

ET 332A
Separately Excited DC Motors

A 25 hp, 1800 rpm separately excited dc motor operates with a rated terminal voltage of 240 V dc. At rated voltage, speed and power output, the motor draws 89 A. The total armature circuit resistance is found to be 0.03618Ω .

- a.) Calculate the motor emf constant, K_e , in SI units (V/rad/sec) for the motor when it operates at rated output.
- b.) Compute the motor torque (N-m) developed in the armature when the motor operates at rated speed and power output.
- c.) Compute the torque developed at the shaft of the motor when it operates at rated mechanical power output and speed.
- d.) Assuming that the motor field excitation remains constant, determine the motor armature current and shaft speed in rpm when the torque developed in the armature is 49.47 N-m.