

1. Open circuit and short circuit test data of a 150 MW, 13kV, 0.85 pf, 50 Hz synchronous generator is given by :

Open Circuit Test

$I_f$ (A)	200	450	600	850	1200
$V_{oc}$ (L-L) (kV)	4	8.7	10.8	13.3	15

Short Circuit Test

$$I_f = 750 \text{ A} \quad I_{sc} = 8000 \text{ A}$$

- I) Determine unsaturated synchronous reactance
- II) Determine adjusted synchronous reactance. What is its pu value?
- III) Determine short circuit ratio of the machine

Solution:

- i) For  $V_{oc} = 13 \text{ kV}$  on the air gap line,  $I_{sc} = 7000 \text{ A}$

$$X_s(\text{unsaturated}) = \frac{13 \times 10^3}{\sqrt{3} \times 7000} = 1.072 \Omega$$

- ii) For  $V_{oc} = 13 \text{ kV}$  on OCC,  $I_{sc} = 8600 \text{ A}$

$$X_s(\text{adjusted}) = \frac{13 \times 10^3}{\sqrt{3} \times 8600} = 0.873 \Omega$$

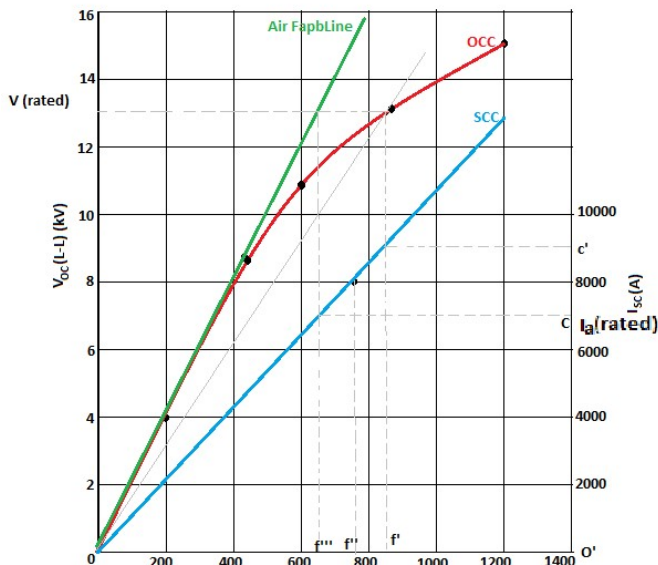
$$I_a(\text{rated}) = \frac{150 \times 10^6}{\sqrt{3} \times 13 \times 10^3 \times 0.85} = 7837 \text{ A}$$

$$Z_{base} = \frac{13 \times 10^3}{\sqrt{3} \times 7837} = 0.958 \Omega$$

$$X_s(\text{adjusted}) \text{ pu} = \frac{0.873}{0.958} = 0.911 \text{ pu}$$

- iii) Short Circuit Ratio (SCR) =  $\frac{I_f \text{ required to produce rated voltage}}{I_f \text{ required to produce rated current}}$

$$SCR = \frac{of'}{of'''} = \frac{806.25}{734.7} = 1.09$$



As SCC is linear  $\frac{o'c}{of'''} = \frac{o'c'}{of'}$

$$\therefore \frac{of'}{of'''} = \frac{o'c'}{o'c}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{of'}{of'''} &= \frac{8600}{I_a(\text{rated})} = \frac{V_{\text{rated}}}{V_{\text{rated}}} \times \frac{8600}{I_a(\text{rated})} \\ &= \frac{V_{\text{rated}}}{\sqrt{3} \times I_a(\text{rated})} \times \frac{\sqrt{3} \times 8600}{V_{\text{rated}}} \\ &= Z_{base} \times \frac{1}{X_s(\text{adjusted})} = \frac{1}{X_s(\text{adjusted}) \text{ pu}} \\ \therefore SCR &= \frac{1}{0.911} = 1.09 \end{aligned}$$

2 A 6600 V, 1200kVA alternator has a reactance of 25% and is delivering full load at 0.8 pf lagging. It is connected to constant frequency bus-bar. If the steam supply is gradually increased, calculate:

- I) At what output will the power factor become unity
- II) The maximum load which it can supply without dropping out of synchronism and the corresponding power factor.

