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**FINAL EXAMINATION  
SEMESTER II  
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COURSE NAME : MANUFACTURING TECHNOLOGY  
COURSE CODE : BDA 30502  
PROGRAMME : 3 BDD  
EXAMINATION DATE : JUNE 2017  
DURATION : 2 HOURS  
INSTRUCTION : ANSWER **FOUR (4)** QUESTIONS  
ONLY

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- Q1** (a) Material removal processes such as machining/traditional machining are desirable and necessary in manufacturing operation. List out **THREE (3)** advantages of machining/traditional machining. (3 marks)
- (b) In Merchant theory, there are specific assumptions for orthogonal cutting and oblique cutting. Differentiate **FOUR (4)** properties of orthogonal and oblique cutting. (8 marks)
- (c) A 150 mm long with 12.5 mm in diameter of a stainless steel rod is being reduced in diameter to 12.0 mm using a lathe machine. The machine spindle rotates at 400 rpm, and tool is traveling at an axial speed of 200 mm/min. Point out the cutting speed, material removal rate, and cutting time. (10 marks)
- (d) Dry machining is being considered by machine shop because of certain problems inherent in the use of cutting fluids. Identify the problems associated with the use of cutting fluids. (4 marks)
- Q2** (a) The mold in casting process contains a cavity whose geometry determines the shape of cast part.
- (i) Illustrate the permanent mold casting process. (4 marks)
- (ii) Explain the function of a core in casting process and how to implement it. (3 marks)
- (b) Discuss the casting process required to produce the casting component shown in **Figure Q2(b)** with high accuracy of dimension and quantity. (6 marks)
- (c) (i) A steel rectangular plate with a dimension of 650 mm length x 105 mm width x 15 mm thick, will be produced using sand casting. If the mold constant is 3.26 min/cm<sup>2</sup>, calculate the total solidification time required for the casting to solidify after pouring. (6 marks)

- (ii) After the plate was solidified, it was found that the plate has defects. By the aid of a sketch, distinguish **FOUR (4)** common types of defects that might occurred in sand casting with the cause of each defect.

(6 marks)

- Q3** (a) Impression die forging and flashless forging are among two important process in metal forming practice. With the aid of diagram, compare these two process.

(8 marks)

- (b) **Figure Q3(b)** shows a metal forming product that crucial to get a uniform wall thickness on the side wall.

- (i) Choose the suitable metal tooling forming process for the product.

(2 marks)

- (ii) Sketch and label the process with explanation.

(7 marks)

- (c) Springback is a phenomenon happened in sheet metal bending operation. Identify the phenomenon.

(4 marks)

- (d) Differentiate bulk deformation processes and sheet metal processes.

(4 marks)

- Q4** (a) Construct the working principle of blown extrusion with the aids of diagram.

(6 marks)

- (b) (i) Identify the characteristics and limitations of an injection moulding product.

(4 marks)

- (ii) List **TWO (2)** examples of products that is normally made by such technique.

(2 marks)

- (c) Compare the differences between the mold for injection molding and the mold for compression molding process.

(6 marks)

- (d) Define the die swell phenomenon in extrusion. (4 marks)
- (e) Explain the functions of the screen pack and breaker plate at the die end of the extruder barrel. (3 marks)

- Q5** (a) Distinguish **FOUR (4)** differences between thermite welding and resistance welding in terms of principle and applications with the aid of sketches. (8 marks)
- (b) If you are designing a joint that needs to be strong and yet needs to be disassembled a few times during the product life, propose and explain the kind of joint would you choose. (6 marks)
- (c) Point out the circumstances where brazing or soldering be preferred over welding. (4 marks)
- (d) The molten filler metal in Brazing is distributed throughout the joint by capillary action. Define capillary action. (3 marks)
- (e) Explain weldability of steel change as its carbon content increases. (4 marks)

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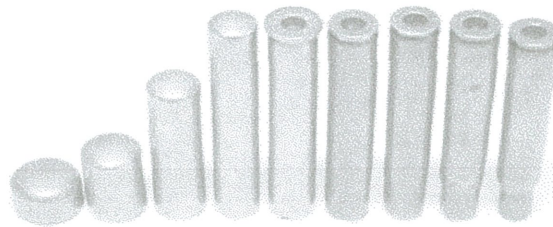
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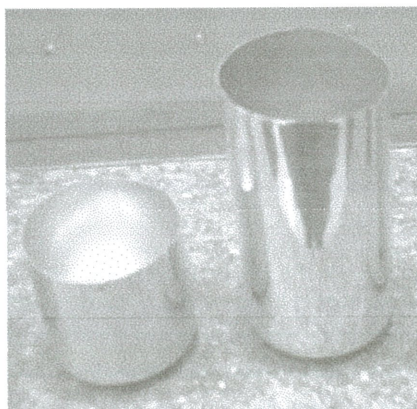
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**Figure Q2(b)**



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**Figure Q3(b)**