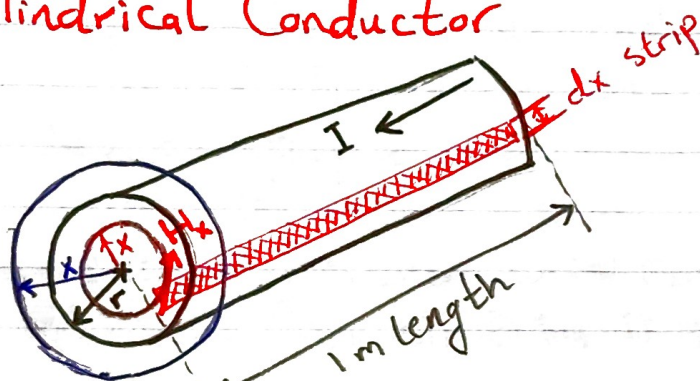


Inductance

» For Calculating Inductance we need to go to four steps:

- ① Magnetic Field Intensity H , from Ampere's Law
- ② Magnetic Flux Density B , ($B = \mu H$)
- ③ Flux Linkages, (λ)
- ④ Inductance From Flux Linkages per ampere. ($L = \lambda/I$)

■ Solid Cylindrical Conductor



Ⓐ Internal Flux Linkage

Ⓑ External Flux Linkage

» The magnetic field intensity H_x , around a circle of radius x , is constant and tangent to the circle. The Ampere's Law relating H_x to the current I_x is given by:

$$\oint H_{\tan} dl = I_{\text{enclosed}}$$

(محيط، الراديو) $2\pi x$

$$\int_0^{2\pi x} H_x \cdot dl = I_x$$


$$H_x = \frac{I_x}{2\pi x}$$

is the current enclosed at radius x .

... (1)

A) Internal Inductance

→ A simple expression can be obtained for the internal flux linkage by neglecting the skin effect and assuming uniform current density throughout the conductor cross section, i.e.



$$\frac{I}{\pi r^2} = \frac{I_x}{\pi x^2} \Rightarrow I_x = \left(\frac{x}{r}\right)^2 I$$

From (1) $H_x = \frac{I_x}{2\pi x}$

$$H_x = \frac{I}{2\pi r^2} x$$

• uniform current density

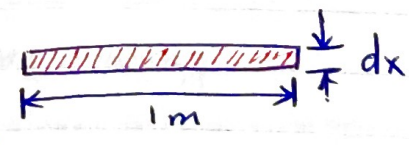
→ For a nonmagnetic conductor with constant permeability μ_0 , the magnetic flux density is given by:

$$B_x = \mu_0 H_x$$

$$B_x = \mu_0 \left[\frac{I}{2\pi r^2} x \right]$$

$\mu_0 \equiv$ permeability of free space
 $= 4\pi \times 10^{-7} \text{ H/m}$

→ The differential flux $d\phi$ for a small region of thickness dx and one meter length of the conductor is

$$d\phi_x = B_x \underbrace{dx \cdot 1}_{\text{area of strip}} \cdot \frac{1}{r} dx$$


⊙ The flux $d\phi_x$ links only the fraction of the conductor from the center to radius x .

Thus, on the assumption of uniform current density, only the fraction $\frac{\pi x^2}{\pi r^2}$ of the total current is linked by the flux $d\phi_x$, i.e.,

$$d\lambda_x = \left(\frac{x^2}{r^2}\right) d\phi_x$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 d\lambda_x &= \left(\frac{x^2}{r^2}\right) d\phi_x \\
 &= \left(\frac{x^2}{r^2}\right) [B_x dx] \\
 &= \frac{x^2}{r^2} \left[\frac{\mu_0 I x}{2\pi r^2}\right] dx \\
 d\lambda_x &= \frac{\mu_0 I x^3}{2\pi r^4} dx
 \end{aligned}$$

- $B_x = \mu_0 \left[\frac{I x}{2\pi r^2}\right]$
- $d\phi_x = B_x dx$

» The total flux linkage

$$\begin{aligned}
 \lambda_{int} &= \int_0^r d\lambda = \frac{\mu_0 I}{2\pi r^4} \int_0^r x^3 dx \\
 &= \frac{\mu_0 I}{8\pi} \text{ Wb/m}
 \end{aligned}$$

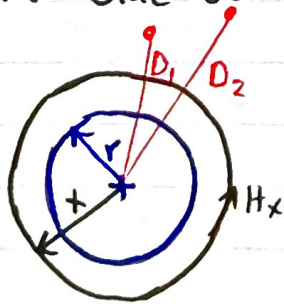
By defⁿ, for nonmagnetic material, the inductance L is the ratio of its total magnetic flux linkage to the current I , given by $L = \lambda/I$.

The Inductance due to the internal flux linkage is

$$L_{int} = \frac{\mu_0}{8\pi} = \frac{1}{2} \times 10^{-7} \text{ H/m}$$

Note that L_{int} is independent of the conductor radius r .

