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B.Tech Degree S3 (R, S) / S5 (PT) (R, S) Examination December 2023 (2019 Scheme

Course Code: MET205

Course Name: METALLURGY & MATERIAL SCIENCE

Max. Marks: 100 **Duration: 3 Hours** PART A Answer all questions. Each question carries 3 marks Marks 1 Compare the important aspects related to Miller indices for directions and (3)Miller indices for planes. 2 What are the lattice parameters that define a unit cell? List them. (3) 3 Explain the mechanism of dislocation generation by the Frank-Read source. (3) 4 Mention the effects of any three factors affecting diffusion in crystals. (3) 5 Draw a labelled schematic phase diagram of an isomorphous binary alloy (3)showing the liquidus and solidus lines and mark the single phase and two phase regions. 6 Name the three allotropic forms of pure iron with their crystal structures and (3) temperature stability ranges. 7 Distinguish between hot working and cold working. (3) 8 Give the composition and uses of bronze. (3) 9 Define fatigue and explain the characteristics of fatigue failure. (3) 10 What is superplasticity? What promotes superplasticity in certain alloys? (3)

PART B

Answer any one full question from each module. Each question carries 14 marks Module 1

- a) What is the significance of atomic packing factor? Obtain the APF of BCC (7) and FCC structures.
 - b) With the help of neat sketches explain two modes of plastic deformation in (7) metals and alloys.
- 12 a) An atom having FCC crystal structure has a density of 22.4 gm/cc and (7) atomic weight of 192.2 gm/mol. Calculate its atomic radius. Also find the lattice parameter.

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b) Explain the procedure for obtaining miller indices for any crystallographic (7) plane with a suitable example.

Module 2

- 13 a) Give the comparison between an edge dislocation and a screw dislocation (8) with neat sketch.
 - b) With the help of neat sketch explain the mechanism of vacancy diffusion and (6) interstitial diffusion.

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- 14 a) Explain with appropriate sketches zero dimensional defects in crystals. (7)
 - b) Describe the working of SEM with a neat sketch.

Module 3

- 15 a) Draw the labelled iron-iron carbide phase diagram showing all phase (10) boundaries and invariant reactions. Write the reactions at the invariant points and mention the phases present.
 - b) What is the purpose of normalizing heat treatment? What are the stages (4) involved in the process?
- 16 a) With the help of a neat diagram, explain the development of an isothermal (7) transformation diagram for eutectoid steel. Comment on its significance.
 - b) How does surface hardening differ from hardening? Explain how surface (7) hardening is attained by carburizing and flame hardening.

Module 4

| 17 a) | Describe about grey cast iron and nodular cast iron. | (4) |
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- b) Name any five alloying elements used in steels and explain their effects. (10)
- 18 a) Give an account of composition and uses of any two aluminium alloys. (6)
 - b) Compare solid solution hardening with age hardening. (8)

Module 5

- 19 a) Draw a typical creep curve and explain the various stages involved in creep. (7)
 - b) What are composites? Give the classification and applications of composites. (7)
- 20 a) With the help of neat sketches, explain the various stages of ductile fracture. (7)
 - b) Define ceramics? Enumerate the types of ceramics? Mention any two (7) advantages of ceramics.