Solutions:

$$i) \quad V_{ph} = \frac{6600}{\sqrt{3}} = 3810 \text{ V}; \quad I_1 = \frac{1200 \times 10^3}{\sqrt{3} \times 6600} = 105 \text{ A}$$

$$Z_{base} = \frac{3810}{105} = 36.28 \Omega; \quad X_s = 0.25 \times 36.28 = 9.07 \Omega$$

$$p.f. \text{ is } 0.8 \therefore \text{ active component of current } I_{1R} = 105 \times 0.8 = 84 \text{ A}$$

$$\text{and reactive component of current } I_{1x} = 105 \times 0.6 = 63 \text{ A}$$

$$E_o = V_{ph} + j I_1 \times (0.8 - 0.6j) \times X_s$$

$$= 3810 + j 105 \times (0.8 - 0.6j) \times 9.07$$

$$= 3810 + j 761.88 + 571.41 = 4447.15 \angle 9.8^\circ \text{ V}$$

Excitation is constant  $\therefore$  for p.f.

$$= 1.0 \text{ the tip of } E_o \text{ must be } A1$$

$$\therefore I_2 X_s = \sqrt{(E_o^2 - V_{ph}^2)}$$

$$= \sqrt{(4447.15^2 - 3810^2)} = 2293.4 \text{ V}$$

$$\therefore I_2 = 252.8 \text{ A}$$

$$\therefore P_{out} = \sqrt{3} \times 6600 \times 252.8 \text{ W} = 2890 \text{ kW}$$

ii) For maximum power angle =  $90^\circ$

$$I_3 X_s = \sqrt{(E_o^2 + V_{ph}^2)}$$

$$= \sqrt{(4447.15^2 + 3810^2)} = 5856 \text{ V}$$

$$\therefore I_3 = 645.6 \text{ A}$$

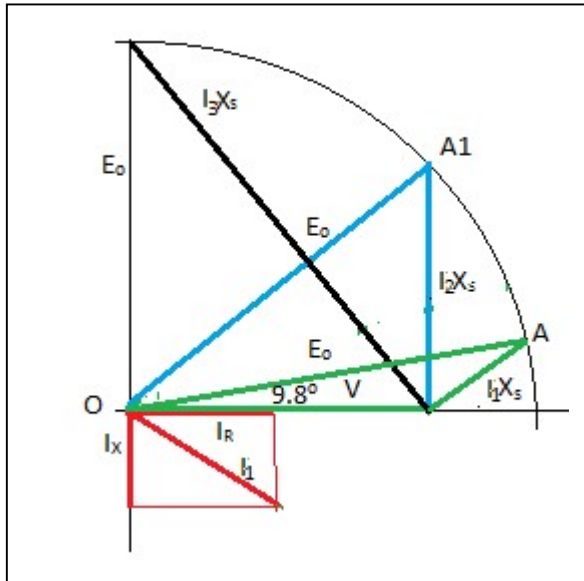
let active component of current  $I_{3R}$  and reactive component  $I_{3X}$

$$\therefore I_{3R} X_s = 4447.15 \text{ V and } I_{3X} X_s = 3810 \text{ V}$$

$$\therefore I_{3R} = 290.3 \text{ A and } I_{3X} = 420 \text{ A}$$

$$\therefore \cos \phi = \cos \left( \tan^{-1} \frac{420}{290} \right) = 0.759 \text{ lead and } \phi = 40.58^\circ \text{ lead}$$

$$\therefore P_{max} = \sqrt{3} \times 6600 \times 645.6 \times 0.759 \text{ W} = 5601.57 \text{ kW}$$



3. A 3 phase 11 kV, 10MW, star connected synchronous generator has a synchronous impedance of  $0.6 + j 10 \Omega / \text{ph}$ . If excitation is such that the open circuit voltage is 12kV, determine:

