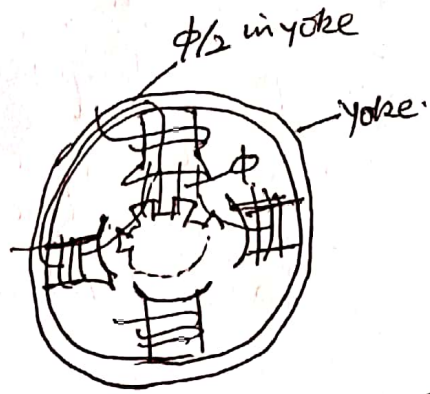


## DC machines.

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Flux path in a DC m/c.



A) Yoke → Serves 1) to provide path for pole flux  $\phi$  and carries  $\frac{1}{2}\phi$ .

2) provides mechanical support for whole machine

material used → Cast iron for small dc m/c.

Fabricated steel for large dc m/c.

When used with power electronic converters, yoke will be laminated to reduce eddy current losses.

B) Field poles. pole and pole shoe, pole core made up of cast steel, pole shoe is laminated.

alternatively laminated pole core and pole shoe.

C) field or exciting windings Copper is used.

the no. of turns and cross section depends on

1) dc shunt m/c → large <sup>no. of</sup> turns with small cross section

2) dc series m/c → small no. of turns with large cross section

3) Compound m/c → combination of above.

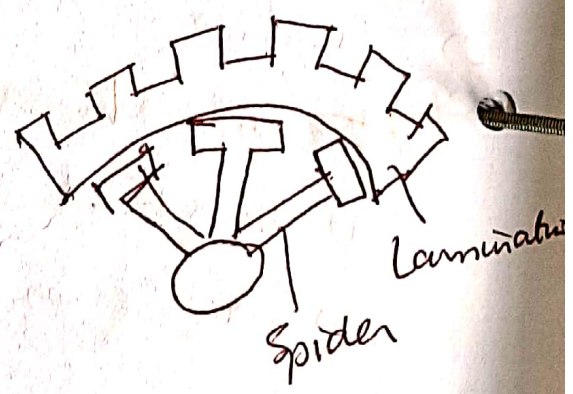
d) Inter poles :- Fixed between main poles of the machine. winding consists of few turns <sup>of wire</sup> of thick cross section, in series with the armature.

e) Compensating windings placed in the slots cut on the pole faces and connected in series with the armature circuit, used only in large m/c.

f) Brushes made of carbon for small m/s and electrographite for all dc m/c. and Copper graphite for low voltage high current dc m/c.

Rotor Components

A) Armature Core Serves 1) purpose of holding armature coils in the armature slots, 2) provides low reluctance path for the magnetic flux  $\Phi/2$ , made of 0.35 to 0.50 mm silicon steel laminations. For large m/cs, the armature core is placed on spiders



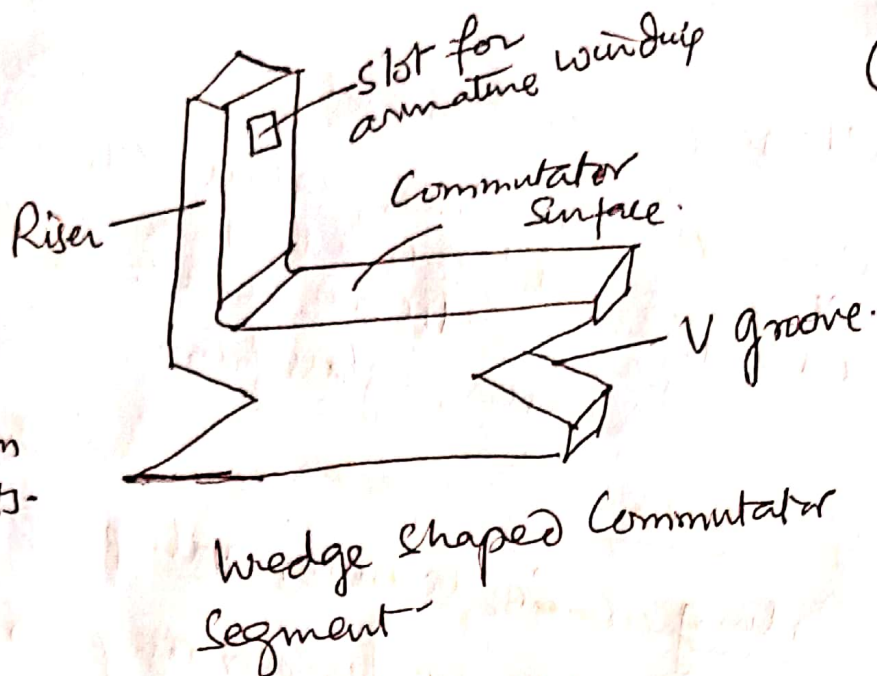
B) Armature windings

Copper winding,  $\rightarrow$  Coils  $\rightarrow$  no. of turns - Coils are "former wound", placed in slots, connected in series or parallel, based on type of winding.  $\rightarrow$  LAP winding, wave winding

Two coil ends are connected to the riser of the commutator segment. Coils can be full pitch or short pitched placement

## Commutator

- 1) Copper segments of high conductivity hard drawn copper
- 2) Insulated by 0.8mm thick mica sheets.
- 3)



Shaft of solid steel, mounted with Spider for large m/c, armature core, bearings.

Endshields provides support to the rotor and encloses the m/c, protecting the inner parts.

- ⇒ Types of enclosures:-
- 1) TEFC → Totally enclosed Fan Cooled
  - 2) SPDP → Screen protected Drip proof
  - 3) Hose proof, Drip proof
  - 4) Flame proof.

