

3504

BOARD DIPLOMA EXAMINATION, (C-09) OCT/NOV-2016

DME—FOURTH SEMESTER EXAMINATION

ENGINEERING MATERIALS

Time: 3 hours [Total Marks: 80

PART—A

 $3 \times 10 = 30$

Instructions: (1) Answer all questions.

- (2) Each question carries three marks.
- (3) Answers should be brief and straight to the point and shall not exceed *five* simple sentences.
- **1.** Distinguish Rockwell B and Rockwell C scales with respect to load, indentor and applications.
- **2.** List out three common types of crystalline structure.
- **3.** What is flux? Name the flux used in production of iron.
- **4.** Define phase and solid solution.
- **5.** Write the eutectic reaction in iron-carbon diagram.
- **6.** What is meant by case hardening? What are various case hardening processes?
- 7. Define heat treatment. What are stages in heat treatment?
- **8.** What is the influence of phosphorus and sulphur on plain carbon steels?
- **9.** What are the effects of combined carbon and free carbon on the properties of cast iron?
- **10.** Write any three advantages and limitations of powder metallurgy.

 Instructions: (1) Answer any five questions.

- (2) Each question carries ten marks.
- (3) Answers should be comprehensive and the criterion for valuation is the content but not the length of the answer.
- **11.** Explain ultrasonic testing with a neat sketch.
- **12.** What are the factors promoting grain size? What is the effect of grain size on mechanical properties?
- **13.** (a) Describe L-D converter with a neat sketch.
 - (b) Compare L-D process with Bessemer process.
- **14.** Sketch the iron-carbon equilibrium diagram and define eutectoid, hypereutectoid, hypoeutectoid steels.
- **15.** (a) Explain the following:
 - (i) Full annealing
 - (ii) Tempering
 - (b) Distinguish between annealing and normalizing.
- 16. State the composition, properties and uses of the following:
 - (a) Muntz metal
 - (b) Gun metal
 - (c) Admiral brass
 - (d) Naval brass
- **17.** Explain the sequence of operations in producing a component in powder metallurgy.
- **18.** (a) Write short notes on the following:
 - (i) Brittleness
 - (ii) Impact strength
 - (b) Write down the composition, properties and uses of nickel alloys of the following:
 - (i) German silver
 - (ii) Hastelloy

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