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## 1 Scope

This part of IEC 60034 applies to three-phase salient-pole synchronous generators and synchronous motor-generators for hydraulic turbine and pump-turbine applications, that have rated frequency of 50 Hz or 60 Hz, rated output of 10 MVA and above, pole pair number 3 and above, and rated voltage of 6 kV and above.

This document supplements basic requirements for rotating machines given in IEC 60034-1.

## 2 Normative references

The following documents are referred to in the text in such a way that some or all of their content constitutes requirements of this document. For dated references, only the edition cited applies. For undated references, the latest edition of the referenced document (including any amendments) applies.

IEC 60034-1, *Rotating electrical machines – Part 1: Rating and performance*

IEC 60034-2-2, *Rotating electrical machines – Part 2-2: Specific methods for determining separate losses of large machines from tests – Supplement to IEC 60034-2-1*

IEC 60034-4-1, *Rotating electrical machines - Part 4-1: Methods for determining electrically excited synchronous machine quantities from tests*

IEC 60034-9, *Rotating electrical machines – Part 9: Noise limits*

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IEC 60034-18-32: *Rotating electrical machines – Part 18-32: Functional evaluation of insulation systems – Electrical endurance qualification procedures for form-wound windings*

IEC 60034-18-33: *Rotating electrical machines – Part 18-33: Functional evaluation of insulation systems – Test procedures for multifunctional evaluation of form-wound windings by endurance under combined thermal and electrical stresses of insulation systems used in rotating machines*

IEC 60034-27-1, *Rotating electrical machines – Part 27-1: Off-line partial discharge measurements on the stator winding insulation of rotating electrical machines*

IEC TS 60034-27-2, *Rotating electrical machines – Part 27-2: On-line partial discharge measurements on the stator winding insulation of rotating electrical machines*

IEC 60034-27-3, *Rotating electrical machines – Part 27-3: Dielectric dissipation factor measurement on stator winding insulation of rotating electrical machines*

IEC 60034-27-4, *Rotating electrical machines – Part 27-4: Measurement of insulation resistance and polarization index of winding insulation of rotating electrical machines*

IEC TS 60034-32, *Rotating electrical machines – Part 32: Measurement of stator end-winding vibration at form-wound windings*

IEC 60050-411, *International Electrotechnical Vocabulary – Chapter 411: Rotating Machines*

IEC 60060-1, *High-voltage test techniques – Part 1: General definitions and test requirements*

IEC 60085, *Electrical insulation – Thermal evaluation and designation*

- 37 IEC 60417, *Graphical symbols for use on equipment*
- 38 IEC 60445, *Basic and safety principles for man-machine interface, marking and identification –*  
39 *Identification of equipment terminals, conductor terminations and conductors*
- 40 IEC 63132-1, *Guide for installation procedures and tolerances of hydroelectric machines – Part*  
41 *1: Common*
- 42 IEC 63132-2, *Guide for installation procedures and tolerances of hydroelectric machines – Part*  
43 *2: Vertical generator*
- 44 ISO 5801, *Industrial fans - Performance testing using standardized airways*
- 45 ISO 19283, *Condition monitoring and diagnostics of machines – Hydroelectric generating units*
- 46 ISO 20816-1, *Mechanical vibration — Measurement and evaluation of machine vibration —Part*  
47 *1: General Guidelines*
- 48 ISO 20816-5, *Mechanical vibration — Measurement and evaluation of machine vibration —Part*  
49 *5: Machine sets in hydraulic power generating and pump-storage plants*

### 50 **3 Terms and definitions**

51 For the purposes of this document, the terms and definitions given in IEC 60034-1, IEC 60034-  
52 2-1, IEC 60034-2-2, IEC 60050411, IEC 63132-1, some of which are repeated here for  
53 convenience, and those specified below apply.

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#### 55 **hydrogenerator**

56 a synchronous machine operated as generator and driven by a hydraulic turbine

#### 57 **3.2**

#### 58 **motor-generator**

59 a synchronous machine which can operate in motor mode and generator mode, generally used  
60 in pumped-storage power plant

#### 61 **3.3**

#### 62 **stator concentricity**

63 the radial distance from the reference centre to the best centre of stator bore

#### 64 **3.4**

#### 65 **rotor concentricity**

66 the radial distance from the reference centre to the best centre of rotor outer circle

#### 67 **3.5**

#### 68 **stator circularity**

69 the difference between the maximum and minimum radii, measured from the best centre of  
70 stator bore

#### 71 **3.6**

#### 72 **rotor circularity**

73 the difference between the maximum and minimum radii, measured from the best centre of rotor  
74 outer circle

#### 75 **3.7 Air gap**

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77 **3.7.1**  
78 **nominal air gap**  
79 design air gap value between stator inner surface and rotor at the centre of poleshoe at rated  
80 conditions

81 **3.7.2**  
82 **static air gap**  
83 air gap at standstill and in cold condition after full load rejection. This value is used for the  
84 purposed of IEC 63132-1 and IEC 63132-2

