4–2. A 13.8-kV, 50-MVA, 0.9-power-factor-lagging, 60-Hz, four-pole Y-connected synchronous generator has a synchronous reactance of 2.5 Ω and an armature resistance of 0.2 Ω. At 60 Hz, its friction and windage losses are 1 MW, and its core losses are 1.5 MW. The field circuit has a dc voltage of 120 V, and the maximum I_F is 10 A. The current of the field circuit is adjustable over the range from 0 to 10 A. The OCC of this generator is shown in Figure P4-1.

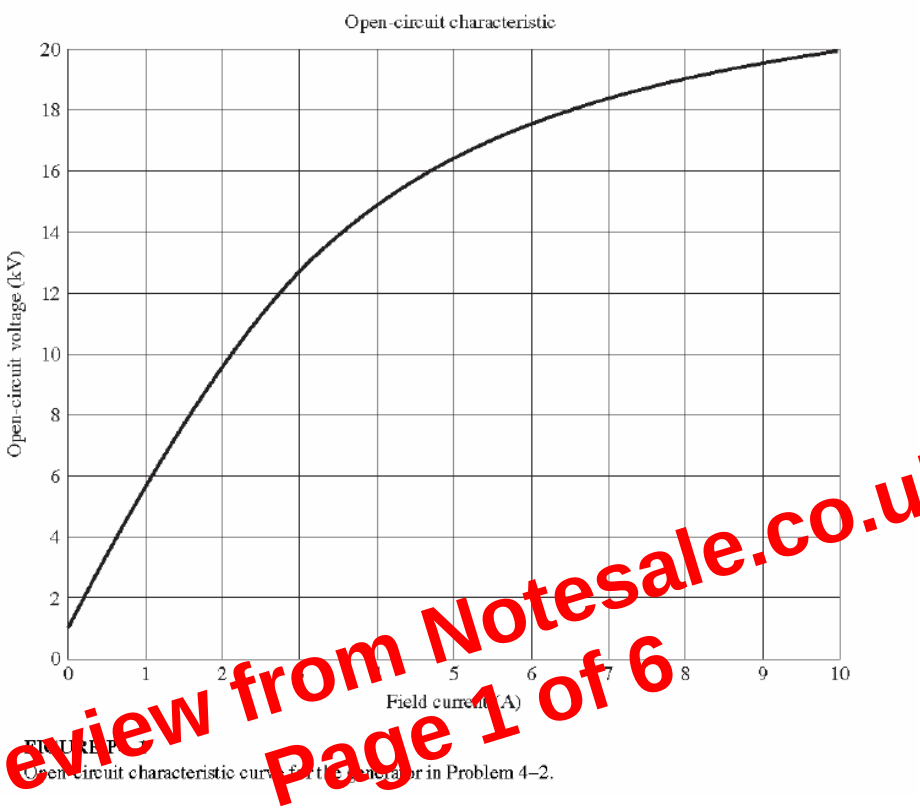

FIGURE P4–1
Open-circuit characteristic curve of the generator in Problem 4–2.

(a) How much field current is required to make the terminal voltage V_T (or line voltage V_L) equal to 13.8 kV when the generator is running at no load?

(b) What is the internal generated voltage E_A of this machine at rated conditions?

(c) What is the phase voltage V_ϕ of this generator at rated conditions?

(d) How much field current is required to make the terminal voltage V_T equal to 13.8 kV when the generator is running at rated conditions?

(e) Suppose that this generator is running at rated conditions, and then the load is removed without changing the field current. What would the terminal voltage of the generator be?

(f) How much steady-state power and torque must the generator's prime mover be capable of supplying to handle the rated conditions?

(a) If the no-load terminal voltage is 13.8 kV, the required field current can be read directly from the open-circuit characteristic. It is 3.50 A.

(b) This generator is Y-connected, so $I_L = I_A$. At rated conditions, the line and phase current in this generator is