- i) maximum output of the generator
- ii) current and p.f. at maximum output

Solution:

$$i) \quad P_{max}/ph = \frac{E_f V_t}{X_s}$$

$$E_f = \frac{12000}{\sqrt{3}} = 6928 \text{ V} \quad V_t = \frac{11000}{\sqrt{3}} = 6351 \text{ V} \quad X_s = 10 \Omega$$

$$\therefore P_{max}/ph = \frac{6928 \times 6351}{10} = 4400 \text{ kW/ph}$$

$$\therefore P_{max} = 13200 \text{ kW} = 13.2 \text{ MW}$$

$$ii) \quad I_{max} X_s = \sqrt{(E_f^2 + V_t^2)} = \sqrt{(6928^2 + 6351^2)} = 9398.5 \text{ V}$$

$$\therefore I_{max} = \frac{I_{max} X_s}{X_s} = \frac{9398.5}{10} = 939.8 \text{ A} \quad \text{and} \quad p.f. = \frac{E_f}{I_{max} X_s} = \frac{6928}{9398.5} = 0.737 \text{ lead}$$

4. The effective resistance of a 3 phase star connected 650 Hz 2200 V alternator is  $0.5 \Omega/ph$ . On short circuit a field current of 40 A gives the full load current of 200A. An emf(L-L) of 1100 V is produced on open circuit with the same excitation. Determine synchronous impedance. Hence compute power angle and regulation at 0.8 lagging pf.

Solution:

$$Z_s = \frac{E_f(L-L)}{\sqrt{3} I} = \frac{1100}{\sqrt{3} \times 200} = 3.18 \Omega$$

$$\therefore X_s = \sqrt{Z_s^2 - r_a^2} = \sqrt{3.18^2 - 0.5^2} = 3.14 \Omega$$

$$V_t = \frac{2200}{\sqrt{3}} = 1270 \text{ V}$$

$$E_f = V_t + I(r_a + jX_s)$$

$$= 1270 + 200(0.8 - j0.6)(0.5 + j3.14) = 1726 + j442 = 1782 \angle 14.4^\circ$$

$$\therefore \text{power angle } \delta = 14.4^\circ$$

$$\text{regulation} = \frac{1782 - 1270}{1270} \times 100\% = 40.3\%$$

5. A 2000kVA 11 kV 3 ph star connected alternator has a resistance of  $0.3 \Omega/ph$  and reactance of  $5 \Omega/ph$ . It delivers full load current at 0.8 lagging p.f at normal voltage. Compute the terminal voltage for the same excitation and load at 0.8 leading p.f.

Solution;

$$V_t = \frac{11000}{\sqrt{3}} = 6351 \text{ V} \quad \text{and} \quad I = \frac{2000 \times 10^3}{\sqrt{3} \times 11000} = 105 \text{ A}$$

$$E_f = V_t + I(r_a + jX_s) = 6351 + 105(.8 - j.6)(.3 + j5)$$

$$\therefore E_f = 6703.2 \angle 3.43^\circ$$

$$\therefore \text{for leading p.f. } E_f = V_t + I(.8 + j.6)(r_a + jX_s)$$

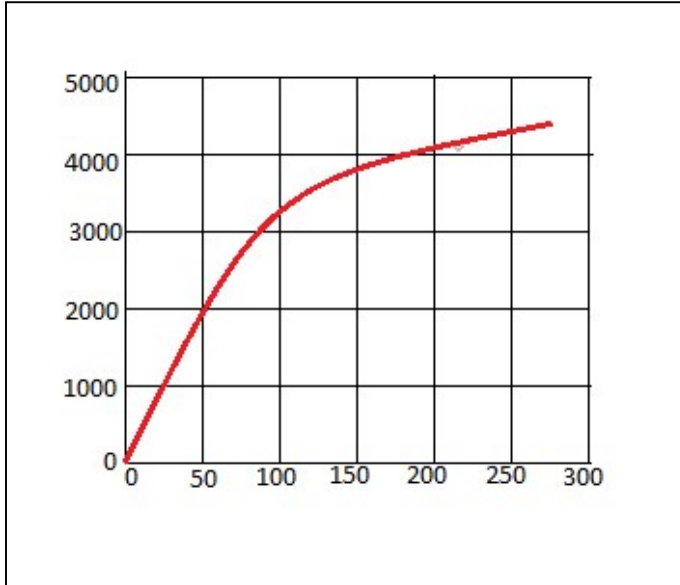
$$\therefore E_f = V_t + 105(.8 + j.6)(.3 + j5)$$

$$E_f = V_t - 289.8 + j438.9$$

$$\therefore E_f^2 = (V_t - 289.8)^2 + 438.9^2$$

$$V_t/ph = 6978.6 \text{ V} \quad \text{and} \quad V_t(L-L) = 11776 \text{ V}$$

6. A 3 phase 2 pole 2000 kVA, 6600 V, 3000 rpm turbo alternator, has 60 armature slots with 4 conductors per slot and its effective resistance and leakage reactance are 0.1  $\Omega$  and 2  $\Omega$  per phase respectively. There are 10 rotor slots per pole with angular pitch of slots equal to 10° and 20 conductors per slot. The open circuit characteristics are given by fig. 1. Determine regulation at full load 0.8 pf lagging.



