



*THREE-PHASE BRUSHLESS
SYNCHRONOUS ALTERNATOR*

ALFA AG160-Technical Data
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SPECIFICATIONS & OPTIONS

STANDARDS

Alfa Generators meet the requirements of BS EN 60034 and the relevant section of other international standards such as BS5000, VDE 0530, NEMA MG1-32, IEC34, CSA C22.2-100, AS1359. Other standards and certifications can be considered on request.

VOLTAGE REGULATORS

SX460 AVR - STANDARD

With this self-excited control system the main stator supplies power via the Automatic Voltage Regulator (AVR) to the exciter stator. The high efficiency semiconductors of the AVR ensure positive build-up from initial low levels of residual voltage.

The exciter rotor output is fed to the main rotor through a three phase full wave bridge rectifier. This rectifier is protected by a surge suppressor against surges caused, for example, by short circuit.

AS440 AVR

With this self-excited system the main stator provides power via the AVR to the exciter stator. The high efficiency semi-conductors of the AVR ensure positive build-up from initial low levels of residual voltage.

The exciter rotor output is fed to the main rotor through a three-phase full-wave bridge rectifier. The rectifier is protected by a surge suppressor against surges caused, for example, by short circuit or out-of-phase paralleling. The AS440 will support a range of electronic accessories, including a 'droop' Current Transformer (CT) to permit parallel operation with other ac generators.

MX341 AVR

This sophisticated AVR is incorporated into the Stamford Permanent Magnet Generator (PMG) control system.

The PMG provides power via the AVR to the main exciter, giving a source of constant excitation power independent of generator output. The main exciter output is then fed to the main rotor, through a full wave bridge, protected by a surge suppressor. The AVR has in-built protection against sustained over-excitation, caused by internal or external faults. This de-excites the machine after a minimum of 5 seconds.

An engine relief load acceptance feature can enable full load to be applied to the generator in a single step.

If three-phase sensing is required with the PMG system, the MX321 AVR must be used.

We recommend three-phase sensing for applications with greatly unbalanced or highly non-linear loads.

MX321 AVR

The most sophisticated of all our AVRs combines all the features of the MX341 with, additionally, three-phase rms sensing, for improved regulation and performance.

Over voltage protection is built-in and short circuit current level adjustments is an optional facility.

WINDINGS & ELECTRICAL PERFORMANCE

All generator stators are wound to 2/3 pitch. This eliminates triplen (3rd, 9th, 15th ...) harmonics on the voltage waveform and is found to be the optimum design for trouble-free supply of non-linear loads. The 2/3 pitch design avoids excessive neutral currents sometimes seen with higher winding pitches, when in parallel with the mains. A fully connected damper winding reduces oscillations during paralleling. This winding, with the 2/3 pitch and carefully selected pole and tooth designs, ensures very low waveform distortion.

TERMINALS & TERMINAL BOX

Standard generators are 3-phase reconnectable with 12 ends brought out to the terminals, which are mounted on a cover at the non-drive end of the generator. A sheet steel terminal box contains the AVR and provides ample space for the customers' wiring and gland arrangements. It has removable panels for easy access.

SHAFT & KEYS

All generator rotors are dynamically balanced to better than BS6861: Part 1 Grade 2.5 for minimum vibration in operation. Two bearing generators are balanced with a half key.

INSULATION/IMPREGNATION

The insulation system is class 'H'.

All wound components are impregnated with materials and processes designed specifically to provide the high build required for static windings and the high mechanical strength required for rotating components.

QUALITY ASSURANCE

Generators are manufactured using production procedures having a quality assurance level to BS EN ISO 9001.

The stated voltage regulation may not be maintained in the presence of certain radio transmitted signals. Any change in performance will fall within the limits of Criteria 'B' of EN 61000-6-2:2001. At no time will the steady-state voltage regulation exceed 2%.

NB Continuous development of our products entitles us to change specification details without notice, therefore they must not be regarded as binding.

Front cover drawing typical of product range.