85 **3.8**  
86 **stress control coating**  
87 paint or tape on the surface of the groundwall insulation that extends beyond the conductive  
88 slot portion coating in high-voltage stator bars and coils

89 **3.9**  
90 **condenser**  
91 heat exchanger device by which cooling medium is changed to liquid phase from vapour in  
92 evaporative cooling circulation system

93 **3.10**  
94 **grid**  
95 a public electrical network or a local (e.g. industrial) network which is connected to the machine  
96 either directly or through a transformer

97 **3.11**  
98 **SFC starting**  
99 operating mode in which synchronous machine is started in motor mode by the method of  
100 regulating power frequency, using static frequency converter (SFC) as variable-frequency  
101 power supply

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102 **3.12**  
103 **back to back starting**  
104 synchronous starting method in which one machine is started in motor mode, driven by the  
105 other electric connected machine that is started in generator mode

## 106 **4 Site operation conditions**

107 The machines shall be able to operate continuously at rated conditions (MVA, MW, voltage,  
108 frequency and power factor) at the following site operation conditions:

109 a) The altitude does not exceed 1 000 m above sea level (based on coupling elevation for  
110 vertical machine, centre line of shaft for horizontal machine);

111 b) The cooling air temperature (primary coolant) does not exceed 40 °C;

112 c) The inlet water temperature (secondary coolant) of air coolers, oil coolers and heat  
113 exchangers (e.g. of direct water cooled stator windings) is not higher than 25 °C and not  
114 less than 5 °C;

115 d) The inlet water temperature (primary coolant) of direct water cooled stator windings shall  
116 be (30 ~ 40) °C, the water conductivity is in the range of (0,4 ~2,0) µS/cm, the pH value is  
117 6,5~9,0, and the hardness is less than 2 µmol/l, at 25 °C of water temperature;

118 e) Relative humidity in powerhouse (generator floor) does not exceed 85 %;

119 f) Installed in covered powerhouse on proper foundation;

120 g) Structural strength of machine shall meet the requirement of seismic accelerations at the  
 121 location. Appropriate design measures shall be taken to prevent harmful damage to the  
 122 machine. The acceleration value may be different for different regions due to the local  
 123 geographical condition. The acceleration values in horizontal direction and vertical direction  
 124 shall be defined as a technical condition according to the seismic grade at the location by  
 125 the purchaser.

## 126 **5 Ratings and parameters**

### 127 **5.1 Output**

#### 128 **5.1.1 Output rating of a hydrogenerator**

129 The output rating of a hydrogenerator preferable is the apparent power (in MVA) or the active  
 130 power (in MW), available continuously at the stator terminals (main leads) at rated frequency,  
 131 voltage and power factor.

#### 132 **5.1.2 Output ratings of a motor-generator**

133 The output ratings of a motor-generator include two parts:

- 134 a) The apparent power (in MVA) or the active power (in MW), available continuously at the  
 135 stator terminals (main leads) at rated frequency, voltage and power factor during generator  
 136 mode;
- 137 b) Mechanical output power (in MW) available continuously at the shaft during motor mode.

#### 138 **5.1.3 Increase in active power**

139 By agreement between purchaser and manufacturer, it is allowed to increase active power of  
 140 hydrogenerators to rated output (apparent power) by increasing power factor up to 1,0.

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#### 141 **5.1.4 Under-excited operation**

142 Hydrogenerators and motor-generators when operating in generator mode shall be able to  
 143 operate continuously in under-excited mode at power factor 0,9 with rated active power at rated  
 144 voltage.

### 145 **5.2 Rated voltage**

146 The rated voltage (line to line voltage  $U_N$  at stator terminals) of the machine shall be defined  
 147 by purchaser and manufacturer according to rated output, rated speed of machine, as well as  
 148 other conditions in the system.

### 149 **5.3 Rated power factor**

150 The power factor shall be agreed upon between purchaser and manufacturer. Preferred rated  
 151 power factors at generator terminals are 0,85, 0,875, 0,9, 0,925 or 0,95 overexcited.

152 Rated power factor of motor-generators in motor mode shall be defined as a design condition  
 153 by purchaser.

### 154 **5.4 Rated speed**

155 The rated speed (1/min) shall be:

156  $3000/p$  for 50Hz machines;

157  $3600/p$  for 60Hz machines;

158 Where  $p$  is the number of pole pairs.

159 NOTE Following preferred speeds are convenient to design electrical symmetric and balanced windings for the  
160 machines.

