

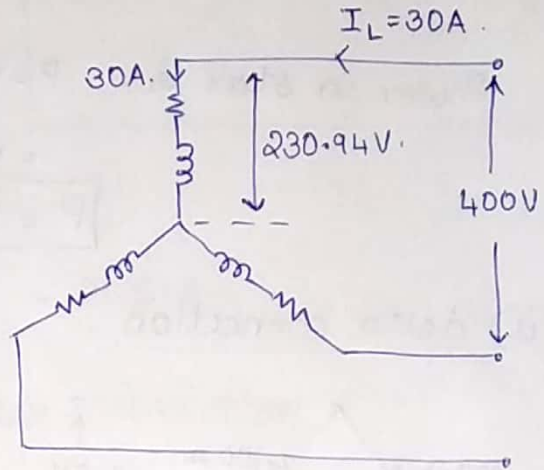
Additional Problems on 3 ϕ circuits

Problems on 3 ϕ circuits.

1. A balanced star-connected load is supplied from a balanced 3 ϕ , 400V, 50Hz system. The current in each phase is 30A and lags 30° behind the phase voltage. Find the total power, phase voltage. Also draw the phasor diagram. What is the phase impedance?

Solⁿ

$$Z_{ph} = \frac{V_{ph}}{I_{ph}} = \frac{(V_L/\sqrt{3})}{I_{ph}}$$
$$= \frac{(400/\sqrt{3})}{30}$$
$$\Rightarrow \boxed{Z_{ph} = 7.698 \Omega}$$



The phase voltage is

$$V_{ph} = \frac{V_L}{\sqrt{3}} = \frac{400}{\sqrt{3}} \Rightarrow \boxed{V_{ph} = 230.94V}$$

Total power is

$$P = \sqrt{3} V_L I_L \cos \phi$$
$$= \sqrt{3} \times 400 \times 30 \times \cos(30^\circ)$$

$$\boxed{P = 18kW}$$

2. Three 100 Ω resistors are connected first in star & then in delta across a 415V, 50Hz, 3 ϕ supply. Calculate the line & phase currents in each & also the power taken from the source.

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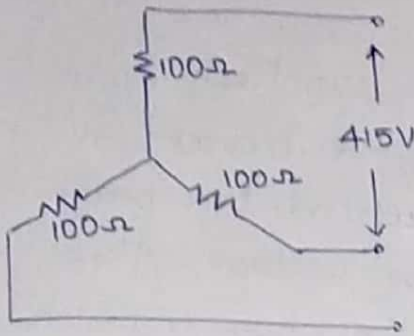
$$V_L = 415V$$

$$f = 50Hz$$

$$Z_{ph} = R_{ph} = 100\Omega$$

$$\cos \phi = \frac{R_{ph}}{Z_{ph}} = \frac{100}{100} = 1$$

(i) Star connection



$$V_{ph} = \frac{V_L}{\sqrt{3}} = 239.6 V$$

$$I_{ph} = \frac{V_{ph}}{Z_{ph}} = \frac{239.6}{100}$$

$$\Rightarrow I_{ph} = 2.396 A$$

For star connection, $I_L = I_{ph}$

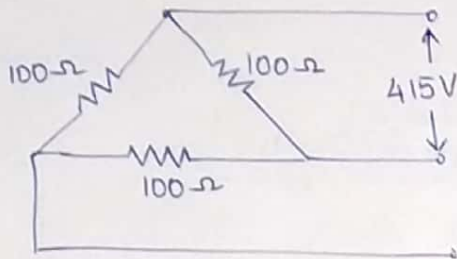
$$\therefore I_L = 2.396 A$$

Power in star is, $P = \sqrt{3} V_L I_L \cos \phi$

$$= \sqrt{3} \times 415 \times 2.396 \times 1$$

$$P = 1722.24 W$$

(ii) Delta connection



For delta connection,

$$V_L = V_{ph} = 415 V$$

$$\therefore I_{ph} = \frac{V_{ph}}{Z_{ph}} = \frac{415}{100}$$

$$\Rightarrow I_{ph} = 4.15 A$$

$$I_{ph} = (I_L / \sqrt{3}) \Rightarrow I_L = \sqrt{3} I_{ph} = \sqrt{3} \times 4.15$$

$$\Rightarrow I_L = 7.188 A$$

Power in delta is, $P = \sqrt{3} V_L I_L \cos \phi$

$$= \sqrt{3} \times 415 \times 7.188$$

$$P = 5166.74 W$$

3> Three coils, each having a resistance of 10Ω and an inductance of $0.02 H$ are connected in star across a $440 V$, 3ϕ supply. Calculate the line current and the total power consumed. At what angle does the phase current lag the phase voltage?

Solⁿ:

$$X_{L_{ph}} = 2\pi f L_{ph} = 2\pi \times 50 \times 0.02 = 6.283 \Omega$$

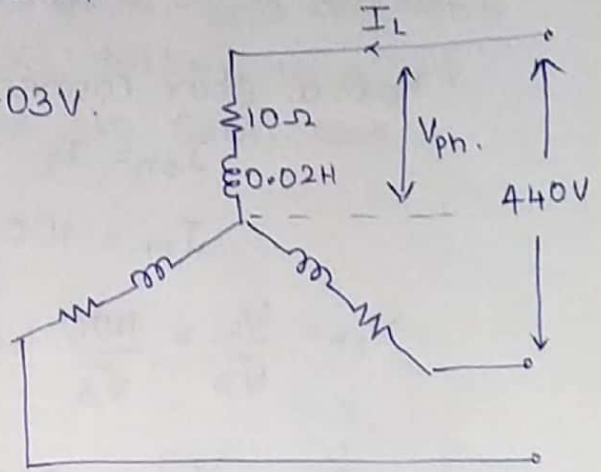
$$\phi = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{X_L}{R}\right) = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{6.283}{10}\right) \Rightarrow \phi = 32.14^\circ$$

Thus, I_{ph} lags V_{ph} by 32.14° .

