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## MECHANICAL ENGINEERING

### Objective Practice Sets

## Production and Maintenance Engineering

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# Metal Casting

## MCQ and NAT Questions

- Q.1** Pattern for very large casting would require a tremendous amount of timber for full pattern. In such case which one of the following pattern can be used?
- Sweep pattern
  - Skeleton pattern
  - Segmental pattern
  - Shell pattern
- Q.2** In solidification of metal during casting, compensation for solid contraction is
- Provided by the oversize pattern
  - Achieved by properly placed riser
  - Obtained by promoting direction solidification
  - Made by providing chills
- Q.3** The allowances which are provided for by making a pattern slightly smaller than actual size is known as
- Shrinkage allowance
  - Draft allowance
  - Camber allowance
  - Rapping allowance
- Q.4** Which of the following material will require the largest size of riser for the same size of casting?
- aluminium
  - cast iron
  - steel
  - copper
- Q.5** Which one of the following is not a sand conditioning advantage?
- Binder is uniformly distributed around the sand grains
  - Properly controlled moisture content
  - decrease flowability of sand
  - foreign particles are separated and removed
- Q.6** Which one of the following is not an advantage of green sand mould?
- Good dimensional accuracy across the parting line

- Less danger of hot tearing
- Erosion does not occur in large casting
- least expensive method of producing castings

- Q.7** Heated metal pattern in shell moulding is made of
- Aluminium
  - Medium carbon steel
  - Grey cast Iron
  - Bronze
- Q.8** Hot box moulding process is used to produce
- small casting in large quantities
  - small casting in small quantities
  - large casting in small quantities
  - large casting in large quantities
- Q.9** Which of the following are the requirements of an ideal gating system?
- The molten metal should enter the mould cavity with as high a velocity as possible.
  - It should facilitate complete filling of the mould cavity.
  - It should be able to prevent the absorption of air or gases from the surroundings on the molten metal while flowing through it.
- Select the correct answer using the codes given below:
- |                |             |
|----------------|-------------|
| (a) 1, 2 and 3 | (b) 1 and 2 |
| (c) 2 and 3    | (d) 1 and 3 |
- Q.10** A pattern material should be
- Less in weight
  - Dimensionally stable
  - Strong, hard & durable
  - Repairable
- Which of the above properties are correct for a pattern material?
- |                |                   |
|----------------|-------------------|
| (a) 1, 2 and 4 | (b) 2, 3 and 4    |
| (c) 1, 3 and 4 | (d) 1, 2, 3 and 4 |
- Q.11** Consider the following advantage of dry sand mould over green sand moulds

Which of the following is(are) correct?

- (a) The value of shape factor is 2.4.
- (b) The volume of the riser is  $781.25 \text{ cm}^3$ .
- (c) Height of the riser is 10 cm.
- (d) Diameter of the riser is 10 cm.

**Q.70** In a gating design, gating ratio is  $3 : 2 : 1$ . It is used for producing a casting of mass 10 kg. Density of material is  $2700 \text{ kg/m}^3$ . Filling time required is 9 second. Height of the liquid metal above the gate is 150 mm, coefficient of discharge is 0.97.

Which of the following is(are) correct?

- (a) Choke area for the given casting is  $2.47 \text{ cm}^2$ .
- (b) Diameter of sprue is 2.51 cm.
- (c) Diameter of runner is 3.07 cm.
- (d) Given gating system is pressurized gating system.

**Q.71** Which of the following statements is(are) correct about un-pressurized gating system?

- (a) There is no problem of turbulence and splashing.
- (b) It is preferred for the casting of ferrous materials.
- (c) There is no possibility of air aspiration.
- (d) Casting yield is less.

**Q.72** Which of the following statements is(are) correct for shrinkage allowance?

- (a) Liquid and solidification shrinkages are compensated by providing riser.

- (b) Liquid and solidification shrinkage are given as % of shrinkage volume of the material.
- (c) Solid shrinkage is provided on pattern.
- (d) Solid shrinkage is expressed in terms of linear dimension.

**Q.73** A slab casting of dimensions  $40 \times 20 \times 10 \text{ cm}^3$  has to be produced by using a cylindrical side riser with ( $h = d$ ) using modulus method.

Which of the following is(are) correct?

- (a) The modulus of casting is 2.857.
- (b) The modulus of riser is 3.43.
- (c) Height of the cylindrical side riser is 20.6 cm.
- (d) Volume of the cylindrical side riser is  $3418 \text{ cm}^3$ .

**Q.74** Which of the following statements is(are) correct?

- (a) True centrifugal casting is used for producing hollow cylindrical objects without using the core in mass production.
- (b) Semi centrifugal casting can be used for the production of pulleys, wheels and spoked wheels.
- (c) Cold chamber die casting is used for producing complex shape of the objects which are made up of Al, Cu and Brass.
- (d) Hot chamber die casting is used for producing complex shape of the objects which are made up of lead, tin and zinc.

**Answers****Metal Casting**

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|---------------|------------|------------------|---------------|------------------|-------------|---------------|
| 1. (b)        | 2. (a)     | 3. (d)           | 4. (a)        | 5. (c)           | 6. (c)      | 7. (c)        |
| 8. (a)        | 9. (c)     | 10. (d)          | 11. (a)       | 12. (c)          | 13. (b)     | 14. (c)       |
| 15. (a)       | 16. (a)    | 17. (b)          | 18. (d)       | 19. (a)          | 20. (a)     | 21. (d)       |
| 22. (a)       | 23. (c)    | 24. (b)          | 25. (a)       | 26. (a)          | 27. (d)     | 28. (a)       |
| 29. (b)       | 30. (d)    | 31. (b)          | 32. (b)       | 33. (b)          | 34. (a)     | 35. (c)       |
| 36. (b)       | 37. (d)    | 38. (d)          | 39. (d)       | 40. (b)          | 41. (d)     | 42. (b)       |
| 43. (a)       | 44. (b)    | 45. (d)          | 46. (c)       | 47. (b)          | 48. (c)     | 49. (a)       |
| 50. (c)       | 51. (c)    | 52. (b)          | 53. (b)       | 54. (d)          | 55. (a)     | 56. (a)       |
| 57. (a)       | 58. (a)    | 59. (80.21)      | 60. (66.81)   | 61. (5.05)       | 62. (203.8) | 63. (33.85)   |
| 64. (144.952) |            | 65. (112.5)      | 66. (96.415)  | 67. (18)         | 68. (8.18)  | 69. (b, c, d) |
| 70. (a, d)    | 71. (a, d) | 72. (a, b, c, d) | 73. (a, b, c) | 74. (a, b, c, d) |             |               |