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CONTROL SYSTEM	SEPARATELY EXCITED BY P.M.G.		
A.V.R.	MX321	MX341	
VOLTAGE REGULATION	± 0.5 %	± 1.0 %	With 4% ENGINE GOVERNING
SUSTAINED SHORT CIRCUIT	REFER TO SHORT CIRCUIT DECREMENT CURVES (page 7)		

CONTROL SYSTEM	SELF EXCITED		
A.V.R.	SX460	AS440	
VOLTAGE REGULATION	± 1.0 %	± 1.0 %	With 4% ENGINE GOVERNING
SUSTAINED SHORT CIRCUIT	SERIES 4 CONTROL DOES NOT SUSTAIN A SHORT CIRCUIT CURRENT		

INSULATION SYSTEM	CLASS H		
PROTECTION	IP23		
RATED POWER FACTOR	0.8		
STATOR WINDING	DOUBLE LAYER CONCENTRIC		
WINDING PITCH	TWO THIRDS		
WINDING LEADS	12		
STATOR WDG. RESISTANCE	0.024 Ohms PER PHASE AT 22°C SERIES STAR CONNECTED		
ROTOR WDG. RESISTANCE	1.52 Ohms at 22°C		
EXCITER STATOR RESISTANCE	20 Ohms at 22°C		
EXCITER ROTOR RESISTANCE	0.091 Ohms PER PHASE AT 22°C		
R.F.I. SUPPRESSION	BS EN 61000-6-2 & BS EN 61000-6-4, VDE 0875G, VDE 0875N. refer to factory for others		
WAVEFORM DISTORTION	NO LOAD < 1.5% NON-DISTORTING BALANCED LINEAR LOAD < 5.0%		
MAXIMUM OVERSPEED	2250 Rev/Min		
BEARING DRIVE END	BALL. 6315-2RS (ISO)		
BEARING NON-DRIVE END	BALL. 6310-2RS (ISO)		

	1 BEARING	2 BEARING
WEIGHT COMP. GENERATOR	530 kg	545 kg
WEIGHT WOUND STATOR	200 kg	200 kg
WEIGHT WOUND ROTOR	188.67 kg	177.71 kg
WR ² INERTIA	1.555 kgm ²	1.5044 kgm ²
SHIPPING WEIGHTS in a crate	563 kg	577 kg
PACKING CRATE SIZE	123 x 67 x 103(cm)	123 x 67 x 103(cm)

	50 Hz	60 Hz
TELEPHONE INTERFERENCE	THF < 2%	TIF < 50
COOLING AIR	0.514 m ³ /sec 1090 cfm	0.617 m ³ /sec 1308 cfm

	380/220	400/231	415/240	440/254	416/240	440/254	460/266	480/277
VOLTAGE SERIES STAR								
VOLTAGE PARALLEL STAR	190/110	200/115	208/120	220/127	208/120	220/127	230/133	240/138
VOLTAGE SERIES DELTA	220/110	230/115	240/120	254/127	240/120	254/127	266/133	277/138
kVA BASE RATING FOR REACTANCE VALUES	160	160	160	N/A	181.3	190	190	206.3
X _d DIR. AXIS SYNCHRONOUS	2.24	2.02	1.88	-	2.53	2.37	2.17	2.16
X' _d DIR. AXIS TRANSIENT	0.19	0.17	0.16	-	0.21	0.20	0.18	0.18
X'' _d DIR. AXIS SUBTRANSIENT	0.13	0.12	0.11	-	0.14	0.13	0.12	0.12
X _q QUAD. AXIS REACTANCE	1.38	1.25	1.16	-	1.53	1.43	1.31	1.31
X'' _q QUAD. AXIS SUBTRANSIENT	0.17	0.15	0.14	-	0.20	0.19	0.17	0.17
X _L LEAKAGE REACTANCE	0.07	0.06	0.06	-	0.09	0.08	0.08	0.08
X ₂ NEGATIVE SEQUENCE	0.14	0.13	0.12	-	0.16	0.15	0.14	0.14
X ₀ ZERO SEQUENCE	0.08	0.08	0.07	-	0.10	0.09	0.09	0.09

