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Level 1/2 Cambridge National in Engineering Manufacture

R109/01 Engineering materials, processes and production

Time allowed: 1 hour
plus your additional time allowance

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INSTRUCTIONS

Use black ink. You can use an HB pencil, but only for graphs and diagrams.

Write your answer to each question in the space provided. You can use extra paper if you need to, but you must clearly show your candidate number, the centre number and the question numbers.

Answer ALL the questions.

INFORMATION

The total mark for this paper is 60.

The marks for each question are shown in brackets [ ].

Quality of written communication will be assessed in questions marked with an asterisk (*).

ADVICE

Read each question carefully before you start your answer.

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Answer ALL the questions.

1 (a) Fig. 1 shows a lead fishing weight.

FIG. 1

(i) Give TWO reasons why lead is suitable for the fishing weight.

1 _____

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2 _____

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[2]

(ii) Give ONE reason why lead weights are banned in some areas and alternative materials have to be used.

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_____ [1]

(b) Fig. 2 shows a boat propeller.

FIG. 2

(i) Circle the material commonly used to make a boat propeller. [1]

bronze
mild steel
glass reinforced plastic (GRP)
epoxy resin

(ii) Circle the term from the list below which describes the type of material used in the casting process used to manufacture the boat propeller. [1]

ferrous metal
alloy
ceramic
composite

(iii) Give TWO reasons why the material is suitable for the propeller.

1 _____

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2 _____

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[2]

(c) Fig. 3 shows a toy tipper truck.

FIG. 3

(i) Circle the material commonly used to make the body of the toy tipper truck. [1]

zinc
Acrylonitrile-Butadiene-Styrene (ABS)
iron
polyester resin

(ii) **Give TWO reasons why the material chosen is suitable for the body of the toy tipper truck.**

1 _____

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2 _____

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[2]

2 A list of engineering materials is given below.

polyester resin
copper
concrete
glass
nylon
stainless steel
polyvinyl chloride (PVC)

(a) Select a suitable material from the list to complete the following statements. [5]

(i) _____
is a non-ferrous metal.

(ii) _____
is a ferrous metal.

(iii) _____
is a ceramic.

(iv) _____
is a thermosetting plastic.

(v) _____
is a thermoplastic.

(b) (i) Explain what is meant by the term 'composite material'.

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_____ [2]

(ii) Name ONE composite material and state ONE use for the material.

Composite material _____

Use _____

_____

[2]

(iii) Give ONE property of the material that makes it suitable for the use identified in 2(b)(ii).

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_____ [1]

3 **Material removal, joining and surface treatment are all engineering processes.**

(a) **Name TWO hand methods used for material removal.**

1 _____

2 _____

[2]

(b) **Name TWO CNC processes that could be used for material removal.**

1 _____

2 _____

[2]

(c) **Name TWO processes used when joining metals.**

1 _____

2 _____

[2]

(d) A piece of mild steel plate 100 mm × 25 mm × 3 mm is to be surface treated by plastic coating. Describe how this would be carried out.

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_____ [3]

(e) Name ONE surface treatment, other than plastic coating, that could be applied to mild steel.

_____ [1]

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4 Fig. 4 opposite shows a vacuum forming machine.

(a) Select the parts from the list below that have been labelled in Fig. 4.

vacuum pressure gauge
clamping frame
mould shelf
heater
vacuum pump switch
shelf lever
toggle clamp
sliding bars

A _____

B _____

C _____

D _____

E _____

[5]

FIG. 4

(b) The table below shows the stages involved in vacuum forming a shape.

Stage	Process
F	Place the mould in the vacuum former.
G	Raise the shelf and switch on the vacuum pump.
H	Heat the plastic sheet until it is flexible.
I	Lower the shelf supporting the mould.
J	Clamp a sheet of plastic into position.
K	Leave the plastic sheet to cool and then remove from the vacuum former.

Put the stages in the correct order. Two have been completed for you. [3]

F					K

(c) State TWO processes, other than vacuum forming, of moulding plastic sheet.

1 _____

2 _____

[2]

5 (a) Explain, giving an example, what is meant by the term ‘manually controlled production’.

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_____ [2]

(b) Fig. 5 shows a wrench that has been produced using an additive manufacturing process.

FIG. 5

(i) Name ONE appropriate additive manufacturing process to make the wrench shown in Fig. 5.

_____ [1]

(ii) Explain how the process named in 5(b)(i) would be used to produce the wrench.

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_____ [3]

(c) **Describe the advantages of using CNC machines rather than manual production.**

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_____ **[4]**

6 (a) **Using an example, describe the reasons for developing new and emerging engineering materials.**

Example _____

Reasons _____

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[4]

(b)* Discuss the advantages and disadvantages to a manufacturer of introducing modern technology. [6]

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