

Code: AE10

Subject: ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING

AMIETE - ET (OLD SCHEME)

Time: 3 Hours

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Max. Marks: 100

NOTE: There are 9 Questions in all.

- Please write your Roll No. at the space provided on each page immediately after receiving the Question Paper.
- Question 1 is compulsory and carries 20 marks. Answer to Q.1 must be written in the space provided for it in the answer book supplied and nowhere else.
- The answer sheet for the Q.1 will be collected by the invigilator after 45 Minutes of the commencement of the examination.
- Out of the remaining EIGHT Questions answer any FIVE Questions. Each question carries 16 marks.
- Any required data not explicitly given, may be suitably assumed and stated.

Q.1 Choose the correct or the best alternative in the following: (2×10)

a. One of the following of 3-phase transformer used in distribution has

- (A) Delta-Delta connection (B) Star-Star connection
(C) Star-Delta connection (D) Delta-Star connection

b. At constant supply voltage, with rise in frequency Iron losses of transformer

- (A) Decreases (B) Increases
(C) Remains constant (D) None of the above

c. In cylindrical rotor synchronous machine

- (A) $X_d > X_q$ (B) $X_d < X_q$
(C) $X_d = X_q$ (D) None of the above

d. Which of the following motor is used in domestic appliances?

- (A) DC series motor (B) DC shunt motor
(C) DC compound motor (D) Universal motor

e. Single Phase Induction motor has

- (A) Rotating magnetic field (B) No magnetic field
(C) Zero starting torque (D) Pulsating torque

f. Which of the following curve (Fig.1) represent torque Vs. armature current characteristic of a DC series motor?

- (A) Curve a
(B) Curve b
(C) Curve c
(D) Curve d

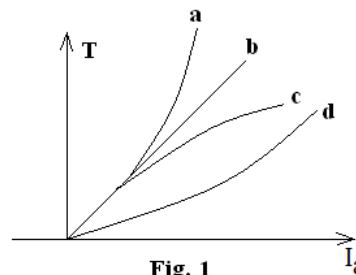


Fig. 1

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- g. Slip(s) at which 3-phase induction motor develops maximum torque is
- (A) $s=0$ (B) $s=1$
 (C) $s = \frac{R_2}{X_2}$ (D) None of the above
- h. Which of the following power plant has maximum efficiency?
- (A) Thermal power plant (B) Combined cycle plant
 (C) Hydro power plant (D) Diesel generator
- i. Carrier current protection is used to protect_____
- (A) transformers (B) alternators
 (C) transmission lines (D) feeders
- j. Which of the following material is used in heating elements?
- (A) Nichrome (B) Tungsten
 (C) Iron (D) Copper

**Answer any FIVE Questions out of EIGHT Questions.
 Each question carries 16 marks.**

- Q.2** a. Compare core type and shell type construction of transformer. (8)
- b. A 10 kVA, transformer has 0.4 kW iron losses and 0.6 kW full load copper losses. Determine
- (i) Efficiency of transformer at full load 0.8 pf leading.
 (ii) Load at which maximum efficiency occurs.
 (iii) Maximum efficiency if power factor is unity. (8)
- Q.3** a. Explain working principle of 3-phase synchronous motor. (6)
- b. 3-phase star connected alternator has Rotor—No of poles = 4, Flux per pole = 0.05 Wb, Speed of rotation = 1500 rpm. Stator—No of slots = 72, Conductors per slot = 10, coil span = 150° . Determine
- (i) Pitch factor and distribution factor
 (ii) emf induced per phase
 (iii) Line voltage. (10)
- Q.4** a. Draw cross sectional diagram of DC machine and discuss function of its various components. (8)
- b. Explain the various methods used to obtain speed control of DC shunt motor, above and below rated speed. (8)

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- Q.5** a. Discuss working principle of 3-phase induction motor. Also explain slip of an induction motor. (8)
- b. Determine the ratio of starting torque to full load torque of a 3-phase induction motor for (i) Star-Delta starter (ii) Auto transformer starter with 50% tapping. The short circuit current of the motor is 5 times the full load current and full load slip is 5%. (8)
- Q.6** a. Explain working of variable reluctance stepper motor using suitable diagrams. (8)
- b. Explain working of AC servomotor and draw family of torque-speed curves for this motor. (8)
- Q.7** Draw complete layout of thermal power plant and explain salient features of a modern coal-fired steam power plant. (16)
- Q.8** a. What is HVDC transmission? Compare it with HVAC transmission. (8)
- b. Explain operating principle of electromagnetic relays. (8)
- Q.9** a. Draw block diagram of an electrical drive and write function of its each component. (8)
- b. Discuss various advantages of electrical drives. (8)