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Paper 33 (Resistant Materials), maximum raw mark 50

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Section A

- 1 Air seasoning: more evenly dried out, less risk of defects. [1]
Kiln seasoning: quicker, can be controlled. [1]
- 2 Blockboard. Plywood. [2]
- 3 Completed drawing showing: blade attached to stock. (1)
Positioned across grain. (1) [2]
- 4 (a) Plastics suitable: hardwearing and durable, colourful, intricate details possible, lightweight, hygienic, attractive, water resistant, non-toxic. (2 × 1) [2]
- (b) Injection moulding/blow moulding. [1]
- 5 Completed drawing to show bevel on side. (1)
Completed drawing to show bevel on end. (1) [2]
- 6 (a) Cause of cracks workhardening. [1]
- (b) Prevention: anneal the steel periodically while bending, heat to soften. [1]
- 7 Suitable file: A: round/rat tail
B: warding
C: three square/triangular. (3 × 1) [3]
- 8 Square tube. Hexagonal bar/rod. [2]
- 9 Spacers/washers shown between bracket and castor. (2 × 1)
Nut threaded onto end of axle or riveted at each end. (2 × 1) [4]
- 10 3 stages include: turn on pump to produce fluidisation of plastic powder, heat up metal, dip into plastic, allow to cool, return to oven to reheat for smooth gloss finish. (3 × 1) [3]

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Section B

- 11 (a)** 2 benefits to manufacturer: less labour, less storage reqd. lower costs, quicker manufacture. (2 × 1) [2]
- (b)** 1 benefit to purchaser: lower cost, personal satisfaction, can collect. [1]
- (c)** Mark out (1)
 Remove waste (1)
 Make flat/clean up (1)
 Named tools (1) [4]
- (d)** Avoid screws hitting each other/avoid wood grain splitting. (2 × 1) [2]
- (e)** 1– pilot hole. 2 – clearance hole. 3 – countersunk hole. (3 × 1) [3]
- (f) (i)** Reasons for three boards: width of table top cannot be made from one board. [1]
- (ii)** Boards arranged to counter movement caused by shrinkage. (1)
 Avoid splitting. (1) [2]
- (iii)** Cramps used: 3 cramps (1)
 evenly spaced (1)
 2 on top/1 underneath or vice versa. (1) [3]
- (iv)** Scrap wood: distributes more even pressure, prevents damage to wood. (2 × 1) [2]
- (g) (i)** Prepared for finish: glasspaper along the grain, different grades of glasspaper, repeat process, wipe down between grades. (3 × 1) [3]
- (ii)** Suitable finish: polyurethane varnish, paint, varnish, lacquer, oil. [1]
 Reason: hardwearing/stain, heat resistant. [1]
- 12 (a)** Mild steel. [1]
 Reason: fairly easy to work, takes variety of finishes, relatively cheap/plentiful. [1]
 Accept valid reason even if choice in **(i)** is incorrect.
- (b)** Three marking out tools: scribe, rule, try square, combination square, odd leg calipers. (3 × 1) [3]
- (c)** Method of cutting shown: use of tin snips, guillotine, hacksaws. (0–2)
 Method of holding while cutting: use of vice, scrap wood, folding bars. (0–2)
 Accuracy of named tools. (0–2) [6]

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- (d) Use of wooden block/former. (0–2)
Force applied by means of hammer and scrap wood or mallet. (0–1)
Accuracy of named tools. (0–2) [5]
- (e) (i) Suitable finish: paint/dipcoating. [1]
(ii) Preparation: clean with emery cloth, edges filed, surfaces degreased. (2 × 1) [2]
- (f) (i) Modification must include some form of slot to accommodate shank of screw.
Award 0–3 dependent upon accuracy/clarity of practical design. [3]
(ii) Modification must include some form of stand.
Award 0–3 dependent upon accuracy/clarity of practical design. [3]
- 13 (a) (i) Completed net: 2 bend lines (2 × 1) and position for slot (1). [3]
(ii) 2 marking out tools: scribe, chinagraph pencil, felt marker, rule, try square. (2 × 1) [2]
(iii) Backing paper: protect from scratches, gives surface to mark out on. [1]
- (b) 2 properties of acrylic: ready coloured, attractive, easily formed. (2 × 1) [2]
- (c) 4 stages: drill holes. (1)
Saw blade to be inserted. (1)
Saw out shape of slot. (1)
File to line. (1)
Named tools. (0–2) [6]
- (d) Edge finishing stages include: draw file/scrapper/wet and dry different grades/polishing mop
and polishing compound/polishing wheel/Perspex polish or equivalent. (3 × 1) [3]
- (e) Reason for clamping: to prevent snagging, plastic will spin up the drill and then may crack. [2]
- (f) Acrylic bent to shape. Main stages include:
Heat plastic using strip heater/line bender. (0–2)
Use of former. (0–2)
Retention while bending/cooling. (0–2) [6]