

**DIPLOMA IN MECHANICAL ENGINEERING/
ADVANCED LEVEL COURSE IN MECHANICAL
ENGINEERING
(DMEVI/ACMEVI)**

Term-End Examination 01402

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BME-050 : ENGINEERING MATERIALS

Time : 2 hours

Maximum Marks : 70

*Note : Question No. 1 is compulsory. Attempt **any four** more questions out of the remaining questions numbered 2 to 6. Use of **scientific** calculator is permitted.*

1. Select the correct answer from the given alternative for each part given below : **14x1=14**

(a) The total deformation suffered by a specimen up to fracture divided by the original length multiplied by 100 is termed as _____ :

- (i) Tension
- (ii) Compression
- (iii) Proportional limit
- (iv) Percent elongation.

(b) The percent reduction in area of cross-section is also used as a measure of _____ .

- (i) Toughness
- (ii) Ductility
- (iii) Yield strength
- (iv) Elasticity.

(c) The _____ of a material is understood to be its ability to absorb energy during entire elastic and plastic deformation.

- (i) Toughness
- (ii) Ductility
- (iii) Brittleness
- (iv) Elasticity

(d) A _____ specimen fails in tension along the cross - section, normal to axis.

- (i) Steel
- (ii) Copper
- (iii) Cast iron
- (iv) Brass

(e) Strain hardening is a practical method of increasing _____ .

- (i) Elastic strength
- (ii) Modulus of resilience
- (iii) Modulus of toughness
- (iv) Tensile stress

- (f) The ability to undergo large plastic deformation under compression is called _____ .
- (i) Ductility (ii) Malleability
(iii) Resistivity (iv) Elasticity
- (g) The range of carbon percentage in High carbon steel is _____ .
- (i) 0.10 - 0.30 (ii) 0.30 - 0.60
(iii) 0.60 - 0.90 (iv) 0.90 - 1.40
- (h) The steel containing carbon percentage between 0.008 and 0.8% is called as _____ .
- (i) Eutectoid
(ii) Hypoeutectoid
(iii) Hypereutectoid
(iv) None of the above.
- (i) Cementite provides the strength while ferrite retains _____ of steel.
- (i) Ductility (ii) Malleability
(iii) Elasticity (iv) Resistivity
- (j) _____ are basically inorganic crystalline materials characterised by low ductility and high melting point.
- (i) Wood (ii) Plastic
(iii) Ceramic (iv) Steel

(k) The hard and wear - resistant material that is used to wear, grind, or cut away other material is known as _____.

- (i) Refractory (ii) Ceramic
- (iii) Cement (iv) Abrasive

(l) _____ is a substance capable of holding materials together.

- (i) Abrasive (ii) Adhesive
- (iii) Cement (iv) Plastic

(m) A good lubricating oil must have a low vapour pressure and _____ freezing point.

- (i) Low (ii) High
- (iii) Medium (iv) Very high

(n) Jominy test is conducted for measuring :

- (i) Conductivity
- (ii) Hardenability
- (iii) Viscosity
- (iv) None of the above

2. (a) What do you mean by ductility ? Give five examples.

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(b) What are the differences between a conventional universal testing machine and modern computer controlled testing machine ?

3. (a) Explain how Brinell hardness and Vickers hardness are similar. What is the difference between two methods ? **2x7=14**
- (b) Describe how one can find Larson - Miller parameter by performing creep rupture test.
4. (a) Distinguish between killed and semi - killed steels. **2x7=14**
- (b) Classify the steels according to the percentage of carbon content. Explain.
5. (a) What is plasticiser ? Give examples. Which property of polymer is improved by addition of plasticisers ? **2x7=14**
- (b) What is an adhesive ? Distinguish between structural and non-structural adhesives.
6. (a) Define the term lubricant and describe the functions of lubricants. **2x7=14**
- (b) Define the term coating. Explain the different purposes of coatings ?
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