Now, $V_{ph} = \frac{V_L}{\sqrt{3}} = \frac{440}{\sqrt{3}} = 254.03V$.

$$Z_{ph} = \sqrt{R_{ph}^2 + X_{Lph}^2}$$
$$= \sqrt{10^2 + 6.283^2}$$

$$Z_{ph} = 11.81 \Omega$$



\therefore Phase current is,

$$I_p = \frac{V_{ph}}{Z_{ph}} = \frac{254.03}{11.81} = 21.51A$$

Since $I_L = I_{ph}$ for star-connection,

$$\boxed{I_L = 21.51A}$$

The total power consumed is,

$$P = \sqrt{3} V_L I_L \cos \phi$$
$$= \sqrt{3} \times 440 \times 21.51 \times \cos(32.14^\circ)$$
$$= 13880.63W$$

$$\boxed{P = 13.88kW}$$

4. A balanced 3ϕ , star-connected load of 150kW takes a leading current of 100A with line voltage of 1100V, 50Hz. Find the circuit constants of the load per phase.

Solⁿ.

$$I_L = 100A$$

$$V_L = 1100V$$

$$f = 50Hz$$

Since current is leading, each phase is a series R-C circuit.

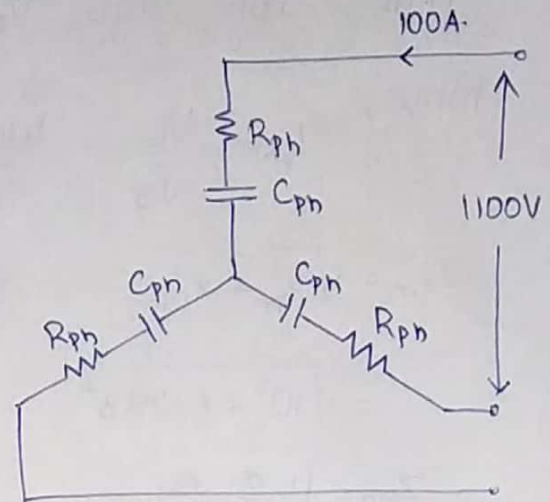
For a star connection,

$$I_{ph} = I_L$$

$$\therefore I_{ph} = 100 \text{ A.}$$

$$V_{ph} = \frac{V_L}{\sqrt{3}} = \frac{1100}{\sqrt{3}} = 635.08 \text{ V.}$$

$$\therefore Z_{ph} = \frac{V_{ph}}{I_{ph}} = \frac{635.08}{100} = 6.351 \text{ A.}$$



A power of 150 kW is consumed in the resistances.

\therefore Power consumed by the resistances of each phase is,

$$P_{ph} = \frac{P}{3} = \frac{150}{3} = 50 \text{ kW.}$$

Also,

$$P_{ph} = I_{ph}^2 R_{ph}$$

$$\Rightarrow R_{ph} = \frac{P_{ph}}{I_{ph}^2} = \frac{P_{ph}}{(V_{ph}/Z_{ph})^2} = \frac{50 \times 10^3}{(635.08/6.351)^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow R_{ph} = 500.015 \text{ } \Omega.$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{R_{ph} = 5 \text{ } \Omega}$$

$$X_{ph} = \sqrt{Z_{ph}^2 - R_{ph}^2} = \sqrt{6.351^2 - 5^2} = 3.916 \text{ } \Omega$$

$$\Rightarrow X_{cph} = \frac{1}{2\pi f C_{ph}} = 3.916$$

$$\Rightarrow C_{ph} = \frac{1}{2\pi f \times 3.916} = \frac{1}{2\pi \times 50 \times 3.916}$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{C_{ph} = 812.84 \text{ } \mu\text{F}}$$

5. Three identical coils each of $R = 20\ \Omega$ and $L = 0.05\text{H}$ are connected in (i) star, (ii) delta, to a 3ϕ , 440V , 50Hz supply. Calculate, in each case:-
 (i) the line current
 (ii) the total power consumed.

Solⁿ

Star connection

$$V_{ph} = \frac{V_L}{\sqrt{3}} = \frac{440}{\sqrt{3}} = 254.03\text{V}.$$

$$Z_{ph} = \sqrt{R_{ph}^2 + X_{ph}^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{20^2 + (2\pi \times 50 \times 0.05)^2}$$

$$Z_{ph} = 25.431\ \Omega$$

$$\therefore I_{ph} = V_{ph} / Z_{ph} = 254.03 / 25.431 = 9.988\text{A}$$

Since $I_L = I_{ph}$ for star connection,

$$\boxed{I_L = 9.988\text{A}}$$

The total power consumed is

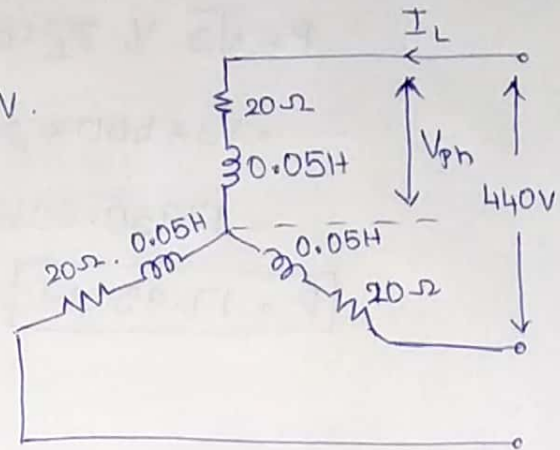
$$P = \sqrt{3} V_L I_L \cos\phi$$

$$= \sqrt{3} V_L I_L \left(\frac{R_{ph}}{Z_{ph}} \right)$$

$$\therefore \cos\phi = R_{ph} / Z_{ph}$$

$$= \sqrt{3} \times 440 \times 9.988 \times \frac{20}{25.431}$$

$$\boxed{P = 5986.298\text{W}} \quad \text{or} \quad \boxed{P = 5.986\text{kW}}$$