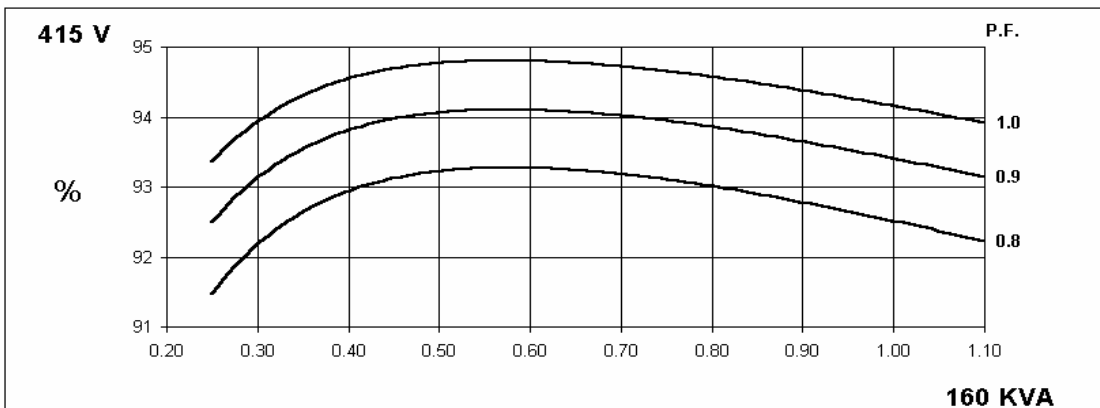
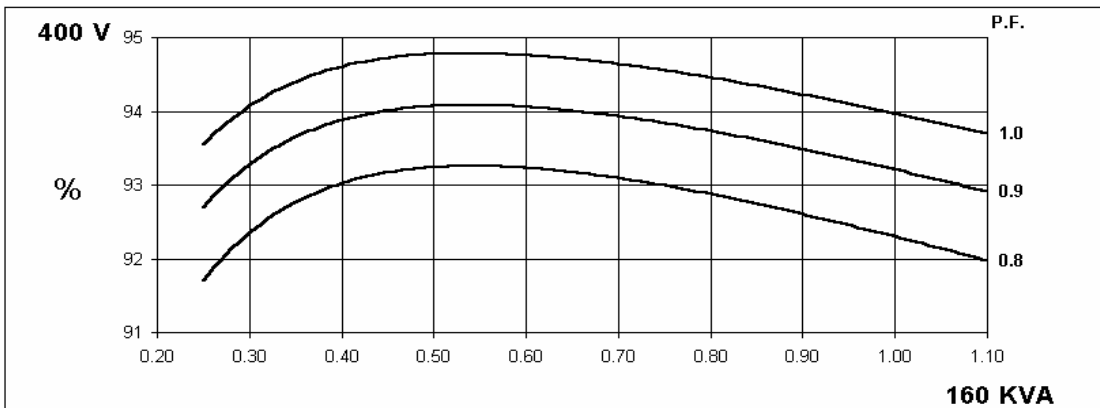
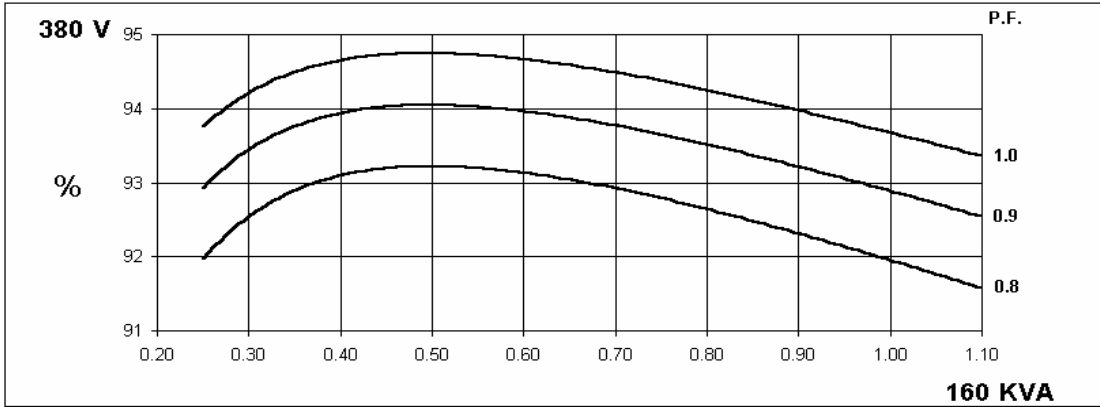
REACTANCES ARE SATURATED	VALUES ARE PER UNIT AT RATING AND VOLTAGE INDICATED
T' _d TRANSIENT TIME CONST.	0.035 s
T'' _d SUB-TRANSTIME CONST.	0.011 s
T' _{do} O.C. FIELD TIME CONST.	0.9 s
T _a ARMATURE TIME CONST.	0.009 s
SHORT CIRCUIT RATIO	1/X _d

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THREE PHASE EFFICIENCY CURVES

