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B.E. / B.TECH. DEGREE EXAMINATIONS, MAY 2024

Fourth Semester

ME 18402 – MACHINE TOOLS AND MACHINING PROCESSES*(Mechanical Engineering)***(Regulation 2018/2018A)****TIME: 3 HOURS****MAX. MARKS: 100**

COURSE OUTCOMES	STATEMENT	RBT LEVEL
CO 1	To acquire knowledge about the theory of metal cutting, mechanism of chip formation and the cutting parameters that influence the machining processes.	3
CO 2	Understand the types of machine tools, their specifications and operations performed.	3
CO 3	To choose a particular type of machine tool depending upon the surface being generated.	3
CO 4	To teach the students about the different gear generation methods.	3
CO 5	Get introduced to the non-traditional machining processes.	3

PART- A (10 x 2 = 20 Marks)

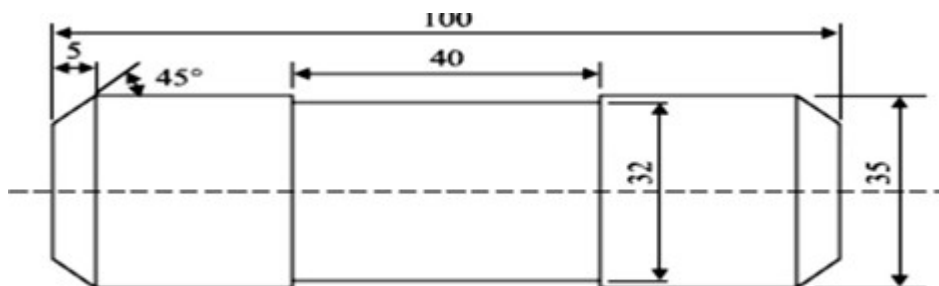
(Answer all Questions)

		CO	RBT LEVEL
1.	What are the objectives and functions of cutting fluids?	1	3
2.	State any two differences between orthogonal and oblique cutting.	1	3
3.	Explain the following parts of the lathe. (a) Lathe bed (b) Carriage	2	3
4.	What are the advantages of automatic lathes?	2	3
5.	What are the differences between drilling and reaming?	3	2
6.	What is the difference between up-milling and down-milling?	3	2
7.	What is the need of truing and dressing operations in a grinding wheel?	4	3
8.	State any four advantages of Automation.	4	3

9. What is the need for unconventional machining processes? 5 2
10. What are the different dielectric media used in the EDM process? 5 2

PART- B (5 x 14 = 70 Marks)

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| 11. (a) (i) List the various parts of the Single point tool and its nomenclature, with a neat sketch. | (7) | 1 | 3 |
| (ii) Write a short note on the chip formation process in machining. | (7) | 1 | 3 |
| (OR) | | | |
| (b) Tool life tests in turning yield the following data:(1) $V = 110\text{m/min}$, $T = 118\text{ min}$;(2) $V = 78\text{ m/min}$, $T = 26\text{ min}$. (a) Determine the n and C values in the Taylor tool life equation. Based on the equation, compute (b) the tool life for a speed of 95 m/min and (c) the speed corresponding to a life of 18 min . | (14) | 1 | 3 |
| 12. (a) (i) Explain the major parts in Lathe machine with a Neat Sketches. | (10) | 2 | 3 |
| (ii) State the difference between the Capstan and Turret Lathe. | (4) | 2 | 3 |
| (OR) | | | |
| (b) A mild steel bar 100 mm long and 38 mm in diameter is turned to 35 mm dia. And was again turned to a diameter of 32 mm over a length of 40 mm as shown in the Fig. The bar was machined at both the ends to give a chamfer of $45^\circ \times 5\text{ mm}$ after facing. Calculate the machining time. Assume cutting speed of 60 m/min and feed 0.4 mm/rev . The depth of cut is not to exceed 3 mm in any operation. | (14) | 2 | 3 |



13. (a) (i) Explain the various operations that can be performed in a milling (7) 3 4

machine with neat sketches.

(ii) Explain the quick return mechanism in shaper with neat sketches. **(7) 3 4**

(OR)

(b) Explain the working principle of gear hobbing operation with a neat diagram. **(14) 3 4**

14. (a) (i) Describe gear cutting by forming and shaping. **(7) 4 3**

(ii) Give the specification of the Grinding wheel. **(7) 4 3**

(OR)

(b) Explain the CNC Machine, its Construction details and Special features with a neat diagram. **(14) 4 3**

15. (a) Compare and contrast the various unconventional machining process based on the type of energy employed, material removal rate, transfer media, and economical aspects. **(14) 5 3**

(OR)

(b) Draw the schematic layout of AJM and explain its operating characteristics. **(14) 5 3**
What are methods adopted to have effective control over the mass flow rate of the abrasive?

PART- C (1 x 10 = 10 Marks)

(Q.No.16 is compulsory)

		Marks	CO	RBT LEVEL
16.	Jewellery applications require the grinding of diamonds into desired shapes. How is this done, since diamond is the hardest material known?	(10)	4	4