$$V_t = \frac{6600}{\sqrt{3}} = 3816 \text{ V}$$

$$I = \frac{2000 \times 10^3}{\sqrt{3} \times 6.6 \times 10^3} = 175 \text{ A}$$

$$E_r = V_t + I \times (0.8 - j 0.6)(r_a + jX_{al})$$

$$= 3810 + 175 \times (0.8 - j 0.6)(0.1 + j2)$$

$$= 4034 + j269.5 = 4043 \angle 3.8^\circ \text{ V}$$

from OCC  $F_r = 215 \text{ A}$

$$F_a = \frac{3}{2} \times \frac{4 N_{ph} \sqrt{2} I}{\pi P} k_w k_p$$

$$N_{ph} = \frac{60 \times 4}{2 \times 3} = 40$$

slot per pole per phase  $q = \frac{60}{2 \times 3} = 10$

for full pitch coil phase spread  $\sigma = 60^\circ$

slot pitch  $\gamma = \frac{60^\circ}{10} = 6^\circ$

$$k_w = \frac{\sin \frac{q\gamma}{2}}{q \sin \frac{\gamma}{2}} = \frac{\sin \frac{10 \times 6^\circ}{2}}{10 \sin \frac{6^\circ}{2}} = \frac{\sin 30^\circ}{10 \times \sin 3^\circ} = 0.955 \text{ and } k_p = 1.0$$

$$\therefore F_a = \frac{3}{2} \times \frac{4\sqrt{2} \cdot 40 \times 175}{\pi \cdot 2} \cdot 0.955 \times 1 = 9027.9 \text{ AT/pole}$$

For the field slot/pole = 10 and conductor/slot = 20

$$\therefore N_f = \frac{10 \times 20}{2} = 100 \text{ and } k_{wf} = \frac{\sin \frac{10 \times 10}{2}}{10 \times \sin \frac{10}{2}} = 0.879$$

$$\therefore \text{for any field current } I_f, F_f = \frac{4}{\pi} N_f I_f k_{wf} k_{pf} = \frac{4}{\pi} \times 100 \times 0.879 I_f = 111.9 I_f$$

$$\therefore \text{equivalent field amp. for } F_a = \frac{F_a \text{ AT/pole}}{111.9} = \frac{9027.9}{111.9} = 80.7 \text{ A}$$

$$\alpha = 90^\circ + 36.87^\circ + 3.8^\circ = 130.7^\circ$$

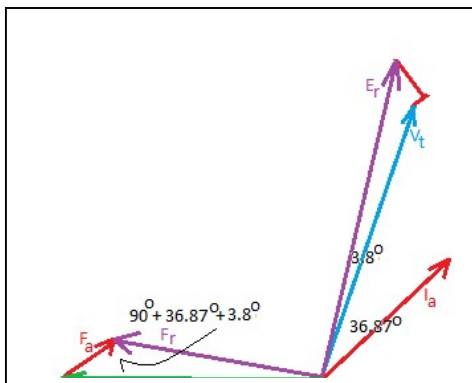
$$\bar{F}_f = \bar{F}_r - \bar{F}_a$$

$$\therefore |F_f| = \sqrt{F_r^2 + F_a^2 - 2F_r F_a \cos 130.7^\circ}$$

$$= \sqrt{215^2 + 80.7^2 - 2 \times 215 \times 80.7 \times \cos 130.7^\circ}$$

$$F_f = 274.5 \text{ A} \quad \therefore E_f = 4500 \text{ V/ph}$$

$$\therefore \text{regulation} = \frac{4500 - 3810}{3810} \times 100\% = \mathbf{18.1\%}$$



7. The full load torque angle of a synchronous motor at rated voltage and frequency is  $30^\circ$ . The motor resistance is negligible. How will the torque angle be affected by the following changes?
- the load torque and terminal voltage remaining constant, the excitation and frequency are raised by 10%
  - the load power and terminal voltage remaining constant, the excitation and frequency are reduced by 10%
  - the load torque and excitation remaining constant, the terminal voltage and frequency are raised by 10%
  - the load power and excitation remaining constant, the terminal voltage and frequency are reduced by 10%

Solution:

- i) load torque is  $= \frac{1}{\omega_s} \frac{E_f \times V_t}{X_s} \sin \delta$  is constant and terminal voltage  $V_t$  is constant.

