

C.U.SHAH UNIVERSITY

Winter Examination-2015

Subject Name: Manufacturing Processes – II

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Branch: B. Tech(Mechanical, Automobile)

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Date: 11/12/2015

Time: 2:30 To 5:30

Marks: 70

Instructions:

- (1) Use of Programmable calculator & any other electronic instrument is prohibited.
- (2) Instructions written on main answer book are strictly to be obeyed.
- (3) Draw neat diagrams and figures (if necessary) at right places.
- (4) Assume suitable data if needed.

Q-1

Attempt the following questions:

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- a) Which one of the following are the three basic types of static stresses to which a material can be subjected? (three correct answers):
(i) compression, (ii) hardness, (iii) reduction in area, (iv) shear, (v) tensile, (vi) true stress, and (vii) yield.
- b) Which one of the following are mechanical properties of materials? (six correct answers): (i) strength (ii) boiling point (iii) toughness (iv) hardness (v) conductivity (vi) ductility (vii) density (viii) elasticity (ix) fatigue (x) specific heat (xi) melting point.
- c) The plastic region of the stress-strain curve for a metal is characterized by a proportional relationship between stress and strain: (i) true or (ii) false.
- d) Which one of the following materials has the highest hardness: (i) aluminum, (ii) diamond, (iii) steel, (iv) titanium, or (v) tungsten.
- e) Steel is a good material for the wrecking ball used to demolish old buildings because of
Its: (i) high density (ii) low elasticity (iii) high coefficient of linear thermal expansion
(iv) low fatigue (v) poor ductility.
- f) Brass is an alloy of copper and zinc: (i) true (ii) false.
- g) Which one of the following casting processes is the most widely used: (i) centrifugal casting (ii) die casting (iii) investment casting (iv) sand casting or (v) shell casting.
- h) Compared to others casting processes, investment casting process is the best solution for manufacturing of (i) engine blocks (ii) gears (iii) jewellery (iv) car wheels (v) pipes.
- i) The purpose of a riser is to:
(i) Deliver molten metal into the mould cavity
(ii) Act as a reservoir for the molten metal
(iii) Feed the molten metal to the casting in order to compensate for the



shrinkage

- (iv) Deliver the molten metal from pouring basin to gate.
- j) The metal is subjected to mechanical working for:
- (i) Refining grain size
 - (ii) Reducing original block into desired shape
 - (iii) Controlling the direction of flow lines
 - (iv) All of these.
- k) Fin is a casting defect which is due to thin projections of metal not intended as a part of casting: (i) Correct (ii) Incorrect.
- l) A casting defect which occurs due to improper venting of sand is known as: (i) Cold shuts (ii) Blow holes (iii) Shift (iv) Swell.
- m) In a, the molten metal is poured and allowed to solidify while the mould is revolving.
- (i) Die casting method
 - (ii) Slush casting method
 - (iii) Permanent mould casting method
 - (iv) Centrifugal casting method.
- n) If the sand is too fine, its permeability will be high: (i) True (ii) False.

Attempt any four questions from Q-2 to Q-8:

- Q-2
- a) Write a short note on nanoscale manufacturing with suitable example. 04
 - b) Assume that a plastic shopping bag, made from blown film, has a lateral (width) dimension of 300 mm. (a) What should be the extrusion die diameter? (b) These bags are relatively strong. How is this strength achieved? 04
 - c) Describe with neat sketch i) Sweep pattern ii) Left & right hand pattern 06
- Q-3
- a) How is the thermal efficiency of a cupola determined? How a cupola is specified? 04
 - b) Derive an equation to calculate the area of sprue base for cast iron casting weighing up to 5000 kg and placement of pattern is entirely in drag. 04
 - c) Explain with neat sketch: i) Centrifugal Casting ii) Continuous casting. 06
- Q-4
- a) What are the common allowances provided on pattern and why? 07
 - b) Two steel sheets of 1.5 mm thickness are being spot welded. The process parameters are: current = 5500 A; current flow time = 0.15 s; electrode diameter = 6 mm. Estimate the heat generated in the welding zone and its distribution. Use $R = 250 \mu\Omega$. 07
- Q-5
- a) Explain the term "polarity" in welding. Write its advantages and disadvantages. 07
 - b) A 250 mm wide annealed brass 70-30 strip is rolled from a thickness of 20 mm to 12 mm. For a roll radius of 300 mm and roll rpm of 100, estimate the total power required for this operation. 07



- Q-6 a) Explain the LIGA micro fabrication process. 07
b) A 980 kN injection-molding machine is used to make 110 mm diameter spur gears with a thickness of 10 mm. The gears have a fine-tooth profile. How many gears can be injection molded in one set of molds? Does the thickness of the gears influence the answer? 07
- Q-7 a) Write a short note on process selection. 07
b) A shielded metal arc welding operation takes place on a steel work piece (with a steel electrode) with a 20V power supply. If a weld with a triangular cross section with a 10 mm leg length is to be produced, estimate the current needed for a welding speed of 10 mm/s. Consider an efficiency of 75%. 07
- Q-8 a) What are the common defects of casting? State their causes and remedies. 07
b) Determine the true strain rate in extruding a round billet of radius r_0 as a function of distance x from the entry of a conical die. 07

