# EE 577 - M3A1

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### 4-2

A 13.8-kV, 50-MVA, 0.9-power-factor-lagging, 60-Hz, four-pole Y-connected synchronous generator has a synchronous reactance of 2.5  $\Omega$  and an armature resistance of 0.2  $\Omega$ . At 60 Hz, its friction and windage losses are 1 MW, and its core losses are 1.5 MW. The field circuit has a dc voltage of 120 V, and the maximum  $I_F$  is 10 A. The current of the field circuit is adjustable over the range from 0 to 10 A. The OCC of this generator is shown in Figure P4-1.

a) How much field current is required to make the terminal voltage V (or line voltage) equal to 13.8 kV when the generator is running at no load?

Looking at the OCC curve, the OCV of 13.8 kV is about **3.5A**.

b) What is the internal generated voltage  $E_A$  of this machine at rated conditions? At rated conditions,  $I = \frac{50 \text{MVA}}{13.8 \text{kV}, line\ line} = \frac{50 \text{MVA}}{\sqrt{3}13.8 \text{kV}, phase} = 2.09 \text{kA}$  on each output line.

$$V_{\rm phase} = V_{\rm line\ line} \sqrt{3} = 7.967 \text{kV}$$

The generator has phase reactance  $X=2.5\Omega$  and resistance  $R=0.2\Omega$ . To make the terminal voltage 13.8 kV (7.967 kV phase) the internal voltage needs to be higher:  $E = V_T + I \cdot (R + jX) =$  $7.967 \text{kV} + 2.09 \angle 25.8^{\circ} \text{kA} (0.2 + j2.5) \Omega = 11.547 \text{ kV}_{\text{phase, internal}} = 20 \text{ kV}_{\text{line-line, internal}}$ 

- c) The phase voltage  $V_{\Phi}$  of this generator at rated conditions, assuming the field current is adjusted properly, is  $V_{\Phi} = V_{\text{line-line}} / \sqrt{3} = 11.547 kV$ .
- d) To make the internal OCV 20 kV, and terminal voltage 13.8 kV according to the OCC requires a the maximum field current of 10A.

### 4-6

The internal generated voltage  $E_A$  of a 2-pole  $\Delta$ -connected, 60 Hz, three phase synchronous generator is 14.4 kV, and the terminal voltage  $V_T$  is 12.8 kV. The synchronous reactance of this machine is 4  $\Omega$ , and the armature resistance can be ignored.

a) If the torque angle of the generator  $\delta = 18^{\circ}$ , how much power is being supplied by this generator at the current time?

$$P = VI = 3V_{\Phi}(E/X)\sin(\delta) = 3 \cdot 12.8 \cdot (14.4/4)\sin(18^{\circ}) = 42.72MW$$

b) What is the power factor of the generator at this time?

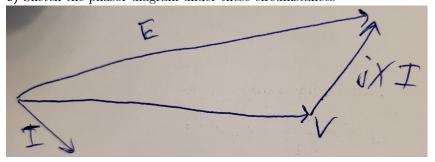
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$$I = \frac{14.4 \angle 18^{\circ} - 12.8 \text{kV}}{j4 \Omega} = 1.1348 \angle \{-11.375^{\circ}\} \text{kA}$$

$$pf = \cos(-11.375^{\circ}) = 0.9804 \text{ lagging}$$

c) Sketch the phasor diagram under these circumstances



d) Ignoring losses in this generator, what torque must be applied to its shaft by the prime mover at these conditions?

$$P = \omega T$$
  
 $T = \frac{P}{\omega} = \frac{42.72 \text{MW}}{2\pi 60} = 113.3 \text{kN} \cdot \text{M}$ 

### 4-7

A 100-MVA, 14.4-kV, 0.8-PF-lagging, 50-Hz, two-pole, Y-connected synchronous generator has a perunit synchronous reactance of 1.1 and a per-unit armature resistance of 0.011

$$V_{\Phi} = 14.4 \text{kV} / \sqrt{3} = 8.3138 \text{kV}$$

a) What are its synchronous reactance and armature resistance in ohms?

