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- Q1** (a) Discuss **ONE** advantage of alternating current (ac) over direct current is used in distributing the electricity to the industry or domestic. (2 marks)
- (b) For a serial RLC circuit that consists of a resistor of 5 ohm, an inductor of 3mH, and a capacitor of 0.4mF,
- (i) Determine the frequency that causes the circuit performs purely resistive. (3 marks)
- (ii) Find the range of frequency that the circuit will be predominantly inductive. (2 marks)
- (c) **Figure Q1 (c)** illustrates a third-order low pass filter that consists of two inductors, one capacitor, and a resistor. The AC source supplies  $V_s = 100 \cos(\omega t - 30^\circ)$  Volts with frequency of 60 Hz. If  $L_1 = 3\text{mH}$ ,  $L_2 = 2\text{mH}$ ,  $C_1 = 0.7\text{mF}$ , and  $R_1 = 5 \text{ ohm}$ ,
- (i) Find the total impedance of the circuit,  $Z_{\text{tot}}$ , (4 marks)
- (ii) Find the current follows through the Inductor 1,  $I_{L_1}$ , (2 marks)
- (iii) Find the current follows through the Resistor 1,  $I_{R_1}$ , (2 marks)
- (iv) Find the voltage across the Resistor 1,  $V_{R_1}$ , (2 marks)
- (v) Sketch the phasor diagram of  $I_{R_1}$ ,  $I_{L_1}$ ,  $V_s$  and  $V_{R_1}$ , (5 marks)
- (vi) Describe the relationship between  $V_s$  and  $V_{R_1}$ ,  $V_s$  and  $I_{R_1}$ , and  $I_{R_1}$  and  $I_{L_1}$ . (3 marks)

- Q2** (a) Three balanced delta loads are connected to a balanced 3-phase delta source with 500-kV rms 50 Hz per phase. Load 1 draws 40kW with a power factor of 0.5 leading, load 2 draws 30 kW with a power factor of 0.6 lagging, while load 3 has a complex power,  $S_3 = 30 - j40$  kVA.
- (i) Calculate the total complex power, real power, and reactive power for the combination of the three balanced delta loads (combined three loads). (10 marks)
  - (ii) Find the power factor of the combined three loads. (3 marks)
  - (iii) Decide the component needed to produce a power factor of 0.95 leading. (2 marks)
  - (iv) Determine the value of each component that determined from **Q2 (a) (iii)** if they are connected in delta. (5 marks)
- (b) In a wye-delta three phase circuit, the source is a balanced, positive phase sequence with  $V_{an} = 120\angle 0^\circ$  V. It feeds a balanced load  $Z_\Delta = 9 + j12\Omega$  per phase. Calculate the phase voltage and phase current in the load a-b. (5 marks)

- Q3** (a) A 500 kVA 30000/240V transformer has the following parameters:

$$R_p = 0.1\Omega \quad X_p = 0.4\Omega \quad R_c = 10k\Omega$$

$$R_s = 1m\Omega \quad X_s = 4m\Omega \quad X_m = 5.55k\Omega$$

By using equivalent circuit referred to the primary as that illustrated in **Figure Q3(a)**,

- (i) Analyze the primary voltage of the transformer at rated load with 0.9 leading power factor. (12 marks)
- (ii) Produce the voltage regulation of the transformer. (3 marks)

- (b) A closed magnetic circuit of cast steel contains a 6 cm long path of cross-sectional area  $1 \text{ cm}^2$  and a 2 cm path of cross-sectional area  $0.5 \text{ cm}^2$ . A coil of 200 turns is wound around the 6 cm length of the circuit and a current of 0.4 A flows. Determine the flux density in the 2 cm path if the  $\mu_r$  of cast steel is 750.

(8 marks)

- (c) Explain what an electromagnet is.

(2 marks)

- Q4** (a) AC machines can be categorized as AC motors and AC generators. Identify

- (i) The **differences** between AC motor and AC generator.

(2 marks)

- (ii) **TWO (2)** methods to increase the turning force (or torque) of a DC motor.

(2 marks)

- (iii) **TWO (2)** disadvantages of a DC machine.

(2 marks)

- (b) A 24 V shunt DC motor in **Figure Q4(b)** has an armature resistance of  $0.5 \Omega$  and a field resistance of  $100 \Omega$ . At no load, the motor takes a line current of 0.5 A while running at 2500 rpm. If the line current at full load is 4 A,

- (i) Find the field current and the induced voltage with no load.

(3 marks)

- (ii) Find the full load speed and the speed regulation of the DC motor.

(5 marks)

- (iii) Determine the relationship between the speed of the DC motor and its load.

(1 marks)

- (c) Explain briefly about

- (i) The working principle of synchronous motor.

(3 marks)

- (ii) The differences between synchronous machine and induction machine.

(2 marks)

(d) A synchronous motor connected to 3980V, 3-phase line develops an excitation voltage  $E_o$  of 1790V (line to neutral) when the dc exciting current is 25A. The synchronous reactance  $X_s$  is  $22\Omega$  and the torque angle is  $30^\circ$ .

(i) Sketch the single phase equivalent circuit of the synchronous motor with appropriate labels.

(3 marks)

(ii) Sketch the phasor diagram of the synchronous motor if the terminal voltage  $V_t$  is  $2297.85\angle 0^\circ$  V, the voltage across the synchronous reactance  $E_x$  is  $1166.2\angle 50.13^\circ$  V, and line current  $I_L$  is  $53\angle -39.87^\circ$  A.

