

B. Tech Mechanical Engineering (Semester 4th)
MATERIALS ENGINEERING
Subject Code: BMECS1-401
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Time: 03 Hours **Maximum Marks: 60**

Instruction for candidates:

1. Section A is compulsory. It consists of 10 parts of two marks each.
2. Section B consist of 5 questions of 5 marks each. The student has to attempt any 4 questions out of it.
3. Section C consist of 3 questions of 10 marks each. The student has to attempt any 2 questions.

Section – A **(2 marks each)**

Q1. Attempt the following:

- a. Define Fick's first law of diffusion.
- b. What do you mean by critical cooling rate?
- c. What is incubation period?
- d. Enlist various defects which occurs due to heat treatment processes.
- e. Define the term polymorphism and allotropy.
- f. What is the effect of carbon on steel?
- g. Enlist two applications of transmission electron microscopy.
- h. What is lever rule in phase diagram?
- i. Draw the packing pattern of HCP.
- j. Differentiate steady state and non-steady state diffusion.

Section – B **(5 marks each)**

- Q2. Discuss nitriding as a method of surface-hardening of steel and compare it with induction hardening.
- Q3. Explain the theories of plastic deformation.
- Q4. Discuss the effect of various alloying elements on properties of steel.
- Q5. Calculate atomic packing fraction for FCC unit cell.
- Q6. Explain the construction and working of scanning electron microscopy.

Section – C **(10 marks each)**

- Q7. Draw and explain Iron-carbon (Fe-C) equilibrium diagram. Also highlight various reactions along with various phases.
- Q8. Write a note on the properties and applications of followings
 - a) Piezoelectric materials
 - b) Nanomaterials
- Q9. Discuss different types of imperfections in solids with the help of suitable diagrams