# MOTOR PROTECTION, CONTROL & MAINTENANCE TECHNOLOGIES



## YOU WILL LEARN HOW TO:

- · Specify protection requirements for motors
- Maintain electrical motors
- Specify speed control requirements for motors
- Understand essentials of motors and drives
- · Detail the main issues with testing of motors
- Prevent or at least minimise motor bearing failure
- Troubleshoot and fix faults on motors and drives
- Interface control circuits of motors with PLCs/DCSs
- Reduce downtime on electrical motors
- Improve plant safety
- Improve plant throughput
- Reduce your spares usage and requirements

## WHO SHOULD ATTEND:

Anyone associated with the use of electrical motors in the industrial or automation environment. The workshop will also benefit those working in system design as well as site commissioning, maintenance and troubleshooting.

Typical personnel who would benefit are:

- Plant Engineers
- Instrument Technicians
- Engineering and design personnel
- Operations personnel
- Electrical Maintenance Technicians
- Instrument and Control Engineers

- Electrical Contractors
- Electrical consulting engineers
- Process control Engineers
- Mechanical Engineers
- Service Technicians
- Maintenance Personnel



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# THE WORKSHOP

It is estimated that electrical drives and other rotating equipment consume about 50% of the total electrical energy consumed in the world today (and this figure increases to 70% if you only consider industry.) The cost of maintaining electrical motors can be a significant amount in the budget item of manufacturing and mining industries. This course gives you a thorough understanding of electrical motor's protection, control and maintenance and gives you the tools to maintain and troubleshoot electrical motors.

You will gain a fundamental understanding of the protection, control and maintenance of electric motors and drives. Typical applications of electric motors in mining, manufacturing, materials handling, process control are covered in detail. The concluding section of the course gives you the fundamental tools in troubleshooting motors confidently and effectively.

#### **PRE-REQUISITES**

A fundamental knowledge of basic electrical concepts would be useful.

## ON-SITE TRAINING

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IDC Technologies unique on-site training delivery service can save your company up to 50%, or more, off the total per-head costs associated with delegates attending a public workshop. One of our qualified and experienced Instructors can discuss the content with you, then come to your venue and present a workshop designed to your own specifications!

Why not call or e-mail and ask about having components from a number of courses combined together? It's affordable, effective, convenient and much easier than you may have thought.

"Technology Training that Works" we mean it! Try us soon and see the difference. For more information, or a customized proposal to run any of our practical workshops at your own venue, contact your nearest business development manager for manager (see page 32).

# THE PROGRAM

### DAY ONE

# INTRODUCTION AND OUTLINE OF WORKSHOP OBJECTIVES

#### FUNDAMENTALS OF MOTOR TECHNOLOGY AND CONSTRUCTION

- Basic principles of rotating electric machines
- Fundamental principles of speed control
- Efficiency, torque, inertia,
- horsepower/power factor
- Torque-speed curves
- Induction/synchronous/wound rotor types
- Basic construction and physical configuration, windings
- · Principles of operation and performance

# THREE PHASE AC INDUCTION MOTORS

- Components
- Theory of operation
- Induction motor design
- Duty cycles
- · Insulation and Cooling requirements
- Starting methods
- Selecting motors
- Types of faults, fault finding and testing of AC machines
- Testing instrumentation

#### ENERGY LOSSES AND EFFICIENCY OF THREE PHASE AC INDUCTION MOTORS

- Standards
- Types of Losses
- Tests for measurement and computation of losses and efficiency
- Dynamometers
- · Principles of load application by braking
- Torque measurement basics
- Types of practical dynamometers

## MOTOR FAILURE ANALYSIS

- Frequent starts
- High inertia
- Inadequate cooling
- Congestion on fan cover
- Improper spacing at end of motor
- Incorrect belt alignment
- · Solid belt guards
- Excessive loading causing bearing clearance problems

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- Insulation failures
- Bearing current problems

#### TESTING

- · Insulation life and resistance
- Polarization index
- Hipot
- DC ramp test
- Ac hipot
- Capacitance test
- Dissipation factor
- Partial Discharge
- Surge test
- Mechanical testing
- Online testing

## DAY TWO

#### **BEARING FAILURE ANALYSIS**

- · Bearing failures
- Grease and greasing
- Belt Drive aspects
- Balance
- Storage issues
- Service factor loading

#### **PROTECTION OF MOTORS**

- Thermal overload
- Time constraints
- · Early relays and new digital relays
- Starting and stalling conditions
- Over Current / Overload
- Under-voltage / Over-voltage
- Under frequency
- · Pole slip / Out of step
- Loss of excitation
- Inadvertent energization
- Over fluxing
- Stall protection / acceleration time / Start up supervision / Time between starts
- Unbalanced supply voltages
- Negative sequence currents
- · De-rating factors
- Earth faults core balance, residual stabilising resistors
- · Calculation of protective relay settings

CONTROL SYSTEM FOR AC VARIABLE

· Power supply for the control system

• VSD control loops (Open Loop/Closed

· Current feedback in ac variable speed

INSTALLATION AND FAULT FINDING

· General installation and environmental

Power supply connections and earthing

· Where to install contactors in power

· Installation of ac converters into metal

SUMMARY, OPEN FORUM & CLOSING

#### MOTOR CONTROL

- Power Circuit
- Control Circuit
- Full Online voltage starting
- Reduced voltage starting
- Delta-star
- Resistance
- Reactor
- Autotransformer

Speed Control

SPEED DRIVES

· Vector control

requirements

· Overall control system

· Dc Bus charging system

· Speed feedback from motor

**NEW TECHNOLOGIES AND** 

- Soft start

Reversing

• Braking

loop)

drives

circuit

enclosures

DEVELOPMENTS