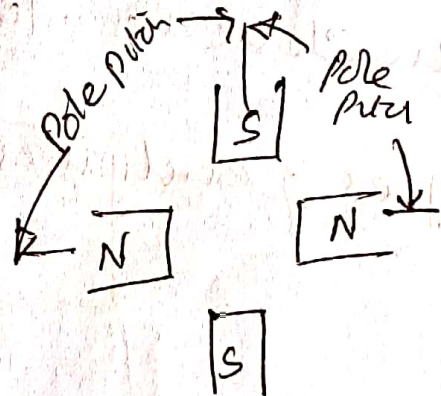
Insulation of windings → class <sup>E</sup>A, B, C, H, F

	E	B	F	H
max. Temp	120	130	155	180

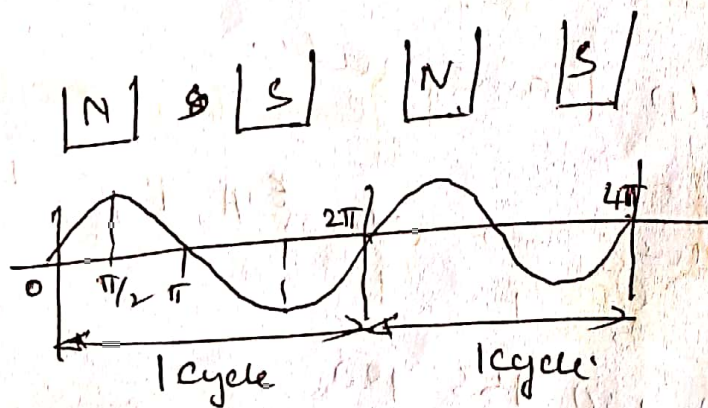
Class 'E' → Synthetic resin enamel, Cotton, Paper  
 Class 'B' → mica, glass fibre, asbestos  
 Class 'P' → Class 'B' with more thermally bonded material  
 Class 'H' → Silicone elastomer, Combination of mica, glass fibre, asbestos etc

Rating  
 Continuous rating → Continuous without exceeding temp  
 Short time rating → Output for a specified time, in cycles per hour.  
 Intermittent rating → Continuous rating with load and unloading cycles or rest

Pole pitch The angular distance between a pole pair is pole pitch



$$\text{Pole pitch} = \frac{360}{\text{No of poles}}$$



720 elect degrees

$$= \frac{P}{2} (360 \text{ mech. degrees})$$

$$\omega_{\text{elect}} = \frac{P}{2} \omega_{\text{mech.}}$$

P = no of poles

Continu...

In a 4 pole m/c

One revolution  $\rightarrow$  2 electrical cycles genf

(5)

$$\Rightarrow \frac{P}{2} \text{ cycles.}$$

$$\text{one revolution/sec} \Rightarrow \frac{P}{2} \text{ Cycles/sec}$$

$$n \text{ revolutions/sec} \rightarrow \frac{n \cdot P}{2} \text{ cycles/sec}$$

Cycles/sec = frequency in hertz

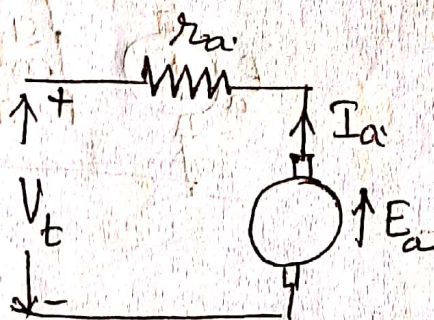
$$f = \frac{n \cdot P}{2}$$

$$n \text{ rev/sec} = \frac{n \times 60 = N}{\text{rev/min}}$$

$$\therefore f = \frac{N}{60} \cdot \frac{P}{2} = \frac{PN}{120}$$

$$\text{or } N = \frac{120 f}{P}$$

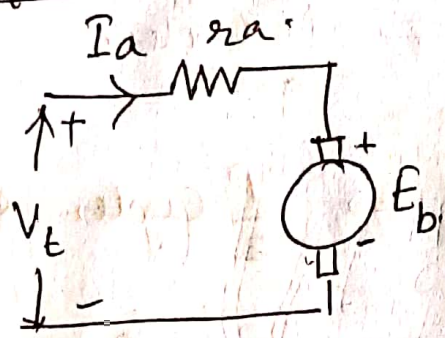
Representation of a dc m/c



Generating mode

$$V_t = E_a - I_a \cdot r_a$$

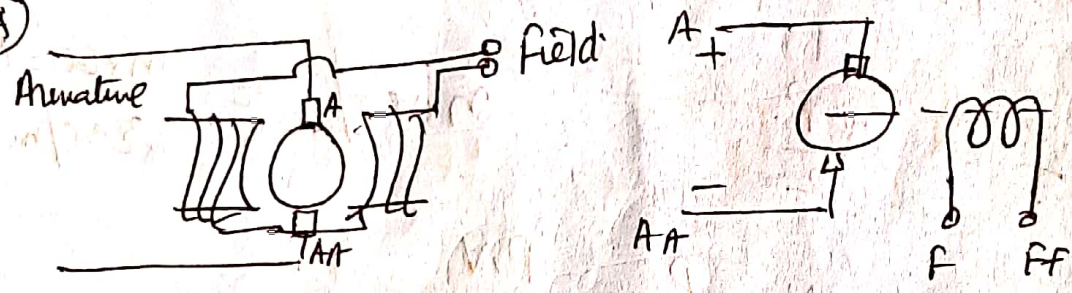
Motoring mode



$$V_t = E_b + I_a r_a$$

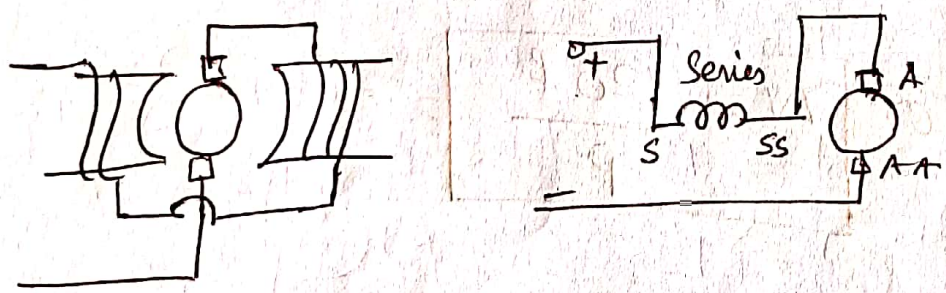
Separately excited

(A)



