

ELECTRICAL MACHINES
(MECH 3133)

Time Allotted : 3 hrs

Full Marks : 70

Figures out of the right margin indicate full marks.

*Candidates are required to answer Group A and
any 5 (five) from Group B to E, taking at least one from each group.*

Candidates are required to give answer in their own words as far as practicable.

Group – A
(Multiple Choice Type Questions)

1. Choose the correct alternative for the following: **10 × 1 = 10**
- (i) The current drawn by a 120V d.c. motor of armature resistance 0.5Ω and back emf 110V is
(a) 20A (b) 220A (c) 240A (d) 5A.
- (ii) A separately excited dc generator is operating at 220V. The core loss in the machine is 200W when supplying a current of 30A to the loads. Find the armature resistance (in Ω) given that the machine is working on maximum efficiency.
(a) 0.22Ω (b) 0.25Ω (c) 0.3Ω (d) 0.35Ω .
- (iii) The essential condition for parallel operation of two single phase transformers is that they should have same
(a) polarity (b) KVA rating
(c) voltage ratio (d) percentage impedance.
- (iv) A transformer will have maximum voltage regulation at
(a) zero pf (b) leading pf (c) lagging pf (d) unity pf.
- (v) A transformer will have maximum efficiency when
(a) Iron loss=Copper loss (b) Iron loss>Copper loss
(c) Iron loss<Copper loss (d) None of these.
- (vi) A three phase, 50Hz induction motor has a full load speed of 1440rpm. The full load slip will be
(a) 3% (b) 5% (c) 4% (d) 2%.
- (vii) The rotor power output of a 3 phase induction motor is 15kW and corresponding slip is 4%. The rotor copper loss is
(a) 700W (b) 625W (c) 600W (d) 650W.
- (viii) The friction and windage losses in a three phase induction motor are 400W, the output power is 1000W and the air-gap power is 1443W. Find the slip of the machine.
(a) 0.05 (b) 0.03 (c) 0.04 (d) 0.06.

- (ix) The maximum power developed in a synchronous motor occurs at a coupling angle of
(a) 30° (b) 60° (c) 90° (d) 180° .
- (x) A synchronous motor can be used as synchronous capacitor when it is
(a) overloaded (b) underloaded (c) overexcited (d) underexcited.

Group- B

2. (a) Mention the conditions required for voltage build up in self-excited generators. [[CO1](Analyze/IOCQ)]
- (b) A 250V shunt motor on no load runs at 1000rpm and takes 5A. The total armature and shunt field resistance are respectively 0.2Ω and 250Ω . Calculate the speed when loaded and taking current of 50A, if the armature reaction weakens the field by 3%. [[CO2](Evaluate/HOCQ)]
- (c) What are the different types of excitations in DC machine? [[CO1](Remember/LOCQ)]
- 4 + 5 + 3 = 12**
3. (a) Derive the emf equation of a dc generator. [[CO1](Analyze/IOCQ)]
- (b) A 250V dc shunt motor having an armature resistance of 0.25Ω carries an armature current of 50A and runs at 750r.p.m. If the flux is reduced by 10%, find the speed. Assume that the load torque remains same. [[CO2](Evaluate/HOCQ)]
- (c) Define armature reaction? What is the effect on generated voltage due to armature reaction? [[CO1](Remember/LOCQ)]
- 4 + 5 + (2 + 1) = 12**

Group - C

4. (a) Describe the phasor diagram of transformer working under lagging power factor load. [[CO3](Understanding/LOCQ)]
- (b) Derive the condition of maximum voltage regulation for a single phase transformer. [[CO3](Apply/IOCQ)]
- (c) A 150kVA transformer has an iron loss of 700W and full load copper loss of 1600W. Estimate the efficiency of the transformer delivering 75% of rated load at a power factor of 0.7 lagging. [[CO3](Evaluate/HOCQ)]
- 4 + 5 + 3 = 12**
5. (a) Describe briefly the derivation of EMF equation of a transformer. [[CO3](Understand/LOCQ)]
- (b) The open circuit and short circuit test on a 5KVA, 200/400V, 50Hz single phase transformer gave the following results:
O.C.Test: 200V, 1.25A, 150W (l.v. side)
S.C.Test: 20V, 12.5A, 175W (h.v. side)
Calculate the equivalent circuit parameters of the transformer. [[CO3](Analyze/IOCQ)]

