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for the guidance of teachers**

**0445 DESIGN AND TECHNOLOGY**

**0445/32**

Paper 3 (Resistant Materials), maximum raw mark 50

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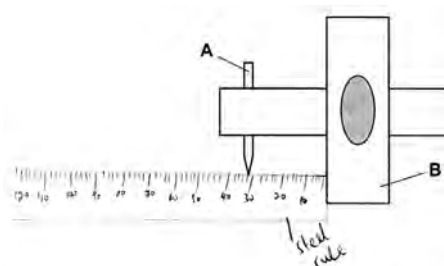


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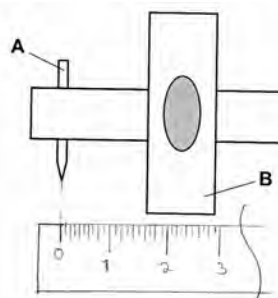
1 (a) Smoothing plane/jack plane. [1]

(b) 2 reasons: planing against the grain. [1]  
fibres will split making surface rough. [1]

2 (a) Steel rule must be shown accurately against the stock. (0–2) [2]



Maximum 2 marks



1 mark only if drawn below OR above

(b) Part A: Spur, pin. [1]  
Part B: Stock. [1]

3 (a) Hammer: engineers, ball pein. [1]  
Do not reward 'ball' or 'ball head'

(b) Wide variety of uses: riveting, bending metal, chiselling. [1]  
Do not reward references to nailing.

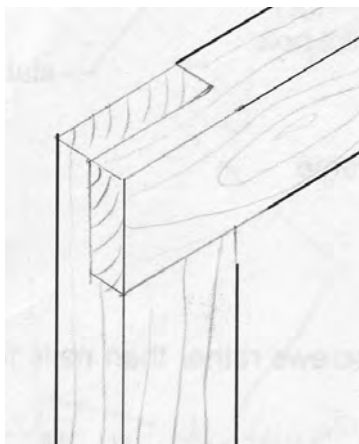
4 Corner butt strengthened: triangular plates, corrugated fastener, dowel, metal pins, feather, wooden block, modesty block. Use of nails = 1 mark only. [1]  
Do not accept use of screws or bolts through end = 0 marks.  
Accuracy of correct method: (0–2) [2]

5 Correct drawing of chamfer and bevel. (2 × 1) [2]  
Accept drawing of end of bevel edge chisel for 1 mark.



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- 6 (a) Gear wheels: nylon, polythene. [1]
- (b) Property: hard, tough, good bearing surface, self-lubricating, wear and friction resistant. [1]
- (c) Manufacturing process: injection moulding. [1]
- 7 (a) Process: sand casting/die cast/stamped sheet steel. Accept 'casting'. [1]
- (b) Suitable metal: aluminium, brass alloys.  
Must be linked/suitable for process named in (a). [1]
- 8 Two reasons for scrapwood: guide for saw cut, protect surface of workpiece, increase surface area of cramping pressure. [1]  
[1]
- 9 A: surface plate. [1]  
B: surface gauge. Accept scribing block. [1]
- 10 Accurate corner halving joint: (0–3) [3]



- 11 (a) Suitable width: 30–40 mm. [1]  
Suitable thickness: 12–20 mm. [1]
- (b) (i) Countersunk head shown: (1)  
Clearance hole shown: (1) [2]
- (ii) Two advantages of screws over nails: can be removed, stronger, unlikely to be pulled out, no sharp heads, nails can split near end of wood, holds tighter. [1]  
[1]
- (iii) Advantage of brass over steel: does not rust. [1]

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- (c) Measure: steel rule, tape. (1)  
Mark out: pencil or marking knife, try square. (2)  
Saw to length: tenon saw/machine saw, method of holding. (2) [5]
- (d) Dowel joint or nuts and bolts drawn. (0–2)  
Do not accept nail. Screw = 1 mark only.  
Appropriate fixing of glued dowel/position of nut and bolt with washer. (1) [3]
- (e) (i) Suitable construction: dowel, mortise and tenon. [1]  
Do not accept nail.  
Named construction can be wrong but sketch correct:  
e.g. names a butt joint but sketches a dowel joint.  
If construction is wrong, e.g. butt joint and sketches a butt joint = 0 marks  
  
Accuracy of sketch: [3]
- (ii) Joint clamped: use of sash cramp. (1)  
Correct position shown. (1)  
Use of scrapwood. (1) [3]
- (f) (i) Suitable finish: paint, varnish or oil. Do not accept stain. [1]  
(ii) Two reasons: protect, preserve, enhance appearance. [1]  
[1]
- 12 (a) 3 bend lines. (3 × 1) [3]
- (b) Two reasons: visual final design, check sizes, cheaper than making mistakes in acrylic, [1]  
work out correct order of bends, check jars fit. [1]
- (c) Stages include: [mark out], drill, saw, file, clean up with wet and dry. [1]  
Look for 3 clear stages each 0–2 dependent on quality/accuracy.  
Award 0–2 for any 3 detailed stages.  
Candidates can achieve maximum 6 marks with or without details of marking out. [6]
- (d) (i) Covering to protect from scratches. [1]  
(ii) No need for applied finish because it is self-finished. [1]  
(iii) Finishing process: scraper, draw file, wet and dry paper, polishing mop. (3 × 1) [3]  
Do not accept cross filing or use of glass/sandpaper.
- (e) Three precautions: clamp work down, correct speed, scrapwood under workpiece [1]  
drill ground to correct angle, slow feed. [1]  
[1]

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- (f) Ignore details of marking out as irrelevant.  
Method of heat: line bender, strip heater, oven. (0–2)  
Use of former or mould. (0–2)  
Method of retention. (0–2) [6]

- 13 (a) (i) Specific sheet metal: mild steel, aluminium. OR  
Specific manufactured board: MDF, plywood. [1]

- (ii) Reasons include:  
for mild steel: relatively cheap.  
for aluminium: will not rust.  
for manufactured board: stable, will not split when working, available as thin sheet. [1]

- (iii) Suitable thickness:  
sheet metals: 1.00–2.00 mm.  
manufactured board: 4–6 mm. [1]

- (b) Two items of research: number of CDs, size of CDs, location, target market. [1]  
Accept one reference to sizes only:  
i.e. width of CD, thickness of CD, height of CD= 1 mark only. [1]

- (c) Template is quicker, repetitive accuracy. [1]  
[1]

- (d) (i) Candidates can answer in the material of their choice.  
Mark out: (0–2)  
Cut out shape: (0–2)  
Make final shape smooth and accurate:: (0–2) [6]

- (ii) Two safety precautions must be appropriate to processes in (d)(i). [1]  
[1]

- (e) Materials used can be different from those stated in (a)(i).  
Method of joining using combination of screws and added blocks/brackets.  
Must not be visible on outside of sides of hedgehog.  
Methods that do show on outside: award up to maximum of 2 marks for fitting and materials.  
Method of fitting: (0–3)  
Details of materials, fittings used: e.g. diameter of dowel. (0–3) [6]

- (f) (i) Prepare for finishing: [manufactured board or metals].  
Use of abrasive papers described clearly. (0–2) [2]  
Work through grades of paper from coarse to fine.  
Use of sander accepted.

- (ii) Suitable finish for mild steel: paint.  
Suitable finish for aluminium: lacquer, anodised, self-finish.  
Suitable finish for manufactured board: paint. [1]  
Reason: preserve, protect, enhance appearance. [1]