

B.Tech IV Year II Semester (R13) Regular Examinations April 2017

**MODERN MANUFACTURING METHODS**

(Mechanical Engineering)

Time: 3 hours

Max. Marks: 70

**PART – A**

(Compulsory Question)

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1 Answer the following: (10 X 02 = 20 Marks)

- With a neat sketch, explain the working principle of stereo lithography process.
- Enlist the requirement that demands the use of advanced machining process.
- What are the magnetostrictive materials employed in USM?
- Explain any three parameters on working accuracy and metal removal rate in AJM.
- Explain the process variables in ECM process.
- What are the limitations of Chemical Machining process?
- Write down the process characteristics of Plasma Arc Machining.
- Explain the working principle of Wire cut EDM process.
- What are the gases commonly used on laser and explain the characteristics of laser beam?
- What are the advantages and limitations of a EBM process?

**PART – B**

(Answer all five units, 5 X 10 = 50 Marks)

**UNIT – I**

- Explain the need of modern manufacturing methods.
- Give a short on Precision and Lean manufacturing.

OR

- Write the classification of Rapid prototyping methods.
- With a neat sketch explain the working of Fused Deposition Method and explain its various applications of it.

**UNIT – II**

- Explain the mechanics of metal removal and process parameters of Ultrasonic Machining process and also give their applications, limitations.

OR

- With a neat sketch explain the construction and working of WJM system and also explain their process variables.

**UNIT – III**

- Give a brief note on economic aspects of ECM and also explain their Metal removal rate, process variable and applications of it.

OR

- Explain the principle of metal removal in maskants, etchants and process variable of a chemical machining process.
- What are the advantages of chemical machining process?

**UNIT – IV**

- With a neat sketch explain the construction and working of an Electric Discharge Grinding process.
- Explain the choice of parameters for improved surface finish and accuracy for EDM process.

OR

- With a neat sketch explain the principle of metal removal rate in Plasma Arc machining process.
- Describe the process and equipment of Plasma Arc Machining process.

**UNIT – V**

- Write a short note on process parameters and performance characterization of Laser Beam Machining processes.

OR

- With a neat sketch explain the construction and working of an Electron Beam Machining Process and explain the theory of mechanics of metal removal in EBM.