ⓑ Inductance due to external flux linkage




$$\oint H_{tan} dl = I_{enclosed}$$

$$\int_0^{2\pi x} H_x dl = I$$

$$\gg H_x (2\pi x) = I$$

$$H_x = \frac{I}{2\pi x} \text{ A/m} \quad x > r$$

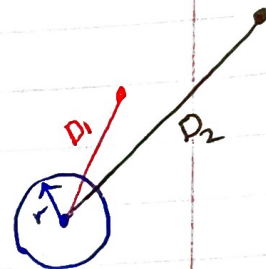
$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow B_x = \mu_0 H_x &= 4\pi \times 10^{-7} \left[\frac{I}{2\pi x} \right] \\ &= 2 \times 10^{-7} \frac{I}{x} \end{aligned}$$

$$d\phi = B_x \cdot dx \cdot l = 2 \times 10^{-7} \frac{I}{x} dx$$


⇒ Total Flux Linkages between any two points

$$\lambda_{12} = \int_{D_1}^{D_2} d\lambda = 2 \times 10^{-7} I \int_{D_1}^{D_2} \frac{1}{x} dx.$$

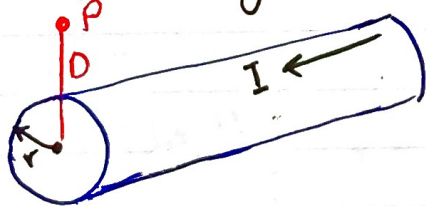
$$\lambda_{12} = \lambda_{ext} = 2 \times 10^{-7} I \ln \frac{D_2}{D_1}$$



⇒ The inductance between two points external to a conductor is

$$L_{ext} = 2 \times 10^{-7} \ln \frac{D_2}{D_1} \text{ H/m}$$

▣ Total Flux Linkage up to any point P for this conductor carrying current I.



$$\lambda_p = \underbrace{\frac{1}{2} \times 10^{-7} I}_{\text{internal F.L.}} + \underbrace{2 \times 10^{-7} I \ln \frac{D}{r}}_{\text{external F.L.}}$$

note:-

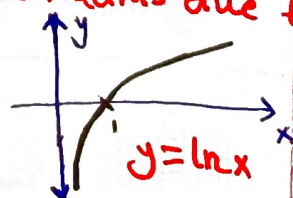
$$\ln(a \times b) = \ln(a) + \ln(b)$$

using $\frac{1}{2} = 2 \ln e^{\frac{1}{4}}$

$$\lambda_p = 2 \times 10^{-7} I \left(\ln e^{\frac{1}{4}} + \ln \frac{D}{r} \right) = 2 \times 10^{-7} I \ln \frac{D}{e^{\frac{1}{4}} r}$$

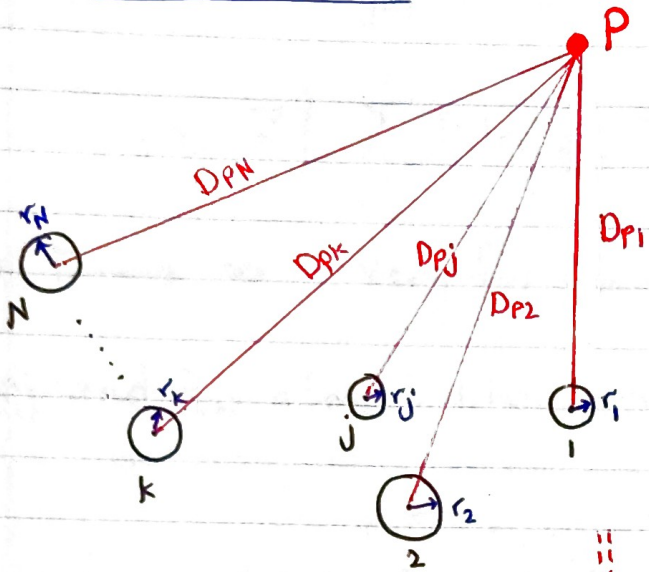
$$= 2 \times 10^{-7} I \ln \frac{D}{r'} \quad \text{where } r' = e^{\frac{1}{4}} r = 0.7788r \triangleq \text{effective radius due to internal flux}$$

$$L_p = \frac{\lambda_p}{I} = 2 \times 10^{-7} \ln \left(\frac{D}{r'} \right) \text{ H/m}$$



to internal flux

Composite Conductor :-



note :- $\lambda_p = 2 \times 10^{-7} I \ln \frac{D}{r'}$

$$I_1 + I_2 + I_3 + \dots + I_N = 0$$

$$\sum_{j=1}^N I_j = 0$$

$$\lambda_{kPk} = 2 \times 10^{-7} I_k \ln \frac{D_{Pk}}{r'_k}$$

$$\lambda_{kP1} = 2 \times 10^{-7} I_1 \ln \frac{D_{P1}}{D_{k1}}$$

$$\lambda_{kPk} = 2 \times 10^{-7} I_k \ln \frac{D_{Pk}}{D_{kk}} ; \text{ where } D_{kk} = r'_k$$

↳ Flux Linkages for the conductor k up to a point p due to the current flowing in conductor k.

