

# LABORATORY 15 REPORT

## ***Permanent mould casting process***

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**Task 1:** Describe the essence of permanent mould casting process.

**Task 2:** Evaluate the quality of the casting (pay attention to surface roughness, flashes and shrinkage defects within the shrink bobs). ~~Compare sample casting with permanent casting~~

**Task 3:** Complete main parameters of gravity die casting.

Data:

- a) pouring temperature
- b) casting temperature during shaking out from the mould
- c) initial temperature of the permanent mould
- d) permanent mould temperature when the casting is shaking out

$$\begin{aligned} t_{c1} &= 726 \text{ }^{\circ}\text{C} \\ t_{c2} &= 299.8 \text{ }^{\circ}\text{C} \\ t_{m1} &= 200.1 \text{ }^{\circ}\text{C} \\ t_{m2} &= 251.2 \text{ }^{\circ}\text{C} \end{aligned}$$

Average casting temperature in the casting cycle:

$$t_{c \text{ av}} =$$

Average permanent mould temperature in the casting cycle:

$$t_{m \text{ av}} =$$

$$\frac{815}{150-815} \downarrow$$

**Task 4:** Determination of the tensile strength of specimens made in the permanent mould as well as in the sand mould.

- a) calculation of the tensile strength

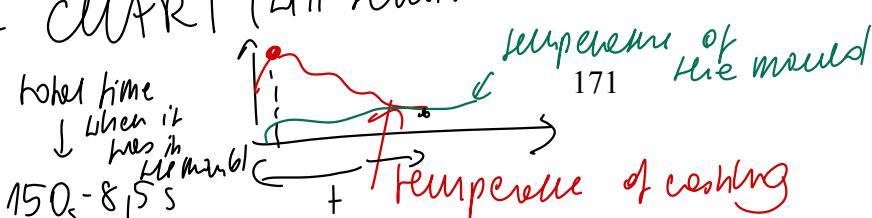
Specimen type		Permanent mould casting		Sand mould casting
		with filter	without filter	
Data	Tensile force $P, N$	$98 \dots$ $1dN=10N$	1600	1640
	Specimen diameter $d, mm$	10.9	10.7	14.1
	Specimen cross-section $F, mm^2$	.	.	.
Calculations	Tensile strength $R_m, MPa$	$\frac{P}{F}$	$\frac{98}{10.9^2} = 8.87$	$\frac{2260}{14.1^2} = 2260 \text{ dN}$ $1N = 100 \text{ g}$
	Elongation $A, \%$	.	.	.

- b) discussion of the difference in strength of the tested specimens (take into account the effect of casting microstructure on its strength, give reasons for different grain sizes in the casting from permanent as well as sand moulds)

..... sand mould casting the average grain size is much bigger than in p.m.

..... we confirm the theory. Tensile strength

+ chart (will edit)



## **Conclusions:**

① will be filtered  $\rightarrow$  make casting more pure

② won't be filtered

Compare the properties of the same alloy  $\rightarrow$  AlSi9

Tensile strength using tensile machine

measure  $d \times 2$

① Permanent mould (filter or no)

② Sand casting

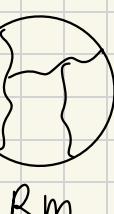
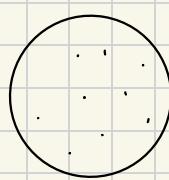
0.05  $\leftarrow$  accuracy

due to  
grain size  $\rightarrow$  cooling rate

sand to metal  $\rightarrow$  lower cooling rate

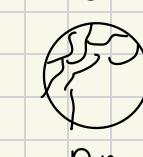
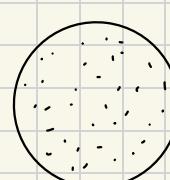
TAMMANN'S LAW

S. m. c



R<sub>m</sub>

P. m. c

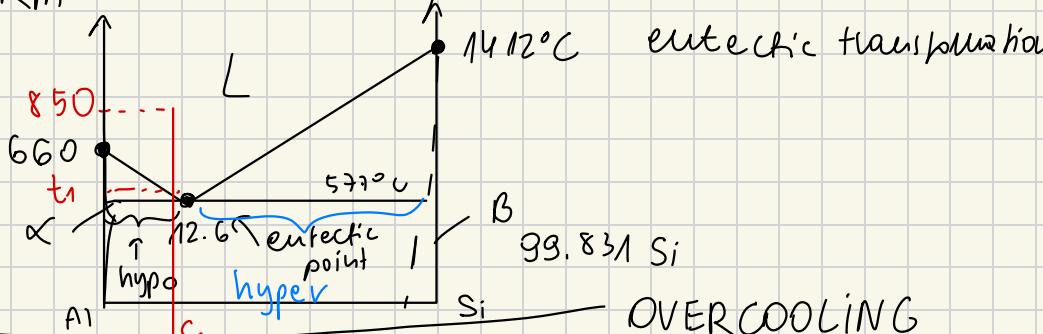


R<sub>m</sub>

smaller &N, grain size  
= higher mech prop.

smaller grain size  
due to cooling rate

$577^\circ\text{C}$   
 $\Leftrightarrow$   
 $12.6\% \text{ Si} \propto 1.65\% \text{ Si} + \text{B}_{93.85\%}$



Faster cooling rate -  
bipper difference

$$\Delta t = t_{\text{theor}} - t_{\text{real}}$$

non-filtered

filtered