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B. Tech.
III-semester Examination 2015-16
Materials Science in Engineering

Time: 2 hours

Max. marks: 50

Note: Question No.1 is objective-type single-answer type question. Answer the other questions as instructed. Marks are indicated therein. There is no negative-marking.
 Assume suitably any missing/inappropriate data/information, if any.

Q.1 Write answer of all the 10 objective questions: 1 x 10 = 10 marks

- (i) Who said that for development of a nation what actually needed are: "blood & steel"
 (A) Bismarck (B) Hitler (C) Churchill (D) Napoleon
- (ii) Chemical symbol of Tungsten is
 (A) W (B) Xe (C) Y (D) Zn
- (iii) If voltage in the X-ray tube is 10 kV, approximately what is the min wavelength of X-ray, in angstrom
 (A) 1.25 (B) 2.5 (C) 5.75 (D) 10
- (iv) Radius of electron's second-orbit for Li^{++} is approximately (in angstrom) equal to
 (A) 0.26 (B) 0.53 (C) 0.71 (D) 1.06
- (v) Who discovered 'positron'
 (A) Rutherford (B) Chadwick (C) Anderson (D) Yukawa
- (vi) Angle between two planes having Miller Indices are (1 0 0) and (1 0 0) is
 (A) 90° (B) 60° (C) 45° (D) 30°
- (vii) Process of specimen's surface-hardening while retaining ductility of its core is called
 (A) Strain-hardening (B) Quenching (C) Case-hardening (D) Age-hardening
- (viii) Tungsten-carbide 'tips' for cutting-tools are made by the process
 (A) Machining (B) Forging (C) Casting (D) Powder-metallurgy
- (ix) For n-type extrinsic-semiconductor, the impurity addition in the intrinsic-semiconductor, could be of
 (A) P (B) As (C) Sb (D) Any of these
- (x) Galvanizing, for corrosion-prevention, is done by coating steel-component with
 (A) Zn (B) Sn (C) Cr (D) Ni

Q.2 Write short notes on any four of the following 2 ½ x 4 = 10 marks

- (a) Importance of Materials towards Technological & Socio-economic development
- (b) Wave-Particle Duality & de-Broglie hypothesis
- (c) Bohr's atomic model & formula for Hydrogen-spectra wavelengths
- (d) Chemical-Bonds and properties due to it
- (e) Atomic-radius to lattice-size relationship and APF for SC, BCC & FCC crystals
- (f) Bragg's law and X-ray crystallography methods
- (g) Griffith's theory of brittle-fracture

Q.3 Answer any two of the following

5 x 2 = 10 marks

- (a) What do you understand by 'toughness' and describe the toughness- tests. Also explain ductile-brittle transition behaviour with respect to temperature and realization of its importance after the Titanic-ship disaster.
- (b) Draw a neat labeled Fe-C equilibrium diagram and briefly describe cooling of mild-steel from molten-stage to solid-stage. Also, draw TTT-diagram and indicate (with lines) the relevant heat-treatment processes on it.
- (c) Broadly classify various types of (i) Carbon-Steels and write its properties & applications. Also write % carbon, draw microstructure (indicating the constituent) and stress-strain curve for: (i) mild-steel & (ii) gray cast iron.

Q. 4 Answer any two of the following

5 x 2 = 10 marks

- (a) Suggest suitable material(s) and its composition for the following
(i) Twist-**Drill** (ii) Pepsi-**Can** (iii) Aircraft-**Body** (iv) Furnace-**Bricks** (v) Lathe-**Bed**
- (b) Write typical composition and applications of the following
(i) Stainless-steel (ii) Muntz metal (iii) Gun metal (iv) White metal
(v) Solder-wire alloy
- (c) Write full-form of
(i) HSS (tool-material) (ii) TCS (IT company) (iii) RCC (Building)
(iv) PVC (plastic) (v) BCS (superconductivity theory)

Q.5 Write short notes on any four of the following

2 ½ x 4 = 10 marks

- (a) Hysteresis curve & loop and domain-theory explanation
- (b) Magnetic storage & information-retrieving
- (c) p-n junction as rectifier and transistor as amplifier
- (d) High T_c superconductors and possible applications
- (e) Ceramics & its applications
- (f) Plastics and its future prospects
- (g) Smart-materials and its applications