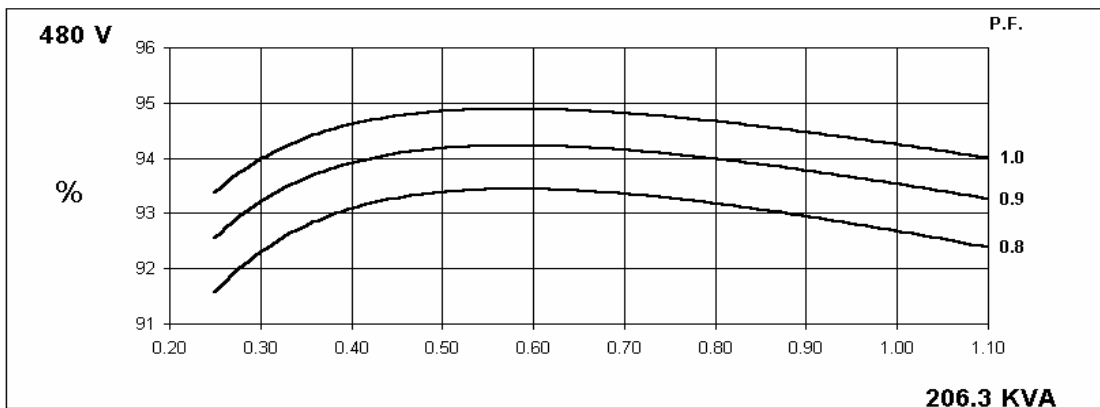
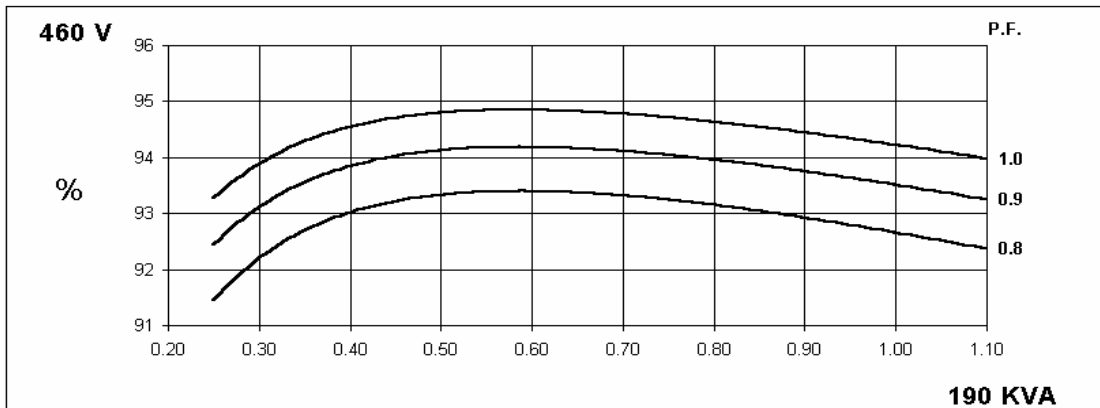
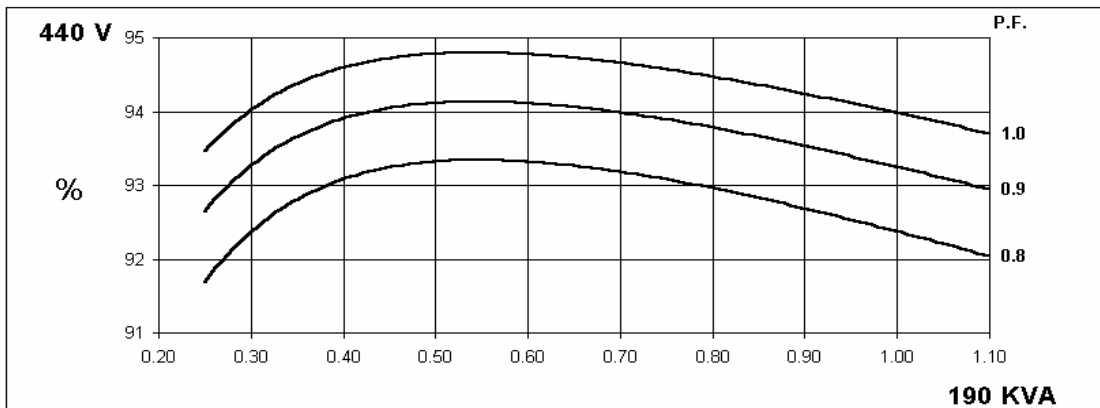
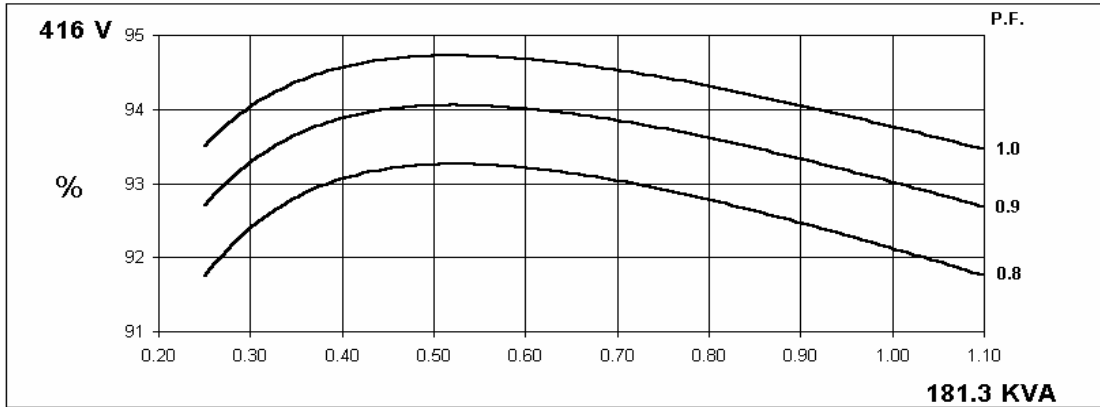


