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**VI SEMESTER B.TECH. (MECHANICAL/IP ENGINEERING)**  
**END SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS, APRIL/MAY 2019**

**SUBJECT: HEAT TREATMENT OF METALS AND ALLOYS [MME 4006]**

**REVISED CREDIT SYSTEM**  
**(03/05/2018)**

Time: 3 Hours

MAX. MARKS: 50

**Instructions to Candidates:**

- ❖ Answer **all** questions.
- ❖ Missing data may be suitably assumed.

- 1A.** Draw the neat labelled iron carbide equilibrium diagram and show all invariant reactions. **(3)**
- 1B.** Calculate the relative amount of austenite and ledeburite in a cast iron containing 3 % carbon. **(3)**
- 1C.** With neat sketches explain the kinetics of formation of austenite. Write the conclusions for the effect of temperature on the time required for start and completion of pearlite to austenite. **(4)**
- 2A.** What are the characteristics of Bainitic transformation? **(4)**
- 2B.** Why air cooling not necessary be the normalizing treatment? **(2)**
- 2C.** With neat sketches write a short note on controlled rolling and hot cold working. **(4)**
- 3A.** Explain gas carburizing process with an example of chemical reaction. **(3)**
- 3B.** Explain solubility requirements for Precipitation hardening with a neat figure. **(3)**
- 3C.** With neat sketches explain any four post carburizing treatments and their influence on the case and core of a carburized steel. **(4)**
- 4A.** Write a short note on dual phase steel and Hadfield steel. **(4)**

- 4B.** Explain with a neat sketch, the heat treatment cycle for high speed steel. **(3)**
- 4C.** Differentiate white cast iron and gray cast iron. (minimum six points) **(3)**
- 5A.** With neat sketch, explain the process of malleableization of white cast iron. **(4)**
- 5B.** Write a short note on the following heat treatment defects, their causes and remedies. **(4)**  
i. Warping ii. Soft spots iii. Burning iv. Black fracture.
- 5C.** Write a short note on allotropic behavior of iron. **(2)**

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