- (c) A 415/220V single phase transformer takes a no load current of 1A at a power factor of 0.19 lagging. Estimate the primary current when the secondary supplies a current of 100A at a power factor of 0.8 lagging. [[CO3](Evaluate/HOCQ)]
4 + 5 + 3 = 12

Group – D

6. (a) Explain how rotating magnetic field is produced in a three phase induction motor. [[CO4](Understand/LOCQ)]
(b) Sketch and analyze the torque-slip characteristics of 3 phase induction motor. How do starting and maximum torque vary with rotor resistance? [[CO4](Analyze/IOCQ)]
(c) A 4 pole induction motor is fed from a 50Hz ac supply and has a rotor speed of 1425r.p.m. Find (i) slip speed (ii) % slip (iii) rotor frequency. [[CO4](Evaluate/HOCQ)]
4 + 5 + 3 = 12
7. (a) Explain how plugging is carried out in an induction motor. [[CO4](Understand/LOCQ)]
(b) Examine the method of speed control for an induction motor by rotor resistance control. [[CO4](Analyze/IOCQ)]
(c) A 500V, 6P, 3 phase, 50Hz IM develops 20kW inclusive of mechanical losses when running at 995rpm at a power factor of 0.87. Calculate (i) slip (ii) rotor copper loss (iii) total input if the stator losses are 1500W. [[CO4](Evaluate/HOCQ)]
4 + 5 + 3 = 12

Group - E

8. (a) Define the following terms:
(i) Coil span (ii) Pole pitch (iii) Full-pitch coil (iv) Chorded coil (v) Pitch factor (vi) Distribution factor. [[CO5](Remember/LOCQ)]
(b) A 3 phase, 400V synchronous motor takes 52.5A at a power factor of 0.8 leading. Determine the induced emf and the power supplied, the motor impedance per phase is $(0.25 + j3.2) \Omega$. [[CO6](Analyze/IOCQ)]
6 + 6 = 12
9. (a) Derive an expression for the power developed in a 3 phase synchronous motor. [[CO6](Remember/LOCQ)]
(b) A 3-phase star connected alternator is rated at 1600kVA, 13500V. The armature effective resistance and synchronous reactance are 1.5Ω and 30Ω respectively per phase. Calculate the percentage regulation for a load of 1280kW at power factors of (i) 0.8 leading (ii) unity. [[CO5](Evaluate/HOCQ)]
6 + 6 = 12

Cognition Level	LOCQ	IOCQ	HOCQ
Percentage distribution	35.42	35.42	29.16

Course Outcome (CO):

After the completion of the course students will be able to

- C01: Acquire the knowledge of the constructional details and operating principle of DC generator and analyze the performance under various operating conditions to solve complex electrical engineering problems.
- C02: Acquire the knowledge of the operating principle of DC motor and analyze the performance under various operating conditions to solve complex electrical engineering problems.
- C03: Identify and analyze the problems related to performance analysis of single phase transformer reaching substantiated conclusion.
- C04: Identify, formulate and solve the numerical problems related to three phase induction motor.
- C05: Acquire the knowledge of synchronous generator to identify and analyze the problems related to performance analysis.
- C06: Understand the knowledge of synchronous motor to solve complex engineering problems related to various applications.

*LOCQ: Lower Order Cognitive Question; IOCQ: Intermediate Order Cognitive Question; HOCQ: Higher Order Cognitive Question