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Design and Technology:
Resistant Materials Technology
Unit 2: Knowledge and Understanding of
Resistant Materials Technology

Friday 16 June 2017 – Afternoon

Time: 1 hour 30 minutes

Paper Reference

5RM02/01

You do not need any other materials.

Total Marks

Instructions

- Use **black** ink or ball-point pen.
- If pencil is used for diagrams/sketches it must be dark (HB or B). Coloured pens, pencils and highlighter pens must **not** be used.
- **Fill in the boxes** at the top of this page with your name, centre number and candidate number.
- Answer **all** questions.
- Answer the questions in the spaces provided
– *there may be more space than you need.*

Information

- The total mark for this paper is 80.
- The marks for **each** question are shown in brackets
– *use this as a guide as to how much time to spend on each question.*
- Questions labelled with an **asterisk** (*) are ones where the quality of your written communication will be assessed
– *you should take particular care on these questions with your spelling, punctuation and grammar, as well as the clarity of expression.*

Advice

- Read each question carefully before you start to answer it.
- Try to answer every question.
- Check your answers if you have time at the end.

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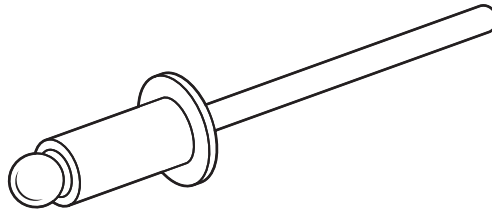
Questions 1–10 must be answered with a cross . If you change your mind about an answer, put a line through the box and then mark your new answer with a cross .

1 To which group from the list below does mahogany belong?

- A Manufactured boards
- B Softwoods
- C Composites
- D Hardwoods

(Total for Question 1 = 1 mark)

2 What is the name of the component shown below?



- A Pop rivet
- B Countersunk head screw
- C Washer
- D Knock down fitting

(Total for Question 2 = 1 mark)

3 Which **one** of the following manufactured boards is made up of several layers glued together at right angles?

- A Hardboard
- B MDF
- C Chipboard
- D Plywood

(Total for Question 3 = 1 mark)

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4 Which **one** of the following polymers is a thermosetting plastic?

- A Urea formaldehyde
- B Acrylic
- C Polyvinyl Chloride
- D Acrylonitrile-Butadiene-Styrene (ABS)

(Total for Question 4 = 1 mark)

5 Which **one** of the following tools is an abrading tool?

- A Chisel
- B Plane
- C File
- D Twist drill

(Total for Question 5 = 1 mark)

6 Which **one** of the following ICT systems is used by retailers to record sales data?

- A OPEC
- B BTEC
- C EPOS
- D CAD/CAM

(Total for Question 6 = 1 mark)

7 Carbon steel is made from carbon and which other material?

- A Copper
- B Iron
- C Brass
- D Aluminium

(Total for Question 7 = 1 mark)



8 Which **one** of the following processes would be used to manufacture continuous lengths of plastic pipe?

- A Vacuum forming
- B Blow moulding
- C Injection moulding
- D Extrusion

(Total for Question 8 = 1 mark)

9 Which **one** of the following materials will respond quickly to a change in Ultra Violet (UV) light?

- A Shape memory alloys
- B Carbon fibre
- C Reactive glass
- D Carbon nanotubes

(Total for Question 9 = 1 mark)

10 A material that resists abrasive wear and indentation has which **one** of the following properties?

- A Elasticity
- B Hardness
- C Plasticity
- D Malleability

(Total for Question 10 = 1 mark)

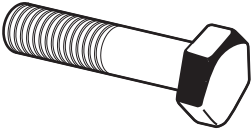
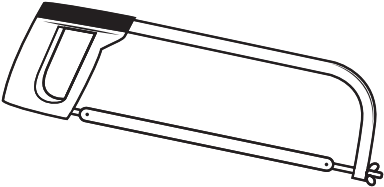
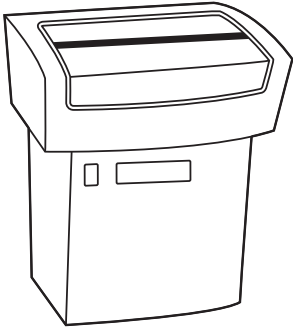
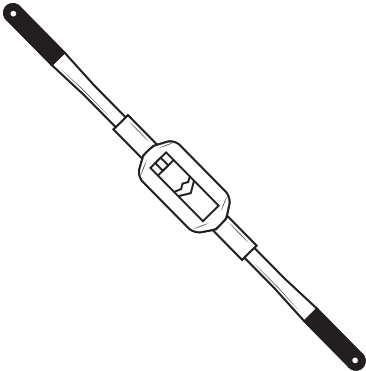