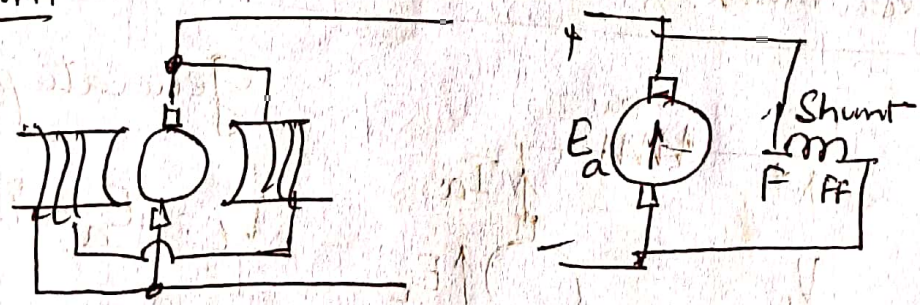
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(B)

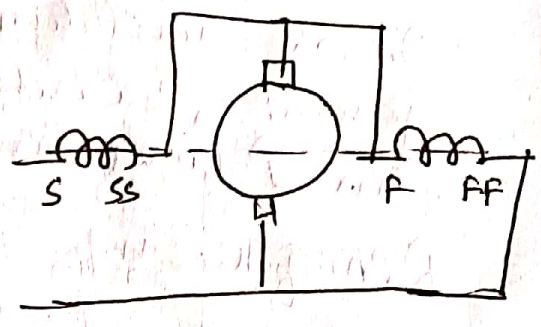
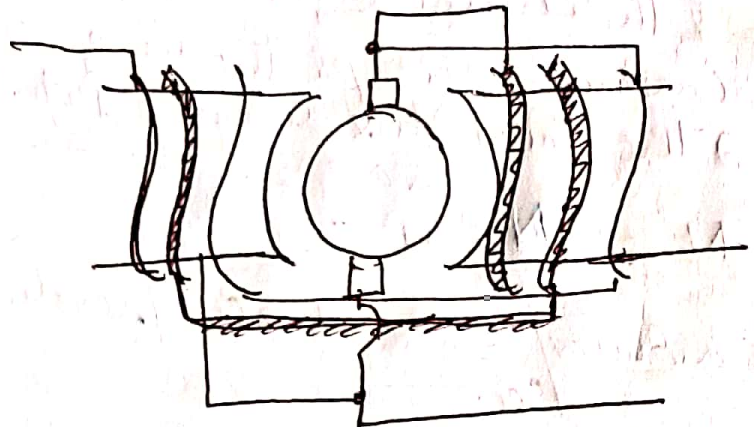


Shunt

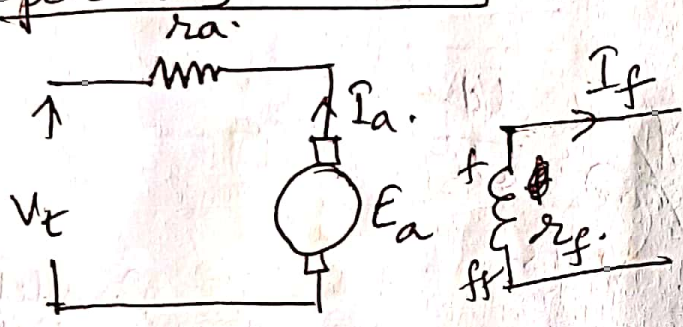
(C)



① Compound m/c



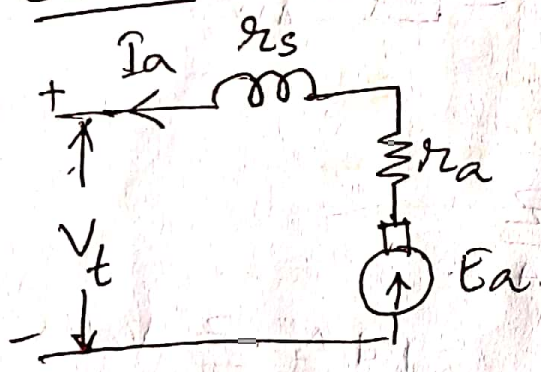
Seperately excited



$$V_f = I_f \cdot R_f$$

$$V_t = E_a - I_a r_a$$

Series



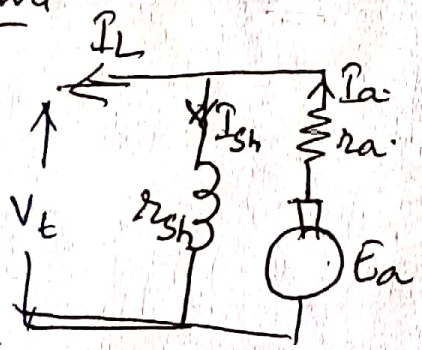
$$V_t = E_a - I_a (r_s + r_a)$$

$$I_a = I_s = I_L$$

$$P_g = E_a \cdot I_a$$

$$P_{load} = V_t \cdot I_a$$

Shunt



$$I_a = I_L + I_{sh}$$

$$I_{sh} = \frac{V_t}{r_{sh}}$$

$$V_t = E_a - I_a r_a$$

$$P_g = E_a \cdot I_a$$

$$P_L = V_t \cdot I_L$$

$$e = - \frac{d\phi}{dt}$$

In one revolution of the armature, of a P pole generator, each conductor sweeps the magnetic flux P times and the total flux swept =  $P\phi \cdot \text{wbs}$  in one rev.