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162 **Table 1 – Preferred speed for 50Hz machines Unit: 1/min**

1000	750	600	500	428.6	375	333.3	300	250
214.3	200	187.5	166.7	150	142.9	136.4	125	115.4
107.1	100	93.8	88.2	83.3	75	71.4	68.2	62.5
60								

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164 **Table 2 - Preferred speed for 60Hz machines Unit: 1/min**

1200	900	720	600	514.3	450	400	360	300
257.1	240	225	200	180	171.5	163.7	150	138.5
128.5	120	112.6	105.8	100	90	85.7	81.8	75
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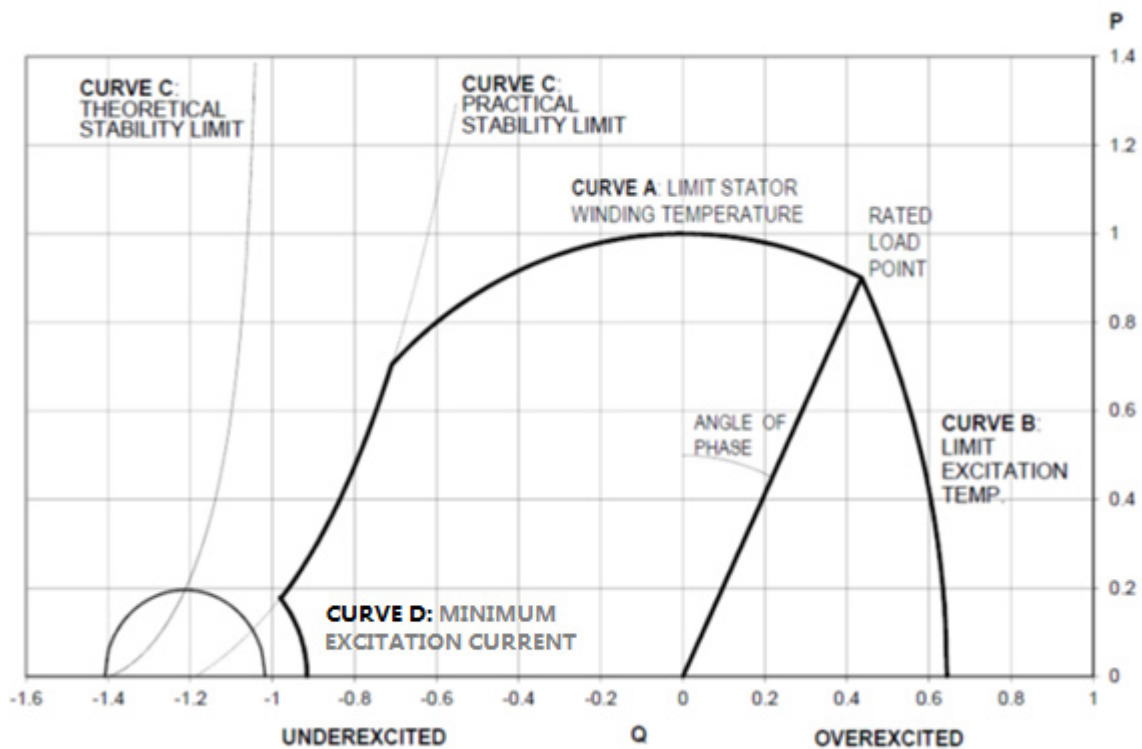
## 167 5.5 P-Q capability diagram

168 The manufacturer shall supply a P-Q capability diagram indicating the limits of operation as  
169 shown in Figure 1, where:

170 Curve A represents operation limits with rated stator current and constant apparent power  
171 output, which is restricted by temperature rise of the stator winding;

172 Curve B represents operation limits with rated field current, which is restricted by temperature  
173 rise of the Excitation winding;

174 Curve C indicates the limit set by the effects of end region heating, steady-state stability, etc.



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**Figure 1 P-Q Capability in p. u.**  
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NOTE Figure 1 is showing the limitation of the electrical machine only and not considering operational limitation of the hydraulic machine.

## 179 5.6 Voltage and frequency variations during operation

180 Synchronous hydrogenerators and synchronous motor-generators shall be capable of  
181 continuous rated output at the rated power factor over the ranges of  $\pm 5\%$  in voltage and  $\pm 2\%$   
182 in frequency, as defined by the shaded area of Figure 2.

183 For machines rated for use on a power supply of fixed frequency supplied from an ac. generator  
184 (whether local or via a supply network), combinations of voltage variation and frequency  
185 variation are classified as being either zone A or zone B, in accordance with Figure 2 for  
186 generators and motor-generators.

187 A machine shall be capable of operation continuously within zone A, and performing its primary  
188 function as specified in Table 3, but need not comply fully with its performance at rated voltage  
189 and frequency (see rated point in Figure 2), and may exhibit some deviations. Temperature  
190 rises may be higher than the condition for rated voltage and frequency.

191 A machine shall be capable of operation within zone B, and performing its primary function, but  
192 may exhibit greater deviations from its performance at rated voltage and frequency than in zone  
193 A. Temperature rises may be higher than at rated voltage and frequency and most likely will be  
194 higher than those in zone A. Extended operation at the perimeter of zone B is not recommended.

195 In practical applications and operating conditions, a machine will sometimes be required to  
196 operate outside the perimeter of zone A. Such excursions shall be limited in value, duration and  
197 frequency of occurrence. Corrective measures should be taken where practical, within a  
198 reasonable time if possible, for example, a reduction in output. Such action may avoid a  
199 reduction in machine lifetime because of temperature effects. Detailed permitted output,  
200 temperature rises and continuously operating duration shall be agreed between purchaser and  
201 manufacturer, and be defined as a design condition.