λ_{kP} → Flux linkages for the conductor k up to a point p due to the currents flowing in conductors 1, 2, ..., N.

$$\lambda_{kP} = \lambda_{kP1} + \lambda_{kP2} + \dots + \lambda_{kPN}$$

$$= 2 \times 10^{-7} \sum_{j=1}^N I_j \ln \frac{D_{Pj}}{D_{kj}} , \text{ where } D_{kk} = r'_k$$

$$= 2 \times 10^{-7} \sum_{j=1}^N I_j \ln \frac{1}{D_{kj}} + 2 \times 10^{-7} \sum_{j=1}^N I_j \ln D_{Pj}$$

$$= 2 \times 10^{-7} \left[\sum_{j=1}^N I_j \ln \frac{1}{D_{kj}} + \sum_{j=1}^{N-1} I_j \ln D_{Pj} + I_N \ln D_{PN} \right]$$

where

$$I_N = -(I_1 + I_2 + \dots + I_{N-1}) = - \sum_{j=1}^{N-1} I_j$$

$$\lambda_{kp} = 2 \times 10^{-7} \left[\sum_{j=1}^N I_j \ln \frac{1}{D_{kj}} + \sum_{j=1}^{N-1} I_j \ln D_{pj} - \left(\sum_{j=1}^{N-1} I_j \right) \ln D_{pN} \right]$$

$$= 2 \times 10^{-7} \left[\sum_{j=1}^N I_j \ln \frac{1}{D_{kj}} + \sum_{j=1}^{N-1} I_j \ln \frac{D_{pj}}{D_{pN}} \right]$$

As $P \rightarrow \infty$ very far away

D_{pj} and D_{pN} almost the same ($D_{pj} = D_{pN}$) $\Rightarrow \left[\ln \frac{D_{pj}}{D_{pN}} = \ln 1 = 0 \right]$

$$\lambda_k = 2 \times 10^{-7} \sum_{j=1}^N I_j \ln \frac{1}{D_{kj}} \quad **$$

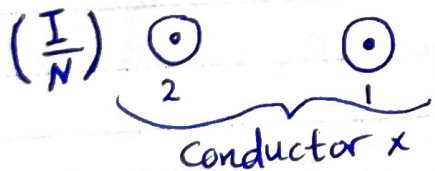
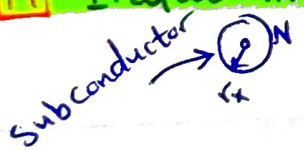
↳ Total Flux Linkages for the conductor k.

Inductance

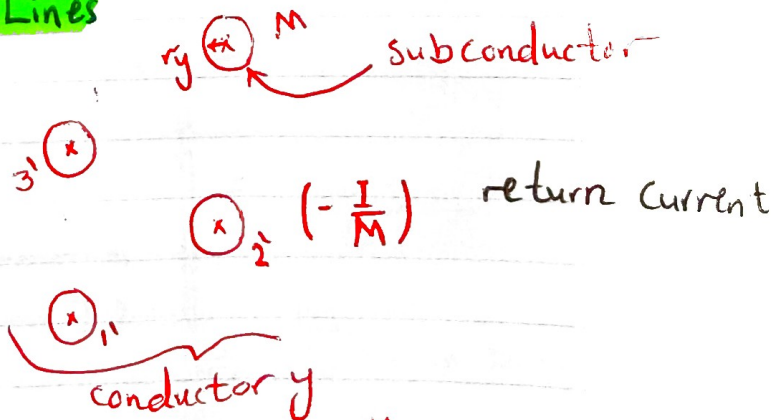
Inductance of Single-phase Lines **A**

Inductance of 3 ϕ T.L **B**

A Inductance of Single-phase Lines



$$\Phi_k = 2 \times 10^{-7} \left[\frac{I}{N} \sum_{m=1}^N \ln \frac{1}{D_{km}} - \frac{I}{M} \sum_{m=1}^M \ln \frac{1}{D_{km}} \right]$$



↳ The total flux for any subconductor k in conductor x.

$$\Phi_k = 2 \times 10^{-7} \left[\frac{I}{N} \sum_{m=1}^N \ln \frac{1}{D_{km}} - \frac{I}{M} \sum_{m=1}^M \ln \frac{1}{D_{km}} \right]$$

Since only the fraction $\frac{1}{N}$ of the total conductor current I is linked by this flux, the flux linkage (λ_k) of sub conductor k is

$$\lambda_k = \frac{\Phi_k}{N} = 2 \times 10^{-7} I \left[\frac{1}{N^2} \sum_{m=1}^N \ln \frac{1}{D_{km}} - \frac{1}{NM} \sum_{m=1}^M \ln \frac{1}{D_{km}} \right]$$

The total flux linkage of conductor x is :-

$$\lambda_x = \sum_{k=1}^N \lambda_k$$

$$= 2 \times 10^{-7} I \sum_{k=1}^N \left[\frac{1}{N^2} \sum_{m=1}^N \ln \frac{1}{D_{km}} - \frac{1}{NM} \sum_{m=1}^M \ln \frac{1}{D_{km}} \right]$$

$$= 2 \times 10^{-7} I \ln \frac{N}{\prod_{k=1}^N \left(\frac{\prod_{m=1}^M D_{km}}{\left(\prod_{m=1}^N D_{km} \right)^{\frac{1}{N^2}}} \right)^{\frac{1}{NM}}}$$

