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Set No. 1

IV B.Tech I Semester Regular Examinations, October/November - 2019

SPECIAL ELECTRICAL MACHINES

(Electrical and Electronics Engineering)

Time: 3 hours

Max. Marks: 70

Question paper consists of Part-A and Part-B

Answer ALL sub questions from Part-A

Answer any FOUR questions from Part-B

PART-A(14 Marks)

1. a) What are the most common types of magnetism? [2]
b) What are the advantages of bipolar stepper motor compared to unipolar stepper motors? [2]
c) Define magnetic Reluctance. [2]
d) List the applications of BLDC motors. [3]
e) What are the differences between PMSM and BLDC motors? [3]
f) What are linear motors? [2]

PART-B(4x14 = 56 Marks)

2. a) Give the classification of permanent magnet materials. Which materials are used in permanent magnets? [7]
b) Discuss the advantages and limitations of permanent magnet machines. [7]
3. a) What is a stepper motor? What is its principle? Discuss its applications. [7]
b) With a neat block diagram, explain the open loop control of 3-phase VR Stepper Motor. [7]
4. a) What are the advantages of Switched Reluctance Motors? [5]
b) Write the equivalent circuit of a Switched Reluctance Motor and derive the expression for torque produced by the motor. [9]
5. a) Explain the operation of a BLDC motor. Also write the expressions for Torque and EMF of BLDC motor. [7]
b) What are the reasons for ripples in the torque produced by the BLDC motors? Suggest any scheme for torque ripple reduction. [7]
6. a) What are BLDC motors? How are they differ from permanent magnet synchronous motors? [7]
b) Derive the Torque and EMF equations for permanent magnet synchronous motors. [7]
7. a) Briefly discuss different types of linear motors. [4]
b) Discuss the application of single sided linear induction motor for electric traction. [10]

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PART-A(14 Marks)

1. a) Why steel is preferred for making permanent magnet? [2]
b) Why can't the stepper motors run continuously? [2]
c) Deduce the relationship between Reluctance and Inductance. [2]
d) Write the expression for torque produced by a BLDC motor. [2]
e) What are the advantages of permanent magnet machines? [3]
f) List various applications of linear motors. [3]

PART-B(4x14 = 56 Marks)

2. a) What is B-H curve? Discuss the characteristics of soft magnetic materials. [9]
b) Compare between electronically commutated dc motor and conventional dc motor. [5]
3. a) Explain the principle of operation and construction of Variable Reluctance stepper motor. [9]
b) Discuss the principle of hybrid type synchronous stepper motor. [5]
4. a) Explain the constructional details of a 4-phase 8/6 switched reluctance motor. [7]
b) Discuss the application areas of switched reluctance motor. Also list the main limitations of switched reluctance motors. [7]
5. a) Discuss the merits and applications of BLDC motors. [6]
b) With the help of schematic diagram and necessary waveforms, discuss the operation of a square wave brushless DC motors with 120° operation. [8]
6. a) Discuss the constructional differences between permanent magnet synchronous motor and BLDC motors. [8]
b) List and discuss the applications of sine wave permanent magnet Brushless motors. [6]
7. a) Discuss the principle of operation of linear induction motors. [7]
b) Draw and explain the equivalent circuit of linear induction motor. [7]

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Answer any FOUR questions from Part-B

PART-A(14 Marks)

1. a) Why B-H curve is not linear? [2]
b) A hybrid stepping motors have 200 rotor teeth, what is full step angle? [2]
c) What is Co-energy? [2]
d) Draw and explain the shape of back-EMF of a BLDC motor. [3]
e) What are the differences between the stators of PMSM and BLDC motors? [3]
f) What are different types of linear motors? [2]

PART-B(4x14 = 56 Marks)

2. a) What is hysteresis loop? Discuss the characteristics of hard magnetic materials. [7]
b) List the applications of permanent magnets. Also discuss the effect of temperature on permanent magnets. [7]
3. a) List and discuss the applications of stepper motors. [5]
b) With the help of a neat block diagram, explain the closed loop control of 2-phase hybrid stepping motor. [9]
4. a) What is the need for rotor position sensor in switched reluctance motor control? [7]
b) Explain the torque production mechanism in switched reluctance motors. [7]
5. a) What are the advantages of BLDC motors? Explain the constructional details of a BLDC motor. [8]
b) Draw and discuss the Torque-speed characteristics of BLDC motors. [6]
6. a) Discuss different types of rotors in permanent magnet synchronous machines. [7]
b) Draw and discuss the phasor diagram of sine wave permanent magnet brushless motors. [7]
7. a) Differentiate between linear motors and rotary motors. [7]
b) Draw the constructional details of a linear induction motor. [7]

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PART-A(14 Marks)

1. a) What is Curie point? [2]
- b) List any four applications of stepper motors. [2]
- c) List main disadvantages of Switched Reluctance Motors. [3]
- d) What is back-EMF of a motor? [2]
- e) List the applications of Sine wave Permanent Magnet Brushless Motors. [3]
- f) List any four applications of linear motors. [2]

PART-B(4x14 = 56 Marks)

2. a) What are the merits of permanent magnet motors? Where are permanent magnet motors used? [7]
- b) How does temperature affect permanent magnets? Discuss in detail. [7]
3. a) Compare between open loop and closed loop control of stepper motors. [6]
- b) Explain how a full-step mode and half-step mode are implemented in stepper motors? Which mode produces more torque output? [8]
4. a) With a neat schematic diagram, explain the operation of any two power converters for a 4-phase 8/6 switched reluctance motor. [10]
- b) List the advantages and applications of switched reluctance motors. [4]
5. a) Draw the constructional details of a surface mounted type permanent magnet BLDC motor. [7]
- b) What is the need for rotor position sensing in the control of BLDC motors? Explain. [7]
6. a) Draw and discuss the Torque-speed characteristics of PMSM. [7]
- b) Make a comparison between square wave and sine wave permanent magnet motors. [7]
7. Explain the working of linear induction motors. Draw the schematic and discuss the operation of linear induction motor drive for traction application. [14]