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Petrol Generator

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ABSTRACT: Because of the attendant noise associated with petrol generators coupled with their inevitable importance in our daily lives, a sound suppression enclosure was designed and analysed. Heat, which is a constituent part of generator operation was taken care of in the design by placing appropriate ventilation systems. A sound level meter was used to take measurements of the sound pressure level of the generator inside the enclosure and in open space. The generator was placed in an open space with no reflectors or barriers to achieve a perfect result. A difference of about 10 dB was achieved in the suppression of sound between the two places.

KEYWORDS: decibel, enclosure, noise pollution, petrol generator, Sound suppression

I. INTRODUCTION

Portable engine driven generators are used as main electric power supplying in shops, greenhouses, offices and homes in cities, especially when there is a break in power supply. They are also used for electricity supply of buildings in some rural areas with electric outage problems. However, their noise is loud and can cause inconvenience to nearby people. Exposure to high noise levels can also cause temporary or permanent hearing loss, mental and nervous discomforts, loss of working efficiency and increased the risk of hazards. The Power Holding Company of Nigeria (PHCN) which is solely responsible for generation and supply of electricity have not fared too well in the discharge of its mandate. With an installed generating capacity of only 6,000MW (against the 30,000MW estimated national peak demand), the PHCN could only provide a maximum of 3,000MW with 30 - 35% losses during transmission. It follows therefore that less than 10% of the national electricity demand only, could be met through the national grid. This mounts pressure on individuals, institutions, corporate bodies and businesses in the country; for private provision of electricity, with fossil fuel generators being the option most frequently adopted. The reason for this option has been attributed to the relatively low initial capital cost, convenience and availability of the fuel to power the generators. According to, increasing noise pollution in the world as affected human being, animals, plants and even inert objects like buildings and bridges. Noise has become a very significant stress factor in the environment, to the level that the term noise pollution has been used to signify the hazard of sound which consequences in the modern day development is immeasurable. According to, Noise pollution is one of the major problem people facing in urban areas all over the world. As a result of increase in the number of cars and industrialization, noise pollution has also increased. Most of noises in urban areas are increasing every day as a result of more people moving to urban from rural settlements. Noise in cities, especially along main arteries, has reached up to disturbing levels. Residences far from noise sources and near silent secondary roads are currently very popular. People prefer to live in places far from noisy urban areas.

According to Noise disrupts the tranquility of the environment and can affect climate and human health negatively. The design of an enclosure could be evaluated from acoustic and thermal point of views [9]. The transmission paths from the source to the receiver should be determined and ordered in relative importance in order to design an acoustic enclosure for a noise source. The enclosure wall is one of the most important transmission paths. It may also have permanent openings for ventilation, inspection, passing materials and could include a door in order to access to noise source.



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2.1. Based on geometric Shape:

- 1.Rectangular
- 2.Circular
- 3.Polygon

2.2. Based on Material Used:

Remove the fur. (Hint: Since most fuel generators are herbivores merely and passively serving as fuel accumulators for their predator fuel inhibitors (the local carnivore clans), this can sometimes be easy and not too painful for the fur-remover.) /moose. /hippotamous. /elephant /Cape Buffalo

If fur removal is resisted, remove the desire of the furless portable generator storage device to avoid fur removal. Consume portable fuel storage device.

Generate energy inside fuelless energy generator. (Unless a foolish fuelless energy generator is desired. In that case, freeze in the dark drinking contaminated parasite-ridden swamp water over a dung-fed open fire in a mud hut.)

Generators

<u>Generators</u> are packaged units that provide electricity via an engine. The engine and various components turn a fuel source into usable electricity for a large number of applications.

Engine

The engine is the workhorse of the generator. Generator engines are typically powered by either diesel or natural gas. The fuel turns the engine, and as the engine turns, various components, including the alternator and battery system, turn that mechanical energy into usable electricity for your equipment. The size of the engine typically dictates how much electricity the generator produces.