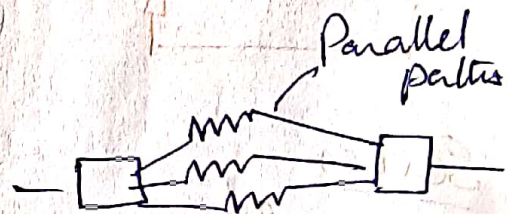
$$\text{RPM of the m/c} = N = \frac{N}{60} \text{ rps..}$$

$$\text{Flux cut by each conductor / Sec.} = \frac{P\phi \cdot N}{60} \times \frac{\text{rev}}{\text{sec}}$$

$$= P\phi \times \frac{N}{60}$$

Since induced emf  $\propto \frac{d\phi}{dt}$  / cond

$$\therefore e / \text{cond} = P\phi \cdot \frac{N}{60} \text{ volts.}$$



If Z = total conductors and A is the parallel paths

$$\text{Conductors / parallel path} = \frac{Z}{A}$$

$$\text{Total emf between terminals} = P\phi \frac{N}{60} \cdot \frac{Z}{A} \text{ volts}$$

$$= \frac{\phi Z N P}{60 A} \text{ volts}$$



Compound

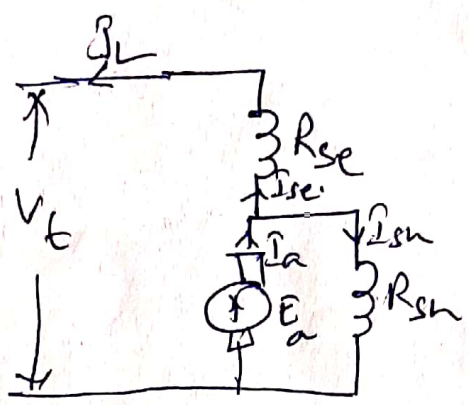
1) Short Shunt

$$I_{se} = I_L; I_a = I_L + I_{sh}$$

$$I_{sh} = \frac{E_a - I_a r_a}{R_{sh}}$$

$$= \frac{V_t + I_{se} R_{se}}{R_{sh}}$$

$$V_t = E_a - I_a r_a - I_{se} R_{se}$$



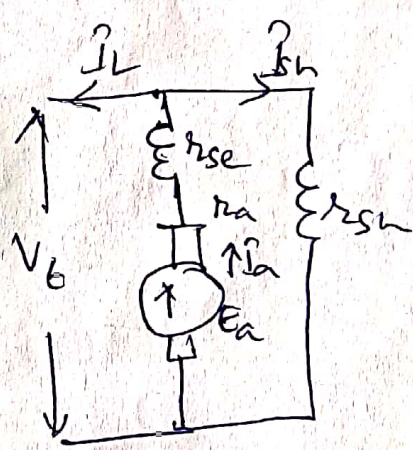
2) Long Shunt

$$I_a = I_L + I_{sh}$$

$$I_{sh} = \frac{V_t}{R_{sh}}$$

$$V_t = E_a - I_a r_a - I_a r_{se} = E_a - I_a (r_a + r_{se})$$

$$P_g = E_a \cdot I_a \quad P_L = V_t \cdot I_L$$



Wave winding = no of parallel paths = 2

Lap winding = " = no of poles

$$E = \frac{\Phi Z N P}{60 \times A} \text{ Volts}$$

(1) 12 pole m/c.  $I_a = 250 \text{ A}$

What is current per path

(i) Lap wound (ii) wave wound

Wave winding  $\rightarrow$  parallel path = 2

$$\text{Current/path} = \frac{250}{2} = \underline{125 \text{ A}}$$

Lap wound  $\rightarrow$  parallel path = no of poles

$$\text{Current} = \frac{250}{12} = \underline{20.83 \text{ A}}$$

$$E_{mf} = 100V \quad \phi \text{ per pole} = 20 \text{ mWb}$$

$$N = 800 \text{ rpm}$$

Calculate (1)  $E_{mf}$  with same flux and  $N = 1000 \text{ rpm}$

(2) with  $\phi/\text{pole} = 24 \text{ mWb}$  and  $N = 900 \text{ rpm}$

$$E = \frac{\phi Z N P}{60 \times A}$$

$$E \propto \phi N$$

Others being constant

$$E_1 \propto \phi_1 N_1$$

$$E_2 \propto \phi_2 N_2$$

$$\frac{E_1}{E_2} = \frac{\phi_1 N_1}{\phi_2 N_2}$$

$$\frac{100}{E_2} = \frac{20 \times 10^{-3} \times 800}{20 \times 10^{-3} \times 1000}$$

$$E_2 = \frac{1000 \times 100}{800} = 125V$$

$$(2) \quad \frac{E_1}{E_2} = \frac{\phi_1 N_1}{\phi_2 N_2}$$

$$\frac{100}{E_2} = \frac{20 \times 10^{-3} \times 800}{24 \times 10^{-3} \times 900}$$

$$E_2 = \frac{5 \times 10^3 \times 24 \times 9}{20 \times 8} = 135V$$

③ 4P, lap, 144 slots, 2 coil/slots sides each coil has 2 turns.  
 $\Phi = 20 \text{ mWb}$   $N = 720 \text{ rpm}$

$$E = ?$$

$$Z = \text{no. of conductors}$$

$$= \text{no. of slots} \times \text{coil sides} \times \text{turns/coil per slot}$$

$$= 144 \times 2 \times 2 = 576 \text{ Conductors}$$

$$\text{lap wound} = \text{parallel path} = \text{no. of poles} = 4$$

$$E = \frac{20 \times 10^{-3} \times 576 \times 720 \times 4}{60 \times 4} = 138.24 \text{ V}$$

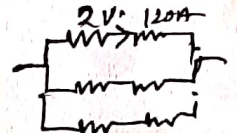
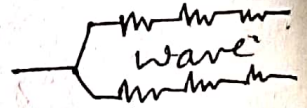
6p, 498 cond, av. emf per cond = 2V.

