

# Vehicle Electrification System Standards

V. Phase Drive Motors and Generators

## V.c Induction Electric Machines

### Description:

3-Phase electric machines are the central component of an electric powertrain system and it provides propulsion and generated electrical power to HEV, PHEV, and BEV architectures. Understanding the construction, operation, failure modes, and diagnostic processes for Induction Machines is foundational in preparing students for a service career in the electrification service space.

### Outcome (Goal):

Students will be able to describe and illustrate how Induction Machines operate in all modes of vehicle operation; describe how IM electric machines are constructed; analyze and evaluate the condition of IM electric machine technology by using various diagnostic techniques and tools.

## Objective:

Students shall be able to:

- 1. Identify and Define IM electric machine internal components
- 2. Describe how IM are constructed
- 3. Explain the concepts of how IM Positive, Negative, and Zero Slip% is produced
- 4. Compare and contrast Constant Torque and Constant Power
- 5. Demonstrate how to analyze and evaluate the condition of IM using a serial data (scan) tool, oscilloscope, milliohmmeter, insulation tester, and specialized analysis testers.





#### Task:

Students will be able to describe how vehicle IM propulsion, regenerative braking, and coasting modes; identify powertrain architectures and powertrain components; perform testing and analysis using live vehicles or test stands; and define the term power density in the provided pictures or diagrams, using OEM vehicle service, component supplier information, and DOE/NREL/INL/ANL vehicle electrification website information while using proper technical terminology, acronyms, and definitions.

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Construction and Manufacturing		
Housing		
Stator Core		
	Laminations	
	Lamination Slot Configurations	
	Slot Fill	
	Random Distributed Windings	
	Series and Parallel Winding Configurations	
	Number of Poles vs. Torque & Speed	
	Stator End Turn Cooling	
	Stator Temp Sensor	
Rotor	·	
	Copper	
	Aluminum	
	Rotor Diameter - as it relates to Torque	
	Rotor Length - as it relates to Torque	
	Rotor Bar Count	
	Rotor Bar Shapes	
	Rotor Shorting Rings	
	Rotor Shaft Bearings	
	Rotor Shaft Currents	
	Induction Machine Spin Loss	
Electric Machine Operating Regions		
Constant Torque		
Constant Power		





Induction Machine Torque & Speed Control Operation		
Speed (rpm)		
Base Speed		
How Max rpm is Determined		
Torque (Slip%)		
Positive		
Zero		
Negative		
Software Control Slip Tables		
Slip Table Control Strategy		
Slip% Control vs. Stator Current Control		
Induction Machine Failure Modes		
Stator		
Rotor		
Bearings		
Diagnostics & DTCs		
Servicing Induction Electric Machines		

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