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INSTITUTE OF AERONAUTICAL ENGINEERING

(Autonomous)

B.Tech IV Semester End Examinations (Regular / Supplementary) - May 2019

Regulation: IARE – R16

AC MACHINES

Time: 3 Hours

(EEE)

Max Marks: 70

Answer ONE Question from each Unit

All Questions Carry Equal Marks

All parts of the question must be answered in one place only

UNIT – I

1. (a) Describe the constructional details of three phase squirrel cage induction motors with neat sketches. [7M]
 (b) The power input to the rotor of a 400 V, 50.Hz, 6-pole, three-phase induction motor is 20 kW. The slip is 3%. Calculate (i) the frequency of rotor current (ii) rotor speed (iii) rotor copper losses and (iv) rotor resistance per phase if rotor current is 60 A. [7M]
2. (a) Derive the equation of developed torque in three phase induction motor and state the effect of increase in rotor resistance on torque developed by motor. [7M]
 (b) A 400V, 3-Phase, 50 Hz, star connected induction motor has following per phase parameters $R_1=0.15 \Omega$, $X_1=0.45 \Omega$, $R_2=0.12 \Omega$ and $X_2=0.45 \Omega$, $X_m=28.5\Omega$. Fixed losses(core, friction and windage losses)=400 watts. Compute the stator current, rotor speed, power factor, output torque developed in N-M, output power developed,when the motor is operated at rated voltage and frequency at a slip of 4%. [7M]

UNIT – II

3. (a) List the speed control methods of three phase induction motor. Explain any two methods in detail. [7M]
 (b) A three phase, 400 V slip ring induction motor gave the following test readings;
 No load test : 400 V, 1250 W, 9 A,
 Blocked rotor test : 150 V, 4 kW, 38 A
 Draw the circle diagram. If the normal rating is 14.9 kW, Evaluate the full load value of current, power factor and slip from the circle diagram. [7M]
4. (a) Explain the working of induction generator. Explain the construction details and working of star-delta starter used in three phase induction motor. [7M]
 (b) A 6 pole, 50 Hz, three phase induction motor is running at 3% slip when delivering full load torque. It has standstill rotor resistance of 0.2Ω and reactance of 0.4Ω per phase. Calculate the speed of the motor if an additional resistance of 0.6Ω per phase is inserted in the rotor circuit. The full load torque remains constant. [7M]

UNIT – III

5. (a) Explain the ASA method of finding the voltage regulation with relevant sketches. [7M]
(b) Two 20 MVA, three phase alternators operate in parallel to supply a load of 35MVA at 0.8 power factor lagging. If the output of one machine is 25 MVA at 0.9 lagging, compute the output and power factor of the other machine. [7M]
6. (a) What is voltage regulation? Explain the synchronous impedance method for the determination of voltage regulation of an alternator. [7M]
(b) Two alternators with identical speed/load characteristics are connected in parallel. Their induced emfs are $3000\angle 20^\circ$ V and $2900\angle 0^\circ$ V, synchronous impedances are $(2 + j20)$ Ω /phase and $(2.5 + j30)$ Ω /phase respectively. The load is connected with impedance of $(10 + j4)$ Ω /phase. Find the load terminal voltage and circulating current under no load. [7M]

UNIT – IV

7. (a) Write short notes on synchronous condenser and construction of 'V' curves. [7M]
(b) A 400 V, 50 Hz, 3 phase, 37.5 kW, star connected synchronous motor has a full load efficiency of 88%. The synchronous impedance of the motor is $(0.2 + j 1.6)$ ohm per phase. If the excitation of the motor is adjusted to give a leading power factor of 0.9, calculate the excitation emf and the total mechanical power developed. [7M]
8. (a) Draw and explain power and excitation circles of synchronous motor. [7M]
(b) A 75 kW, 400 V, 4 pole, three phase star connected synchronous motor has a resistance and synchronous reactance per phase of 0.04 Ω and 0.4 Ω respectively. Compute for full load 0.8 power factor lead the open circuit emf per phase and mechanical power developed. Assume an efficiency of 92.5% [7M]

UNIT – V

9. (a) Using double field revolving theory, explain why a single phase induction motor is not self starting. Also obtain the equivalent circuit of single phase induction motor. [7M]
(b) The following data pertains to a 230 V, 50 Hz capacitor start single phase induction motor at stand still. Main winding excited alone=100V, 2A, 40 W.
Auxiliary winding excited alone= 80 V, 1 A, 50 W.
Determine the value of capacitance for determining the maximum torque. [7M]
10. (a) Explain the different types of starting methods of single phase induction motor and also draw the torque speed characteristics. [7M]
(b) A single phase induction motor has stator windings in space quadrature and is supplied with a single phase voltage of 200V at 50Hz. The standstill impedance of the main winding is $(5.2+10.1j)$ and the auxiliary winding is $(19.7+14.2j)$. Find the value of capacitance to be inserted in the auxiliary winding for maximum starting torque. [7M]