$$\ggg L_x = 2 \times 10^{-7} \ln \frac{D_{xy}}{D_{xx}} \text{ H/m/ conductor}$$

$$\ggg L_y = 2 \times 10^{-7} \ln \frac{D_{xy}}{D_{yy}} \text{ H/m/ conductor}$$

where: \nearrow Geometric Mean Distance between x and y

$$D_{xy} = \text{GMD}_{xy} = \sqrt{\frac{N}{\prod_{k=1}^N} \frac{M}{\prod_{m=1}^M} D_{km}}$$

$$= \sqrt{(D_{11} D_{12} D_{13} \dots D_{1M}) \dots (D_{N1} D_{N2} \dots D_{NM})}$$

$$D_{xx} = \text{GMR}_x = \sqrt{N^2 \frac{N}{\prod_{k=1}^N} \frac{N}{\prod_{m=1}^N} D_{km}}$$

$$= \sqrt{N^2 (D_{11} D_{12} D_{13} \dots D_{1N}) \dots (D_{N1} D_{N2} \dots D_{NN})}$$

Geometric Mean Radius of Conductor x

$$D_{yy} = \text{GMR}_y = \sqrt{M^2 \frac{M}{\prod_{k=1}^M} \frac{M}{\prod_{m=1}^M} D_{km}}$$

$$= \sqrt{M^2 (D_{11} D_{12} \dots D_{1M}) \dots (D_{M1} D_{M2} \dots D_{MM})}$$

Geometric Mean Radius of Conductor y .

Note:

$$\odot \frac{1}{N^2} (\ln \frac{1}{a} + \ln \frac{1}{b} + \ln \frac{1}{c}) - \frac{1}{NM} (\ln \frac{1}{x} + \ln \frac{1}{y} + \ln \frac{1}{z})$$

$$= \frac{1}{N^2} [\ln \frac{1}{abc}] - \frac{1}{NM} (\ln \frac{1}{xyz})$$

$$= \ln \frac{1}{(abc)^{\frac{1}{N^2}}} - \ln \frac{1}{(xyz)^{\frac{1}{NM}}}$$

$$= \ln \frac{1}{(abc)^{\frac{1}{N^2}} \frac{1}{(xyz)^{\frac{1}{NM}}}}$$

$$= \ln \frac{(xyz)^{\frac{1}{NM}}}{(abc)^{\frac{1}{N^2}}}$$

$$\odot \ln A^x = x \ln A$$

$$\odot \sum \ln A_k = \ln \prod A_k$$

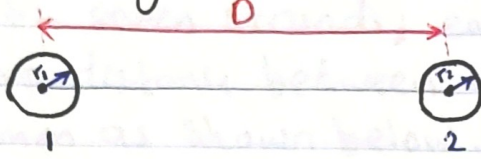
note that:

$$D_{11} = D_{22} = D_{33} = \dots = D_{NN} = r_1$$

$$D_{11'} = D_{22'} = D_{33'} = \dots = D_{MM} = r_2$$

$$\ggg L = L_x + L_y \text{ H/m/ circuit}$$

» if we have single-phase two-wire line



$$L_1 = 2 \times 10^7 \ln \frac{D}{r_1'} \text{ H/m}$$

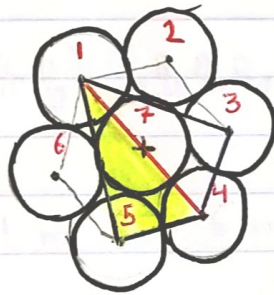
$$L_2 = 2 \times 10^7 \ln \frac{D}{r_2'} \text{ H/m}$$

$$r_1' = 0.7788 r_1$$

$$r_2' = 0.7788 r_2$$

Example

A stranded conductor consists of seven identical strands each strand having a radius r as shown in Figure below, determine the GMR of the conductor in terms of r .



$$D_{12} = D_{16} = D_{17} = 2r$$

$$D_{14} = 4r$$

$$D_{13} = D_{15} = \sqrt{D_{14}^2 - D_{45}^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{16r^2 - 4r^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{12r^2}$$

$$= 2\sqrt{3}r$$

$$\text{GMR} = \sqrt[7]{(D_{11} D_{12} D_{13} D_{14} D_{15} D_{16} D_{17}) (D_{21} D_{22} D_{23} \dots D_{27}) \dots (D_{71} \dots)}$$

$$= \sqrt[7]{(r' \cdot 2r \cdot 2\sqrt{3}r \cdot 4r \cdot 2\sqrt{3}r \cdot 2r \cdot 2r)^6 \underbrace{(r')}_{7} (2r)^6}$$