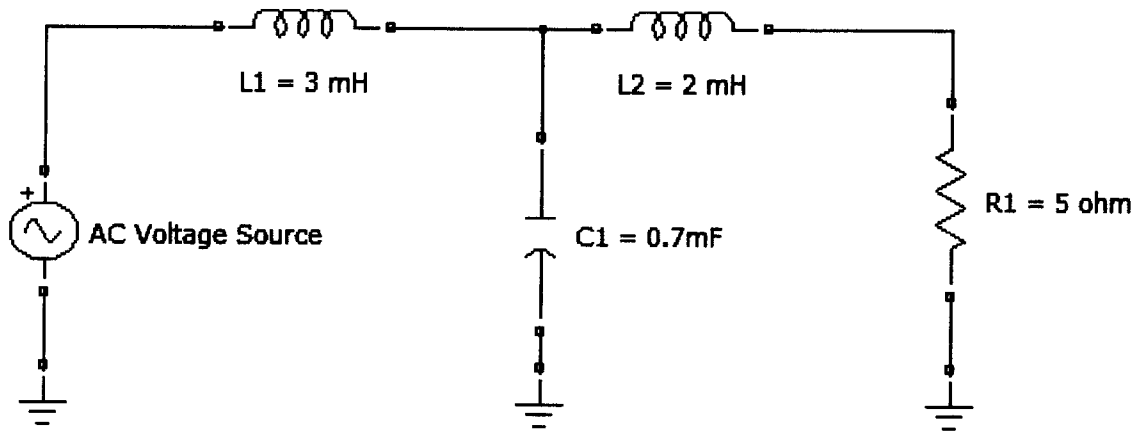
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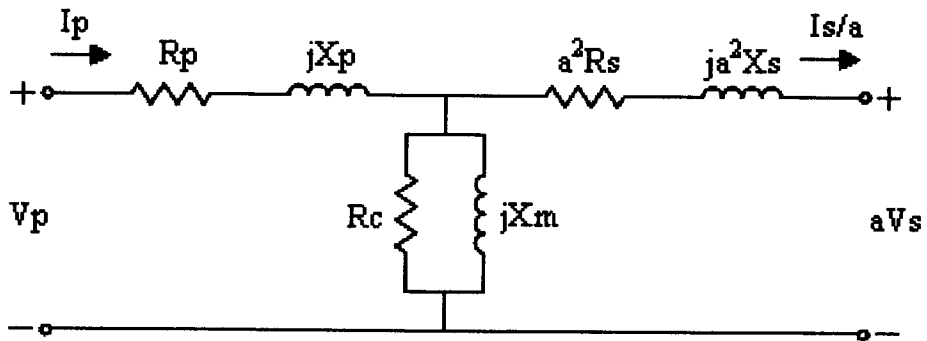
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**FIGURE Q1(c)**

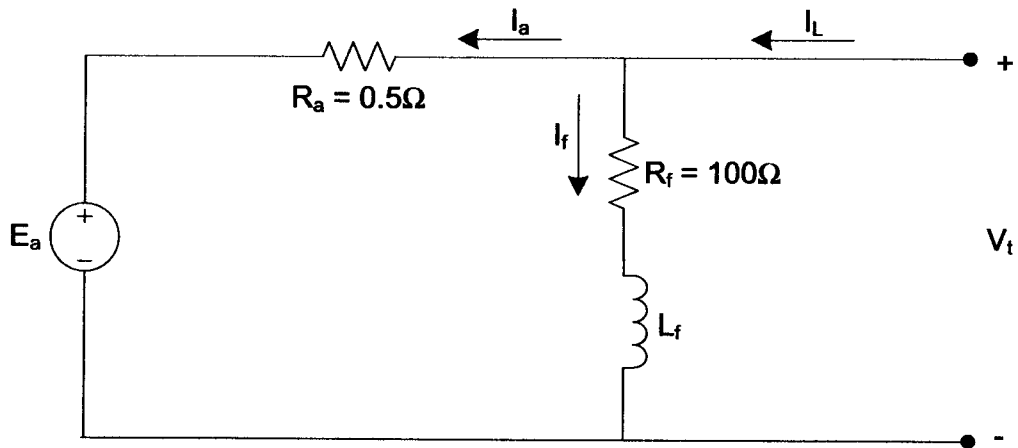


**FIGURE Q3(a)**

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**FIGURE O4(b)**

List of Formulae and Constant

1.  $\beta = \mu H$  (unit: Tesla, T)
2.  $\text{mmf (or } F_m) = NI = H/l$  (unit: Ampere-turns, At)
3.  $S \text{ (or } R) = l/\mu A = \text{mmf}/\phi$  (unit: Ampere-turns/weber, At/Wb)
4.  $\phi_{\max} = B_{\max} a_{\text{area}}$  (unit: Weber, Wb)
5.  $E = 4.44 fN\phi_m$  (unit: Volt, V)
6.  $a = \frac{v_p}{v_e} = \frac{e_p}{e_s} = \frac{N_p}{N_s}$  (unit: -)

Permeability of vacuum,  $\mu_0 = 4\pi \times 10^{-7} \text{ Wb/At.m (or H/m)}$