

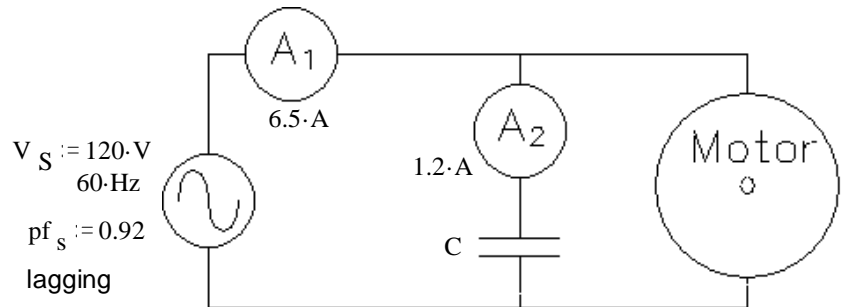
ECE 3600 Exam 1
Given Fall 2020

Open Book, Open notes, Calculators OK, No communication with anyone but Arn.
Show all work to receive credit. Circle answers, show units, and round off reasonably

1. (38 pts) A capacitor (C) is used to partially correct the power factor of a motor to 0.92. That is, the power factor as seen by the source is 0.92. Two ammeters (A_1 and A_2) read the currents shown.

Find the following:

- a) The original power factor of the motor.
As part of your solution, find the P and Q of the motor.



If you can't find this power factor, mark an x here _____ and assume $\text{pf}_m = 0.82$ for the rest of the problem.

You may salvage some points from a) if you find the motor Q from this pf_m , otherwise skip to b)

b) How much current flows through the motor (magnitude).

c) Add an additional component to the drawing above in order to completely correct the power factor.
Find the value of the component.

d) What would ammeter A_1 measure now that the power factor has been completely corrected?

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2. (34 pts) A 3-phase generator produces 300-V, 60-Hz 3-phase power. It is connected through 3 lines to a single, balanced, 3-phase load, which consumes 3.6 kW with a 82% lagging power factor. Each line has a resistance of $R_{\text{line}} = 1.5\Omega$ and an unknown reactance of X_{line} . The line current is 10A .

Source end: 300-V Lines: $R_{\text{line}} := 1.5\cdot\Omega$ & $X_{\text{line}}=?$ $I_L := 10\cdot\text{A}$ Load end: 3.6 kW, 82% pf, lagging

a) Find the complex power (P and Q) provided by the source.

b) What is the line voltage at the load? Just magnitude.

c) What is the value of the line reactance? $X_{\text{line}} = ?$

d) What is the efficiency of this system?

3. (28 pts) A primary of a 3:1 step-down transformer is hooked to a 360-V source. **ECE 3600 Exam 1 Fall 20 p3**
 The transformer is loaded with the Z_L shown below. The known characteristics of the transformer are as follows:

$$R_m := 800 \cdot \Omega \quad R_s := 2 \cdot \Omega \quad X_s := 3 \cdot \Omega \quad Z_L := (5 + 2 \cdot j) \cdot \Omega$$

a) Draw a circuit or model which will help you answer questions about this transformer.

b) Find the secondary voltage. Magnitude only. $|V_2| = ?$

c) The source provides $Q_S := 1300 \cdot \text{VAR}$ Find X_m

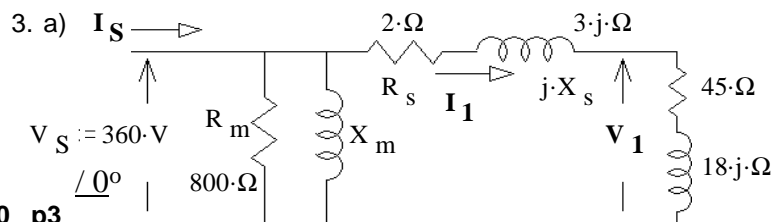
Answers 1. a) 717.6-W 449.7-VAR 0.847 b) 7.06-A c) 56.3- μF cap in parallel with C d) 5.98-A

2. a) $4.05 + 3.26 \cdot j$ kVA

b) 253.5-V

c) $2.48 \cdot \Omega$

d) 88.9-%



b) 113-V

c) 475- Ω