

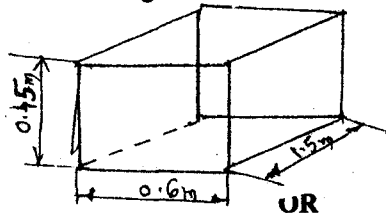
**B. Tech Degree VIII Semester Examination, April 2007**

**ME 801 PRODUCTION TECHNOLOGY**  
(2002 admissions onwards)

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks : 100

- I. (a) Explain any three methods of obtaining different speeds of machine tool spindle. (12)  
 (b) Discuss control systems in machine tools. (8)
- OR**
- II. A 4 speed (1 x 4) gear box is required to be designed with speed ranging from 45rpm with  $\phi=1.25$ . Determine the number of teeth of gears. (20)
- III. (a) With a neat sketch, explain the process of Laser Beam Machining. (10)  
 (b) Describe the principle of Abrasive Jet Machining. (10)
- OR**
- IV. (a) Explain with neat sketches, electro chemical machining. Also mention the advantages and disadvantages of the process. (12)  
 (b) Explain the concept of plasma arc machining. (8)
- V. (a) What is Powder metallurgy? Explain any four methods of manufacturing metal powders. (12)  
 (b) List out and explain secondary operations in powder metallurgy. (8)
- OR**
- VI. (a) What is sintering? Why maintenance of sintering temperature at a particular value is important in sintering process? (8)  
 (b) Explain the process of hot pressing. Mention its advantages and limitations. (12)
- VII. (a) Write short notes on the following:  
 (i) Relief valves (ii) Safety valves  
 (iii) Hydraulic fluids used in machine tool drive. (12)  
 (b) With sketches, explain the function of pressure reducing valve in hydraulic circuits. (8)
- OR**
- VIII. (a) With sketches, briefly describe open and closed circuit used in hydraulic drives. (10)  
 (b) Comment on hydraulic stepless drives. (10)
- IX. A rectangular container open on one side of size 0.6 x 0.45 x 1.5m height is to be made from plates of 5mm thickness. Take density of plate materials as 8gm/c.c and joints are to be welded. Estimate the cost of container from the following data.
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| Cost of plate            | = | Rs.6.00 per Kg.     |      |
| Labour cost              | = | 10% material cost   |      |
| Sheet metal scrap        | = | 5% of material      |      |
| Cost of welding material | = | Rs.5/metre of weld. | (20) |



**OR**

- X. Calculate the gross weight of the mild steel bolt (square head as shown in the figure), if it is produced in a lot of 5000. If the steel weighs 7.9g/cm<sup>3</sup> and method used is upsetting. Also calculate the length of the bar required. (20)

