

**BTECH**  
**(SEM-IV) THEORY EXAMINATION 2017-18**  
**ELECTRICAL MACHINES-I**

Time: 3 Hours

Total Marks: 70

- Note:** 1. Attempt all Sections. If require any missing data; then choose suitably.  
2. Any special paper specific instruction.

**SECTION A**

1. **Attempt all questions in brief.** **2 x 7 = 14**
- a) Explain with the help of an example why in an electrical machine the number of stator poles should be equal to the number of rotor poles.
  - b) Explain Faraday's laws of electromagnetic induction and Lenz's law.
  - c) Explain why equalizer connections are used in lap-winding and dummy coils are sometimes used in wave-windings.
  - d) Explain why a DC motor should not be started direct-on-line.
  - e) Describe how a DC machine is to be maintained for a long satisfactory performance.
  - f) Explain the function of a commutator in a DC machine for motoring and generating action.
  - g) State why the core of a transformer should be made of magnetic material.

**SECTION B**

2. **Attempt any three of the following:** **7 x 3 = 21**
- a) The magnetic flux density on the surface of an iron face is 1.6 T which is a typical saturation level value for ferromagnetic material. Find the force density on the iron face.
  - b) Derive the EMF equation and torque equation for DC machines.
  - c) A 250 kW, 400 V, 6-pole DC generator has 720 lap wound conductors. It is given a brush lead of 2.5 angular degrees (mech.) from the geometric neutral. Calculate the cross and demagnetizing turns per pole. Neglect the shunt field current.
  - d) A transformer on no-load has a core loss of 50 W, draws a current of 2 A (rms) and has an induced emf of 230 V (rms). Determine the no-load power factor, core-loss current and magnetizing current. Also calculate the no-load circuit parameters of the transformer. Neglect winding resistance and leakage flux.
  - e) A 20 kVA, 50 Hz, 2000/200 V distribution transformer has a leakage impedance of  $0.42 + j0.52 \Omega$  in the HV winding and  $0.004 + j0.05 \Omega$  in the LV winding. When seen from the LV side, the shunt branch admittance  $Y_0$  is  $(0.002 - j0.015) \text{ S}$  (at rated voltage and frequency). Draw the equivalent circuit referred to (i) HV side (ii) LV side, indicating all impedances on the circuit.

**SECTION C**

3. **Attempt any one part of the following:** **7 x 1 = 7**
- a) Find an expression for the force per unit area between the plates of a parallel plate condenser in terms of the electric field intensity. Use both the energy and coenergy

methods. Find the value of the force per unit area when  $E = 3 \times 10^6$  V/m, the breakdown strength of air.

b) Derive an expression for dynamical equations of electromechanical systems.

**4. Attempt any *one* part of the following:** **7 x 1 = 7**

a) The following test results were obtained while Hopkinson's test was performed on two similar DC shunt machines: supply voltage=250V, field current of motor=2A, field current of generator=2.5A, armature current of generator=60A, current taken by the two armatures from supply=15A, resistance of each armature circuit=0.2Ω, Calculate the efficiency of the motor and generator under these conditions of load.

b) Explain the efficiency and testing of DC machines in detail.

**5. Attempt any *one* part of the following:** **7 x 1 = 7**

a) Explain the plugging, dynamic braking and regenerative braking of DC machines in detail.

b) A 400 V series motor has a total armature resistance of 0.25 Ω. When running at 1200 rpm it draws a current of 25 A. When a regulating resistance of 2.75 Ω is included in the armature circuit, it draws a current of 15 A. Find the speed and ratio of the two mechanical outputs. Assume that the flux with 15 A is 70% of that with 25A.

**6. Attempt any *one* part of the following:** **7 x 1 = 7**

a) Explain the potential transformer, current transformer, audio-frequency transformer and grounding transformer.

b) Two 1-phase furnaces A and B are supplied at 100V by means of a scott-connected transformer combination from a 3-phase 6600 V system. The voltage of furnace A is leading. Calculate the line currents on the 3-phase side, when the furnace A takes 400 kW at 0.707 pf lagging and B takes 800 kW at unity pf.

**7. Attempt any *one* part of the following:** **7 x 1 = 7**

a) Explain the parallel operation of transformers in detail.

b) A 500 kVA transformer has an efficiency of 95% at full load and also at 60% of full load; both at upf (i) separate out the losses of the transformer (ii) determine the efficiency of the transformer at  $\frac{3}{4}$  th full load.