Current in conductor = 120A

find total current of gen emf - if

a) wave, b) lap.

find total power generated



$$E = \frac{\Phi Z N P}{60 A}$$

$$\frac{E}{Z} = 2V =$$

Arm. lap connected

no. of parallel paths = no. of poles = 6

$$\text{no. of conductors/path} = \frac{498}{6} = 83.$$

$$\text{Terminal voltage} = 83 \times 2 = \underline{166V.}$$

Output current on full load = Current per conductor  $\times$  no. of parallel paths

$$= 120 \times 6 = \underline{720A}$$

Wave Connected no. of parallel paths = 2

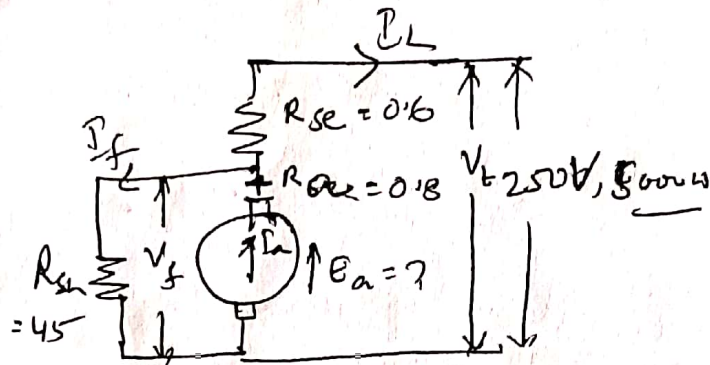
$$\text{no. of conductors/path} = \frac{498}{2} = 249.$$

$$\text{Term Voltage} = 249 \times 2 = 498V$$

$$\text{Full load current} = 120 \times 2 = 240A.$$

Short-Shunt Compound gen.

$R_a = 0.18 \Omega$ ,  $R_{sh} = 45 \Omega$   $R_{se} = 0.16 \Omega$   
 load =  $5000 \text{ W @ } 250 \text{ V}$



$$V_t + I_L R_{se} = V_f \quad I_L = \frac{5000}{250} = 20 \text{ A}$$

$$250 + 20 \times 0.16 = 262 \text{ V} = V_f$$

$$I_f = \frac{V_f}{R_{sh}} = \frac{262}{45} = 5.822 \text{ A}$$

$$I_a = I_f + I_L = 5.822 + 20 = 25.822 \text{ A}$$

$$V_f + I_a R_a = E_a$$

$$262 + 25.822 \times 0.18 = \underline{\underline{282.66 \text{ V}}}$$

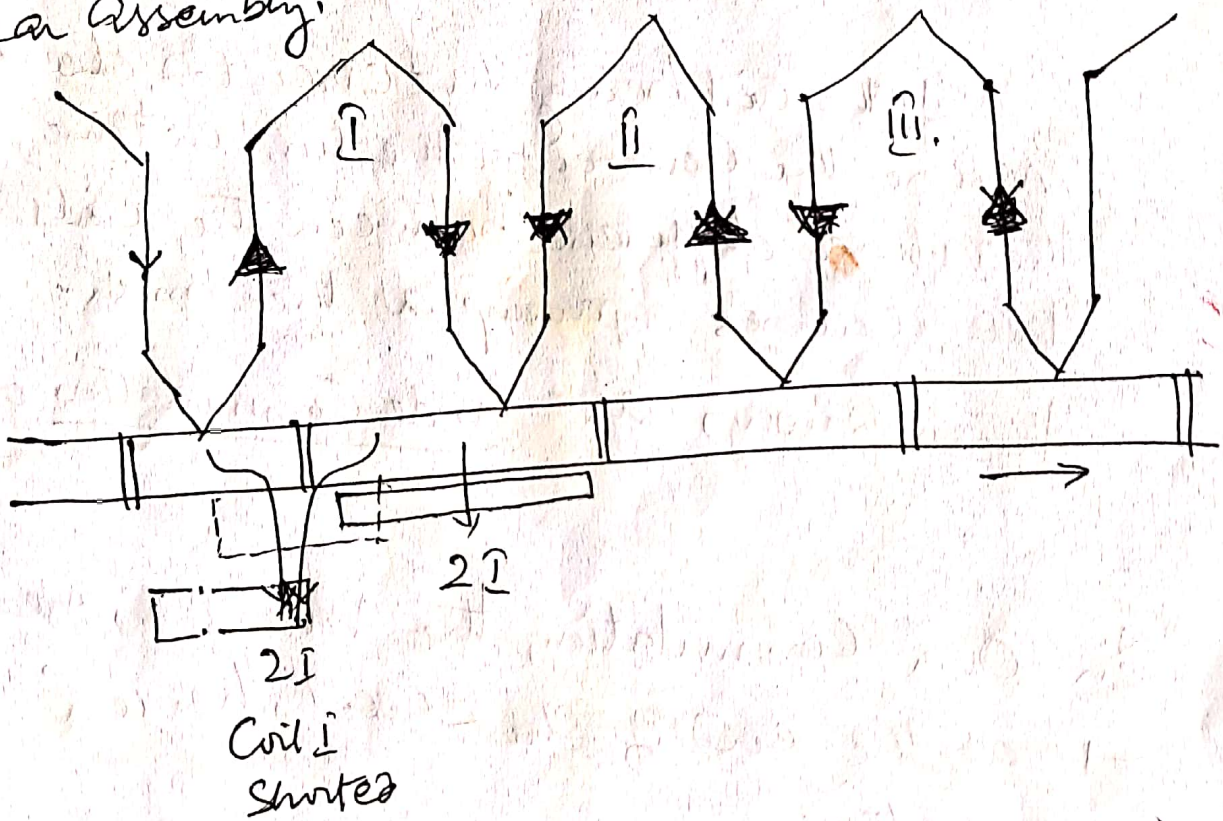
b) Calculate  $E_a$ , If connected in long shunt

# Commutation

Currents induced in the winding of a dc generator are alternating in nature.

