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Third Semester B.E. Degree Examination, June/July 2019 Material Science

Time: 3 hrs.

Max. Marks: 100

Note: Answer any FIVE full questions, choosing ONE full question from each module.

Module-1

- 1 a. Define Atomic Packing Factor and calculate Atomic Packing Factor for FCC Crystal Structure. (08 Marks)
- b. State and explain Ficks first law of Diffusion. (06 Marks)
- c. Explain the different types of Point Imperfections, with neat sketches. (06 Marks)

OR

- 2 a. Draw Stress - Strain diagram for mild steel and cast iron. Explain its behaviour under uniaxial Tension until fracture. (08 Marks)
- b. What is Fracture? How are they classified? (04 Marks)
- c. With a neat sketch, explain the different stages of creep deformation. (08 Marks)

Module-2

- 3 a. With a neat sketch, explain the construction of phase diagram. (08 Marks)
- b. Explain Gibbs phase rule and Lever Rule. (06 Marks)
- c. With a neat sketch, explain different cast metal structures. (06 Marks)

OR

- 4 a. Explain Homogeneous nucleation and discuss the significance of critical radius of nuclei. (10 Marks)
- b. Two metals A & B of melting points 900°C and 700°C respectively have unlimited mutual liquid solubilities. The solid solubility of B in A is 30% at eutectic temperature of 400°C , which reduces to 20% at 0°C . The solid solubility of A in B is 20% at eutectic temperature which reduces to 15% at 0°C . The eutectic composition is 70%B and 30% A. Draw the phase diagram. Calculate the solid and liquid phases of 40% B alloy at 500°C . (10 Marks)

Module-3

- 5 a. Draw TTT diagram for eutectoid steel (0.83% C) and explain different micro structures. (08 Marks)
- b. Sketch and explain Austempering and Martempering. (08 Marks)
- c. Sketch and explain Flame hardening. (04 Marks)

OR

- 6 a. Define and list the types of Heat Treatment processes. (05 Marks)
- b. With a neat sketch, explain Jominy End Quench test. (08 Marks)
- c. Sketch and explain Nitriding process. (07 Marks)

Module-4

- 7 a. Define Ceramics and briefly explain the types of ceramics. (08 Marks)
- b. Explain Powder Metallurgy technique for Ceramic processing. (08 Marks)
- c. Differentiate between Thermoplastics and Thermoset plastics. (04 Marks)

Important Note :

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- 8 a. Briefly explain the characteristics of plastics. (05 Marks)
b. Define Smart Materials. Write a note on Piezoelectric materials. (05 Marks)
c. Write a note on Shape Memory alloys. List the Applications of Smart Materials. (10 Marks)

Module-5

- 9 a. Define Composites and classify them. (05 Marks)
b. Sketch and explain Filament winding process to produce composites. (08 Marks)
c. Write a note on Fibre reinforced plastic composites. (07 Marks)

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- 10 a. Derive an expression for Young's Modulus in a composite for longitudinal loading of fibre reinforced composite. (08 Marks)
b. Calculate the volume ratio of Aluminum and Boron in Aluminum — Boron composite having Young's Modulus equal to Iron. The Young's Moduli of Aluminum , Boron and Iron are respectively 71 GPa , 440 GPa and 210 GPa. (08 Marks)
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