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List of 23 DC Shunt Motor Formulas

DC Shunt Motor ↗

Current ↗

1) Armature Current of Shunt DC Motor given Input Power ↗

$$fx \quad I_a = \frac{P_{in}}{V_{sp}}$$

[Open Calculator ↗](#)

$$ex \quad 3.715481A = \frac{888W}{239V}$$

2) Armature Current of Shunt DC Motor given Torque ↗

$$fx \quad I_a = \frac{\tau}{K_f \cdot \Phi}$$

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$$ex \quad 3.72807A = \frac{0.85N*m}{2 \cdot 0.114Wb}$$

3) Armature Current of Shunt DC Motor given Voltage ↗

$$fx \quad I_a = \frac{V_{sp} - E_b}{R_a}$$

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$$ex \quad 3.703704A = \frac{239V - 231V}{2.16\Omega}$$



4) Field Current of DC Shunt Motor ↗

$$fx \quad I_f = \frac{V_{sp}}{R_{sh}}$$

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ex $1.503145A = \frac{239V}{159\Omega}$

Flux ↗

5) Magnetic Flux of DC Shunt Motor given Kf ↗

$$fx \quad \Phi = \frac{E_b}{\omega_s \cdot K_f}$$

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ex $0.114176Wb = \frac{231V}{161rev/s \cdot 2}$

6) Magnetic Flux of DC Shunt Motor given Torque ↗

$$fx \quad \Phi = \frac{\tau}{K_f \cdot I_a}$$

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ex $0.114865Wb = \frac{0.85N*m}{2 \cdot 3.7A}$



Mechanical Specifications ↗

7) Machine Constant of DC Shunt Motor given Torque ↗

fx
$$K = \frac{\tau}{\Phi \cdot I_a}$$

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ex
$$2.015173 = \frac{0.85 \text{N*m}}{0.114 \text{Wb} \cdot 3.7 \text{A}}$$

8) Machine Construction Constant of DC Shunt Motor given Angular Speed ↗

fx
$$K_f = \frac{E_b}{\Phi \cdot \omega_s}$$

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ex
$$2.003094 = \frac{231 \text{V}}{0.114 \text{Wb} \cdot 161 \text{rev/s}}$$

9) Machine Construction Constant of Shunt DC Motor ↗

fx
$$K_f = \frac{60 \cdot n_{||}}{n \cdot Z}$$

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ex
$$2.015226 = \frac{60 \cdot 6}{4 \cdot 44.66}$$



10) Machine Construction Constant using Speed of Shunt DC Motor

$$fx \quad K_f = \frac{V_t - I_a \cdot R_a}{N \cdot \Phi}$$

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$$ex \quad 2.175589 = \frac{75V - 3.7A \cdot 2.16\Omega}{2579.98\text{rev/min} \cdot 0.114\text{Wb}}$$

11) Number of Armature Conductors of DC Shunt Motor using K

$$fx \quad Z = \frac{60 \cdot n_{||}}{K \cdot n}$$

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$$ex \quad 44.66501 = \frac{60 \cdot 6}{2.015 \cdot 4}$$

12) Number of Parallel Paths of Shunt DC Motor

$$fx \quad n_{||} = \frac{K \cdot Z \cdot n}{60}$$

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$$ex \quad 6 = \frac{2.015 \cdot 44.66 \cdot 4}{60}$$

13) Number of Poles of Shunt DC Motor

$$fx \quad n = \frac{60 \cdot n_{||}}{K \cdot Z}$$

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$$ex \quad 4.000449 = \frac{60 \cdot 6}{2.015 \cdot 44.66}$$



Resistance ↗

14) Armature Resistance of Shunt DC Motor given Voltage ↗

$$fx \quad R_a = \frac{V_{sp} - E_b}{I_a}$$

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$$ex \quad 2.162162\Omega = \frac{239V - 231V}{3.7A}$$

15) Shunt Field Resistance of Shunt DC Motor given Shunt Field Current ↗

$$fx \quad R_{sh} = \frac{V_{sp}}{I_{sh}}$$

[Open Calculator ↗](#)

$$ex \quad 159.4396\Omega = \frac{239V}{1.499A}$$

Speed ↗

16) Angular Speed of DC Shunt Motor given Kf ↗

$$fx \quad \omega_s = \frac{E_b}{K_f \cdot \Phi}$$

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$$ex \quad 161.2491\text{rev/s} = \frac{231V}{2 \cdot 0.114\text{Wb}}$$