The currents flow in opposite directions under South pole, when compared to that of North pole.

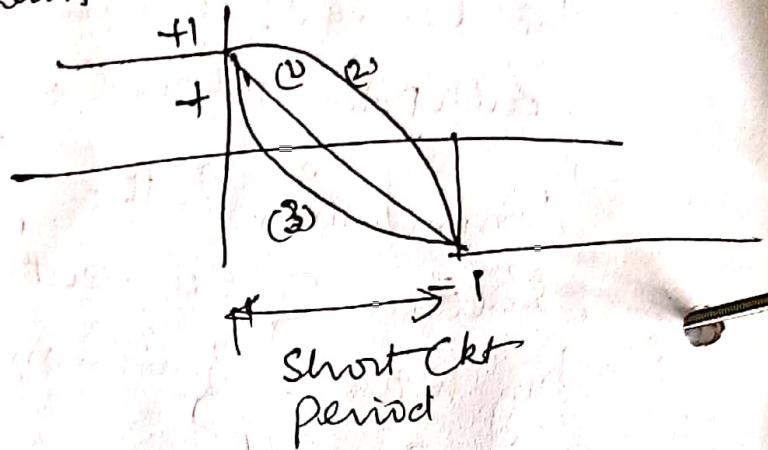
Commutation is the process of changing this direction of current flow to unidirectional by means of commutator segments and brush gear assembly.



the time of short ckt by the brush of the coil is called period of commutation.

Commutation is of 3 types

- 1) Ideal or Straight line Commutation
- 2) Delayed or under Commutation
- 3) Over Commutation or accelerated Commutation



If the coil being short circuited does not reverse the current direction in time, then the voltage difference between the coils adjacent to it, causes sparking at the brush.

This is known as under Commutation or delayed Commutation.

In Over Commutation, the voltage is negative at the end of short circuit, hence Satisfactory Commutation.



## Reactance Voltage

(3)

$L$  be the inductance of the coil

then induced emf in the coil  $\rightarrow e = L \frac{di}{dt}$

the current changes from  $+I$  to  $-I$

$$\text{Total change} = +I - (-I) = +2I$$

this occurs in time ' $dt$ '

$$\therefore e = L \frac{2I}{dt}$$

this is known as reactance voltage

## Methods to improve Commutation

① Resistance Commutation  $\rightarrow$

use carbon brushes, which make the contact resistance between segments high. this will force the change in current.

② Voltage Commutation

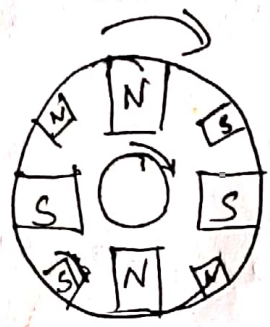
1) By shifting of brushes

2) By using commutating poles or interpoles or Compoles.

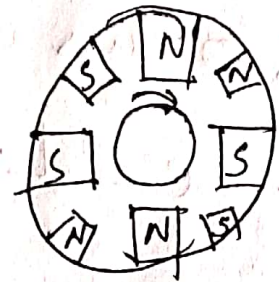
Compoles are in series with the armature

For generator, the interpole polarity is the same as that of the next main pole, ahead in the direction of rotation.

For motor, the interpole polarity is opposite to that of the next main pole, ahead of rotation.



Generator



Motor

Compensating winding in pole faces

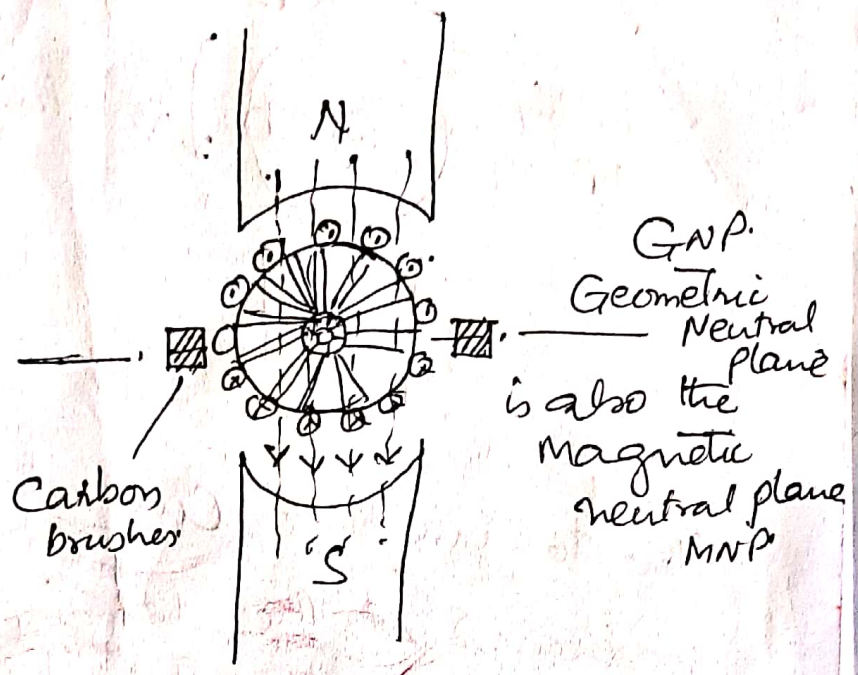
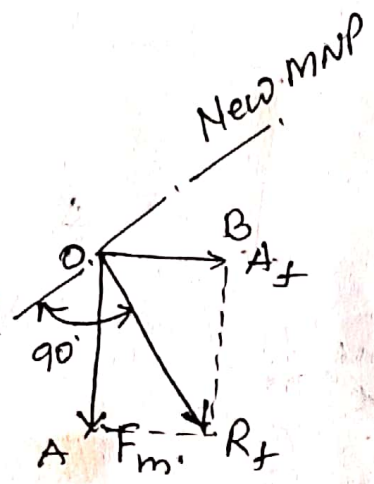
Connected in series with armature winding