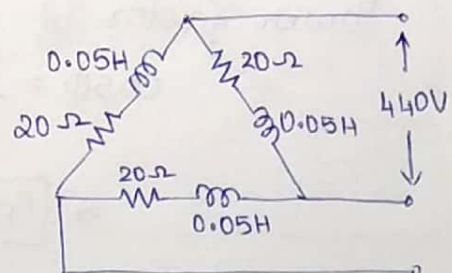


Delta Connection

$$V_{ph} = V_L = 440\text{V}$$

$$Z_{ph} = 25.431\ \Omega$$

$$\cos\phi = R_{ph} / Z_{ph} = 0.786$$



$$I_{ph} = \frac{V_{ph}}{Z_{ph}} = \frac{440}{25.431} = 17.301 \text{ A}$$

$$I_L = \sqrt{3} I_{ph}$$

$$= \sqrt{3} \times 17.301$$

$$\boxed{I_L = 29.967 \text{ A}}$$

Power consumed is

$$P = \sqrt{3} V_L I_L \cos \phi$$

$$= \sqrt{3} \times 440 \times 29.967 \times 0.786$$

$$= 17950.60 \text{ W}$$

$$\boxed{P = 17.95 \text{ kW}}$$

6. A balanced delta connected load of $(8+j6) \Omega$ per phase is supplied from a 3ϕ , 440V source. Find the line current, power factor, power per phase and total power. Draw the phasor diagram.

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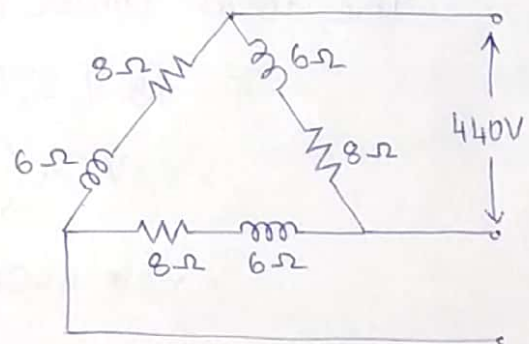
$$Z_{ph} = \sqrt{8^2 + 6^2} = 10 \Omega$$

$$I_{ph} = \frac{V_{ph}}{Z_{ph}} = \frac{440}{10} = 44 \text{ A}$$

$$I_L = \sqrt{3} I_{ph}$$

$$= \sqrt{3} \times 44$$

$$\boxed{I_L = 76.21 \text{ A}}$$



Power factor is

$$\cos \phi = \frac{R}{Z} = \frac{8}{10}$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{\cos \phi = 0.8} \Rightarrow \phi = 36.86^\circ$$

Total power is,

$$P = \sqrt{3} V_L I_L \cos \phi$$

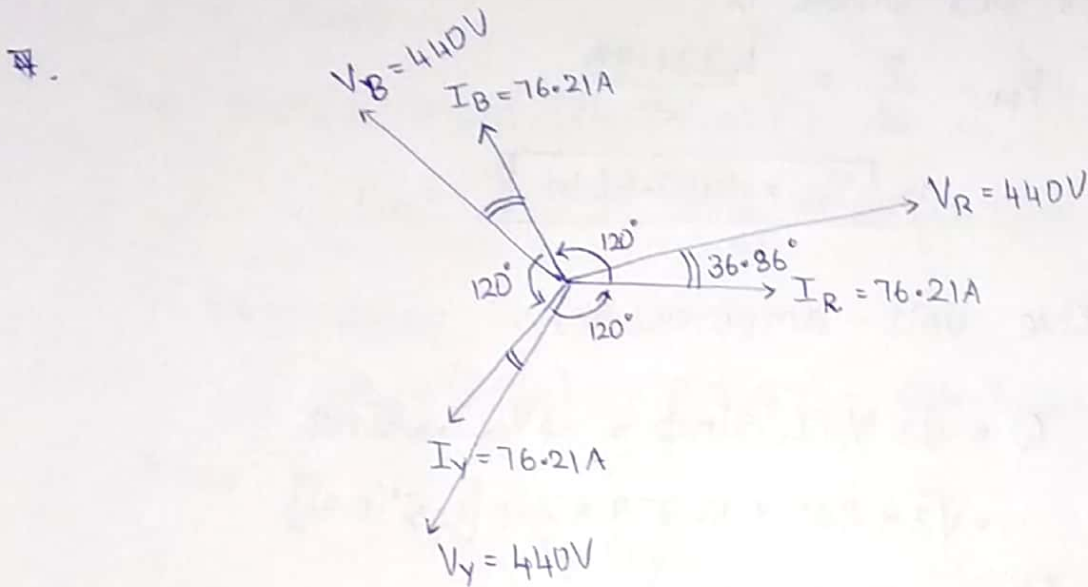
$$= \sqrt{3} \times 440 \times 76.21 \times 0.8$$

$$P = 46463.85 \text{ W}$$

Power per phase is,

$$P_{ph} = \frac{P}{3} = \frac{46463.85}{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow P_{ph} = 15487.95 \text{ W}$$



7. Repeat problem - 6 if the load is connected in star to a 3ϕ , 230V supply. Also calculate the reactive and total volt-ampere.

