

ECE370 POWER & ENERGY SYSTEMS

Homework Set 7 - Solutions

- 7.1 A three-phase induction motor is supplied with power from a 60-Hz source. At full load the motor speed is 1728 rpm, and at no load the speed is nearly 1800 rpm. At full-load conditions, determine the following:
- Number of poles
 - Slip
 - Frequency of the rotor voltages
 - Speed of the rotor field with respect to the rotor
 - Speed of the rotor field with respect to the stator
 - Speed of the rotor field with respect to the stator field

$$\textcircled{a} \quad p = \frac{120f}{n_s} = \frac{(120)(60)}{1800} = 4 \text{ poles}$$

$$\textcircled{b} \quad s = \frac{n_s - n}{n_s} = \frac{1800 - 1728}{1800} = 0.04$$

$$\textcircled{c} \quad f_r = sf = (0.04)(60) = 2.4 \text{ Hz}$$

$$\textcircled{d} \quad \text{slip rpm} = n_s - n = 1800 - 1728 = 72 \text{ rpm}$$

$$\textcircled{e} \quad n_s = 1800 \text{ rpm}$$

$$\textcircled{f} \quad n_s - n_s = 0 \text{ rpm}$$

- 7.2 A three-phase, 440-V, 60-Hz, wye-connected induction motor takes a stator current of 50 A at 0.8 power factor while running at its rated speed of 855 rpm. The stator loss is 2500 W, and the rotational losses are 3200 W. Calculate the efficiency of the motor.

$$s = \frac{900 - 855}{900} = 0.05$$

$$P_{in} = \sqrt{3} V_L I_L \cos \theta = \sqrt{3} (440)(50)(0.8) = 30,484 \text{ W}$$

$$P_{ag} = P_{in} - SCL = 30,484 - 2500 = 27,984 \text{ W}$$

$$P_{dev} = (1-s) P_{ag} = (1-0.05)(27,984) = 26,585 \text{ W}$$

$$P_{out} = P_{dev} - P_{rotational} = 26,585 - 3200 = 23,385 \text{ W}$$

$$\eta = \frac{P_{out}}{P_{in}} = \frac{23,385}{30,484} \cdot 100\% = 76.7\%$$

7.3 A three-phase, 480 V, 60 Hz, wye-connected induction motor draws a **reactive power** of 18 kVAR at 0.8 lag pf and runs at 1158 rpm. The stator losses are 500 W and the rotational losses are 350 W. Determine:

- Rotor copper loss.
- Shaft output torque and horsepower.
- Efficiency.
- Input current magnitude.

$$s = \frac{1200 - 1158}{1200} = 0.035 \quad \text{pf} = 0.8 \quad \therefore \text{rf} = 0.6 \quad \text{and } S = 30 \text{ KVA}$$

$$\textcircled{a} \quad P_{in} = S \times \text{PF} = (30,000)(0.8) = 24,000 \text{ W}$$

$$P_{ag} = P_{in} - SCL = 24000 - 500 = 23,500 \text{ W}$$

$$RCL = s P_{ag} = (0.035)(23,500) = 822.5 \text{ W}$$

$$\textcircled{b} \quad P_{dev} = (1-s) P_{ag} = (1-0.035)(23,500) = 22,677.5 \text{ W}$$

$$P_{out} = P_{dev} - P_{rotational} = 22,677.5 - 350 = 22,327.5 \text{ W} = 29.9 \text{ hp}$$

$$n_s = \frac{120f}{P} = \frac{(120)(60)}{6} = 1200 \text{ rpm}$$

$$n = (1-s)n_s = (1-0.035)(1200) = 1158 \text{ rpm}$$

$$\omega_m = \frac{2\pi n}{60} = \frac{(2\pi)(1158)}{60} = 121.3 \text{ rad/sec}$$

$$T_{out} = \frac{P_{out}}{\omega_m} = \frac{22,327.5}{121.3} = 184 \text{ N-m}$$

$$\textcircled{c} \quad \eta = \frac{P_{out}}{P_{in}} = \frac{22,327.5}{24,000} \times 100\% = 93\%$$

$$\textcircled{d} \quad |I| = \frac{S_{3\phi}}{\sqrt{3}V_L} = \frac{30000}{\sqrt{3} \times 480} = 36.1 \text{ A}$$