$$= 2.1767 r$$

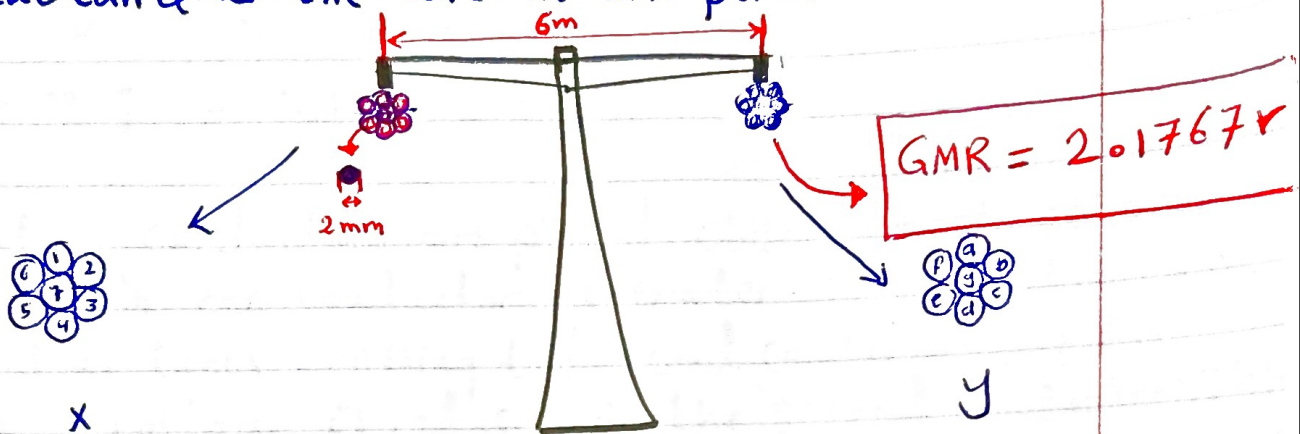
» With large number of strands the calculation of GMR can become very tedious. (مضرب، متعب)

» Usually these are available in the manufacturer's data. (Tables)

» The design of a power line requires the value of resistance and reactance to find out the active and reactive power, and the voltage drop in the process of power transfer over the transmission line.

» Power losses should be limited to around (5-10)% of the total power transferred.

Example Power is transmitted over the line stranded conductor with seven strands; each strand 2mm in diameter. The distance between the live and neutral wires is 6mm as shown below. Calculate the inductance and reactance of the line in mH per km.



$$GMD_{xy} = \sqrt[49]{(D_{1a} D_{1b} D_{1c} D_{1d} D_{1e} D_{1f} D_{1g})(D_{2a} D_{2b} D_{2c} D_{2d} D_{2e} D_{2f} D_{2g}) \dots (D_{7a} D_{7b} D_{7c} D_{7d} D_{7e} D_{7f} D_{7g})}$$

$$\cong 5.99999971 \text{ m} \cong 6 \text{ m}$$

$$GMR_x = GMR_y = 2.01767r = (2.01767)(0.001) = 0.00201767$$

$$L_x = 2 \times 10^{-7} \ln \frac{D_{xy}}{D_{xx}} = 2 \times 10^{-7} \ln \frac{6}{0.00201767} \text{ H/m}$$

$$= 1.584 \times 10^{-6} \text{ H/m per conductor}$$

$$L = L_x + L_y = 3.168 \times 10^{-6} \text{ H/m}$$

$$X_L = \omega L = 2\pi f L \triangleq \text{Reactance per meter length of conductor}$$

$$= 2\pi (50) (L)$$

$$= 9.954 \times 10^{-4} \Omega/\text{m}$$

$$= 0.9954 \Omega/\text{km}$$

Notes

» The flux linkage $\lambda = L \cdot I$

» The voltage drop due to this flux linkage is

$$V = Z I = j\omega L I = j\omega \lambda$$

» When two conductors are placed close to each other, current in one conductor generates the magnetic flux. These flux lines crossing the second conductor due to which a voltage is induced in the second conductor. This process of current in one conductor affecting the other conductor is the mutual inductance.

» If we define the two conductors as 1 and 2, then

$$M_{12} = \frac{\lambda_{12}}{I_2}$$

where M_{12} is the mutual inductance between conductors 1 and 2.

○ λ_{12} is the flux linkage between conductors 1 and 2.

○ I_2 is the current in conductor 2.

This in turn introduces the voltage drop in the first conductor which is defined by:

$$V_1 = j\omega M_{12} I_2$$

Inductance

Inductance of Single ϕ
A

Inductance of 3 ϕ T.L.
B

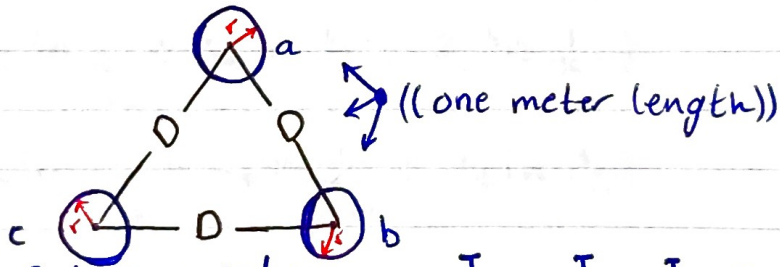
B Inductance of 3 ϕ T.L.

- a) Symmetrical Spacing (Equilateral Spacing).
- b) Asymmetrical Spacing.
- c) Transposition.
- d) Bundled Conductor.

Composite Conductor :-

$$\lambda_k = 2 \times 10^{-7} \sum_{j=1}^N I_j \ln \frac{1}{D_{kj}}$$

a) Three phase line with equilateral spacing.



