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**FINAL EXAMINATION  
SEMESTER II  
SESSION 2017/2018**

COURSE NAME : POLYPHASE CIRCUIT ANALYSIS  
COURSE CODE : BEF 23803  
PROGRAMME CODE : BEV  
EXAMINATION DATE : JUNE / JULY 2018  
DURATION : 3 HOURS  
INSTRUCTION : ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS

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THIS QUESTION PAPER CONSISTS OF FIVE (5) PAGES

- Q1** (a) With the aid of diagram, explain the concepts of three phase voltage. (4 marks)
- (b) For an unbalanced four wire system, the three line currents are given as:  
 $I_R = 25\angle -63.4^\circ A$ ,  $I_Y = 46\angle -173.1^\circ A$ ,  $I_B = 9\angle -293.13^\circ A$   
 Find the neutral current and sketch the disposition of all currents. (4 marks)
- (c) Illustrate a diagram of a three phase three wire star connected balanced loads with complete labels. (3 marks)
- (d) A 400 V, three-phase supply feeds an unbalanced three-wire, star-connected load. The branch impedances of the load are
- $$Z_R = (4 + j8)\Omega, Z_Y = (3 + j4)\Omega, Z_B = (15 + j20)\Omega$$
- By transforming to the equivalent delta circuit, calculate the phase currents. (9 marks)

- Q2** (a) Point out the difference between the complex power, the real power and the reactive power. (6 marks)
- (b) The circuit configuration used by the distribution system to supply three-phase power to industrial and residential consumers depends to some extent on the type and size of load to be connected. List **two (2)** methods of possible connection. (2 marks)
- (c) A three-phase three-wire 415 V ABC system supplies a delta- connected load whose phase impedance is  $60\angle 45^\circ \Omega$ .
- (i) Find the phase currents and the line currents in this system. (9 marks)
- (ii) Draw the phasor diagram from the answer of **Q2(c)(i)**. (2 marks)
- (iii) In one sentence, summarize your answer in **Q2(c)(i)** and **Q2(c)(ii)**. (1 mark)



- Q3** (a) What is the main assumption to be made when single line diagram is use to analyse a three phase system. (2 marks)
- (b) List **four (4)** advantages of single line diagram. (4 marks)
- (c) **Figure Q3(c)** shows the single line diagram of a system which consists of three generators, two transformers and a load.
- (i) Draw the impedance diagram. (6 marks)
- (ii) Draw the reactance diagram. (4 marks)
- (iii) Differentiate between impedance and reactance diagrams. (4 marks)
- Q4** (a) List **three (3)** classes of power lines and identify each length. (3 marks)
- (b) (i) Sketch the transmission line tower structure. (3 marks)
- (ii) Explain the function of conductors, support poles, insulators, and cross arms. (4 marks)
- (c) A 60 Hz, 220-kV, three-phase transmission line is 40 km long. The resistance per phase is  $0.15 \Omega$  per km and the inductance per phase is 1.3263 mH per km. The shunt capacitance is negligible. The line is supplying a three phase load of 381 MVA at 0.8 power factor lagging at 220 kV.
- (i) Calculate the line voltage at the sending end. (8 marks)
- (ii) Calculate the voltage regulation. (2 marks)

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- Q5** (a) Determine per unit system in electrical engineering term. (2 marks)
- (b) A transformer is rated 2000 VA, 200V/400V, and has an internal impedance of  $j4 \Omega$  as seen from the low voltage side. Based on **Figure Q5(b)**, calculate the per-unit impedance of the simplified transformer equivalent circuit;
- (i) with the primary side as a base. (4 marks)
- (ii) with the secondary side as a base. (6 marks)
- (c) A three phase 500 MVA, 22 kV generator has winding reactance of  $1.065 \Omega$ .
- (i) Calculate the per-unit reactance. (6 marks)
- (ii) Sketch the per unit equivalent circuit. (2 marks)

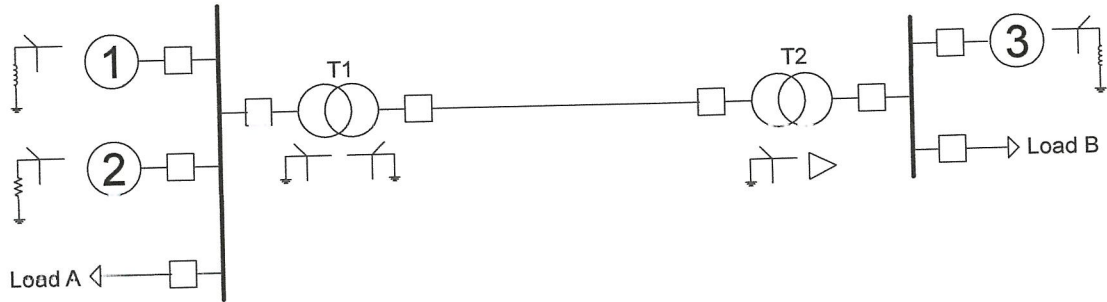
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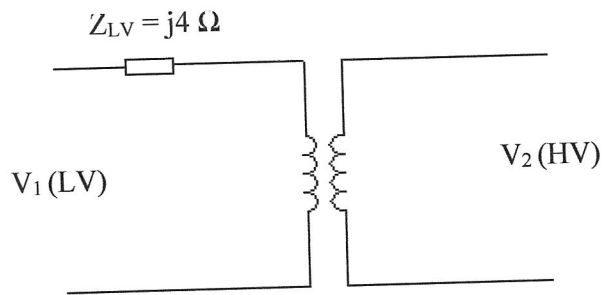
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**Figure Q3(c)**



**Figure Q5(b)**

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