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**FINAL EXAMINATION
SEMESTER II
SESSION 2022/2023**

COURSE NAME : POWER QUALITY
COURSE CODE : BEV 40603
PROGRAMME CODE : BEV
EXAMINATION DATE : JULY/AUGUST 2023
DURATION : 3 HOURS
INSTRUCTION :
1. ANSWER **ALL** QUESTIONS
2. THIS FINAL EXAMINATION IS
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- Q1** (a) (i) Explain any **two (2)** types of power quality (PQ) problems. (2 marks)
- (ii) Mark and write the names of **four (4)** regions of operation of the ITIC curve shown in **Figure Q1(a)(ii)**. (4 marks)
- (b) (i) State the full names of the following abbreviations:
a) CBEMA
b) IEC
c) ITIC
d) ANSI (4 marks)
- (ii) Explain the differences between voltage sag and undervoltage. State the cause of this type of PQ. (3 marks)
- (c) (i) Explain the nature of linear and nonlinear loads and plot its I-V characteristics. (6 marks)
- (ii) A sinusoidal voltage source $V_s(t) = 325.27\cos(314.2t)$ is applied to a nonlinear load, resulting in a non-sinusoidal current which is expressed in Fourier series shown below:

$$i(t) = 10 + 7\cos(314.2t + 28^\circ) + 5\cos(314.2t + 30^\circ) + 1\cos(314.2t + 40^\circ) \text{ A}$$

Determine:

- a) The power absorbed by the load
b) The power factor of the load
c) Distortion factor (6 marks)
- Q2** (a) Demonstrate the significance of total harmonic distortion (THD) with the formula used to calculate it. (3 marks)
- (b) Calculate the percent voltage unbalance, if voltage measurements carried out between the different phases of a three-phase supply gave the following readings:
R-Y = 470 V
Y-B = 472 V
B-R = 450 V (10 marks)

- (c) A Δ -Y connected isolation transformer of 13.8 –2.3 kV is required for a 2.3 kV, 3000-hp drive motor connected to a Load Commutated Inverter (LCI), with the following current spectrum:

$$I = 693 A, I_5 = 121 A, I_7 = 79 A, I_{11} = 31 A, I_{13} = 20 A, I_{17} = 11 A, \\ I_{19} = 7 A, I_{23} = 6 A, I_{25} = 5 A$$

The following loss data are supplied by the manufacturer:

No load loss= 3800 W, I^2R loss = 20 kW, Eddy current and stray loss = 3200 W, Total load loss = 23 kW, and Total transformer loss = 27 kW, the leakage flux has its maximum concentration between interface of two windings, PEC-R=16% of the I^2R loss.

Calculate its harmonic loading and the percentage derating.

(12 marks)

- Q3** (a) A one-line diagram of an industrial plant is given in **Figure Q3(a)**. It is supplied from the utility 11 kV, three-phase, multi-grounded neutral distribution feeder. The short circuit data from the utility indicates a three-phase short circuit MVA of 100 MVA and an X/R ratio of 3.0. The transformer supplying the plant is rated at 1000 kVA, 11 kV – 415V V, R = 1.5 %, X = 5.5 %. The system frequency is 50 Hz. Analyse the parallel resonant frequencies for the following values of the power factor correction capacitors applied to the 415 V bus:

(i) 150 kVAr.

(13 marks)

(ii) 300 kVAr.

(3 marks)

(iii) 450 kVAr.

(3 marks)

- (b) Assign respective examples and their corresponding %THD of voltage (THD_v) at the Point of Common Coupling (PCC) to:

(i) Special system.

(2 marks)

(ii) General system.

(2 marks)

(iii) Dedicated system.

(2 marks)

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- Q4 (a)** A 3985 kVA load with a 0.7 power factor (PF) produces 5th and 7th harmonic currents. A 7.5 MVA transformer, with 7.16 % impedance, supplies the load at 4160 V. Primary service is 13.8 kV from a utility system having a source impedance of $(0.052 + j0.187) \Omega$. A 2400 kVAR capacitor bank is placed on the 4,160 V secondary to correct the power factor to $\geq 95\%$.
- (i) Draw the system one line diagram. (2 marks)
 - (ii) Convert the existing power factor correction capacitor bank to a simple notch filter to remove the lowest order harmonic from the system. (9 marks)
 - (iii) Calculate the parallel resonant frequency of the system and sketch its equivalent circuit as seen by a harmonic source. (3 marks)
 - (iv) With the help of IEEE regulation of harmonics, comment whether harmonic distortion for this filter is acceptable or not. (1 mark)
- (b)** A 37 kW (50 HP), 415 V, three-phase squirrel cage induction motor is started against full load using a direct-on-line starter with rated voltage applied from a source whose impedance including the impedance of the cable is $0.01 + j0.025 \Omega/\Phi$ phase. Assuming a locked rotor power factor of 0.4 lagging and locked rotor kVA per HP of 6.
- (i) Deduce constant impedance model of the motor. (8 marks)
 - (ii) Calculate the voltage drop during starting. (2 marks)

