Hydrogenerator Maintenance Course

August 22-24, 2023 Toronto, Canada



OVERVIEW

Stator winding problems have been identified in over 40% of all hydrau-lic generators having modern ther-moset windings. This coupled with less frequent but equally expensive rotor winding failures means that almost 50% of hydrogenenerator failures are caused by the deteriora-tion of rotor and stator windings. To capture additional failures related to the fixation of mechanical components

(bearings, rim, poles, foundations joints) modern monitoring systems include vibration and air gap monitoring along with electrical parameters and process parameters (temperatures, pressures, flow) for a broad understanding of machine behavior during operation, both electrically and mechanically.

Preventing machine failures involves a thorough understanding and appreciation of the design, function and interaction of all major components that make up typical machine. Proper training and education on machine component function, specification, testing, monitoring, maintenance and preparing effective repair specifications is the first step in prevention.

SEMINAR OBJECTIVES

The course focuses on hydro-electric generators. Although much of the discussion relates to synchronous machines rated greater than 10MVA and 6.9kV the principles apply equal-ly to generators of all sizes down to 4kV. Discussion will concentrate on stators (frames, windings and laminated cores), rotors (windings, rims and spiders), as well as brackets, bearings and cooling. The course is presented from an end user perspective, rather than that of a machine designer.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND?

This course is directed at engineering and maintenance personnel responsible for the purchase, installation, maintenance, testing and repair of hydrogenerators.

AGENDA TOPICS

Hydrogenerating group

- turbine overview,
- generator overview,
- · maintenance strategies

Stator frame and core

- · stator brackets
- bearings
- frame
- core

Stator winding

- design
- failure mechanisms

Stator winding tests

 online and offline testing in maintenance

Stator winding repairs

 common preventative and corrective repairs in maintenance

Rotor

 components and failure mechanisms

Rotor testing

 online and offline tests on rotor winding

Stator rewind specification

what to consider in a spec

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Course Instructors

Mladen Sasic has more than 35 years of international experience in design, production, installation, testing and maintenance of Power generation, transmission and distribution equipment. He is a Fellow member of IEEE and contributed to creation of many IEEE Standards. He was one of co-authors of Handbook of Electrical Motors published in 2004 and has co-authored and presented more than 100 technical papers at various international conferences.

Nick Stranges has more than 20 years of experience in the design and development of high voltage motors at the GE Large Motors Plant in Peterborough, Canada where he was a Principal Engineer. This was followed by a few years as a hydrogenerator Design Engineer at the Andritz facilities also in Peterborough before he joined Iris Power. Nick has authored or coauthored over 35 transactions and conference papers. He has been and active member of the IEEE Standards Association and has participated in the development and revision of various standards.

Aaron Doyle completed his Bachelor of Science (B.Sc.) in Mechanical Engineering from the University of Calgary Schulich School of Engineering in 2008 and became a recognized as a Professional Engineer (P.Eng.) by APEGA (Association of Professional Engineers and Geoscientists of Alberta) in 2011. His specialty is vibration analysis including impact testing and modal analysis, Operating Deflection Shape (ODS) and Motion Amplification (MA) analyses, transient analysis for startups/shutdowns, dynamic balancing, as well as torsional measurement and analysis.



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REGISTRATION

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Registration includes lunch and breaks daily.

A complete set of notes is also included.

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Confirmation will be issued upon receipt of payment.

COST \$1730.00 USD

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Location

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Accommodation

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Room Rate: \$169.00 CAN

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