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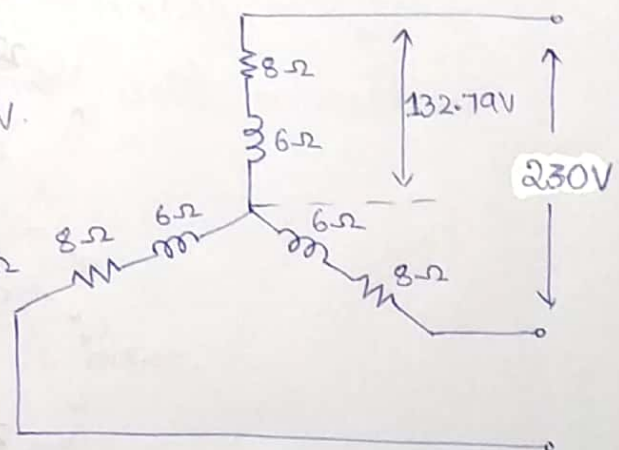
$$V_L = 230 \text{ V}$$

$$\Rightarrow V_{ph} = \frac{V_L}{\sqrt{3}} = \frac{230}{\sqrt{3}} = 132.79 \text{ V}$$

$$Z_{ph} = \sqrt{R_{ph}^2 + X_{ph}^2} = \sqrt{8^2 + 6^2} = 10 \Omega$$

$$\therefore I_{ph} = \frac{V_{ph}}{Z_{ph}} = \frac{132.79}{10}$$

$$I_{ph} = 13.279 \text{ A}$$



For star-connection, $I_L = I_{ph}$

$$\therefore \boxed{I_L = 13.279 \text{ A}}$$

$$\cos \phi = \frac{R_{ph}}{Z_{ph}} = \frac{8}{10} \Rightarrow \boxed{\cos \phi = 0.8}$$

Total power is,

$$P = \sqrt{3} V_L I_L \cos \phi$$
$$= \sqrt{3} \times 230 \times 13.279 \times 0.8$$

$$\boxed{P = 4231.98 \text{ W}}$$

Power per phase is

$$P_{ph} = \frac{P}{3} = \frac{4231.98}{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{P_{ph} = 1410.66 \text{ W}}$$

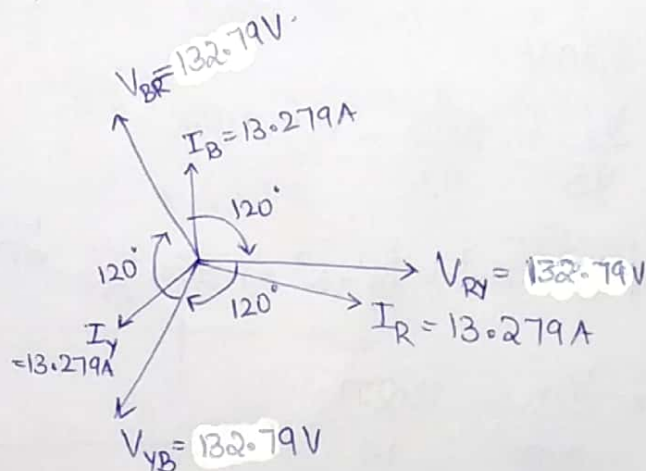
Reactive volt-ampere is,

$$Q = \sqrt{3} V_L I_L \sin \phi = 3 V_{ph} I_{ph} \sin \phi$$
$$= \sqrt{3} \times 230 \times 13.279 \times \sin[\cos^{-1}(0.8)]$$

$$\boxed{Q = 3173.73 \text{ VAR}}$$

Total volt-ampere is,

$$S = \frac{P}{\cos \phi} = \frac{4231.98}{0.8} \Rightarrow \boxed{S = 5289.97 \text{ VA}}$$



8. Calculate the current flowing into each terminal & in each phase of the winding of a 3 ϕ delta-connected induction motor developing an output of 250HP, at 2300V between the terminals at a power factor of 0.75 and efficiency of 85%.

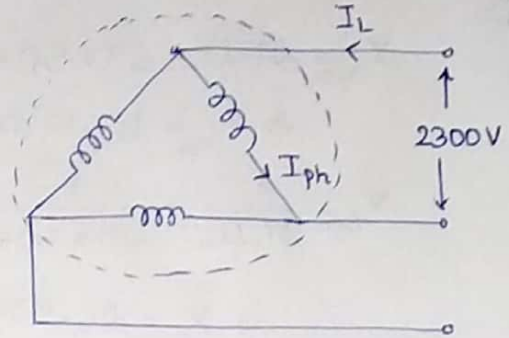
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$$V_L = 2300V$$

$$P_{out} = 250HP$$

$$\cos\phi = 0.75$$

$$\eta = 0.85$$



The motor input (electrical) power is,

$$P_{in} = \frac{P_{out}}{\eta} = \frac{250}{0.85} = 294.117HP$$

Expressing in kW,

$$P_{in} = (294.117 \times 0.7457) = 219.32kW$$

Now,

$$P_{in} = 3 V_{ph} I_{ph} \cos\phi$$

$$\Rightarrow I_{ph} = \frac{P_{in}}{3 V_{ph} \cos\phi} = \frac{219.32 \times 10^3}{3 \times 2300 \times 0.75}$$

$$\boxed{I_{ph} = 42.38A} \dots \text{current in each phase.}$$

Current flowing into each terminal = I_L

$$\therefore I_L = \sqrt{3} I_{ph} \dots \text{delta connection}$$

$$\therefore I_L = \sqrt{3} \times 42.38$$

$$\boxed{I_L = 73.4A}$$

9. A three-phase, 400V, 50Hz AC source is feeding a three-phase delta connected load with each phase having $R=25\Omega$, $L=0.15H$ and $C=120\mu F$, in series. Calculate the line current, volt-ampere, active power & reactive volt-ampere.

