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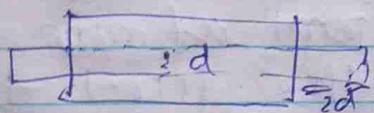
A core is device use in casting and moulding process to produce internal cavity.

core is normally disposable item, and that is destroyed to gather at ~~for~~ the ~~parts~~ pico. They are most commonly used in sand casting but are also used in injection moulding.

Core prints: core print is an added part on the pattern and it forms a sheet in the mould on which the sand core base during pouring of the mould, core print must be adequate size & shape that it can support the weight of the core during the casting operation.

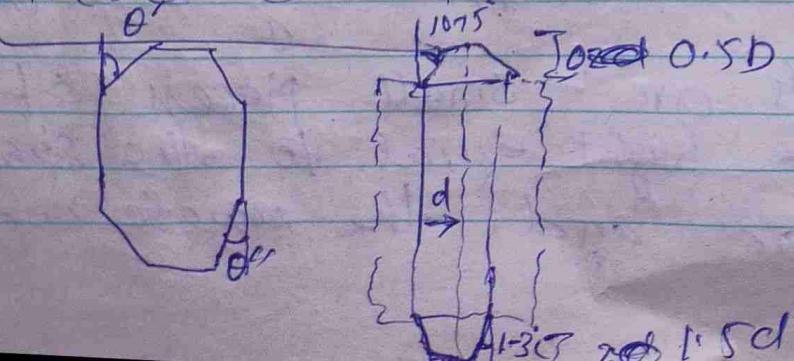
Different types of core prints.

(1) Horizontal core print.



core is ~~boxed~~ layered Horizontally in the Mould.

2. Vertical core print:



$$\theta' = 10^{-5}$$

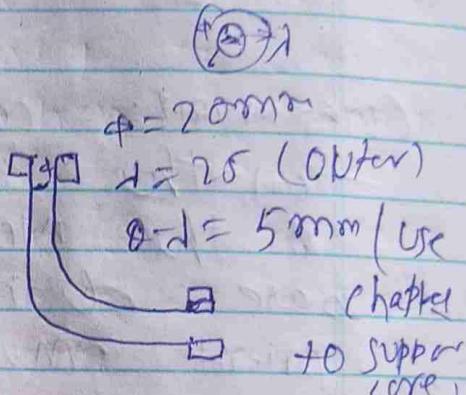
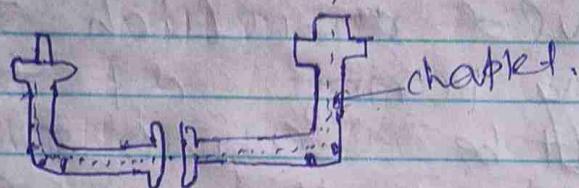
$$\theta'' = 1 - 3$$

That will stand vertically in the mold - the ~~core~~^{core} cope & drag print. It tapper should be given on the core print specially on cope side $10-15^\circ$ to facilitate the pattern withdrawal and the replacement of the core & drag and the tapper on the drag print is only $1-3^\circ$.

Taper

(3)

Balanced core print:

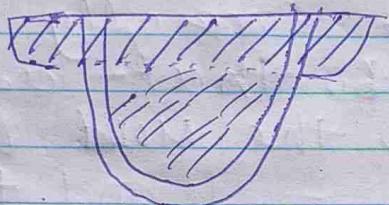


When the shape of the casting is such that it's not possible to support the core from both sides - a balance print is required and the core & the core print are than so designed that the part of core in the mold-cavity balances the part that rests on the core sheet. The shape get at the print may not necessary with a same as that of the core in the mold cavity to add in the support of the core in the cavity hence chabrel may be used.

Chabrels are small pieces of metal having a height equal to the spaces b/w the core and the mold wall.

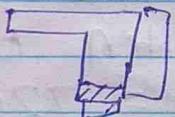
The metal of the choker & the casting should be identical.

Cover core print or Hanging:-



This type of core print is called a hanging core print. It is favored when the internal pattern is rammed in the drag part and the core is to be suspended in the cope case side.

wing core print



A wing type of core print is used when a hole or races is required in above or below the porting line. Owing to the large size of particles is required in this case, provided on the vertical walls of the core. wing print is also called drop chain, and tail core print.

depending on the position of core and mould - shaped.