Alternator/Generator End

The alternator of the generator is what turns the mechanical energy into electricity. The alternator is connected to the engine's crankshaft via a belt. As the engine turns, it moves the belt, which turns the rotor shaft. The rotor is essentially a magnet, and the area around the magnet is a conductor, which is called a stator. These components work together to create electricity in the form of an alternating (A/C) current.

Fuel System

The fuel system is a vital component of the generator. Without fuel, the engine will fail to operate. This means that the correct fuel must be placed into the generator, and enough fuel must be inside the generator and on-site in order to keep the generator operating. It is recommended to inspect the fuel system and fuel flow prior to operating the generator to ensure that every part is working as expected and there are no kinks or clogs in the fuel lines that would prevent the natural gas or diesel from reaching the engine.

Popular generator fuels include diesel, natural gas, and propane.

Control Panel

The control panel of the generator is the user interface. It allows the generator operator to monitor the various systems of the generator and adjust them as needed. These controls include the amount of voltage produced by the generator, the electrical current, and the frequency of that current. Monitoring of the system is provided by various gauges and displays, and the generator settings are adjusted through a series of buttons and/or switches.



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III. DESCRIPTION AND MAIN FUNCTION OF AIS

Following are the functions of AIS: -

- 1. The system starts by drawing air from outside the vehicle, usually through an opening in the front grille or bumper. This ensures access to fresh, unheated air.
- 2. Before entering the engine, the air passes through an air filter to remove dust, debris, and other contaminants that could damage the engine.



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- 3. Depending on the engine, the air intake system may have sensors that measure the volume and temperature of the incoming air. This information is used by the engine computer to optimize the fuel mixture for efficient combustion.
- 4. The amount of air entering the engine is controlled by a throttle body or butterfly valve. This valve opens and closes in response to the driver's accelerator pedal, regulating the speed and power output of the engine.
- 5. The filtered and measured air is delivered to the engine's intake manifold, where it is mixed with fuel and then sent to the cylinders for combustion.

To induce the power to crankshaft; the combustion chamber of machine needs air as well as energy. The air is guided by AIS to the combustion chamber. Depends upon the type of vehicle; the position of AIS is defined. The quantum of air demanded in the combustion chamber depends on numerous factors but substantially it depends on the speed and acceleration of the machine. When the vehicle accelerates from low to high rpm; the energy consumption is high. And thus, the quantum of air (or oxygen) demanded inside the combustion chamber is also high. The quantum of air is substantially controlled by ECU in the machines. The alternate purpose of AIS is drawing of the incoming air from patches like beach, leaves etc. This is done by using air sludge inside the sludge box. The standard demand of air sludge filtration is approximately. 99.8 of the incoming air. Air sludge also helps in reducing the noise from the machine. A conception image of AIS is shown below for understanding point of view where air haste is denoted by U_{∞} . In factual operation, the design and layout may differ.

IV. PROBLEM CAUSED

The problem that necessitates the development and implementation of moisture-resistant air filters in automobiles can be defined as follows:

• Challenge:

The main objective of the experiment is to investigate the effects of replacing individual petrol and kerosene with their optimum mixture of blends and to prove the reduction of nitrogen oxides, carbon dioxide, carbon monoxide, hydrocarbons in a spark ignition engine. The experimental setup consisting of Honda Portable Genset Model E1000K was attached with Di-gas analyzer, load bank and air measurement box devices. Modifications in the engine fuel supply system were done to use the blends of kerosene and petrol. An electrical power load circuit was attached to the test engine to allow variation of the engine power using the bulb switches. Combinations of different values of engine load were used in the experiment to evaluate the performance, pollutant emissions of the engine to compare between petrol and kerosene fuels and their mixtures.

<u>Problem Statement:</u> In your mind's eye, does clothing have a continuous design or one that moves across the fabric infinitely? All-over printing will appear to be completely smooth if this is the case. On the other hand, when an element is designed to give the impression that it extends beyond the boundaries of its canvas, graphic designers refer to this as "bleeding."