Solⁿ

$$X_{L_{ph}} = 2\pi fL = 2\pi \times 50 \times 0.15$$

$$\Rightarrow X_{L_{ph}} = 47.12\Omega$$

$$X_{C_{ph}} = \frac{1}{2\pi fC} = \frac{1}{2\pi \times 50 \times 120 \times 10^{-6}}$$

$$\Rightarrow X_{C_{ph}} = 26.525\Omega$$

$$X_L > X_C$$

$$\therefore Z_{ph} = R_{ph} + j(X_{L_{ph}} - X_{C_{ph}}) = 25 + j(47.12 - 26.525)$$

$$Z_{ph} = 25 + j20.595 \Rightarrow \cos\phi = \frac{R_{ph}}{Z_{ph}} = \frac{25}{32.39}$$

$$\therefore |Z_{ph}| = \sqrt{25^2 + 20.595^2} = 32.39\Omega$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos\phi = 0.771$$

The phase current is,

$$I_{ph} = \frac{V_{ph}}{Z_{ph}} = \frac{400}{32.39} = 12.35A$$

The line current is,

$$I_L = \sqrt{3} I_{ph} = \sqrt{3} \times 12.35$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{I_L = 21.38A}$$

The volt-ampere are,

$$S = \sqrt{3} V_L I_L = \sqrt{3} \times 400 \times 21.38 = 14812.49VA$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{S = 14.812kVA}$$

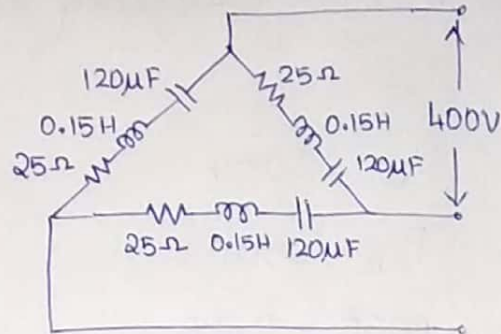
The active power is,

$$P = \sqrt{3} V_L I_L \cos\phi = S \cos\phi = 14.812 \times 0.771$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{P = 11.42kW}$$

The reactive volt-ampere are

$$Q = \sqrt{S^2 - P^2} = \sqrt{14.812^2 - 11.42^2} \Rightarrow \boxed{Q = 9.43kVAR}$$



Problems on two wattmeters method.

10. The power to a 3 ϕ induction motor was measured by two wattmeters method & the readings were 3400 and -1200 watts respectively. Calculate the total power & power factor.

Solⁿ

$$W_1 = 3400 \text{ W}$$

$$W_2 = -1200 \text{ W.}$$

The total power is

$$\begin{aligned} P &= W_1 + W_2 \\ &= 3400 - 1200 \end{aligned}$$

$$\boxed{P = 2200 \text{ W}}$$

The power factor is $\text{pf} = \cos \phi$, where ' ϕ ' is

$$\phi = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{\sqrt{3} (W_2 - W_1)}{W_1 + W_2} \right)$$

$$= \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{\sqrt{3} (-1200 - 3400)}{3400 - 1200} \right)$$

$$\phi = -74.565^\circ$$

$$\therefore \text{pf} = \cos \phi = \cos(-74.565)$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{\text{pf} = 0.266}$$

11. A 440V, 3 ϕ AC motor has an output of 80HP and operates at a power factor of 0.866 with an efficiency of 90%. Calculate
- the current in each phase of the delta connected motor
 - the readings of the two wattmeters connected to measure to input power.

Solⁿ

Output power is,

$$P_{out} = 80 \text{ HP} = 80 \times 0.7457 \text{ kW} = 59.656 \text{ kW}.$$

Input power is,

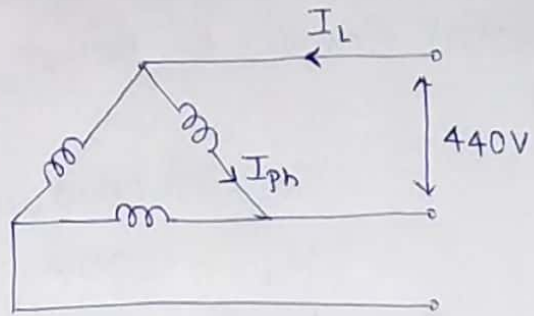
$$P_{in} = \frac{P_{out}}{\eta} = \frac{59.656}{0.9} = 66.28 \text{ kW} = W_1 + W_2 \rightarrow (1)$$

Also,

$$P_{in} = \sqrt{3} V_L I_L \cos \phi$$

$$\Rightarrow I_L = \frac{P_{in}}{\sqrt{3} V_L \cos \phi}$$

$$I_L = \frac{66.28 \times 10^3}{\sqrt{3} \times 440 \times 0.866} = 100.427 \text{ A}.$$



