15ME45A/15MEA405

Fourth Semester B.E. Degree Examination, Jan./Feb. 2023 **Metal Casting and Welding**

Time: 3 hrs.

Max. Marks: 80

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

Module-1

Define Manufacturing process. Explain steps involved in Sand Casting process. (08 Marks) 1

State the functions of a pattern. Explain different types of pattern allowances with sketch.

(08 Marks)

OR

What is a Core? Explain green sand moulding process with neat sketches. (08 Marks) 2

List different types of sand moulding processes. Explain squeeze moulding with a neat (08 Marks) sketch.

Module-2

Explain continuous casting process with a neat sketch. 3

(08 Marks)

Define centrifugal casting. Brief about working principle of true centrifugal casting with (08 Marks) sketch.

OR

Classify the melting Furnaces. Explain the working principle of resistance furnace with a 4 (08 Marks) neat sketch.

With a neat sketch, explain the working principle of Cupola furnace. b.

(08 Marks)

Module-3

Discuss the causes and remedies of various casting defects. 5 a.

(08 Marks)

List and explain solidification variables. b.

(08 Marks)

Brief about the sources of gases in liquid metals. Explain Flushing degasification method. 6 a.

(08 Marks)

Explain stir casting method with a neat sketch. b.

(08 Marks)

Module-4

Define welding. Explain MIG welding process. 7 a.

(08 Marks)

Give detailed classification of welding process, mention applications, advantages and b. (08 Marks) limitations of welding process.

With a neat sketch, explain the Thermit welding process mentioning its advantages, (08 Marks) disadvantages and applications.

Explain Electron Beam Welding [EBW] process. Mention its applications.

(08 Marks)

Module-5

Define HAZ. Explain formation of different zones during welding process. 9

(08 Marks)

List the welding defects. Discuss about their causes and remedies. b.

(08 Marks)

OR

Explain Gas Cutting (Oxy-acetylene cutting) process with a neat sketch. 10 a.

(06 Marks)

Differentiate between Brazing and Soldering. b.

(04 Marks)

Write a note on Non-destructive test conducted for the fabricated part.

(06 Marks)

Important Note: 1. On completing your answers, compulsorily draw diagonal cross lines on the remaining blank pages.

2. Any revealing of identification, appeal to evaluator and /or equations written eg, 42+8 = 50, will be treated as malpractice.