

Eighth Semester B.E. Degree Examination, Feb./Mar. 2022 Industrial Drives and Applications

Time: 3 hrs.

Max. Marks: 80

Note: Answer any FIVE full questions, choosing ONE full question from each module.

Module-1

- 1 a. With basic block diagram, explain the essential elements of electric Drives. (08 Marks)
 b. Explain the speed torque conventions and multi-quadrant operations. (08 Marks)

OR

- 2 a. Explain the load equalization for fluctuating loads in Electric drives. (08 Marks)
 b. A drive has the following parameters: $J = 10\text{kg-m}^2$, $T = 100 - 0.1N(\text{N-m})$, Passive load Torque $T_L = 0.05N(\text{N-m})$ where N is the speed in rpm. Initially the drive is operating in steady state, now it is to be reversed. For this motor characteristics is changed to $T = -100 - 0.1N(\text{n-m})$. Calculate the time of interval. (08 Marks)

Module-2

- 3 a. Mention the different types of classes of motor duty and explain each type in brief. (08 Marks)
 b. Obtain the thermal model of motor for heating and cooling. Also draw the heating and cooling curves. (08 Marks)

OR

- 4 a. Explain with a suitable circuit diagram and waveforms the single semi-controlled converter fed DC separated excited motor drive. (08 Marks)
 b. The speed of a 20HP, 210V, 1000rpm series DC motor is controlled by a 1ϕ full converter. The combined field and armature circuit resistance = 0.25Ω , $K_{af} = 0.03\text{N-m/A}^2$ and $K_{res} = 0.075 \text{ V-S/rad}$. The supply voltage is 230V. Assuming continuous and ripple free motor current, determine the following for firing angle $\alpha = 30^\circ$ and speed $N = 1000\text{rpm}$.
 i) Motor current
 ii) Motor Torque
 iii) Supply power factor. (08 Marks)

Module-3

- 5 a. Derive the expression for maximum torque of a three phase induction motor. (08 Marks)
 b. Explain in detail stator voltage control, also mention its advantages and disadvantages. (08 Marks)

OR

- 6 a. Explain with block diagram static Kramer Drive. (08 Marks)
 b. A 400V, 3ϕ , 50Hz, 6 pole cage induction motor has the following equivalent circuit parameters $R_1 = 0.2\Omega$, $X_1 = 0.5\Omega$, $R_2 = 0.2\Omega$, $X_2 = 0.5\Omega$ and $X_m = 15\Omega$. The motor operates on full load and slip = 0.05. When the two stator terminals are suddenly interchanged, calculate the primary current and the braking torque immediately after application of plugging. (08 Marks)

Important Note : 1. On completing your answers, compulsorily draw diagonal cross lines on the remaining blank pages.
 2. Any revealing of identification, appeal to evaluator and /or equations written eg. 42+8 = 50, will be treated as malpractice.

Module-4

- 7 a. With a neat sketch of waveform and circuit diagram. Explain cyclo converters. (08 Marks)
b. Write short notes on variable frequency control from a current source inverter. (08 Marks)

OR

- 8 a. A 3 ϕ 440V, 6 pole, 50Hz delta connected slip ring induction motor has rotor resistance of 0.3 Ω and leakage reactance of 1 Ω per phase referred to stator. When driving a fan load, it runs at full load at 3% slip. What resistance must be inserted in rotor circuit to obtain a speed of 800rpm? Neglect stator impedance and parameter. The stator to rotor turns ratio is 2.2. (08 Marks)
b. Write a short note on synchronous operation from fixed frequency supply. (08 Marks)

Module-5

- 9 a. Write short notes on : (04 Marks)
i) Brushless DC motor drive (04 Marks)
ii) Sinusoidal PM AC motor drive. (04 Marks)
b. With a neat sketch, explain load commutated Thyristor inverter synchronous motor drives. (08 Marks)

OR

- 10 a. Mention in detail the applications of drives in steel rolling mills. (08 Marks)
b. With a neat sketch, explain variable reluctance and permanent magnet stepper motor drive. (08 Marks)

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