The current in each phase is,

$$I_{ph} = I_L / \sqrt{3} = 100.427 / \sqrt{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{I_{ph} = 57.98 \text{ A}}$$

Method-1 $\phi = \cos^{-1}(0.866) = 30^\circ$

$$W_1 = V_L I_L \cos(30 + \phi) = 440 \times 100.427 \times \cos(30 + 30)$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{W_1 = 22.093 \text{ kW}}$$

$$W_2 = V_L I_L \cos(30 - \phi) = 440 \times 100.427 \times \cos(30 - 30)$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{W_2 = 44.187 \text{ kW}}$$

Method-2

$$\tan \phi = \frac{\sqrt{3} (W_2 - W_1)}{W_1 + W_2} = \tan(30^\circ) = 0.5773$$

$$\Rightarrow 0.5773 = \frac{\sqrt{3} (W_2 - W_1)}{66.28} \Rightarrow W_2 - W_1 = 22.079 \rightarrow (2).$$

Solving (1) & (2), we get

$$\boxed{W_2 = 44.1795 \text{ kW}} \quad \text{and} \quad \boxed{W_1 = 22.1005 \text{ kW}}$$

12. Two wattmeters are used to measure power in a 3 ϕ balanced system. What is the power factor when

- i) both meters read equal
- ii) both meters read equal, but one is negative
- iii) one reads twice the other.
- iv) one of the meters reads zero.

Solⁿ

$$\text{power factor} = \cos \phi = \cos \left[\tan^{-1} \left(\frac{\sqrt{3}(W_2 - W_1)}{W_1 + W_2} \right) \right]$$

i) Given $W_1 = W_2$

$$\therefore \cos \phi = \cos \left[\tan^{-1} \left(\frac{\sqrt{3}(W_1 - W_1)}{W_1 + W_1} \right) \right] = \cos(0^\circ) = \underline{\underline{1}}$$

ii) Given $W_1 = -W_2$

$$\therefore \cos \phi = \cos \left[\tan^{-1} \left(\frac{\sqrt{3}(W_2 - (-W_1))}{-W_1 + W_2} \right) \right] = \cos(90^\circ) = \underline{\underline{0}}$$

(iii) Given $W_2 = 2W_1$

$$\therefore \cos \phi = \cos \left[\tan^{-1} \left(\frac{\sqrt{3}(2W_1 - W_1)}{2W_1 + W_1} \right) \right] = \cos(30.00^\circ) = \underline{\underline{0.866}}$$

(iv) Let $W_1 = 0$

$$\therefore \cos \phi = \cos \left[\tan^{-1} \left(\frac{\sqrt{3}(W_2 - 0)}{0 + W_2} \right) \right] = \cos(60^\circ) = \underline{\underline{0.5}}$$

13> Each of the two wattmeters connected to measure the input to a 3 ϕ circuit reads 10kW on a balanced load when the power factor is unity. What does each instrument read when the power factor falls to

- (i) 0.866 lagging (ii) 0.5 lagging,

assuming the total 3 ϕ power remains unchanged.

Solⁿ

case-1 :- When pf is unity

$$\cos\phi = 1 \Rightarrow \phi = 0^\circ$$

$$\therefore \tan\phi = \frac{\sqrt{3}(W_2 - W_1)}{W_1 + W_2} = \tan(0) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow W_1 = W_2$$

$$\therefore W_1 = W_2 = 10 \text{ kW (given)}$$

$$\therefore W_1 + W_2 = 20 \text{ kW}$$

case-2 :- When pf is 0.866 lagging

$$W_1 + W_2 = 20 \text{ kW} \longrightarrow (1)$$

$$\cos\phi = 0.866 \Rightarrow \phi = 30^\circ$$

$$\tan\phi = \tan 30^\circ = 0.577 = \frac{\sqrt{3}(W_2 - W_1)}{W_1 + W_2}$$

$$0.577 = \frac{\sqrt{3}(W_2 - W_1)}{20}$$

$$\Rightarrow W_2 - W_1 = 6.662 \longrightarrow (2)$$

Solving (1) & (2), we get

$$\boxed{W_2 = 13.331 \text{ kW}} \text{ and } \boxed{W_1 = 6.67 \text{ kW}}$$

case-3 :- When pf is 0.5 lagging

$$W_1 + W_2 = 20 \text{ kW} \longrightarrow (1)$$

$$\cos\phi = 0.5 \Rightarrow \phi = 60^\circ$$

$$\therefore \tan\phi = \tan 60^\circ = 1.732 = \frac{\sqrt{3}(W_2 - W_1)}{W_1 + W_2}$$

$$\Rightarrow 1.732 = \frac{\sqrt{3}(W_2 - W_1)}{20}$$

$$\Rightarrow W_2 - W_1 = 20 \longrightarrow (3)$$

Solving (1) and (3), we get

$$\boxed{W_1 = 0 \text{ kW}} \text{ and } \boxed{W_2 = 20 \text{ kW}}$$

14. Two wattmeters connected in a balanced system indicate 4.5 kW and -0.5 kW . What is the total power and power factor of the circuit.

Sol.ⁿ

$$W_1 = -0.5\text{ kW}$$

$$W_2 = 4.5\text{ kW}$$

Total power in the circuit,

$$P = W_1 + W_2 \\ = -0.5 + 4.5$$

$$\boxed{P = 4\text{ kW}}$$

$$\tan \phi = \frac{\sqrt{3}(W_2 - W_1)}{W_1 + W_2} = \frac{\sqrt{3}[4.5 - (-0.5)]}{4.5 - 0.5} = 2.165$$

$$\Rightarrow \phi = 65.208^\circ$$

\therefore Power factor is

$$\text{pf} = \cos \phi = \cos(65.208)$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{\text{pf} = 0.4193}$$

15. A 3ϕ , star-connected load draws a line current of 25 A . The load kVA and kW are 20 and 16 respectively. Find the readings on each of the two wattmeters used to measure the three-phase power.

