FINAL EXAM: POWER SYSTEM PROTECTION AND CONTROL (EE4040)
Duration: 90 minutes – Open book exam

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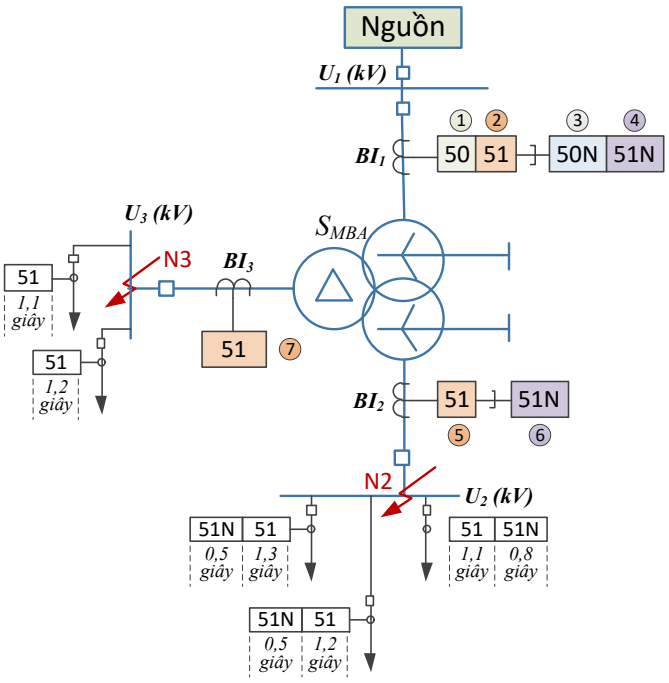

Require:

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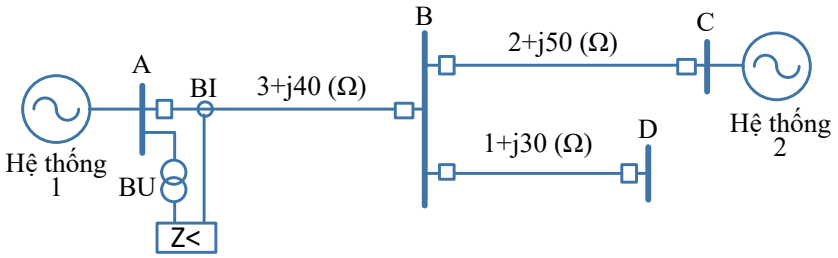

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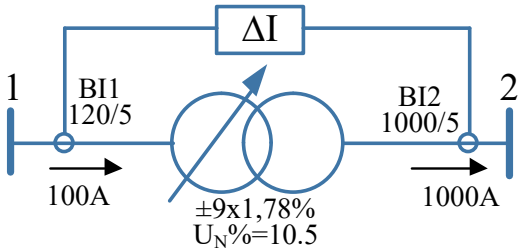

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Answer:

- This voltage transformer can be installed in 110kV network
- It has three cores with secondary voltage of 100V
- Core 1 has accuracy class of 0,2 and rated power of 100VA. This core is used for precise metering purpose only.
- Core 2 & Core 3: both have accuracy class of 3P with rated power of 200VA. Both cores are used for protective relaying purpose; not suitable to use for metering due to low accuracy.

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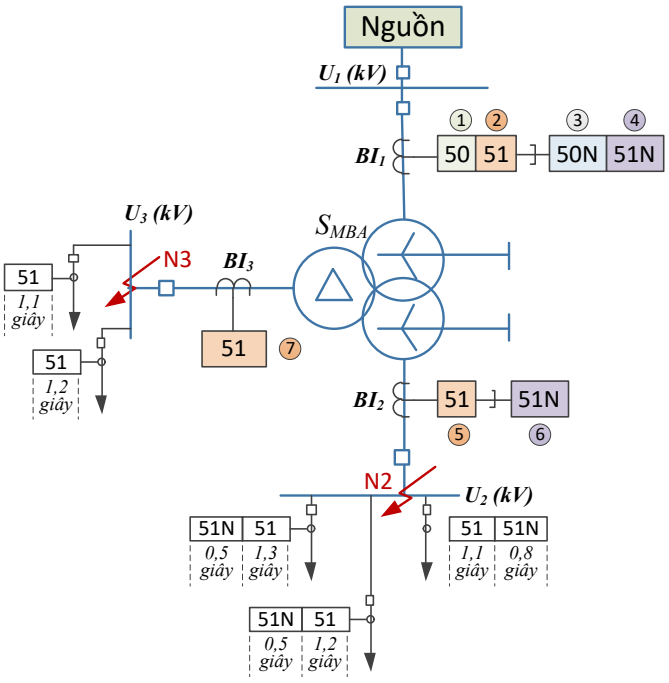

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Answer:

a. Determine current transformer ratios for BI1; BI2; BI3 (*0,5 point*)

Rated current of transformer is calculated based on following formula:

$$I_{rated} = \frac{S_{rated}}{\sqrt{3} * U_{rated}}$$

Consider permissible overload factor ($K_{overload}$) then maximum current will be calculated as:

$$I_{max} = K_{overload} * \frac{S_{rated}}{\sqrt{3} * U_{rated}}$$

One should select rated primary current of BI to be equal or greater than I_{max} and be closet to standard value of manufacture. Secondary currents are all to be 1A.

