

GUJARAT TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY**BE - SEMESTER-VI (NEW) - EXAMINATION – SUMMER 2016****Subject Code:2162103****Date:06/05/2016****Subject Name: Powder Metallurgy****Time: 10:30 AM to 01:00 PM****Total Marks: 70****Instructions:**

1. Attempt all questions.
2. Make suitable assumptions wherever necessary.
3. Figures to the right indicate full marks.

Q.1 (a) Write the advantages, limitations and applications of Powder Metallurgy. **07**

(b) Define sintering. Describe various stages of sintering. **07**

Q.2 (a) Explain atomization method for powder production. **07**

(b) Differentiate in apparent density and tap density of powders. **07**

OR

(b) Explain effect of particle size, shape and size distribution on the properties of P/M Products. **07**

Q.3 (a) Describe mechanical alloying method of powder production. **07**

(b) Explain carbonyl process for production of powders. Mention factors affecting process. **07**

OR

Q.3 (a) Write a note on density distribution in green compacts. **07**

(b) With the help of suitable examples explain the function of different sintering atmospheres. **07**

Q.4 (a) Describe the hot isostatic pressing method for powder compaction. **07**

(b) Describe types of compaction presses and role of lubricants in the die compaction of powders. **07**

OR

Q.4 (a) Explain the die compaction process. Enlist the factors to be considered for die design. **07**

(b) Discuss various steps of powder rolling. **07**

Q.5 (a) Discuss about common defects in Powder metallurgy processed materials. Explain how they can minimize by Friction stir processing. **07**

(b) Explain production method of metallic filters. Give their applications. **07**

OR

Q.5 (a) What are the anti-friction materials / parts? Explain different steps of their production. Write their applications. **07**

(b) Explain the mechanism of liquid-phase sintering. Give advantages of this process. **07**
