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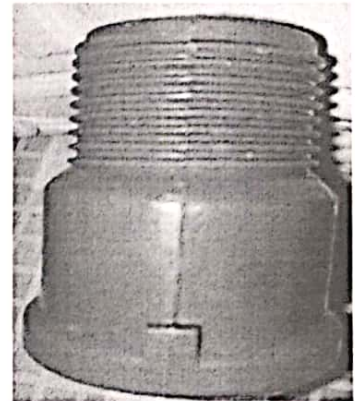
COURSE: MEE 301 – Manufacturing Technology (3 Units)

CLASS: 300 Level Mechanical Engineering

TIME ALLOWED: 3 Hours

INSTRUCTIONS: Answer **QUESTION 1** and any other four questions

Date: March, 2021



Picture 1: Water Pipe Bushing Produced out of Nylon Plastic Materials

QUESTION 1

- List out five major fabrication methods that can be used for production of the product in *Picture 1* above. **(5 Marks)**
- Briefly explain three (3) of the fabrication methods you mentioned above. **(5 Marks)**
- List out five (5) basic manufacturing process requirements for the product in *Picture 1* above. **(5 Marks)**
- In a tabular form, differentiate the works of a fabricator from that of a manufacturing Engineer in the production of the product in *Picture 1* above. **(5 Marks)**

Question 2

- Define the term Manufacturing Technology. **(1 Mark)**
- As a Mechanical Engineer-in-training, give six (6) major reasons why the study of Manufacturing Technology is important to your career. **(3 Marks)**
- Define Fabrication Method. **(1 Mark)**
- What do you understand by 'Direct or Forward Hot Extrusion' in simple terms? **(5 Marks)**

Question 3

- As an Engineer in forging industry, identify five (5) common forging defects to avoid. **(5 Marks)**
- List out five (5) non-manufacturing processes common to an engineering industry. **(3 Marks)**
- Define Manufacturing Process using forging as a point of reference. **(2 Marks)**

Question 4

- As a consultant Engineer, what will you recommend as five (5) essential industrial safety rules for an upcoming manufacturing industry? **(5 Marks)**

- b. In a tabular form, list out five (5) differences between ferrous metal Extrusion and Forging (5 Marks)

Question 5

- a. List out four basic requirements of manufacturing process you know. (2 Marks)
b. Briefly classify extrusion processes into three (3). (3 Marks)
c. Define Extrusion as a fabrication method. (1 Mark)
d. List out four (4) Extrusion equipment. (4 Marks)

Question 6

Copy and complete the table below:

SN	PROCESS	EQUIPMENT	SPECIAL TOOLING (Function)
1	Forging		Die (squeeze work to shape)
2	Extrusion		Extrusion die (reduce cross-section)
3	Casting	Foundry Equipment	
4	Molding	Molding machine	Mold (cavity for hot polymer)
5	Rolling	Rolling mill	Roll (reduce work thickness)
6	Stamping		Die (shearing, forming sheet metal)
7	Machining		Cutting tool (material removal) Fixture (hold work-piece) Jig (hold part and guide tool)
8	Grinding	Grinding machine	
9	Welding	Welding machine	

(10 Marks)

Question 7

- a. List out four extrusion products of note. (2 Marks)
b. Itemize three (3) defects that are common in extrusion. (3 Marks)
c. As a Manufacturing Engineer, briefly explain the extrusion defects you itemized above. (5 Marks)