ECE 3600 Exam 3 given: Fall 24

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Write Legibly! Closed book, Closed notes, Calculator OK.

(28 pts) Questions If I can't read what you've written or your answer is ambiguous, I'll assume you don't know.

The following questions pertain to a 3-phase synchronous machine.
a) Label all the phasors and angles shown.



b) Is this phasor diagram for a motor or a generator?

c) Judging by the phasor diagram, is the machine using + or - reactive power?

d) Label the diagram with the voltage and current labels used in a). Also label anything else of importance.



e) Express the relationship between the 3 voltage phasors above (they can be complex numbers).

- 2. What is the purpose of the capacitor often used with a single-phase induction motor?
- 3. List at least 3 common long-distance high-voltage transmission line voltages given in class.
- 4. What insulates the wires from one another in an overhead transmission line?
- 5. a) What does the term "bundling" mean for high-voltage transmission lines?
 - b) Name at least 2 important reasons for doing this. (advantages)
 - c) Are there disadvantages? Answer no or name one or more.
- 6. You have the stator of a 3-phase motor which you suspect may be bad. It has 3 connections (3 wires connected to the stator in an unknown way). Let's call these connections or wires X, Y, & Z. X, Y, & Z are not connected to anything else at this time. This stator may be from a synchronous motor, an induction motor, or even from a so-called brushless DC motor.

Describe a simple test, using one or more measurements made with a simple multimeter which would very-likely show whether the windings were OK or not. Be sure to say how you would interpret the results of the measurement(s).

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- (25 pts) A 1/4-hp, 120-V, 60-Hz, single-phase, capacitor-run, induction motor has two identical windings set 90° apart in the motor housing. Each winding draws 3 A at 30° lag when the rotor is locked and 1 A at 10° lag when the motor is running at its rated speed.
 - a) Find the ideal capacitor to place in series with one of the windings at startup.
 - Note: the ideal capacitor would create the ideal phase difference between the winding currents.

b) Find the input power at **rated speed** with this capacitor in place.

c) Instead of the capacitor found in part a), choose a different capacitor to make the current magnitude in the two windings exactly the same at rated speed. (Don't worry about the phase angles.)

- 2. (25 pts) A 2-hp, shunt excited dc motor has the following nameplate information: 150 V, 1000 rpm, 14 A. The 14 A includes 1 A of field current. Assume rotational losses are 200 W and are constant.
 - $V_T \coloneqq 150 \cdot V \qquad n_{FL} \coloneqq 1000 \cdot rpm \qquad I_{FL} \coloneqq 14 \cdot A \qquad I_F \coloneqq 1 \cdot A \qquad P_{rot} \coloneqq 200 \cdot W$ a) Find R_A $1 \cdot hp = 745.7 \cdot W$

b) Find the no-load armature current. Show the algebra needed to find ${\rm I}_{\rm A}$ from the basic equations.

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c) Find the no-load shaft speed.

d) NO

d) Is this speed likely to damage the motor?

f) A mechanical load on the motor and the motor slows down to: $n_{new} := 1100 \cdot rpm$ Find the load power at this speed.



- 2. Make the current in one of the windings lead the other, so as to get a spinning magnetic field and start the motor.
- 3. 3 of these: 115·kV 230·kV 345·kV 500·kV 765·kV

1. a) 33.2·µF

- 4. Air (and distance)
- 5. a) Using more than one conductor per phase. b) 2 of these: Reduce corona discharge Decrease line inductance Increase line capacitance
- 6. Use the multimeter to measure the resistance between X and Y (R_{XY}), between X and Z (R_{XZ}), and between Y and Z (R_{YZ}). They should all be small and equal, if not, the winding is probably bad. $R_{XY} = R_{YZ} = R_{YZ}$ Must be true, if not, there is problem.

b)
$$215.6 \cdot W$$
 c) $63.6 \cdot \mu F$ d) $236.4 \cdot W$ 2. a) $1.530 \cdot \Omega$ b) $1.35 \cdot A$ c) $1137 \cdot rpm$

3. a) 400·rpm b) 222.5·rpm c) 200·rpm d) 120·rpm ECE 3600 Exam 3 Fall 24 p5 f) 443.6·W

3. (22 pts) The torque-speed characteristics of a permanent-magnet DC motor are shown below. The top line is the induced torque. The lower line is torque lost to friction inside the motor.



b) The curve below shows a load curve which is coupled to this motor. Graphically determine motor and load speed.



For parts c) and d) The terminal voltage of the motor is reduced by half.

- c) Find the new no-load speed,
- d) Graphically determine the new motor speed when coupled to the load of part b). Also show the operating points for parts b) and d) on the curve above.

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