Assuming Balanced 3 ϕ currents :- $I_a + I_b + I_c = 0$
 \Rightarrow The total flux linkage of phase a conductor is :-

$$\lambda_a = 2 \times 10^{-7} \left(I_a \ln \frac{1}{r_i} + I_b \ln \frac{1}{D} + I_c \ln \frac{1}{D} \right)$$

$$= 2 \times 10^{-7} \left(I_a \ln \frac{1}{r_i} + (I_b + I_c) \ln \frac{1}{D} \right)$$

$$= 2 \times 10^{-7} \left(I_a \ln \frac{1}{r_i} - I_a \ln \frac{1}{D} \right) = 2 \times 10^{-7} I_a \ln \frac{D}{r_i}$$

$$L_a = \frac{\lambda_a}{I_a} = 2 \times 10^{-7} \ln \frac{D}{r_i} \text{ H/m} = 0.2 \ln \frac{D}{D_s} \text{ mH/km}$$

$$\lambda_a = \lambda_b = \lambda_c \Rightarrow L_a = L_b = L_c$$

solid

r_i

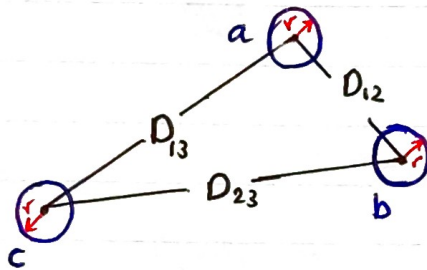
GMR

stranded

****** This means that the inductance per phase for 3 ϕ circuit with equilateral spacing is the same as for one conductor of single phase circuit.

b) Asymmetrical Spacing

- Practical transmission lines cannot maintain symmetrical spacing of conductors because of construction considerations.
- With asymmetrical spacing, even with balanced currents, the voltage drop due to line inductance will be unbalanced.



$$\lambda_a = 2 \times 10^{-7} \left(I_a \ln \frac{1}{r_1} + I_b \ln \frac{1}{D_{12}} + I_c \ln \frac{1}{D_{13}} \right)$$

$$\lambda_b = 2 \times 10^{-7} \left(I_a \ln \frac{1}{D_{12}} + I_b \ln \frac{1}{r_1} + I_c \ln \frac{1}{D_{23}} \right)$$

$$\lambda_c = 2 \times 10^{-7} \left(I_a \ln \frac{1}{D_{13}} + I_b \ln \frac{1}{D_{23}} + I_c \ln \frac{1}{r_1} \right)$$

On matrix form $\lambda = L I$

where the symmetrical inductance matrix L is given by:

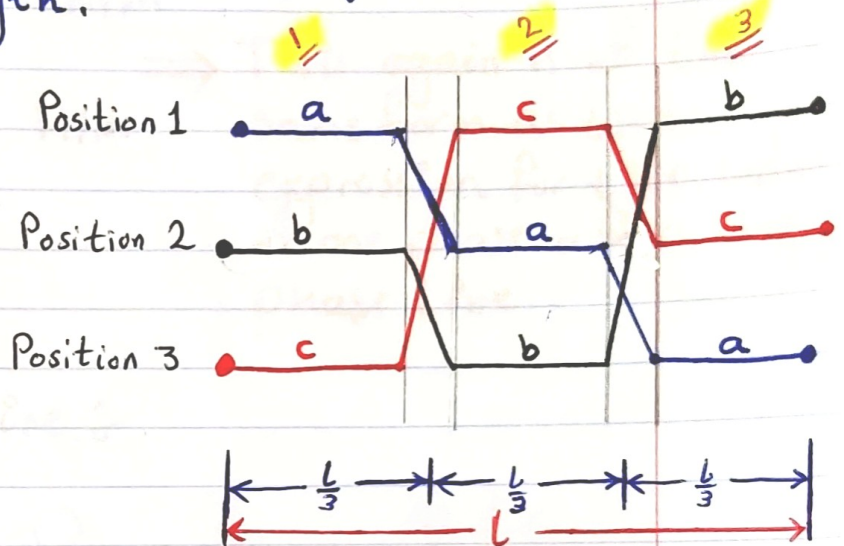
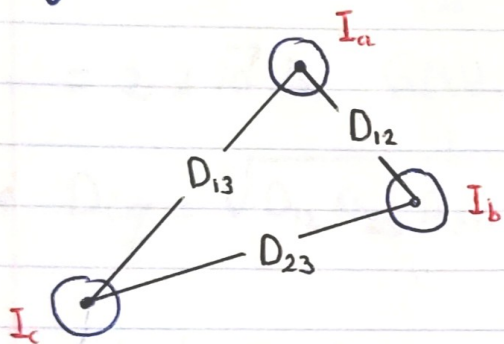
$$L = 2 \times 10^{-7} \begin{bmatrix} \ln \frac{1}{r_1} & \ln \frac{1}{D_{12}} & \ln \frac{1}{D_{13}} \\ \ln \frac{1}{D_{12}} & \ln \frac{1}{r_1} & \ln \frac{1}{D_{23}} \\ \ln \frac{1}{D_{13}} & \ln \frac{1}{D_{23}} & \ln \frac{1}{r_1} \end{bmatrix}$$

⇒ The phase inductances are not equal

c) Three phase transposed Line:

→ One way to regain symmetry and obtain per-phase model is consider transposition.