Direction of current in the conductor of armature, just below the pole face should be opposite. So that it

demagnetizes the armature flux

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Armature Reaction

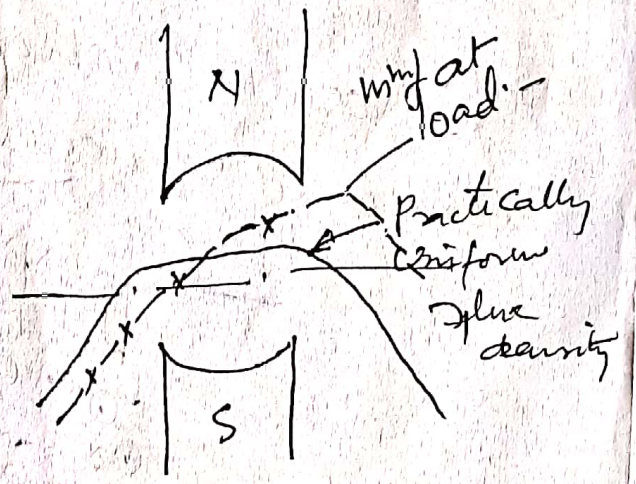


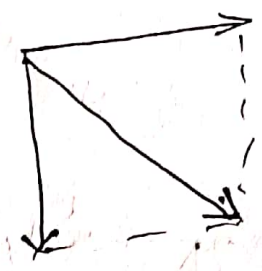
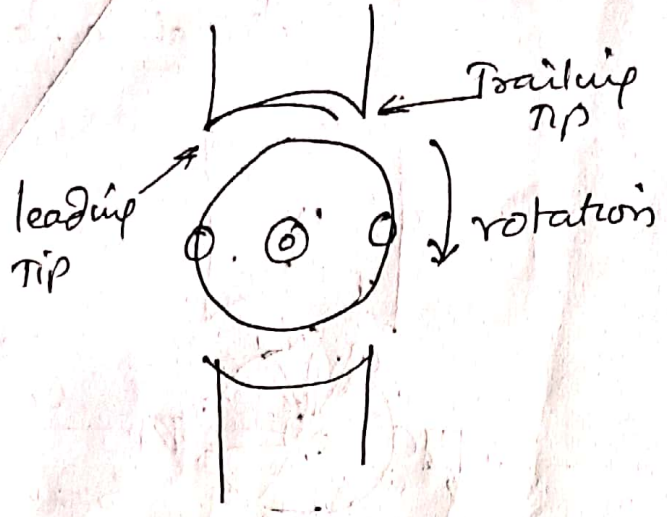
OA is the vector of field of the machine alone.

OB is the vector of the field of the armature alone.

Rf is the resultant field when both are present.

the MNP will shift and be  $\perp$  to Rf.

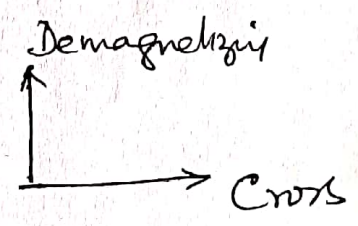
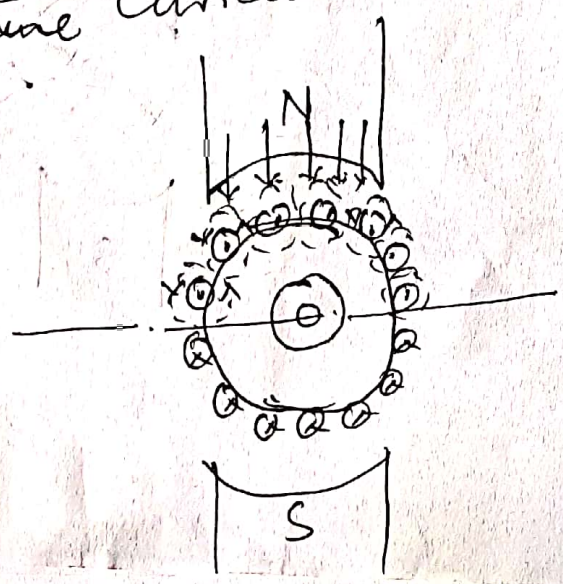




Due to armature current, the main flux is weakened at the leading tip and strengthened at the trailing tip. This results in distortion of the main field.

the carbon brushes are to be advanced in the direction of rotation, to align with the magnetic neutral axis.

this results a change in distribution of armature currents in the conductors.



Armature reaction  $\rightarrow$  ① Cross magnetizing effect

Distorts the main field

{ Creates field in the interpolar region  
weakenes field under leading tip  
and strengthened under trailing  
tip

Field distortion on load Causes

- 1) Increase in Iron losses.
- 2) Sparking while commutation.

② demagnetizing effect - reduces total flux per pole.

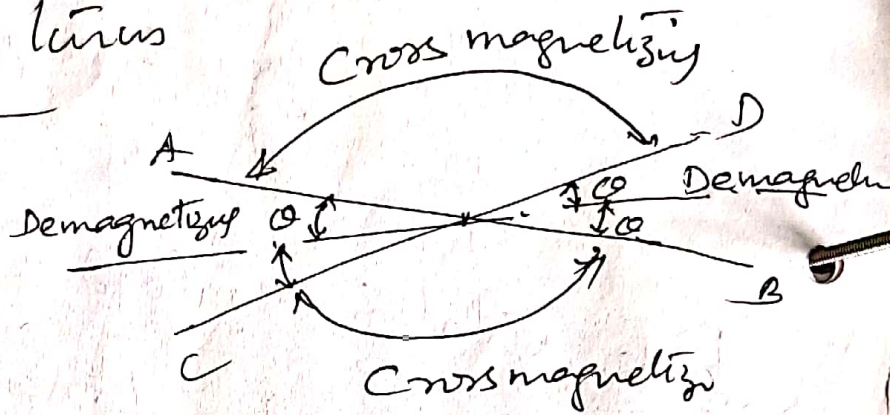
Remedies

① Flatten pole tips such that air gap is longer at tips than at centre thereby increasing reluctance at tips.