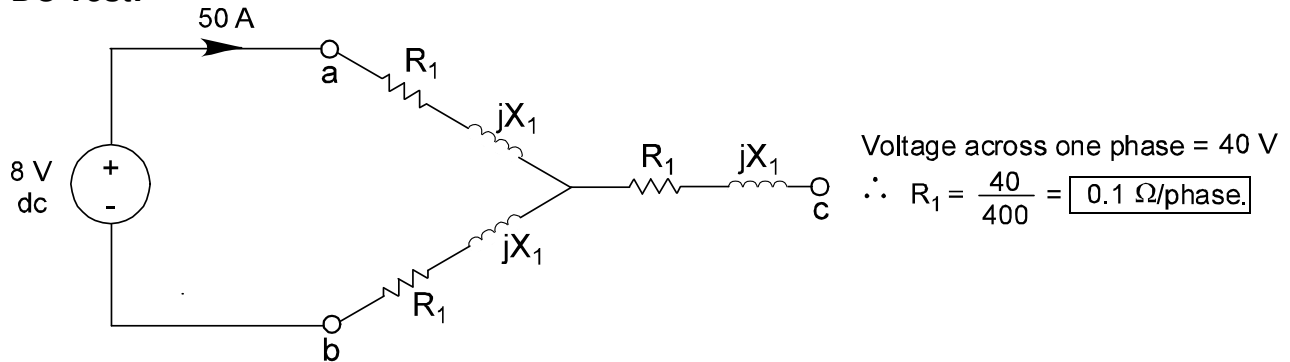
7.4 The following test results were obtained for a three-phase, 400 hp, 2.4 kV, eight-pole, wye-connected induction motor.

a) Determine the exact equivalent circuit.

Test performed	Voltage (V)	Current (A)	Power (kW)
No-load	2400	9.3	29.1
Locked-rotor (performed at 15 Hz)	112.6	100	7.5
Rotational loss	-	-	19
DC (measured between phases a – b)	80	400	-

b) **Estimate** the efficiency when rated load is supplied.

DC Test:



Locked Rotor Test:

$$\text{pf}_{\text{LR}} = \frac{P_{\theta}}{V_{\theta} I_{\theta}} = \frac{7500/3}{112.6/\sqrt{3} \times 100} = 0.3846 \text{ lag} \quad \therefore \theta_{\text{LR}} = 67.4^{\circ}$$

$$\therefore Z_{\text{eq}} = \frac{112.6/\sqrt{3}}{100} = 0.65 \Omega \quad \therefore Z_{\text{eq}} = 0.65/67.4 = 0.25 + j0.6$$

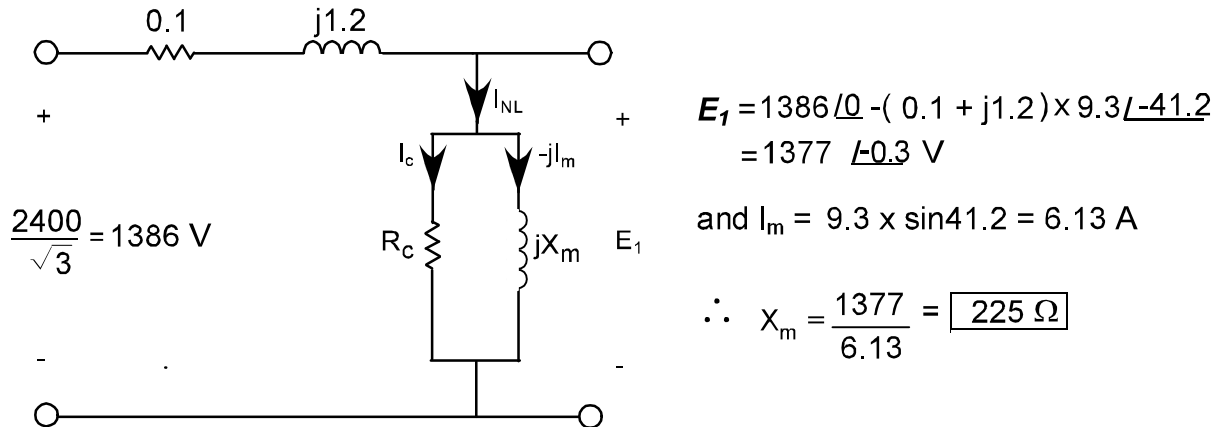
Since $R_1 = 0.1$ then $R'_2 = 0.15 \Omega/\text{phase}$

And $X = X_{\text{test}} \frac{f_{\text{rated}}}{f_{\text{test}}} = 0.6 \frac{60}{15} = 2.4 \Omega$

It is usual to assume $X_1 = X'_2$ $\therefore X_1 = X'_2 = 1.2 \Omega$

No-load Test: $\text{pf}_{NL} = \frac{P_\theta}{V_\theta I_\theta} = \frac{29100/\sqrt{3}}{2400/\sqrt{3} \times 9.3} = 0.753 \text{ lag} \quad \therefore \theta_{NL} = 41.2^\circ$

and $I_{NL} = 9.3 \angle -41.2$. This splits according to the following diagram:



$$P_{Rc} = P_{NL} - P_{rot} - 3|I_{NL}|^2 R_1 = 29100 - 19000 - 3 \times 9.3^2 \times 0.1 = 10074 \text{ W}$$