→ The transposition consists of interchanging the phase configuration every one-third the length.



$$\lambda_{a1} = 2 \times 10^{-7} \left[I_a \ln \frac{1}{D_s} + I_b \ln \frac{1}{D_{12}} + I_c \ln \frac{1}{D_{31}} \right]$$

$$\lambda_{a2} = 2 \times 10^{-7} \left[I_a \ln \frac{1}{D_s} + I_b \ln \frac{1}{D_{23}} + I_c \ln \frac{1}{D_{12}} \right]$$

$$\lambda_{a3} = 2 \times 10^{-7} \left[I_a \ln \frac{1}{D_s} + I_b \ln \frac{1}{D_{31}} + I_c \ln \frac{1}{D_{23}} \right]$$

$$\lambda_a = \frac{\lambda_{a1} \left(\frac{l}{3} \right) + \lambda_{a2} \left(\frac{l}{3} \right) + \lambda_{a3} \left(\frac{l}{3} \right)}{l} = \frac{\lambda_{a1} + \lambda_{a2} + \lambda_{a3}}{3}$$

$$= \frac{2 \times 10^{-7}}{3} \left[3 I_a \ln \frac{1}{D_s} + I_b \ln \frac{1}{D_{12} D_{23} D_{31}} + I_c \ln \frac{1}{D_{12} D_{23} D_{31}} \right]$$

$$= \frac{2 \times 10^{-7}}{3} \left[3 I_a \ln \frac{1}{D_s} - I_a \ln \frac{1}{D_{12} D_{23} D_{31}} \right]$$

$$\lambda_a = 2 \times 10^{-7} I_a \ln \frac{\sqrt[3]{D_{12} D_{23} D_{31}}}{D_s}$$

$$L_a = \frac{\lambda_a}{I_a} = 2 \times 10^{-7} \ln \frac{\sqrt[3]{D_{12} D_{23} D_{31}}}{D_s} \quad \text{H/m per phase}$$

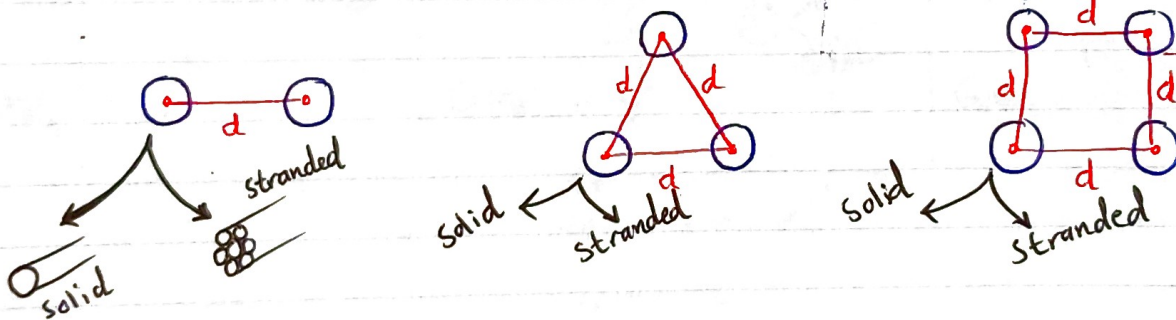
$$L_a = 2 \times 10^{-7} \ln \frac{D_{eq}}{D_s} \quad \text{H/m}$$

$$= 2 \times 10^{-7} \ln \frac{\text{GMD}}{D_s} \quad \text{H/m}$$

where $D_{eq} = \sqrt[3]{D_{12} D_{23} D_{31}}$

⇒ This again is of the same form as the expression for the inductance of one phase of a single phase line.

d) Bundled Conductor Line



⇒ Extra-high voltage transmission lines are usually constructed with bundled conductors. Bundling reduces the line reactance, which improves the line performance and increases the power capability of the line. Bundling also reduces the voltage surface gradient, which in turn reduces corona loss, radio interference, and surge impedance. ($\sqrt{\frac{L}{C}}$)

⇒ Typically, bundled conductors consist of two, three, or four subconductors symmetrically arranged in configuration as shown in Figure above.

» The subconductors within a bundle are separated at frequent intervals by spacer-dampers. spacer-dampers prevent clashing, provide damping, and connect the subconductors in parallel.

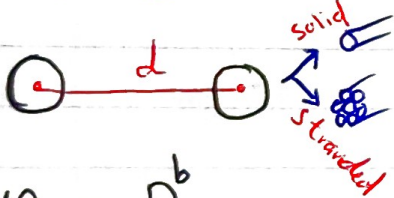
Bundling

Reduces Electric Field Strength on Conductor Surface

Increases Effective Radius (GMR)

Reduces Corona

Reduces Inductance

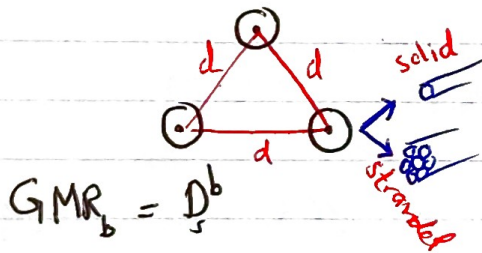


$$GMR_b = D_s^b$$

$$= \sqrt[4]{(r' \cdot d)^2}$$

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r' and *GMR* are indicated with arrows pointing to the terms in the equation.