② By increasing length of the trailing horn, of the pole piece.

- ③ reducing the cross section of the poles.  
 4) providing interpoles & compensating windings.

→  
Armature ampere turns



→  
expressions

$Z$  = total no. of armature conductors.

$A$  = no. of parallel paths.

$\theta$  = angle of brush lead in mechanical deg.

$P$  = no. of poles.

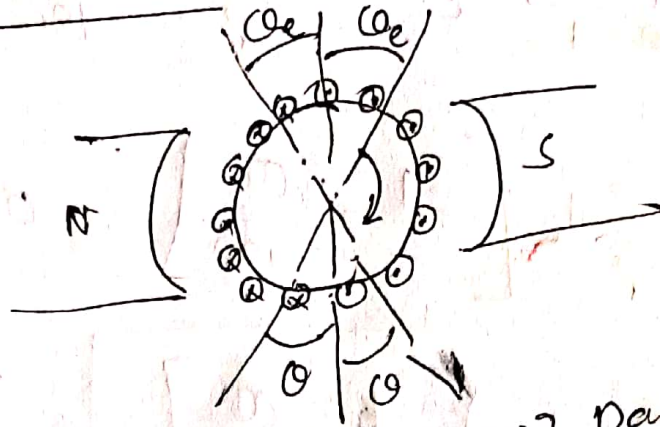
$I_a$  = Armature Current =  $\frac{I_a}{P}$  per lap,  $\frac{I_a}{2}$  per wave.

$I_c$  = Armature Current per conductor =  $\frac{I_a}{A}$

Total armature ampere turns =  $\frac{\text{Total armature Ampere Conductors}}{2}$

Per pole →  $\frac{Z \cdot I_c}{2P}$

# Demagnetizing & Cross magnetizing AT (5)



$Z$  = Total Conductors  
 $p$  = no. of poles  
 $I_a$  = armature current ;  $I_c$  = current / conductor  
 $A$  = no. of parallel paths  
 $\alpha_e$  = Brush shift in mech. degrees

→  
 Conductors per pole =  $\frac{Z}{p}$

Turns per pole =  $\frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{Z}{p}$  (2 conductors per turn)

Ampere turns per pole =  $\frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{Z}{p} \cdot I_c$

Ampere turn per conductor per electrical degree

=  $\frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{Z}{p} \cdot \frac{I_c}{180}$  ( $180^\circ$  between N & S pole)

Demagnetizing AT/pole = (AT per degree) ( $2\alpha_e$ )

=  $\frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{Z}{p} \cdot \frac{I_c}{180} \times 2\alpha_e$

=  $\frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{Z}{p} \cdot \frac{I_a}{a} \cdot \frac{2\alpha_e}{180} = \frac{Z I_a \alpha_e}{p a \cdot 180}$

Cross magnetizing AT/pole = Total AT/pole - Demag AT/pole

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$$\frac{1}{2} \frac{Z}{P} \cdot \frac{1}{c} - \frac{Z}{P} \frac{1}{c} \cdot \frac{0}{180}$$

$$= \frac{Z}{P} \frac{1}{c} \left[ \frac{1}{2} - \frac{0}{180} \right] \text{ or}$$

$$\boxed{C_{crossAT} = \frac{Z}{P} \frac{1}{a} \left[ \frac{1}{2} - \frac{0}{180} \right]}$$



$Z$  = Total armature conductors

$a$  = parallel paths

$Q_m$  = mechanical degree forward lead of brush.

$p$  = no of poles

$I$  = current in armature conductor

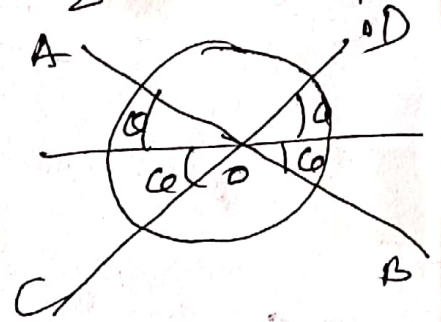
=  $\frac{I_a}{p}$  for lap winding;  $\frac{I_a}{2}$  for wave winding

Demagnetizing AT per pole.  $AT_d$

Conductors in AOC & BOD

$$= \frac{4Q_m}{360} \times Z$$

Total no of turns in  $4Q_m \rightarrow \frac{4Q_m \times Z}{2 \times 360} = \frac{2Q_m \times Z}{360}$

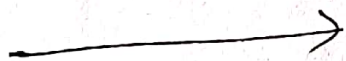


Demag. ampere turns per pole pair

$$= \frac{2Q_m}{360} \times Z \times I$$

$$\text{Demag. AT per pole} = \frac{Q_m}{360} \times Z \times I$$

$$\therefore AT_d = \frac{Q_m}{360} \times Z \times I$$



Cross magnetizing in AOD & BOC

$$\text{Total arm. conductors / pole} = \frac{Z}{p}$$

$$\text{Demag. conductors / pole} = \frac{Z \times 2Q_m}{360}$$

Cross magnetizing Conductors / pole

$$= \frac{Z}{P} - \frac{Z \times 2Q_m}{360} = Z \left( \frac{1}{P} - \frac{2Q_m}{360} \right)$$

Cross magnetizing ampere Conductors / pole

$$= Z I \left( \frac{1}{P} - \frac{2Q_m}{360} \right)$$

Cross magnetizing ampere turns / pole =  $AT_c$

$$= Z I \left( \frac{1}{2P} - \frac{Q_m}{360} \right)$$

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