New excitation is  $1.1E_f$ , new synchronous speed is  $1.1\omega_s$  and synchronous impedance is  $1.1X_s$

$$\therefore \frac{1}{\omega_s} \frac{E_f \times V_t}{X_s} \sin \delta = \frac{1}{1.1\omega_s} \frac{1.1E_f \times V_t}{1.1X_s} \sin \delta_1 \quad \therefore \sin \delta \times 1.1 = \sin \delta_1$$

$$\sin \delta_1 = 1.1 \times \sin 30^\circ = 0.55 \quad \therefore \delta_1 = 33.36^\circ$$

- ii) load power is  $= \frac{E_f \times V_t}{X_s} \sin \delta$  is constant and terminal voltage  $V_t$  is constant.

New excitation is  $0.9E_f$ , new synchronous speed is  $0.9\omega_s$  and synchronous impedance is  $0.9X_s$

$$\therefore \frac{E_f \times V_t}{X_s} \sin \delta = \frac{0.9E_f \times V_t}{0.9X_s} \sin \delta_1 \quad \therefore \sin \delta = \sin \delta_1 \quad \therefore \delta_1 = 30^\circ$$

- iii) load torque is  $= \frac{1}{\omega_s} \frac{E_f \times V_t}{X_s} \sin \delta$  is constant and excitation  $E_f$  is constant.

New terminal voltage is  $1.1V_t$ , new synchronous speed is  $1.1\omega_s$  and synchronous impedance is  $1.1X_s$

$$\therefore \frac{1}{\omega_s} \frac{E_f \times V_t}{X_s} \sin \delta = \frac{1}{1.1\omega_s} \frac{E_f \times 1.1V_t}{1.1X_s} \sin \delta_1 \quad \therefore \sin \delta \times 1.1 = \sin \delta_1$$

$$\sin \delta_1 = 1.1 \times \sin 30^\circ = 0.55 \quad \therefore \delta_1 = 33.36^\circ$$

- iv) load power is  $= \frac{E_f \times V_t}{X_s} \sin \delta$  is constant and excitation  $E_f$  is constant.

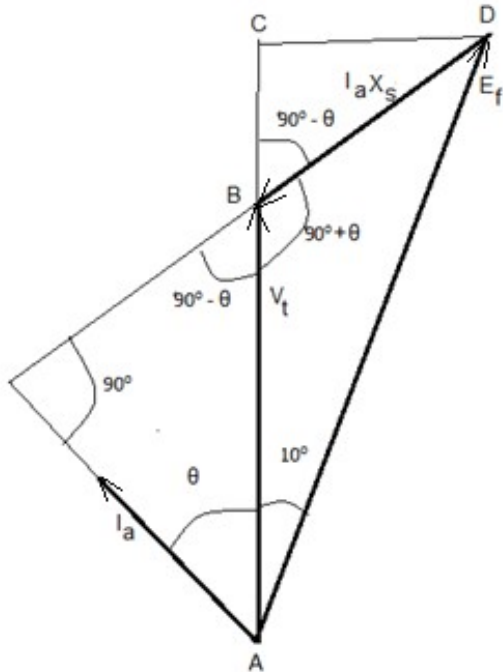
New terminal voltage is  $0.9V_t$ , new synchronous speed is  $0.9\omega_s$  and synchronous impedance is  $0.9X_s$

$$\therefore \frac{E_f \times V_t}{X_s} \sin \delta = \frac{E_f \times 0.9V_t}{0.9X_s} \sin \delta_1 \quad \therefore \sin \delta = \sin \delta_1$$

$$\therefore \delta_1 = 30^\circ$$

8. A 1000kVA 3 phase 11 kV star connected synchronous motor has negligible resistance and synchronous reactance of 35 ohm per phase.

