

**B.TECH. DEGREE EXAMINATION, MAY 2014****Fourth Semester**

Branch : Automobile Engineering/Mechanical Engineering

AU 010 404/ME 010 404—MANUFACTURING PROCESS (AU, ME)

(New Scheme—2010 Admission onwards)

[Regular/Improvement/Supplementary]

Time : Three Hours

Maximum : 100 Marks

**Part A**

*Answer all questions.  
Each question carries 3 marks.*

1. What are the main considerations for a good design of a casting ?
2. How does penetration vary for DCSP and DCRP welding ?
3. What is the role of lubrication during rolling ?
4. Why a forging is considered stronger than casting ?
5. What are the different types of dies used in press work ?



(5 × 3 = 15 marks)

**Part B**

*Answer all questions.  
Each question carries 5 marks.*

6. What are shell molds ? Give their applications.
7. What is a welding position ? Discuss various welding positions with the help of neat sketches.
8. What is thread rolling ? How is it done ?
9. Explain different types of forging defects.
10. What is sheet metal spinning ? How is it done ?

(5 × 5 = 25 marks)

**Part C**

*Answer all questions.  
Each question carries 12 marks.*

11. What is centrifugal casting ? What are its specific applications? Mention the important characteristics of the process.

*Or*

12. What are the different types of gates ? Discuss them with sketches. Also point out their merits and demerits.

**Turn over**

13. Compare MIG and TIG welding in respect of their principle of working and field of application.

*Or*

14. Explain with neat sketches plasma arc welding. Give their industrial applications.

15. Name different types of rolling mills. Explain tandem rolling and planetary rolling.

*Or*

16. What are the main features of cold working ? Explain with neat sketches cold drawing of tubes and wires.

17. Explain with neat open die forging. Discuss the advantages and limitations.

*Or*

18. What is an isothermal forging ? Explain features of an impression die and closed die forging processes.

19. Explain the theory of shearing of metal. Discuss various types of shearing operations.

*Or*

20. What are the classifications of dies ? Explain operation of the compound dies and progressive dies.

(5 × 12 = 60 marks)

