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B.Tech. MECHANICAL ENGINEERING (COMPUTER INTEGRATED MANUFACTURING)

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BME-004(S): CNC TECHNOLOGY AND PROGRAMMING

Note: Answer any five questions. All questions carry equal marks. Assume missing data, if any.

1. (a) How are the CNC machines different from other manufacturing machines? Explain briefly.

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(b) List out the advantages and applications of CNC machine tools in manufacturing industry.

- 2. (a) What are the different co-ordinate systems used in NC systems? Explain.
 - (b) Name the various drives used in CNC machine tools. Explain any one of them.

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3.	(a)	What are the design features of CNC machine tools? Differentiate between CNC and DNC control systems.	7
	(b)	Explain the data processing in a CNC machine tool in closed loop control.	7
4.	(a)	Explain the procedure used to specify the feed rate and spindle speed in case of CNC machining centres.	7
	(b)	What are the various controlled axes in milling and drilling machines? Explain briefly with the help of sketches.	7
5.	(a)	What is Flexible Manufacturing System (FMS)? Explain the need of FMS.	7
	(b)	What are the types of communication systems used with CNC machine tools? Give a brief description of each of them.	7
6. .	(a)	Explain the purpose of miscellaneous functions (M-codes) and (G-codes) in CNC programming with suitable examples.	7
	(b)	Explain the procedure used for guiding the Automated Guided Vehicle System (AGVS) along its path.	7
7.	(a)	Discuss about automated storage/retrieval system (AS/RS). State its application in the manufacturing industry.	7

(b) Write the part program for machining on CNC turning centre the component shown in the figure given below.

(All dimensions are in mm)

