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BE SEM-III Examination May 2012

Subject code: 131904

Subject Name: Material Science & Metallurgy

Date: 15/05/2012

Time: 02.30 pm – 05.00 pm

Total Marks: 70

Instructions:

1. Attempt all questions.
2. Make suitable assumptions wherever necessary.
3. Figures to the right indicate full marks.

- Q.1**
- (a) What is Gibb's phase rule? Explain its importance. **5**
 - (b) Draw microstructure of (i) 04 % carbon steel and (ii) eutectoid steel at room temperature. **5**
 - (c) Draw iron – iron carbide equilibrium diagram with all necessary details. Briefly explain cooling of 1.2 % carbon steel from liquid state to room temperature. **4**

- Q.2**
- (a) Discuss the advantages, disadvantages and limitations of powder metallurgy. **07**
 - (b) Describe with neat sketch how would you carry out a Jominy harden ability test on a steel sample. **07**

OR

- (b) i. Briefly explain why ferritic and austenitic stainless steels are not heat treatable. **07**
 - ii Distinguish between hardness and harden ability
- Q.3**
- (a) Draw TTT diagram for eutectoid steel. Explain it briefly by considering few cooling rates. **5**
 - (b) Differentiate between austempering and martempering. **5**
 - (c) Case carburizing heat treatment is not generally carried out for medium carbon steels. Why? **4**

OR

- Q.3**
- (a) Explain allotropic transformation of iron. **5**
 - (b) What is solid solution? Discuss in brief types of solid solution with neat sketch. **5**
 - (c) What are the factors affecting hardnability? **4**

- Q.4** (a) What is cooling curve? How does the time temperature cooling curve of an alloy of eutectic composition different from that of a pure metal? **5**
- (b) Explain with neat sketches the arrangement of atoms in B.C.C, F.C.C. and H.C.P. lattice. Define unit cell. Show that a F.C.C. structure is always more close packed than B.C.C. structure. **5**
- (c) Explain use of Galvanic series **4**

OR

- Q.4** (a) Explain with neat sketches steps involved in preparing specimen for microscopic examination. **5**
- (b) Enlist methods of manufacturing metal powder. Discuss any one in detail. **5**
- (c) Explain modified aluminum silicon alloys. **4**

- Q.5** (a) How will you classify brasses based on the composition of zinc Explain the properties & application of the main type of brasses. **5**
- (b) Explain Cathodic protection against corrosion. **5**
- (c) Enlist properties of a good bearing material. **4**

OR

- Q.5** (a) Enlist different method of metal coating for corrosion prevention. Discuss any one in detail. **5**
- (b) Classify types of cast iron. Discuss any on. Draw its microstructure also. **5**
- (c) Explain flame-hardening process in brief **4**