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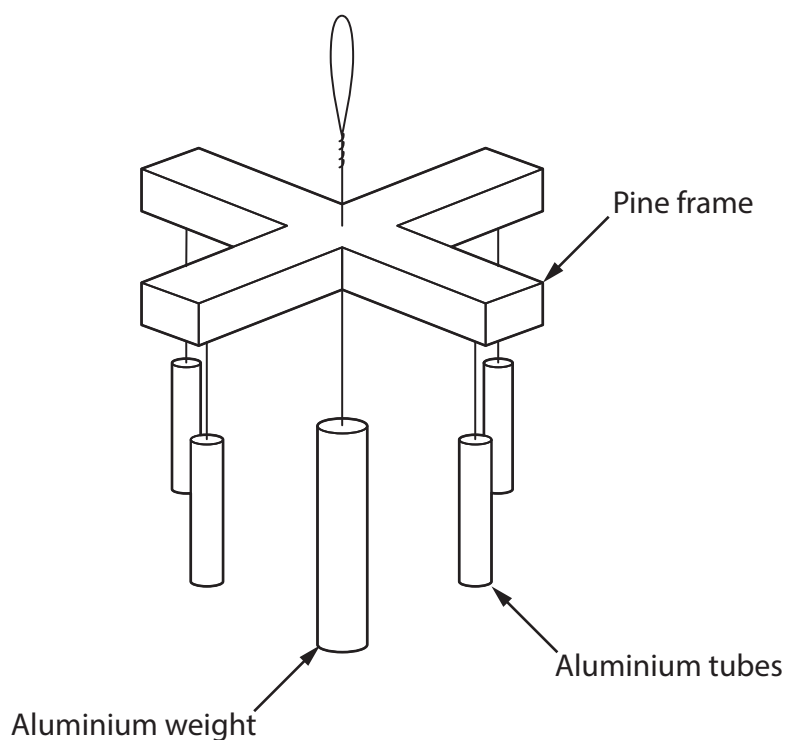
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11 (a) Complete the table below by giving the missing names and uses.

Tools/Equipment	Name	Use
	(1)	Making temporary joints
	(1)	Cutting metal
	Laser cutter	(1)
	Tap wrench	(1)



- (b) The drawing below shows a wind chime. It hangs from a tree in the garden and makes a gentle noise when blown in the wind.



- (i) Give **two** properties of aluminium that make it suitable for the weight. (2)

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- (ii) Name **two** other non-ferrous metals that could be used for the weight. (2)

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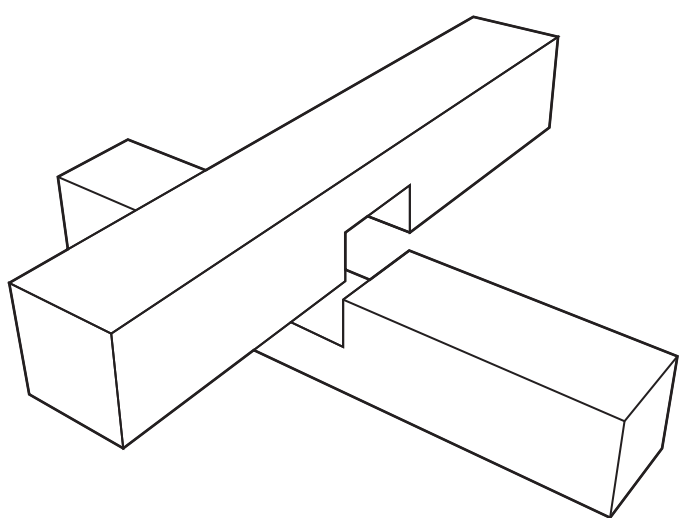


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(c) A cross halving joint is used to join the two pieces of pine together for the frame.



Name **three** hand tools that would be used to mark out and make the cross halving.

(3)

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- 2
- 3

(d) (i) Explain **two** advantages of using pine to make the frame rather than MDF.

(4)

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(ii) The pine used to make the frame is from a recycled source.

Explain **two** advantages for the environment of using pine from a recycled source.

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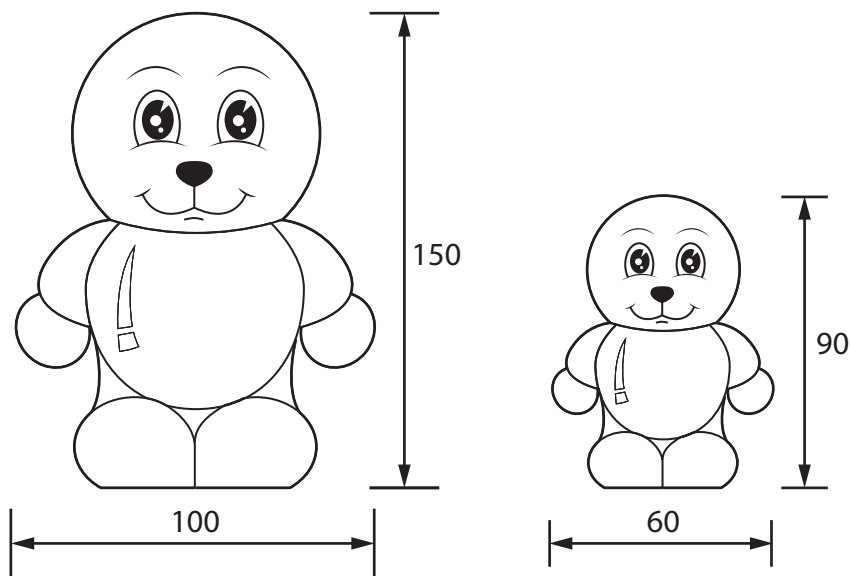
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12 You have been asked to design a display unit for small plastic figures.