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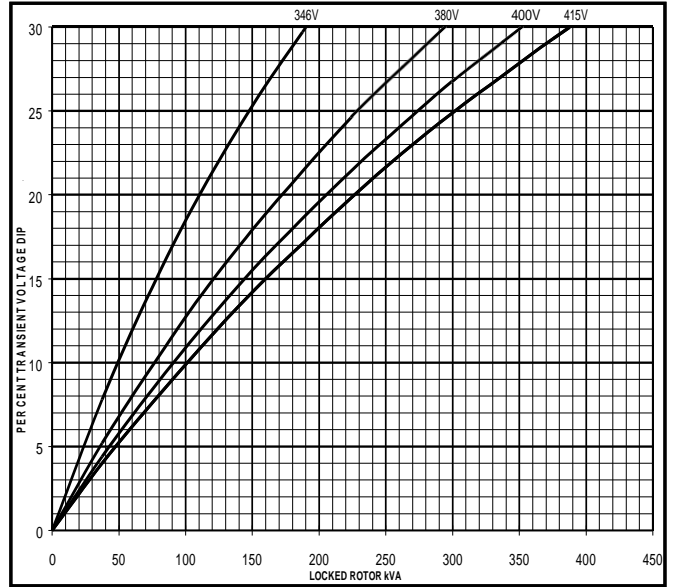
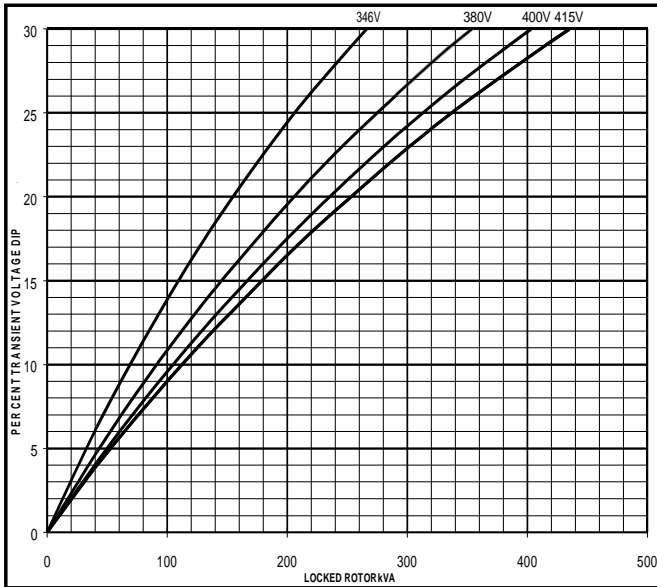
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Locked Rotor Motor Starting Curve