Sol.ⁿ

$$\text{kVA} = 20$$

$$\text{kW} = 16$$

$$\text{kW} = \text{kVA} \times \cos \phi \Rightarrow \cos \phi = \frac{\text{kW}}{\text{kVA}} = \frac{16}{20} = 0.8$$

$$\therefore \phi = 36.87^\circ$$

Since kW i.e. active power is 16 ,

$$\Rightarrow W_1 + W_2 = 16 \rightarrow (1)$$

$$\tan \phi = \tan(36.87^\circ) = \frac{\sqrt{3}(W_2 - W_1)}{W_1 + W_2}$$

$$0.75 = \frac{\sqrt{3}(W_2 - W_1)}{16}$$

$$\Rightarrow W_2 - W_1 = 6.928 \rightarrow (2)$$

Solving (1) & (2), we get

$$2W_2 = 22.928$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{W_2 = 11.464 \text{ kW}}$$

Substituting in (2),

$$W_1 = 11.464 - 6.928$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{W_1 = 4.536 \text{ kW}}$$

16. If the readings on the two wattmeters in a 3 ϕ balanced load are 836W and 224W, the latter reading being obtained after the reversal of the current coil connections, calculate the power & power factor of the load.

Solⁿ

$$W_2 = 836 \text{ W}$$

$$W_1 = -224 \text{ W (as it is obtained after current coil connections are reversed)}$$

$$\therefore \tan \phi = \frac{\sqrt{3}(W_2 - W_1)}{W_1 + W_2} = \frac{\sqrt{3}(836 + 224)}{836 - 224} = 3$$

$$\Rightarrow \phi = 71.56^\circ$$

\therefore Power factor is,

$$\text{pf} = \cos \phi$$

$$= \cos(71.56^\circ)$$

$$\boxed{\text{pf} = 0.316}$$

Total power is

$$P = W_1 + W_2 = 836 - 224$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{P = 612 \text{ W}}$$

17. Each branch of a 3ϕ , star-connected load consists of a coil with $R = 4.2\Omega$ and $X = 5.6\Omega$. The load is supplied by a line voltage of 415V , 50Hz . The total power supplied by the load is measured using two wattmeters. Find their readings.

Solⁿ

$$Z_{ph} = \sqrt{4.2^2 + 5.6^2} = 7\Omega.$$

$$I_{ph} = \frac{V_{ph}}{Z_{ph}} = \frac{(V_L/\sqrt{3})}{Z_{ph}}$$
$$= \frac{(415/\sqrt{3})}{7}$$

$$I_{ph} = 34.23 \text{ A}$$

$$I_L = I_{ph} = 34.23 \text{ A}$$

$$\cos\phi = \frac{R_{ph}}{Z_{ph}} = \frac{4.2}{7} = 0.6 \Rightarrow \phi = 53.13^\circ$$

\therefore Total power is,

$$P = \sqrt{3} V_L I_L \cos\phi = \sqrt{3} \times 415 \times 34.23 \times 0.6$$

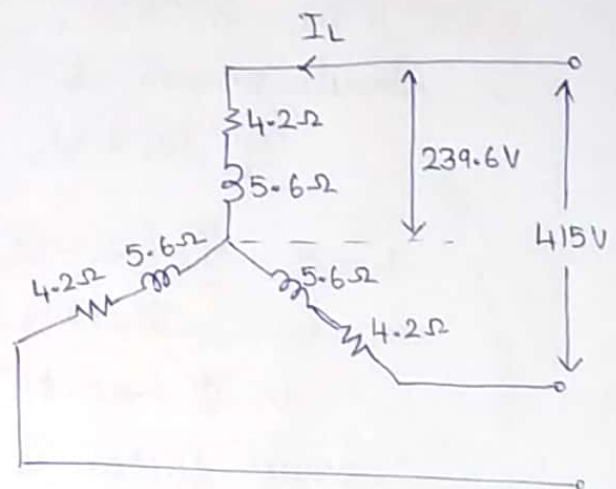
$$\Rightarrow P = 14762.74 \text{ W}$$

If two wattmeters are used to measure power, then $W_1 + W_2 = P$

$$\Rightarrow W_1 + W_2 = 14762.74 \text{ W} \rightarrow (1)$$

$$\tan\phi = \frac{\sqrt{3}(W_2 - W_1)}{W_1 + W_2} \Rightarrow \tan(53.13^\circ) = \frac{\sqrt{3}(W_2 - W_1)}{14762.74}$$

$$\Rightarrow W_2 - W_1 = 11364.36 \rightarrow (2)$$



Solving (1) & (2), we get

$$W_1 = 1699.19 \text{ W}$$

and $W_2 = 13063.55 \text{ W}$

13. The power input to a 2000V, 50Hz, 3 ϕ motor running on full-load at an efficiency of 90% is measured by two wattmeters which indicate 300kW and 100kW respectively. Calculate (i) input, (ii) power factor (iii) line current (iv) HP output

