

B.Tech. Civil (Construction Management)

Term-End Examination

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ET-204(A) : MATERIALS SCIENCE

Time : 3 hours

Maximum Marks : 70

Note : Answer any **seven** questions. Support your answers with neat sketches. Use of calculator is permitted.

1. (a) Can the same material exist in crystalline and amorphous form ? Give examples. Also define metals, ceramics and polymers. 5
- (b) Discuss the selection parameters for any building material. 5
2. (a) Explain the different types of bonding in solids. 5
- (b) (i) In ZrO_2 , what is the CN for zirconium and oxygen ? $2\frac{1}{2}$
- (ii) What are degenerate levels ? $2\frac{1}{2}$

3. (a) How do you determine the packing fraction for a BCC structure ? With a neat figure, show the direction in a cubic crystal. 5
- (b) Explain the principle of X-ray diffraction. 5
4. Explain
- (a) Iron-Carbon phase diagram 5
- (b) Micro structured evolution for simple systems 5
5. Define $10 \times 1 = 10$
- (i) Creep
- (ii) Creep rate
- (iii) Shear
- (iv) Ductile material
- (v) Elastic deformation
- (vi) Elasticity
- (vii) Slip
- (viii) Viscoelasticity
- (ix) Plastic deformation
- (x) Hooke's Law
6. (a) Explain super conductivity in metals and alloys. 5
- (b) A piece of copper 305 mm long is pulled in tension with a stress of 276 MPa. If the deformation is elastic, what will be the resultant elongation ?
- $E_{\text{copper}} = 11 \times 10^4 \text{ MPa.}$ 5

7. Discuss the following with suitable example : 5+5

- (a) Kinetic aspects of corrosion
- (b) Principle of electrochemical cell

8. Write short notes on any *two* of the following : $2 \times 5 = 10$

- (a) TTT diagram
 - (b) Burgers vector
 - (c) Point defects in crystals
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