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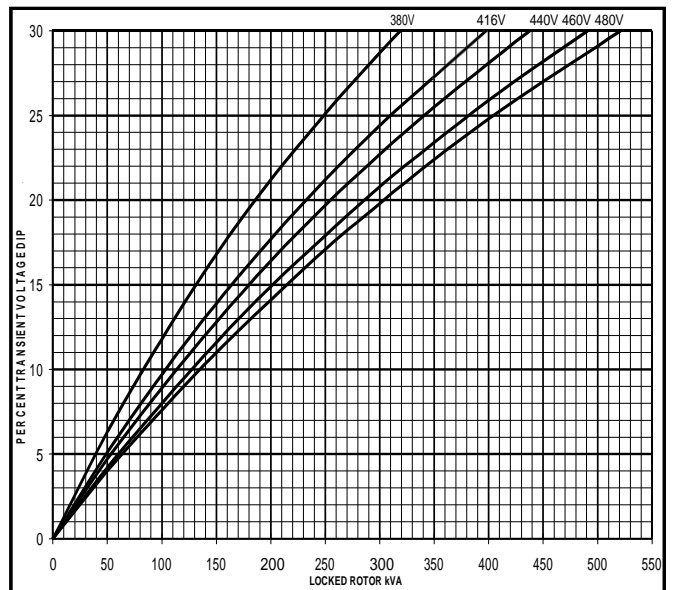
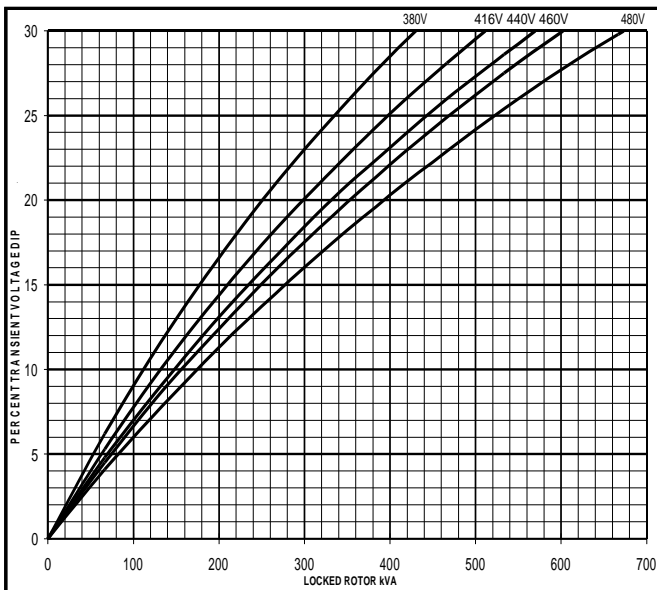
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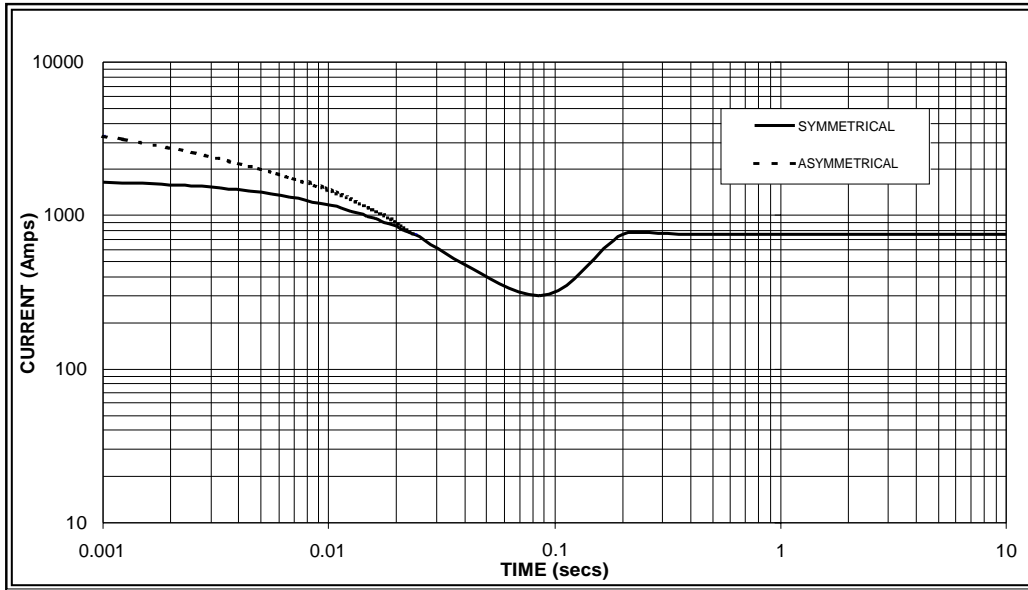
