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Motor Technology and Electrical Application Criteria for EC Motors

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Presentation Outline

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- Applications
- Motor Topologies
- EC motor: Electronics & Drive topology
- Electrical environmental requirements to EC-motors





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Air Conditioning & Commercial Ventilation

AIR TECHNOLOGY

HEATING TECHNOLOGY



Efficient system solutions for our markets



Motor Types and Types of construction





important & relevant Motor topologies / Torque generation principles





Geometrical Motor Designs





E-Drive portfolio – rated operating points





Motor Topology I

Electric Excited Synchronous Machine (EESM)

Moving coils instead of permanent magnets

BMW⁽¹⁾





Conclusion EESM not suitable for fan application because of load profile Additional efforts for energy transfer into rotor



(1) BMW changes its electric motor concept with the iX3

(2) ZF makes magnet-free electric motor uniquely compact and competitive

(3) MAHLE develops highly efficient magnet-free electric motor - MAHLE Newsroom

Motor Topology I Axial Flux Machine



Axial Flux E-Drive







ebm-papst M3G200HF

















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EC motor: Electronics & Drive topology

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 + variable speed ability
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Electronics for EC-motors





EMC and current harmonics







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EC-motors: Why leakage currents ?





EC-motors: leakage currents



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Voltage dips and power supply voltage interruptions





Voltage dips in the power supply voltage

Real measured voltage dips in comparision CBEMA curve







Static and dynamic overvoltages

Dynamic overvoltages due to high load switching in weak power supply grids





Static and dynamic overvoltages

Real measured overvoltage spikes in comparision to surge capability limits





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Summary & Conclusions

- EC external rotor motors enable compact, highly efficient and low-noise plug & play solutions in ventilation and air conditioning technology
- EC motors can be operated just as reliably and robustly as AC motors if the operating conditions and electrical parameters of the power supply are fully known







Thank you!

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