Results:

Side	U_{rated} (kV)	S_{rated} (MVA)	I_{rated} (kA)	I_{max} (kA)	I_{BI} (A)	Ratio
1	110	32	0.168	0.20	200	**200/1**
2	23	32	0.803	0.964	1000	**1000/1**
3	35	32	0.528	0.633	750	**750/1**

b. Calculate pickup current and time delay for relay 2 & 3 (*1 point*)

- Pickup current of time delay overcurrent 2 (ANSI 51):

$$I_{pickup} = K * I_{rated}$$

Minimum value of K can be chosen as 1.5 or higher.

Assume that K=1.6

$$I_{pickup\ Relay\ 2} = 1.6 * 0.168 = \mathbf{0.269}\ (\boldsymbol{kA})$$

Time delay of Relay 5:

$$t_{Relay\ 5} = \max(t_{lines\ 23kV}) + \Delta t = 1.3 + 0.5 = 1.8\ (sec)$$

(*one may select Δt=0.3÷0.6 sec*)

Time delay of Relay 2:

$$t_{Relay\ 2} = t_{Relay\ 5} + \Delta t = 1.8 + 0.5 = \mathbf{2.3}\ (\boldsymbol{sec})$$

Alternative: Or student may use more detailed formula:

$$I_{pickup} = \frac{K_{at} * K_{mm}}{K_{tv}} * I_{max}$$

- Pickup current of instantaneous earth fault overcurrent 3 (ANSI 50N):

$$I_{pickup\ Relay\ 3} = K_{at} * 3I_{0\max through\ BI1}$$

Here safety factor K_{at} can be in range of 1,1÷1,3

Assume that K_{at}=1,1 hence:

$$I_{pickup\ Relay\ 3} = 1.1 * 1.68 = \mathbf{1.85}\ (\boldsymbol{kA})$$

Time delay of Relay 3: $t_{Relay\ 3} = \mathbf{0.05}\ (\boldsymbol{sec})$

c. Evaluate minimum sensitivity of relay 2? Determine if this sensitivity of relay 2 meets regulation or not (*0,5 point*)?

Minimum sensitivity value of relay 2:

$$K_{n\ min} = \frac{I_{short\ circuit\ \min through\ BI1}}{I_{pickup\ Relay\ 2}} = \frac{1.27}{0.269} = \mathbf{4.72} > 2$$

This minimum sensitivity value is greater than 2 then it safely meets regulation.

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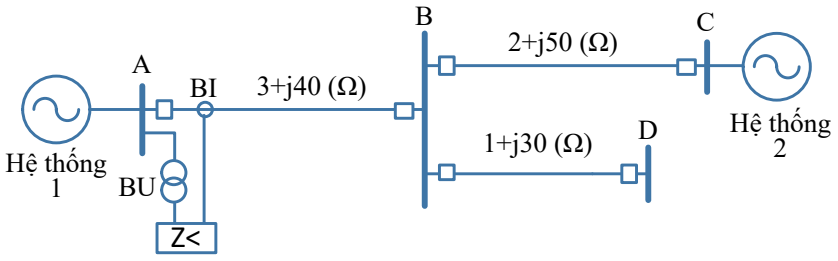

Network rated voltage: 115kV

a. Calculate setting values for 3 protection zones of distance protection (*1,5 point*)

Line AB impedance: $Z_{line\ AB} = 3 + j40 = 40(86^0)\ (\Omega)$

Line BC impedance: $Z_{line\ BC} = 2 + j50 = 50(88^0)\ (\Omega)$

Line BD impedance: $Z_{line\ BD} = 1 + j30 = 30(88^0)\ (\Omega)$

- Setting value for zone I:

$$Z_{pickup\ Zone\ I} = 0.85 * Z_{line\ AB} = 0.85 * 40(86^0) = \mathbf{34}\boldsymbol{(86^0)}\ (\Omega)$$

(*one may select Zone I with setting range of (0.8÷0.85) of* Z_{line})

Time delay of Zone I:

$$t_{Zone\ I} = \mathbf{0}\ (\boldsymbol{sec})$$

- Setting value for zone II:

$$\begin{cases} Z_{pickup\ Zone\ II} \geq 1.2 * Z_{line\ AB} \\ Z_{pickup\ Zone\ II} \leq Z_{line\ AB} + 0.5 * Z_{shotest\ line\ from\ bus\ B} \end{cases}$$