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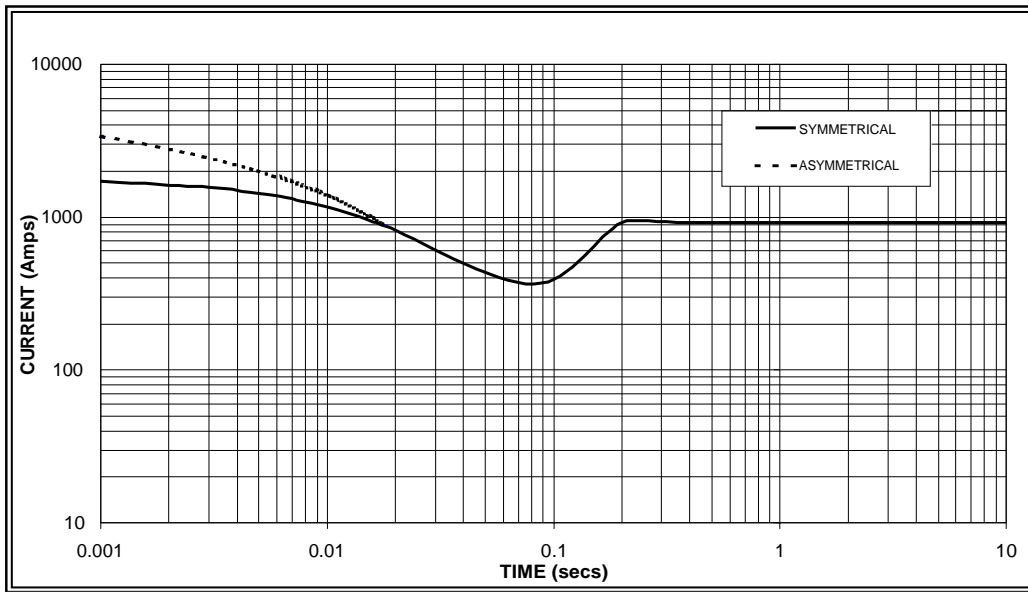
Three-phase Short Circuit Decrement Curve. No-load Excitation at Rated Speed
Based on star (wye) connection.