VI. PERFORMANCE KEY ISSUES

Key Issues:

various uses which include sound proofs application. These include: 1.2 Enclosures · Acoustic enclosures: These are full chambers, enclosures, or rooms designed to attenuate or minimize acoustical noise. · Acoustic foam and acoustic ceiling tile: These materials absorb sound to minimize echo and reverberation within a room. · Electronic enclosures and instrument enclosures house electronic components and instruments. They are usually designed for handheld or desktop applications. · Industrial enclosures: Are used to house electronic components, equipment and devices. They are designed to protect personnel from accidental injury and to prevent the ingress of environmental contaminants. · NEMA and IP enclosures: Are used to house and protect electrical devices and electronic components. NEMA enclosures are rated by the National Electrical Manufacturers Association (NEMA) and designed for hazardous or nonhazardous locations · Modular enclosures: Consist of smaller components that can be assembled to create custom enclosures, often for temporary or mobile systems. · Rack enclosures: (Rack cabinets, laboratory enclosures) are used



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to house standard in. Rack- mounted components or other standardsized devices · PC enclosures: are designed to protect Personal Computers (PCs) in industrial or office environments.

VII. CONCLUSION

The main aim of this research work was to find the optimum mixture of kerosene-petrol fuel mixture to have less emission. mixing kerosene with petrol in SI engines is more practical than using kerosene alone. However, before using these mixture in the engines, the performance and emission curves must be examined. An experimental study has been carried out to evaluate performance and exhaust emissions for various concentration of kerosene addition to petrol in the Engine. Experimental results indicated that using optimum kerosene-gasoline blend, the output torque of the engine increased slightly, the carbon monoxide and hydro carbon emissions decreased dramatically as a result of the leaning effect caused by the kerosene addition, and the CO2 emission increased because of the improved combustion. Carbon monoxide and Hydro Carbon emissions were reduced approximately by 80% and 50%, respectively, while the CO2 emission increased 20% depending on the engine conditions. It is further observed that low fraction kerosene/ gasoline blends can be used in SI engines without any modification. Kerosene gasoline blended fuel may lower HC and CO emissions. The most interesting thing is that kerosene addition to petrol improves the SI engine cold start and lower Carbon monoxide and Hydro Carbon emissions significantly

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IX. LITERATURE REVIEW

- S. N. Mahato et al discussed the method of calculating terminal capacitor for a three phase induction generator used for feeding single phase load. The equivalent circuit is developed first, then the real and imaginary parts of circuit elements are equated to zero. A three phase induction motor can operate as an induction generator in various configurations.[1]
- J. B. Ekanayake discussed the operation of an induction generator in C-2C mode and presented a detailed analysis of it. A load equal to 80 % of three phase capacity of motor can be connected to one of the windings across which capacitor 'C' is connected. These generators can be used for Pico hydro generation .While analyzing performance of an induction generator, it is necessary to develop a mathematical model of it. There are two types of models which are helpful in the analysis. [2]
- A.H. Al-Bahrani et al presented a detailed analysis of a three phase star or delta connected induction motor using a single capacitor for single phase load. It is stated that for a given capacitor value, there is a minimum speed for which the generator excites at no load. Delta connection of motor gives more current output at lower terminal voltage but the currents and voltages in delta or star connection are unbalanced [3]
- . M. H. Haque presented steady state analysis by using equivalent circuit in the form of P-Q load model and solving the equations using MATLAB software .[4]
- T. F. Chan presented an iterative technique of analysis which requires lesser calculations and is simple. Initially per unit frequency is assumed and other terms in the equation are calculated. After a few iterations, the final values can be found [5]
- D. Seyoum et al presented analysis of an induction generator using SIMNON software. The terminal voltage and frequency depend on the load and the speed. There is a maximum and minimum speed at which the generator excites for a given value of capacitor and load. A dynamic model of induction generator is presented.[6]
- R. C. Bansal et al discussed the process of self excitation, voltage buildup, steady state and transient model and advantages of self excited induction generators over conventional alternators. Study on reactive power control and parallel operation of induction generators is also presented .[7]



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