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# PRESIDENCY UNIVERSITY

BENGALURU

## Mid - Term Examinations – October 2025

Date: 08-10-2025

Time: 02.00pm to 03.30pm

School: SOE	Program: B.Tech	
Course Code : MEC2020	Course Name: Material Science and Metallurgy	
Semester: III	Max Marks: 50	Weightage: 25%

CO - Levels	C01	C02	C03	C04	C05	C06
Marks	14	19	17	-	-	-

### Instructions:

- (i) Read all questions carefully and answer accordingly.
- (ii) Do not write anything on the question paper other than roll number.

### Part A

Answer ALL the Questions. Each question carries 2marks.

5Q x2M=10M

1	Differentiate between lattice and motif.	2 Marks	L2	C01
2	What is interstitial defect?	2 Marks	L1	C01
3	Define solubility limit	2 Marks	L1	C02
4	List the types of phase diagram	2 Marks	L1	C02
5	What is austenite?	2 Marks	L2	C03

## Part B

### Answer the Questions.

Total Marks 40 M

6.	a.	Describe the FCC crystal structure with schematic sketches.	5 Marks	L2	C01
	b.	Explain the covalent bond and list its properties	5 Marks	L2	C01
Or					
7.	a.	Calculate the atomic packing factor of face centered cubic (FCC) crystal structure	5 Marks	L2	C01
	b.	Explain the Fick's first law of diffusion with equations.	5 Marks	L2	C01

8.	a.	Explain the various information drawn from phase diagram with an example	7.5 Marks	L3	C02
	b.	Describe binary isomorphous phase diagram with neat sketches and examples	7.5 Marks	L2	C02
Or					
9.	a.	Describe binary eutectic phase diagram with neat sketches and examples	7.5 Marks	L2	C02
	b.	Describe the allotropic transformation in Iron (Fe) with a neat diagram.	7.5 Marks	L2	C02

10.	a.	Illustrate the microstructure development for a hypoeutectoid steel on cooling with neat sketches.	7.5 Marks	L3	C03
	b.	Illustrate the microstructure development for a hypereutectoid steel on cooling with neat sketches.	7.5 Marks	L3	C03
Or					
11.	a.	Describe the pearlite and cementite phases with neat diagrams.	7.5 Marks	L2	C03
	b.	Explain the eutectoid point in iron-iron carbide phase diagram and its associated microstructure on cooling	7.5 Marks	L2	C03