17) Angular Speed of DC Shunt Motor given Output Power 

$$fx \quad \omega_s = \frac{P_{out}}{\tau}$$

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$$ex \quad 161.0274 \text{rev/s} = \frac{860 \text{W}}{0.85 \text{N*m}}$$

18) Full Load Speed of Shunt DC Motor 

$$fx \quad N_{fl} = \frac{100 \cdot N_{nl}}{N_{reg} + 100}$$

Open Calculator 

$$ex \quad 0.19 \text{rev/min} = \frac{100 \cdot 2.58 \text{rev/min}}{12012 \text{rev/min} + 100}$$

19) No Load Speed of Shunt DC Motor 

$$fx \quad N_{nl} = \frac{N_{reg} \cdot N_{fl}}{100 + N_{fl}}$$

Open Calculator 

$$ex \quad 2.389523 \text{rev/min} = \frac{12012 \text{rev/min} \cdot 0.19 \text{rev/min}}{100 + 0.19 \text{rev/min}}$$

20) Speed Regulation of Shunt DC Motor 

$$fx \quad N_{reg} = \left(\frac{N_{nl} - N_{fl}}{N_{fl}} \right) \cdot 100$$

Open Calculator 

$$ex \quad 12012.01 \text{rev/min} = \left(\frac{2.58 \text{rev/min} - 0.19 \text{rev/min}}{0.19 \text{rev/min}} \right) \cdot 100$$



21) Torque of DC Motor given Output Power ↗

fx $\tau = \frac{P_{\text{out}}}{\omega_s}$

[Open Calculator ↗](#)

ex $0.850144 \text{ N} \cdot \text{m} = \frac{860 \text{ W}}{161 \text{ rev/s}}$

Voltage & EMF ↗

22) Voltage of Shunt DC Motor ↗

fx $V_{\text{sp}} = E_b + I_a \cdot R_a$

[Open Calculator ↗](#)

ex $238.992 \text{ V} = 231 \text{ V} + 3.7 \text{ A} \cdot 2.16 \Omega$

23) Voltage of Shunt DC Motor given Shunt Field Current ↗

fx $V_{\text{sp}} = I_{\text{sh}} \cdot R_{\text{sh}}$

[Open Calculator ↗](#)

ex $238.341 \text{ V} = 1.499 \text{ A} \cdot 159 \Omega$



Variables Used

- E_b Back EMF (*Volt*)
- I_a Armature Current (*Ampere*)
- I_f Field Current (*Ampere*)
- I_{sh} Shunt Field Current (*Ampere*)
- K Machine Constant
- K_f Constant of Machine Construction
- n Number of Poles
- N Motor Speed (*Revolution per Minute*)
- $n_{||}$ Number of Parallel Paths
- N_{fl} Full Load Speed (*Revolution per Minute*)
- N_{nl} No Load Speed (*Revolution per Minute*)
- N_{reg} Speed Regulation (*Revolution per Minute*)
- P_{in} Input Power (*Watt*)
- P_{out} Output Power (*Watt*)
- R_a Armature Resistance (*Ohm*)
- R_{sh} Shunt Field Resistance (*Ohm*)
- V_{sp} Supply Voltage (*Volt*)
- V_t Terminal Voltage (*Volt*)
- Z Number of Conductors
- T Torque (*Newton Meter*)
- Φ Magnetic Flux (*Weber*)



- ω_s Angular Speed (*Revolution per Second*)



Constants, Functions, Measurements used

- **Measurement:** Electric Current in Ampere (A)

Electric Current Unit Conversion 

- **Measurement:** Power in Watt (W)

Power Unit Conversion 

- **Measurement:** Magnetic Flux in Weber (Wb)

Magnetic Flux Unit Conversion 

- **Measurement:** Electric Resistance in Ohm (Ω)

Electric Resistance Unit Conversion 

- **Measurement:** Electric Potential in Volt (V)

Electric Potential Unit Conversion 

- **Measurement:** Angular Velocity in Revolution per Second (rev/s),

Revolution per Minute (rev/min)

Angular Velocity Unit Conversion 

- **Measurement:** Torque in Newton Meter (N*m)

Torque Unit Conversion 



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