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Instructions

1. Closed book examination.
2. Read the questions carefully
3. Answer **ALL the 5 questions**
4. Marks for each question are indicated
5. Start each question on a fresh paper
6. Additional materials: None

QUESTION 1 [20]

- 1.1 How do the synchronizing lamps indicate the correctness of phase sequence between existing and incoming Alternators? [3]
- 1.2 A 3-Phase, 5 kVA, 208 V, four-pole, 60 Hz, star-connected synchronous machine has negligible stator winding resistance and a synchronous reactance of 8 ohms per phase at rated terminal voltage. The machine is first operated as a generator in parallel with a 3- Phase, 208 V, 60 Hz power supply.
- 1.2.1 Determine the excitation voltage and the power angle when the machine is delivering rated kVA at 0.8 PF lagging. Draw the phasor diagram for this condition. [7]
- 1.2.2 If the field excitation current is now increased by 20 percent (without changing the prime mover power), find the stator current, power factor, and reactive kVA supplied by the machine. [7]
- 1.2.3 With the field current as in (a), the prime mover power is slowly increased. What is the steady-state (or static) stability limit? What are the corresponding values of the stator (or armature) current and power factor at this maximum power transfer condition? [3]

QUESTION 2 [20]

- 2.1 During the preliminary design of a 270 kW, 3600 volts, 3 phase, 8 pole 50 Hz slip ring induction motor the following design data have been obtained: Gross length of the stator core = 0.38 m, Internal diameter of the stator = 0.67 m, Outer diameter of the stator = 0.86 m, No. of stator slots = 96, No. of conductors /slot = 12, Efficiency = 91%, Full load power factor of 0.89, $K_w = 0.955$. Based on the above information determine flux per pole for the motor. [4]
- 2.2 A generating station for a power system consists of four 120-MVA, 15-kV, 0.85-PF lagging synchronous generators with identical speed droop characteristics operating in parallel. The governors on the generators' prime movers are adjusted to produce a 3-Hz drop from no load to full load. Three of these generators are each supplying a steady 75- MW at a frequency of 60-Hz, while the fourth generator (called the swing generator) handles all incremental load changes on the system while maintaining the system's frequency at 60-Hz.
- 2.2.1 At a given instant, the total system loads are 260 MW at a frequency of 60 Hz. What are the no-load frequencies of each of the system's generators? [7]
- 2.2.2 If the system load rises to 290 MW and the generator's governor set points do not change, what will the new system frequency be? [2]
- 2.2.3 To what frequency must the no-load frequency of the swing generator be adjusted in order to restore the system frequency to 60 Hz? [4]

- 2.2.4 If the system is operating at the conditions described in **Q. 2.2.3**, what would happen if the swing generator were tripped off the line (disconnected from the power line)? [3]

QUESTION 3 [20]

- 3.1 What is the effect on speed if the load is increased on a 3-phase synchronous motor? [2]
- 3.2 What happens when the field current of a synchronous motor is increased beyond the normal value at constant input? [3]
- 3.3 A three- phase 1MVA, 2300 V, 60 Hz 8-pole synchronous machine has negligible stator resistance and synchronous reactance of 1.25Ω at rated terminal voltage. The machine is connected to an infinite bus and runs at 95% efficiency at rated speed. Determine
- 3.3.1 The synchronous reactance X_s in p.u. [3]
- 3.3.2 The excitation voltage and power angle when machine operates as synchronous motor at 0.85 power factor lagging and deliver 373 kW. [5]
- 3.3.3 The field current is now reduced by 40%, keeping the power output the same as in **Q. 3.3.2**. Find the stator current and power factor [7]

QUESTION 4 [20]

- 4.1 Explain why transformers connected in parallel should have:
- 4.1.1 Same Line Voltages [2]
- 4.1.2 Almost same leakage reactance [2]
- 4.2 A 2 MVA three-phase, 33/6.6 kV, delta/star transformer has a primary resistance of 8Ω per phase and a secondary resistance of 0.08 ohm per phase. The percentage impedance is 7%. Calculate the secondary terminal voltage, regulation and efficiency at full load and 0.75 power factor lagging when the iron losses are 15 kW [16]

QUESTION 5 [20]

- 5.1 Choice of Power factor and Efficiency plays very important role in design of Induction Motors. State **FOUR (4)** factors you will consider in determining the right Power factor and Efficiency when designing Induction Motors [4]

5.2 Explain the importance of adhering to standard specifications in design of electric machines [4]

5.3 Determine the main dimensions of the core, the number of turns and cross-sectional area of the conductors in the primary and secondary windings of a 100 kVA, 2200/ 480 V, 1-Phase, 50 Hz, core type transformer, Assume: Volt / turn = 7.5, maximum flux density = 1.2 T. Ratio of effective cross— sectional area-of the core to square of diameter of circumscribing circle, window space factor = 0.28 window proportion = 2 :1, current density = 2.5A/mm² [12]

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