

WRITE ALL YOUR WORK IN THE ANSWER BOOK PROVIDED. EVERY ANSWER SHOULD INCLUDE ALL WORKINGS, NECESSARY DIAGRAMS AND FORMULAE.

START EACH ANSWER ON A FRESH PAGE.

Answer any FIVE Questions

1. Each Phase of a delta-connected load comprises of a resistance of 30 Ohms and an 80 μ F capacitor in series. The load is connected to a 400 volts, 50 Hz 3-phase supply.

(a) Draw a diagram showing the delta-connected load. (2 marks)

(b) Calculate: (5 marks)

- i. The phase current (3 marks)
- ii. The line current (3 marks)
- iii. The total power dissipated (2 marks)
- iv. The kVA rating of the load

(c) Draw a phasor diagram for the load. (5 marks)

2. A six pole three-phase 440 volts, 50 Hz induction motor develops 8 hp at 955 rpm.

If the pf is 0.85, the stator losses are 400 watts and the friction losses 0.5 hp.

Calculate:

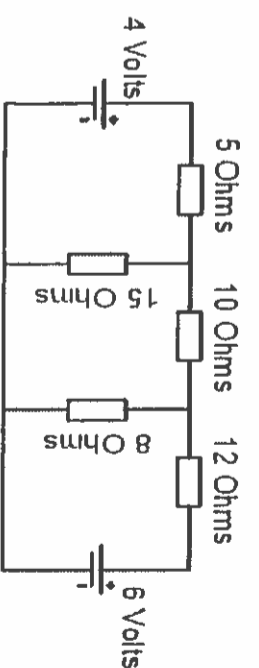
- (a) The slip (4 marks)
- (b) The rotor copper losses (4 marks)
- (c) The input to the motor (4 marks)
- (d) The efficiency (4 marks)
- (e) The line current (4 marks)

3 (a) A single-phase transformer is tested for open and short circuit tests. Explain each test, stating clearly any information sought from these tests regarding the transformer. (8 marks)

(b) A single-phase transformer has twice as many turns on its primary winding as it has on the secondary winding. When connected with an open circuit secondary across a 200 volts, 50 Hz supply, the primary current was measured as 1 ampere, with a lagging power factor of 0.35. The transformer was then connected to the same supply to a load of 55 amperes at a power factor of 0.75 lagging.

Neglecting the losses, determine the new primary current and the power factor, stating whether this is lagging or leading. Illustrate your solution with a labelled phasor diagram. (12 marks)

4. Using Kirchoff's laws calculate the current values in each resistor of the network.



(20 marks)

5. Two similar capacitors connected in parallel take a total current of 5.04 amperes when connected across a 500 volts, 100 Hz supply.

(a) Find the value of each capacitor. (10 marks)

(b) Find the current taken from the supply if the capacitors are now connected in series across the same supply. (10 marks)

6. The input power to a three-phase 400 volts motor was measured by the two-wattmeter method. The readings were 5.2kW and -1.7kW.

(a) Calculate:

- i. The total active power (2 marks)
- ii. The power factor (2 marks)
- iii. The line current (2 marks)

(b) Draw the circuit diagrams for both star and delta configurations labelling all line and phase voltages and currents. (6 marks)

(c) Draw the phasor diagrams for both star and delta configurations labelling all line and phase voltages and currents. (8 marks)

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Paper I (Theory)

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