- i) what is the excitation emf of the motor if the power angle is  $10^\circ$  and the motor takes rated current at a) lagging pf and b) leading pf . what is the mechanical power developed and the power factor .



rated current  $I_a = \frac{1000 \times 10^3}{\sqrt{3} \times 11 \times 10^3} = 52.5 \text{ A}$

$$V_t = \frac{11 \times 10^3}{\sqrt{3}} = 6351 \text{ V}$$

$$CD = I_a X_s \cos \theta = E_f \sin 10^\circ$$

$$\text{or } 52.5 \times 35 \cos \theta = 0.1736 E_f$$

$$\text{or } 1837.5 \cos \theta = 0.1736 E_f$$

$$\text{or } \cos \theta = (0.1736/1837.5) E_f = 0.00095 E_f$$

$$AC = AB + BC = V_t + I_a X_s \sin \theta = E_f \cos 10^\circ$$

$$\text{or } 6351 + 1837.5 \sin \theta = 0.9848 E_f$$

$$\text{or } \sin \theta = 0.0005359 E_f - 3.51$$

$$\sin^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta = 1$$

$$\left( \frac{0.1736}{1837.5} \right)^2 E_f^2$$

$$+ \left( (0.9848/1837.5) E_f - (6351/1837.5) \right)^2 = 1$$

$$(0.1736)^2 E_f^2$$

$$+ (0.9848 E_f - 6351)^2 = 1837.5^2$$

$$0.0301 E_f^2 + .9698 E_f^2 - 12508 E_f + 40335201$$

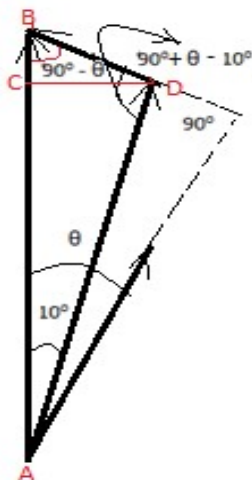
$$= 3376406$$

$$E_f^2 - 12508 E_f + 36958795 = 0$$

$$E_f = \frac{12508 \mp \sqrt{12508^2 - 4 \times 36958795}}{2} = \frac{12508 \mp \sqrt{8614885}}{2}$$

$$= \frac{12508 \mp 2935}{2} = 7721 \text{ or } 4684$$

**Excitation 7.72 kV for leading pf.**



For leading pf.  $\cos \theta = (0.1736/1837.5) E_f = (0.1736/1837.5) 7721$

**= 0.7294 lead**

$$\text{Power} = 3 \times \frac{7721 \times 6351}{35} \sin 10 = \mathbf{729.86 \text{ kW}}$$

**Excitation 4.68 kV for lagging pf.**

For lagging pf.  $\cos \theta = (0.1736/1837.5) E_f = (0.1736/1837.5) 4684$

**= 0.4225 lag**

$$\text{Power} = 3 \times \frac{4684 \times 6351}{35} \sin 10 = \mathbf{422.7 \text{ kW}}$$

**From phasor for lagging pf:**

$$CD = I_a X_s \cos \theta = E_f \sin 10^\circ$$

$$\text{or } 52.5 \times 35 \cos \theta = 0.1736 E_f$$

$$\text{or } 1837.5 \cos \theta = 0.1736 E_f$$

$$\text{or } \cos \theta = (0.1736/1837.5) E_f = 0.000095 E_f$$

$$AC = AB - BC = V_t - I_a X_s \sin \theta = E_f \cos 10^\circ$$

$$\text{or } 6351 - 1837.5 \sin \theta = 0.9848 E_f$$

$$\text{or } \sin \theta = (6351 - 0.9848 E_f) / 1837.5$$

$$\sin^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta = 1$$

$$\left(\frac{0.1736}{1837.5}\right)^2 E_f^2 + \left(\frac{6351 - 0.9848 E_f}{1837.5}\right)^2 = 1$$

$$(0.1736)^2 E_f^2 + (6351 - 0.9848 E_f)^2 = 1837.5^2$$

$$0.0301 E_f^2 + .9698 E_f^2 - 12508 E_f + 40335201 = 3376406$$