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B.Tech.
(SEM VIII) EVEN SEMESTER EXAMINATION 2015-16
ADVANCED MATERIALS TECHNOLOGY

[Time: 3 hrs.]

[Max. Marks: 100]

Note: Attempt all 5 questions as instructed. All questions carry equal marks. Draw figures wherever needed. Assume suitably any missing data/information, if any.

Q.1 Answer any two of the following

[10 x2 = 20]

- (a) Explain that ‘the driving-force behind every technological-revolutions there has been certain materials’. Also, enlist 5 materials as possible-candidates for next possible-revolution and briefly mention two-lines for each.
- (b) It can possibly said that stress-strain diagram of a material is like ‘horoscope of material’ within-which are hidden the several important mechanical-properties; explain this fact, with the help of the stress-strain curve for mild steel. Also explain ‘Strain-hardening’ and ‘Necking’ through the diagram.
- (c) Write short notes on :- types, composition, property and application of any two of the following:
- (i) Carbon Steels
 - (ii) Alloy Steels
 - (iii) Cast Irons

Q.2 Answer any two of the following

[10 x2 = 20]

- (a) Draw a neat sketch of Fe-C equilibrium diagram showing the various constituents & details and emphasize the importance of this diagram. Also draw microstructure(s) of mild-steel and gray cast-iron indicating the constituents.
- (b) Enlist & explain various heat-treatment processes. Also draw TTT diagram and explain its importance for certain heat treatment processes. Re-emphasize the importance of ‘Tempering’ and ‘Case-hardening’.
- (c) Explain the reason(s) for any two of the following disaster(s)
- (i) Breaking-of Titanic-ship after it collides with the ice-berg.
 - (ii) Burning-of Kalpana-Chawala’s Columbia-shuttle’s re-entry into earth’s atmosphere during its return journey.
 - (iii) Collapse-of RCC-buildings –of theTwin-towers of World-Trade-Centre (WTC) in New-York in 2001, not-immediately but after an hour, after the impact of the two aero-planes.

Q.3 Answer any four of the following

[5 x4 = 20]

- (a) Non-ferrous metals, its properties and its applications
- (b) Properties & applications of various types of Brass and Tin-Bronze
- (c) Aluminum-alloys and Age-hardening of Duralumin
- (d) Smart-materials, its importance, types & applications.
- (e) Bio-materials and its use in various bio-applications
- (f) Dental-materials

Q.4 Answer any two of the following

[10 x2 = 20]

- (a) Draw neat-sketch the famous 'Binding-energy per nucleon (E_b/A) versus Atomic-mass(A) 'Curve' and indicate how it leads to the possibility of both (i) nuclear-fusion and (ii) nuclear-fission.
- (b) Explain nuclear-fission of Uranium and the chain-reaction. Also explain the purpose & materials of Moderator, Control-rods and the Pressurized-coolant.
- (c) Draw a neat sketch of fission-based Nuclear-power-plant and explain it in-details. Also mention problems with nuclear-fission-based power-plant.

Q.5 Write brief-notes on any four of the following

[5 x4 = 20]

- (a) Why Uranium-enrichment needed
- (b) Importance of Fast Breeder Reactor
- (c) What is Cold-Fusion
- (d) Why the Universe supposed to be Flat
- (e) What necessitates need of non-baryonic attractive-gravity type Dark-matter (or alternatively need of MOND)
- (f) Why there is need of repulsive-gravity type Dark-Energy