All dimensions in millimetres

Design specification

The specification for the display unit is that it must:

- be capable of holding at least two small and two large figures
- be lockable
- allow them to be easily accessed
- have adjustable shelves
- include a light source
- be capable of being fixed to a wall
- be made from materials available in the school workshop
- be made using processes suitable for a one-off

In the spaces opposite, use sketches and, where appropriate, brief notes to show **two different** design ideas for the display unit that meet the specification points above.

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Design idea 1

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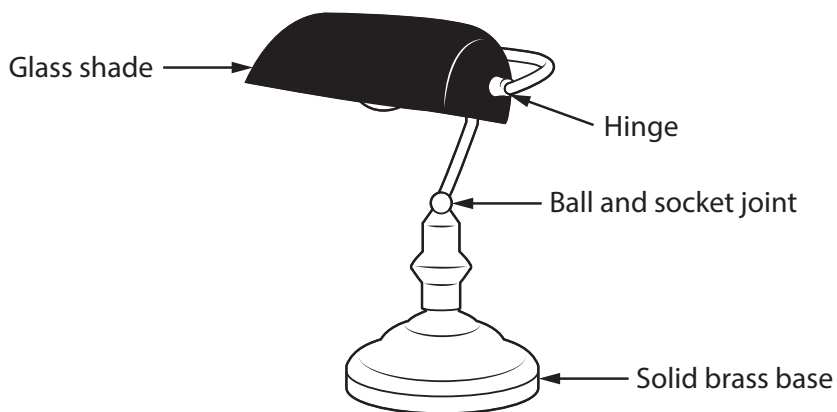
Design idea 2

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13 The image below shows a desk lamp.



- (a) (i) Give **two** properties of brass that make it suitable for the base of the desk lamp.

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- (ii) Explain **one** reason why brass is a better choice of material than acrylic for the base of the desk lamp.

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- (b) The electric cable is coated with a thin layer of PVC

Explain **one** reason why the electric cable is coated with a thin layer of PVC.

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(c) Explain why the desk lamp is successful in meeting the following specification points:

(i) easy to light up different areas of the desk

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(ii) will not fall over.

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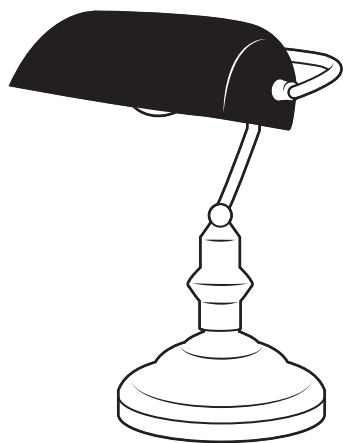
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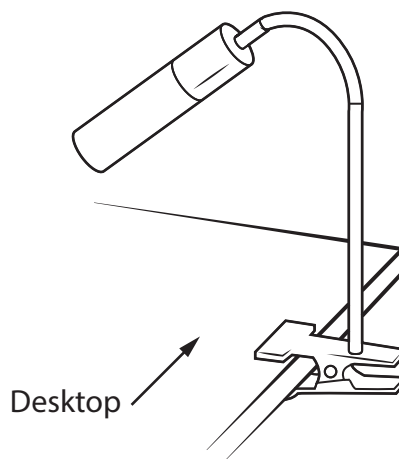
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*(d) The images below show two different types of desk lamp.



Desk lamp A - Mains powered



Desk lamp B - Battery powered



Evaluate desk lamp A in comparison to desk lamp B in terms of form and user requirements.

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(Total for Question 13 = 16 marks)

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14 The image below shows the frame of a mass-produced chair made from mild steel.



- (a) One reason mild steel was chosen was because it is easily welded.
 - (i) Name **one** other method of joining mild steel which involves the use of heat. (1)
 - (ii) Explain **two** other reasons why mild steel is an appropriate choice of material for the frame of the chair. (4)

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(b) Describe **two** health and safety precautions that should be taken when welding.

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(c) The metals parts are held in a jig when they are being welded.

Explain **two** reasons why a jig is used when the parts are being welded.

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*(d) A new chair frame is to be designed using a CAD system.

Discuss the advantages and disadvantages of using CAD for virtual modelling and testing the designs.

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(Total for Question 14 = 19 marks)

TOTAL FOR PAPER = 80 MARKS



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