Magnetic circuits and transformers

Academic Year: (2019/2020)

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Department assigned to the subject: Electrical Engineering Department

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Type: Electives ECTS Credits : 6.0

Year : 4 Semester : 1

REQUIREMENTS (SUBJECTS THAT ARE ASSUMED TO BE KNOWN)

Physics II

Electrical Power Engineering Fundamentals

DESCRIPTION OF CONTENTS: PROGRAMME

Topic 1: REVIEWING BASIC CONCEPTS ON ELECTRICITY AND MAGNETISM. Maxwell equations. Core losses. Dielectric losses. Magnetic circuits. Self and mutual inductances.

Topic 2: CONSTITUTION OF POWER TRANSFORMERS. Magnetic core, windings, insulation system. Transformer refrigeration. Basic concepts on maintenance.

Topic 3: 1-PHASE TRANSFORMERS. No load performance. On-load performance. Overloads. Equivalent circuit. Efficiency. Voltage drop. Parallel operation. Short circuit currents. Inrush current.

Topic 4: 3-PHASE TRANSFORMERS. Types of transformers. Phasor groups. No-load performance. Transformer performance under balanced and un-balanced loads. Zero-sequence impedance. Tertiary windings. Interconnected star windings. Three winding transformers. Autotransformers. Tap changers. Application of the different transformer types and phasor groups.

LEARNING ACTIVITIES AND METHODOLOGY

The learning methodology includes:

- Lectures covering the main topics described within the course outline.
- Case study and problem solving lectures, where some issues are addressed from a practical point of view.
- Laboratory sessions

ASSESSMENT SYSTEM

One writting exercise for each topic of the subject. With a score upper than 5.0 the exercise is passed. Those students with one or various failed exercised must perform a final exam of those failed exercises.

% end-of-term-examination:	60
% of continuous assessment (assigments, laboratory, practicals):	40

BASIC BIBLIOGRAPHY

- Kulkarni, S.V.; Khaparde S.A. Transformer engineering. Design and Practice, Marcel Dekker, 2012

BASIC ELECTRONIC RESOURCES

- Juan Carlos Burgos . OCW Circuitos Magnéticos y Transformadores: http://ocw.uc3m.es/ingenieriaelectrica/circuitos-magneticos-y-transformadores