$$R = \frac{R_{\rm pu}}{Z_{\rm base}} = 0.011 \cdot (14.4 {\rm kV})^2 / 100 {\rm MVA} = 22.81 ~\rm m\Omega$$

$$X = \frac{X_{\rm pu}}{Z_{\rm base}} = 1.1 \cdot (14.4 {\rm kV})^2 / 100 {\rm MVA} = 2.281 ~\Omega$$

b) What is the magnitude of the internal generated voltage E at the rated conditions? What is its torque angle  $\delta$  at these conditions?

$$\theta = \arccos 0.8 = 36.87^\circ$$
 
$$E = V + I \cdot Z = \frac{14.4}{\sqrt{3}} \text{kV} + (\frac{100 \text{MVA}}{\sqrt{3} \cdot 14.4 \text{kV}} \angle - 36.87^\circ) \cdot (0.02281 + j2.281)$$
 
$$E = 15.66 \angle 27.626^\circ \text{kV}$$

c) Ignoring losses in the generator, what torque must be applied to its shaft by the prime mover at full load?

$$\begin{array}{l} P = VI\cos\theta = 0.8 \cdot 1000 = 80 \mathrm{MW} \\ \mathrm{speed} \ n_{\mathrm{sync}} = \frac{120 f_{\mathrm{sync}}}{P\mathrm{oles}} = \frac{120 \cdot 50 \mathrm{Hz}}{2} = 3000 \mathrm{rev/min} = 50 \mathrm{rev/s} \\ \mathrm{torque} \ \mathrm{applied} \ \tau = \frac{P}{\omega} = \frac{80 \mathrm{MW}}{2\pi \cdot 50 \mathrm{rad/s}} = 254,650 \ \mathrm{N} \cdot \mathrm{m} \end{array}$$

## 4-8

A 200-MVA, 12-kV, 0.85-PF-lagging, 50-Hz, 20-pole, Y-connected water turbine generator has a perunit synchronous reactance of 0.9 and a per-unit armature resistance of 0.1. This generator is operating in parallel with a large power system (infinite bus).

a) What is the speed of rotation of this generator's shaft?

$$n_{\rm sync} = \frac{120 f_{\rm sync}}{P {\rm oles}} = \frac{120 \cdot 50 {\rm Hz}}{20} = 300 {\rm rev/min}$$

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$$\theta = \arccos 0.85 = 31.788^{\circ}$$

$$\begin{split} E_{\rm pu} &= V_{\rm pu} + Z_{\rm pu} \cdot I_{\rm pu} = 1 + (0.1 + j0.9) \cdot 1 \angle 31.788^\circ = 1.7141 \angle 24.555^\circ \text{ V}_{\rm pu} \\ E_A &= 1.7141 \angle 24.555^\circ \text{V}_{\rm pu} \cdot 12 \text{kV} / \sqrt{3} = 11.876 \angle 24.555^\circ \text{ kV per phase internal voltage} \end{split}$$

c) What is the torque angle of the generator at rated conditions?

The torque angle is the angle  $\delta$  between the internal and external voltage.

$$\delta = 24.555^{\circ}$$

d) What are the values of the generator's synchronous reactance and armature resistance in ohms? We are given the per unit, so we can just multiply by the base impedance.

We are given the per unit, so 
$$X_s = 0.9 \cdot \frac{(12\text{kV})^2}{200\text{MVA}} = 0.648 \ \Omega$$
  $R = 0.1 \cdot \frac{(12\text{kV})^2}{200\text{MVA}} = 0.072 \ \Omega$ 

e) If the field current is held constant, what is the maximum power possible out of this generator? How much reserve power or torque does this generator have at full load?

The maximum occurs at  $\delta = 90^\circ$ :  $P_{\rm max} = 3\frac{12/\sqrt{3}\cdot11.876}{0.648} = 380.92$  kW The generator has  $380.92-200\cdot0.85=210.92$ kW reserve power.