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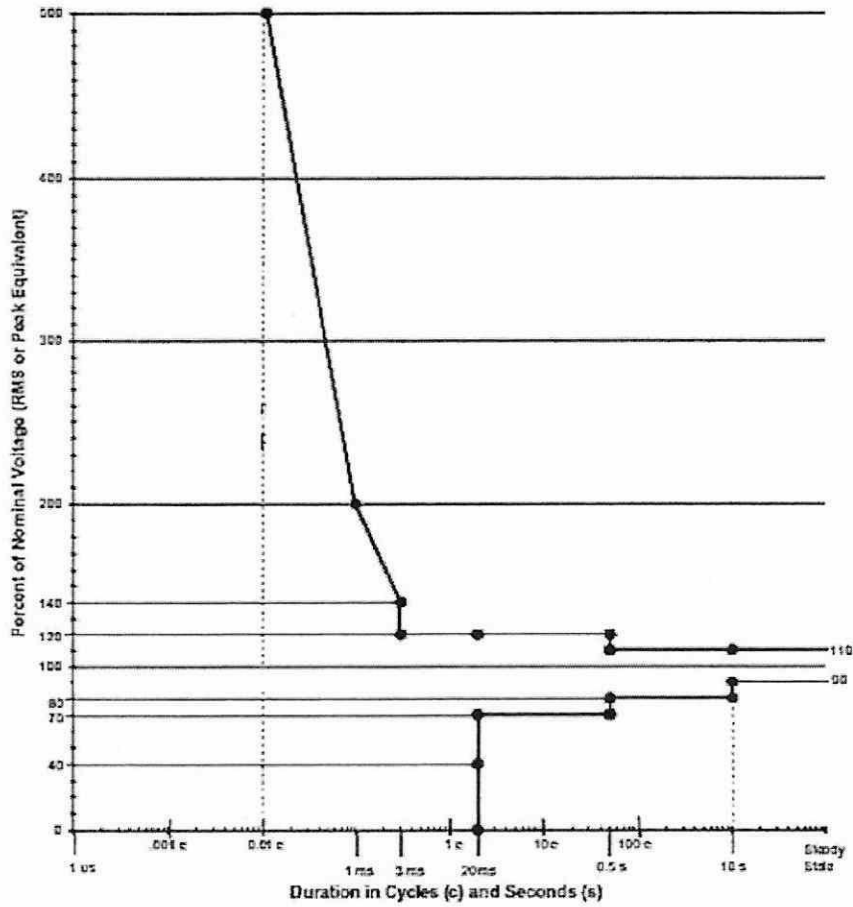


Figure Q1(a)(ii)

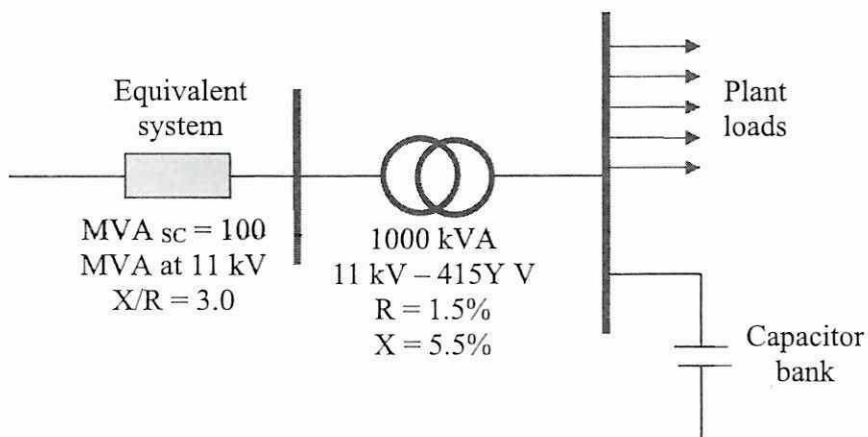


Figure Q3(a)