

GUJARAT TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY

BE - SEMESTER-VII EXAMINATION – SUMMER 2025

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Subject Name:Design of AC Machines

Time:02:30 PM TO 05:30 PM

Total Marks:70

Instructions:

- 1. Attempt all questions.**
- 2. Make suitable assumptions wherever necessary.**
- 3. Figures to the right indicate full marks.**
- 4. Simple and non-programmable scientific calculators are allowed.**

		Marks
Q.1	(a) Explain the concept of output equation in the design of a three-phase induction motor.	03
	(b) Discuss the factors influencing the choice of specific loadings in the design of 3-ph. induction motors.	04
	(c) Design the stator for a 10 HP, 400 V, 50 Hz, 4-pole three-phase induction motor. Calculate the number of turns per phase, stator slot area, total number of stator slots, and stator core length.	07
Q.2	(a) Explain the rules for selecting the number of rotor slots in a squirrel cage rotor.	03
	(b) Discuss how rotor slots can be designed to minimize harmonics in induction motors.	04
	(c) Design the rotor for a 15 HP, 400 V, 50 Hz, 4-pole three-phase induction motor. Calculate only the number of rotor slots, cross-sectional area of rotor conductors.	07
	OR	
	(c) Design the rotor for a 20 HP, 400 V, 50 Hz, 6-pole three-phase induction motor with a wound rotor. Calculate the number of rotor slots, number of turns, and cross-sectional area of rotor conductors.	07
Q.3	(a) Outline the main dimensions in the design of a single-phase induction motor.	03
	(b) Explain the design of auxiliary winding in a single-phase induction motor.	04
	(c) Calculate the capacitance required for maximum torque in the design of a single-phase induction motor with a rated power of 5 HP, 230 V, and 50 Hz.	07
	OR	
Q.3	(a) State the methods of improving starting torque of three phase induction motor.	03
	(b) Explain the importance of conductor's area in stator design.	04
	(c) What is dispersion coefficient? Explain its effect on maximum power factor.	07
Q.4	(a) Explain the output equation and design of main dimensions in synchronous machine design.	03
	(b) Describe the armature winding design for synchronous machines.	04
	(c) Determine the full load field MMF and design the field winding for a 500 KVA, 3-phase, 11 KV synchronous machine.	07

OR

- Q.4** (a) Explain the difference between turbo and hydro alternator in a point of view of design. **03**
(b) Define SCR and its importance in designing of synchronous machine. **04**
(c) Design the main dimensions, stator, and rotor of a turbo alternator for a 20 MW, 11 KV, 50 Hz generator. Calculate the length of the air gap. **07**

- Q.5** (a) Introduce the Finite Element Method (FEM) and its applications in the design of electrical machines. **03**
(b) Discuss the advantages of using open-source FEM software for 2D design in electrical machine design. **04**
(c) Compare different 1-phase induction motor in a point of view of design. **07**

OR

- Q.5** (a) Derive the equation of MMF of damper winding. **03**
(b) Explain main differences between design of 1- ϕ and 3- ϕ induction motor **04**
(c) Write the steps and necessary equations for armature design of a synchronous machine. **07**