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Sustained Short Circuit = 750 Amps

**60
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Sustained Short Circuit = 920 Amps

Note 1

The following multiplication factors should be used to adjust the values from curve between time 0.001 seconds and the minimum current point in respect of nominal operating voltage:

50Hz		60Hz	
Voltage	Factor	Voltage	Factor
380v	X 1.00	416v	X 1.00
400v	X 1.07	440v	X 1.06
415v	X 1.12	460v	X 1.12
		480v	X 1.17

The sustained current value is constant irrespective of voltage level

Note 2

The following multiplication factor should be used to convert the values calculated in accordance with NOTE 1 to those applicable to the various types of short circuit:

	3-phase	2-phase L-L	1-phase L-N
Instantaneous	x 1.00	x 0.87	x 1.30
Minimum	x 1.00	x 1.80	x 3.20
Sustained	x 1.00	x 1.50	x 2.50
Max. sustained duration	10 sec.	5 sec.	2 sec.

All other times are unchanged

Note 3

Curves are drawn for Star (Wye) connected machines. For other connection the following multipliers should be applied to current values as shown:

Parallel Star = Curve current value X 2

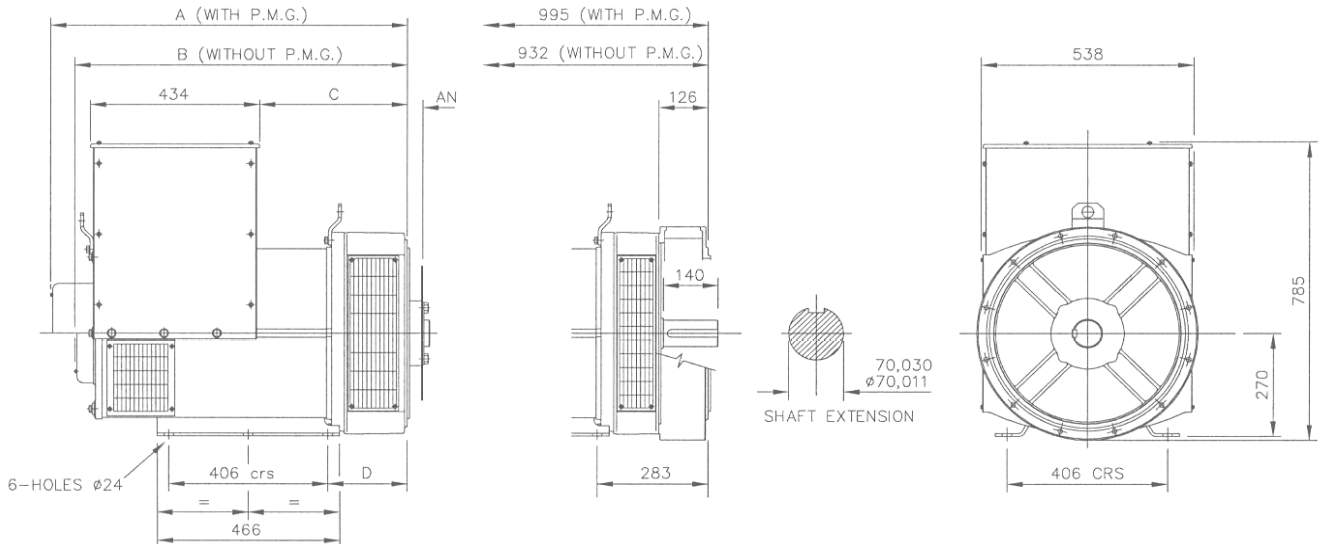
Series Delta = Curve current value X 1.732

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RATINGS

Class - Temp Rise	Cont. F - 105/40°C				Cont. H - 125/40°C				Standby - 150/40°C				Standby - 163/27°C				
50 Hz	Series Star (V)	380	400	415	440	380	400	415	440	380	400	415	440	380	400	415	440
	Parallel Star (V)	190	200	208	220	190	200	208	220	190	200	208	220	190	200	208	220
	Series Delta (V)	220	230	240	254	220	230	240	254	220	230	240	254	220	230	240	254
	kVA	145.0	145.0	145.0	N/A	160.0	160.0	160.0	N/A	170.0	170.0	170.0	N/A	175.0	175.0	175.0	N/A
	kW	116.0	116.0	116.0	N/A	128.0	128.0	128.0	N/A	136.0	136.0	136.0	N/A	140.0	140.0	140.0	N/A
	Efficiency (%)	92.3	92.6	92.8	N/A	92.0	92.3	92.5	N/A	91.7	92.1	92.3	N/A	91.6	92.0	92.2	N/A
	kW Input	125.7	125.3	125.0	N/A	139.1	138.7	138.4	N/A	148.3	147.7	147.3	N/A	152.8	152.2	151.8	N/A
60 Hz	Series Star (V)	416	440	460	480	416	440	460	480	416	440	460	480	416	440	460	480
	Parallel Star (V)	208	220	230	240	208	220	230	240	208	220	230	240	208	220	230	240
	Series Delta (V)	240	254	266	277	240	254	266	277	240	254	266	277	240	254	266	277
	kVA	162.5	172.5	172.5	187.5	181.3	190.0	190.0	206.3	187.5	200.0	200.0	212.5	192.5	206.3	206.3	218.8
	kW	130.0	138.0	138.0	150.0	145.0	152.0	152.0	165.0	150.0	160.0	160.0	170.0	154.0	165.0	165.0	175.0
	Efficiency (%)	92.5	92.7	92.9	92.9	92.1	92.4	92.7	92.7	92.0	92.2	92.5	92.6	91.9	92.1	92.4	92.5
	kW Input	140.5	148.9	148.5	161.5	157.5	164.5	164.0	178.0	163.0	173.5	173.0	183.6	167.6	179.2	178.6	189.2

DIMENSIONS



SINGLE BEARING ADAPTORS				
ADAPTOR	A	B	C	D
SAE 1	928,3	865,3	389,3	216,3
SAE 2	914	851	375	202
SAE 3	914	851	375	202

COUPLING DISCS	
DISC	AN
SAE 10	53,98
SAE 11,5	39,68
SAE 14	25,40