Solⁿ

$$W_1 = 300 \text{ kW}, \quad W_2 = 100 \text{ kW}.$$

\therefore Input power is

$$P_{in} = W_1 + W_2 \Rightarrow \boxed{P_{in} = 400 \text{ kW}}$$

$$\tan \phi = \frac{\sqrt{3}(W_2 - W_1)}{W_1 + W_2} = \frac{\sqrt{3}(100 - 300)}{100 + 300} = -0.866$$

$$\Rightarrow \phi = -40.89^\circ$$

\therefore power factor is

$$pf = \cos \phi = \cos(40.89^\circ) \Rightarrow \boxed{pf = 0.7559}$$

The three-phase power is

$$P = \sqrt{3} V_L I_L \cos \phi$$

$$\Rightarrow I_L = \frac{P}{\sqrt{3} V_L \cos \phi} = \frac{400 \times 10^3}{\sqrt{3} \times 2000 \times 0.7559}$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{I_L = 152.758 \text{ A}}$$

The HP output is

$$P_{out} (\text{HP}) = \eta \times P_{in} (\text{HP}) = \left[\frac{P_{in} (\text{kW})}{0.7457} \right] \times \eta$$

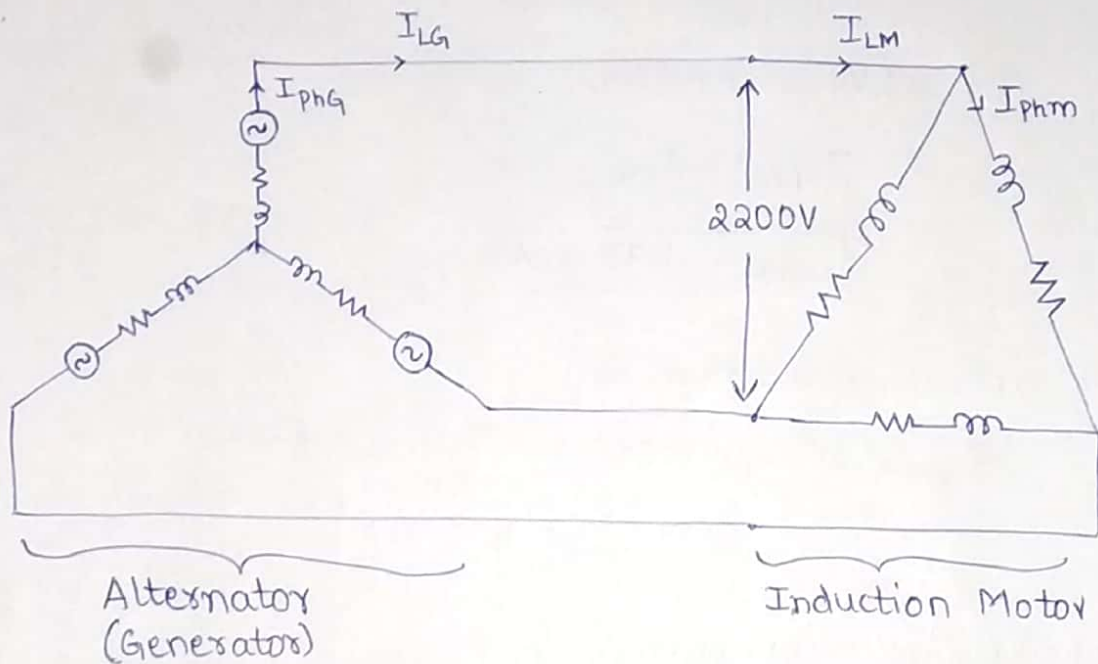
$$= \frac{(400 / 0.7457) \times 0.9}{0.9}$$

$$\boxed{P_{out} = 482.767 \text{ HP}}$$

19. A 3 ϕ , star-connected alternator feeds a 2000HP, delta connected induction motor having a pf of 0.85 and an efficiency of 0.93. Calculate the current and the active & reactive components of the currents in
- each alternator phase
 - each motor phase.

The line voltage is 2200V.

Solⁿ:



Given, motor output $P_{out} = 2000\text{HP} = 1491.4\text{ kW}$.

$$\text{Motor input is, } P_{in} = \frac{P_{out}}{\eta} = \frac{1491.4}{0.93} = 1603.65\text{ kW}.$$

This power input is,

$$P_{in} = \sqrt{3} V_L I_L \cos\phi$$

$$\Rightarrow I_L = \frac{P_{in}}{\sqrt{3} V_L \cos\phi} = \frac{1603.65 \times 10^3}{\sqrt{3} \times 2200 \times 0.85}$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{I_{L(\text{motor})} = 495.11\text{ A}} \quad \bullet$$

Active component of current, $I_{phma} = (I_{LM} \cos\phi) / \sqrt{3}$
 $= (495.11 \times 0.85) / \sqrt{3}$

$$\boxed{I_{phma} = 242.978\text{ A}}$$

Reactive component is

$$I_{phmr} = I_{phm} \sin \phi$$
$$= (495.11/\sqrt{3}) \sin [\cos^{-1}(0.85)]$$

$$\boxed{I_{phmr} = 150.58 \text{ A}}$$

For the generator, the line current is

$$I_{LG} = I_{LM}$$

$$\therefore I_{LG} = 495.11 \text{ A}$$

For star connection,

$$I_{phG} = I_{LG}$$

$$\therefore \boxed{I_{phG} = 495.11 \text{ A}}$$

The active component is,

$$I_{phGA} = I_{phG} \cos \phi = 495.11 \times 0.85$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{I_{phGA} = 420.84 \text{ A}}$$

The reactive component is,

$$I_{phGR} = I_{phG} \sin \phi = 495.11 \times \sin [\cos^{-1} 0.85]$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{I_{phGR} = 260.81 \text{ A}}$$