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**M.Tech.(PE) (Sem.-1)**

# METAL CASTING

**Subject Code : PE-501**

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**Date of Examination : 14-01-23**

**Time : 3 Hrs.**

**Max. Marks : 100**

**INSTRUCTION TO CANDIDATES :**

1. Attempt any FIVE questions out of EIGHT questions.
2. Each question carries TWENTY marks.
3. Draw Neat and Clear Sketch wherever needed.

1.
  - a) Distinguish between characteristics of natural and synthetic sand.
  - b) Describe the bonding mechanism of silica-water-clay systems.
2.
  - a) Explain the significance of critical radius of nucleus.
  - b) Differentiate between homogenous nucleation and heterogeneous nucleation. Why homogenous nucleation is more difficult than heterogeneous nucleation?
3.
  - a) Explain the significance of mould constant in metal casting.
  - b) What is fluidity of metal? Explain various factors that affect fluidity.
4.
  - a) Discuss the procedural steps in designing a risering system.
  - b) Describe the various types of chills used in casting.
5.
  - a) Explain the hot and cold die casting process for the casting of copper and its alloys.
  - b) Explain the working principle, applications and limitations of vacuum moulding process.
6.
  - a) Explain the casing process of brass ingot with simple sketch..
  - b) What are the precautions to be taken for producing defect free castings of non - ferrous alloys?

7. a) Explain the term '*Constitutional Super Cooling*'. How it affects the solidification of metal?

b) What do you mean by '*Sintering Adhesion*' ? Explain.

8. **Write short notes on the following :**

a) Investment moulding

b) Swelling of clays

c) Effect of appendages on risering

d) Core Sands.

**NOTE : Disclosure of Identity by writing Mobile No. or Making of passing request on any page of Answer Sheet will lead to UMC against the Student.**