Hence:

$$Z_{pickup\ Zone\ II} = 1.2 * (3 + j40) = 3.6 + j48$$

Checking restrain condition:

$Z_{line\ AB} + 0.5 * Z_{line\ BD} = 3.5 + j55 \rightarrow Z_{pickup\ Zone\ II} = (3.6 + j48) < (3.5 + j55)$

Final setting value for Zone II: $Z_{pickup\ Zone\ II} = (3.6 + j48) = \mathbf{48.13(86^0)}\ (\Omega)$

Time delay of Zone II:

$$t_{Zone\ II} = \Delta t = \mathbf{0.5}\ (\boldsymbol{sec})$$

- Setting value for zone III:

$Z_{pickup\ Zone\ III} = Z_{line\ AB} + + Z_{longest\ line\ from\ bus\ B} = Z_{line\ AB} + Z_{line\ BC} = 5 + j90$

$= \mathbf{90.14(87^0)}\ (\Omega)$

Time delay of Zone III:

$$t_{Zone\ III} = 2\Delta t = \mathbf{1.0}\ (\boldsymbol{sec})$$

In practice, time delay of Zone III may be set higher since it may need to coordinate with other protection function.

b. Assume that maximum line load is 300MVA with power factor cosφ=0.85. Determine maximum resistive reach value of protection zone (*1,5 point*)

Rated line voltage is 115kV → minimum allowable operating voltage will be:

V_{min}=85%*115kV=97.75kV

(*one may select value of 90% instead of 85%*)

Minimum line load impedance will be:

$$Z_{line\ load} = \frac{V_{min}^2}{S_{load\ max}} = \frac{97.75^2}{300} = 31.85\ (\Omega)$$

Power factor cosφ=0.85, hence resistive component of line load impedance will be:

$$R_{line\ load} = \cos\varphi * Z_{line\ load} = 27.1\ (\Omega)$$

Resistive reach setting of distance relay will be set with margin of 20%, then maximum resistive reach setting could be (*one may select different value of margin, but should not be less than 20% due to inherent errors of instrument transformers*):

$$R_{reach\ max} = 0.8 * 27.1 = \mathbf{21.68}\ (\Omega)$$

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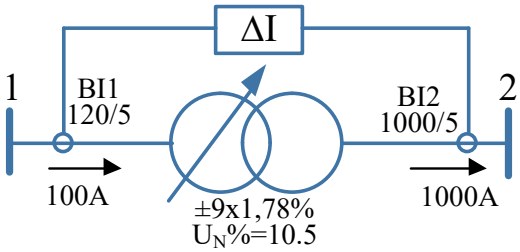

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- Tap changer regulation range: ±9x1,78%
- Short-circuit voltage (percent) : $U_N\%=10,5$

Require:

a. Evaluate maximum bias current during normal operation of transformer with permissible overload factor of 120% (*1 point*).

- Maximum secondary current at side 1: $120\% * 100A * \frac{5}{120} = 5A$
- Maximum secondary current at side 2: $120\% * 1000A * \frac{5}{1000} = 6A$
- Bias current due to different current transformer ratio: $I_{bias\ CT\ ratio}$=6A-5A=1A
- Bias current due to current transformer error and tap changer:

$$I_{bias\ CT\ error\ +\ tap\ change}=120\%*100*(10\%+9x1,78\%)*\frac{5}{120}=1.3\ A$$

- Total maximum bias current:

$$I_{bias\ total}= I_{bias\ CT\ ratio}+ I_{bias\ CT\ error\ +\ tap\ change} =1A+1.3A=\mathbf{2.3\ A}$$

b. If differential relay is has ability to compensate for current transformer ratio at both side then what could be value of that bias current? (*1 point*)?

If relay has ability to compensate for different current transformer ratio at both side then $I_{bias\ CT\ ratio}$ will be omitted from total maximum bias current; therefore maximum bias current now only be: $I_{bias\ total}= I_{bias\ CT\ error\ +\ tap\ change}$ =**1.3 A**

c. Determine minimum low-set value of differential relay characteristic (in per unit of $I_{secondary\ CT}$=5A)? (*1 point*);

Assume that relay has ability to compensate for different current transformer ratio then maximum bias current during normal operation is $I_{bias\ total}$= 1.3 A as proven in section (b). Low set pickup value of differential relay would not less than:

1.3A/5A=0.26 (pu)

Hence one may select setting value of **0.26** or higher but do not greater than 0.5 due to limit in setting range of most of nowadays relays.

d. If high-set value of differential relay characteristic is 10 (in per unit of transformer rating current) then what could be minimum short-circuit voltage value of transformer? (*1 point*)

Minimum high set value is set as 120% of $1/(U_N\%)$

(*one may select value of 100% instead of 120% due to conservative assumption in calculating high set value*)

As high set value is 10 then:

$$U_{N\%} = \frac{1}{10/_{120\%}} * 100 = 12\ (\%)$$

---------- **END OF SOLUTION** ----------