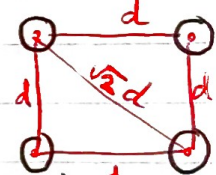


$$GMR_b = D_s^b$$

$$= \sqrt[9]{(r' \cdot d \cdot d)^3}$$

$$= \sqrt[3]{r' \cdot d^2}$$

r' and *GMR* are indicated with arrows pointing to the terms in the equation.



$$GMR_b = D_s^b$$

$$= \sqrt[16]{(r' \cdot d \cdot d \cdot d \sqrt{2})^4}$$

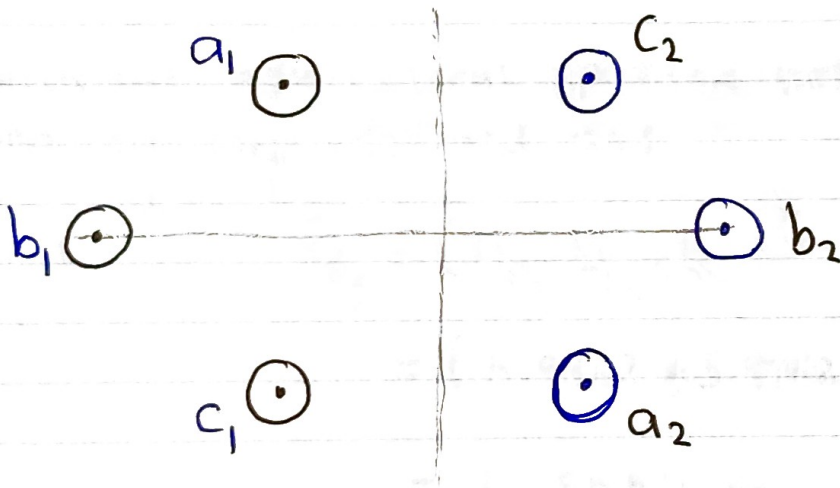
$$= 1.091 \sqrt[4]{r' \cdot d^3}$$

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$$L_a = 2 \times 10^{-7} \ln \frac{D_{eq}}{D_s^b} \text{ H/m}$$

- » Three-phase Lines - Parallel Circuits.
- » Three-phase Double-Circuit Lines.

A three-phase double-circuit line consists of two identical 3 ϕ circuits. The circuits are operated with abc, cba in parallel. Because of geometrical differences between conductors, voltage drop due to line inductance will be unbalanced. To achieve balance, each phase conductor must be transposed within its group and with respect to parallel 3 ϕ line.

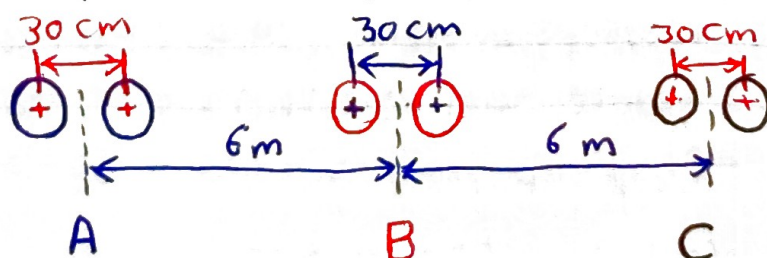


Example

The conductor configuration of a completely transposed 3- ϕ overhead transmission line with bundled conductor is shown below. All the conductors have a radius of 0.74 cm with a 30 cm bundle spacing.

a) Determine the inductance per-phase in mH/km and in mH/m.

b) Find the inductive line reactance per phase in Ω/m at $f = 50 \text{ Hz}$.



$$D_{ab} = \sqrt[4]{d_{13} d_{14} d_{23} d_{24}}$$

$$= (6 * 6.3 * 5.7 * 6)^{1/4} = 5.9962 \text{ m}$$

Similarly,

$$D_{bc} = 5.9962 \text{ m}$$

$$D_{ca} = \sqrt[4]{d_{15} d_{16} d_{25} d_{26}}$$

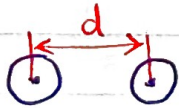
$$= (12 * 12.3 * 11.7 * 12)^{1/4} = 11.9981 \text{ m}$$

The equivalent equilateral spacing between the phases is given by D_{eq} defined as:

$$D_{eq} = (D_{ab} \cdot D_{bc} \cdot D_{ca})^{1/3}$$

$$= (5.9962 * 5.9962 * 11.9981)^{1/3}$$

$$= 7.5559 \text{ m}$$

$$D_s^b = \sqrt{r' d}$$


$$= (0.7788 * r' * 30)^{1/2} = 4.1580 \text{ cm}$$

a) Inductance per phase for the given system is :-

$$L = 2 * 10^{-7} \ln \frac{D_{eq}}{D_s^b} \text{ H/m/phase}$$

$$= 1.04049 * 10^{-6} \text{ H/m/phase}$$

$$= 1.04049 * 10^3 \text{ mH/m/phase} = 1.04049 \text{ mH/km/phase}$$

b) The inductive line reactance per phase

$$X_L = 2\pi f L = 2\pi (50) (1.04049) * 10^{-6} \text{ } \Omega/\text{m/phase}$$

$$= 3.270 * 10^{-4} \text{ } \Omega/\text{m/phase}$$