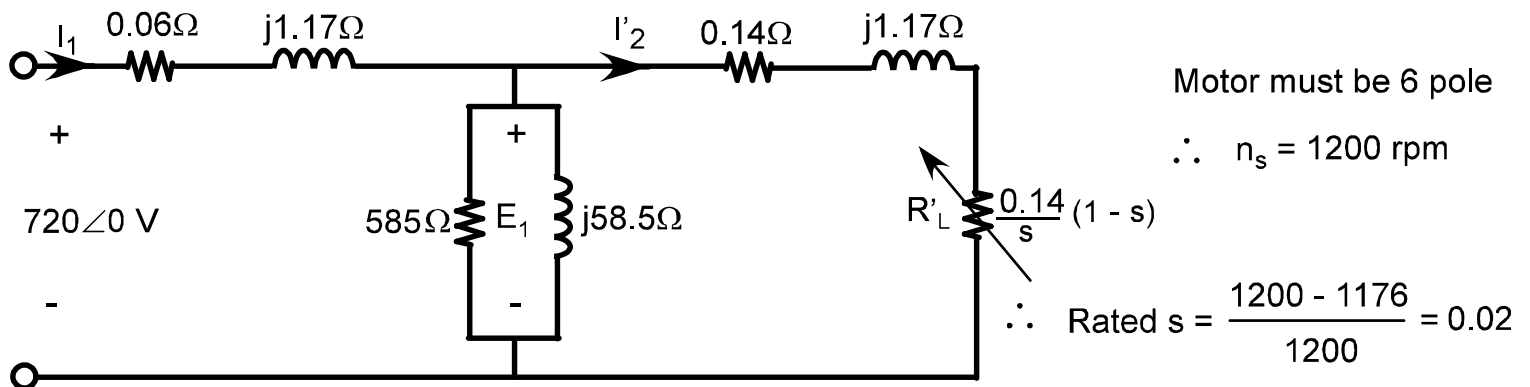
and $P_{RC} = \frac{3|E_1|^2}{R_c} \quad \therefore R_c = \frac{3 \times 1377^2}{10074} = \boxed{565 \Omega}$

b) $\eta = \frac{P_{out}}{P_{out} + P_{loss}}$ and $P_{out} = 746 \times 400 = 298.4 \text{ kW}$, while $P_{loss} = P_{LR} + P_{NL}$

$$\therefore \eta = \frac{298.4}{298.4 + 29.1 + 7.5} \times 100\% = \boxed{89.1\%}$$

7.5 The equivalent circuit parameters of a three-phase, Y-connected induction motor are, $R_1 = 0.06 \Omega$, $R_2' = 0.14 \Omega$, $X_1 = X_2' = 1.17 \Omega$, $R_c = 585 \Omega$, $X_m = 58.5 \Omega$. The nameplate states: 1.247 kV, 60 Hz, 1176 rpm, with rotational losses of 6644 W. Determine:

- Magnitude of rated input current.
- Rated power factor.
- Rated shaft horsepower.
- Rated output torque.
- Rated efficiency.
- Starting current.
- Starting pf.



a) The load resistor: $R'_L = \frac{0.14 \times 0.98}{0.02} = 6.86 \Omega/\text{ph}$

The impedance seen by the source is:

$$Z_{in} = (0.06 + j1.17) + 585 \parallel j58.5 \parallel (7 + j1.17) = 6.629 + j3.053 \Omega/\text{ph}$$

$$\therefore I_1 = \frac{720 \angle 0}{6.629 + j3.053} = \boxed{98.66 \angle -24.7 \text{ A}}$$

b) $\text{pf} = \cos(24.7) = \boxed{0.908 \text{ lag}}$

c) $E_1 = 720 \angle 0 - 98.66 \angle -24.7 \times (0.06 + j1.17) = 674.1 \angle -8.7 \text{ V}$

$$\therefore I_2' = \frac{674.1 \angle -8.7}{7 + j1.17} = 94.98 \angle -18.2 \text{ A}, \text{ and } P_D = 3 \times 94.98^2 \times 6.86 = 185.7 \text{ kW}$$

$$P_{out} = P_D - P_{rot} = 179 \text{ kW} = \boxed{240 \text{ hp}}$$

d) $\omega_m = 2\pi \times 1176/60 = 123.2 \text{ rad/s}$ and $T_{out} = \frac{P_{out}}{\omega_m} = \frac{179 \times 10^3}{123.2} = \boxed{1454 \text{ Nm}}$

e) $\eta = \frac{P_{out}}{P_{in}}$ and $P_{in} = \sqrt{3}V_{LL}I_L\cos\theta = \sqrt{3} \times 1247 \times 98.66 \times 0.908 = 193.5 \text{ kW}$

$$\therefore \eta = \frac{179}{193.5} \times 100\% = \boxed{92.5\%}$$

f) At start-up the slip is unity and R'_L is zero. The impedance seen by the source is:
 $Z_{in} = (0.06 + j1.17) + 585 \parallel j58.5 \parallel (0.14 + j1.17) = 0.1968 + j2.317 \text{ } \Omega/\text{ph}$

$$\therefore I_{start} = \frac{720 \angle 0}{0.1968 + j2.317} = \boxed{309.7 \angle -85.1 \text{ A}}$$

g) $\text{pf}_{start} = \cos(85.1) = \boxed{0.085 \text{ lag}}$