## S-17.3020 Transient Phenomena in Electrical Machines Examination 11/04/2006 at 9 – 12 o'clock

1. Explain briefly:

equation of motion).

- a) What is a four-winding basic machine,
- b) What is Runge-Kutta method used for,
- c) What are root locii and what are they used for,
- d) What are state-space equations and state variables,
- e) What are the time constants of a synchronous machine denoted by  $T'_d$ ,  $T''_d$  and  $T_a$ . What can you say about the relative magnitude of these time constants?
- Show that the instantaneous power can be calculated in terms of vector quantities as  $P = \frac{3}{2} \operatorname{Re} \left\{ \underline{u} \, \underline{i}^* \right\}.$

- 4. a) What is an operator inductance and what is it used for?
  - b) Derive the equation of operator inductance  $L_q(s)$  for a salient-pole synchronous machine equipped with a damper winding.
- 5. A salient pole synchronous motor is started by connecting its stator winding to a three-phase grid. How and from which components is the starting torque produced, and how can we affect the starting torque? Sketch the average torque versus speed curve of a synchronous motor during a slow starting.