voltage 120 VAC.
- 3. Use a voltmeter to check the secondary winding voltage 12 VAC.
- 4. Section 1 and Section





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