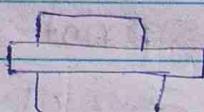
Core location; adequate location of core is

very important to avoid the tendency to shift their position or turn about even the core must sit in

only one
only particular position. The rightness for
proper setting becomes essential.

core print support

The size of the core
print should be correctly worked out or
estimated so that adequate grip is
obtained b/w the mould & the core.



and the core has no
tendency to shift or
rise when molten metal

which has buoyancy effect is parred.
buoyancy of the molten metal is due to weight of
the liquid metal being displaced by core.
If the molten metal is iron and its weight
is 7200 kg/m^3 and weight of the
core $/ \text{m}^3 = 1600$ than buoyancy for

$$\text{Buoyancy force} = \frac{7200 - 1600}{1600}$$

$$= 5600 \text{ N/m}^3$$

thus ratio buoyancy force to weight of the
core : $\frac{7200}{1600} = 3.5$ for cast iron.

Steel :- 3.9

Cu :- 4.5

Brass :- 4.25

Al :- 0.66

greater the ratio of
buoyancy force the
weight of core more
the tendency for
core to float &
more secure the

+ the method of holding required. Core print to heavy metal such as iron, steel & brass etc. therefore larger than live metal.

Ques. Once the core buoyancy is known the selection of core print size can be verified for its unsupported load = core buoyancy - core print holding load.

core print holding force = core print surface area \times ~~compressive strength of moldin sand~~
if sand strength is taken,

$$0.5 \text{ kg/cm}^2$$

so core print holding force $= 0.5 \times$ core print surface area.

unsupported holding force or negative to ensure the ability of the core in the mould not with stand the effect of moldin cement. If the result is +ve value, the proportion of core print should be alter and the unsupported load again converge to negative or zero. In order to get better support to core & prevent there deflation chisel is used.

(ii) To fill the mould metal completely.

(iii) To remove inclusion.

(iv) To minimize the Turbulence.

(v) To avoid corrosion.

(vi) To regulate the flow of molten metal.

(vii) To consume less metal & less scrap.

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(ix) To establish directional solidification.

Pouring cup

Generally typical dimension of pouring

round inlet & outlet

Inlet dia outlet dia

51 25

127 64

203 76

254 102

 203

Square inlet & round outlet

78x90 33 117

105x134 37 127

140x159 51 152

Spout is a vorticle?

How to minimize the Turbulence in pouring basin or pouring cut?



Anti surge bar

Stove is the vertical passage inside the mould through which molten metal reaches the runner and eventually mould cavity.

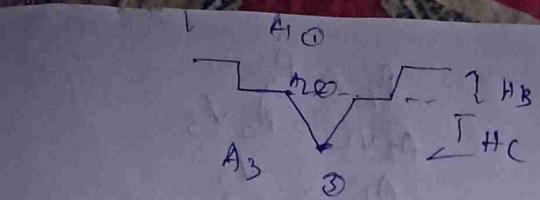
Rules for design of a stove

- (i) The size of stove should be optimized to limit the flowrate of molten metal.
- (ii) vortex formation tendency in a stove with circular cross-section is higher, hence rectangular cross section stove are better than the circular or one with same cross sectional area. However round stove is more economical for casting.
- (iii) Height of the stove is determined by the casting & the top riser height.
- (iv) Stove should be tapered by approximately 5% to avoid the aspiration of air.
- (v) Standarded filter should be placed at the outlet of the stove as the metal flows into the runner. Stove should be placed vertically into the runner.
- (vi) The rate of flow of mass is constant at any cross section.

$$m = P A_1 V_1 = P A_2 V_2 = P A_3 V_3$$

m = rate of flow of mass.

P = density liq metal.



$A_{1,2,3}$: Area of cross section (1, 2, 3)

$v_{1,2,3}$: Velocity of 1 kg metal. at 1, 2, 3

$$\frac{m}{P} = Q = A_1 v_1 = A_2 v_2 = A_3 v_3$$

$$v_2 = \sqrt{2g h_B}$$

$$v_3 = \sqrt{2g h_C}$$

(1) & (3) use Bernoulli's eqn.

$$h_t + \frac{v_1^2}{2g} + \frac{\text{Pressure}}{\rho g} = h_3 + \frac{v_3^2}{2g} + \frac{\text{Patm}}{\rho g}$$

$$h_t + 0 + \frac{\text{Patm}}{\rho g} = 0 + \frac{v_3^2}{2g} + \frac{\text{Patm}}{\rho g}$$

$$\boxed{h_t = \frac{v_3^2}{2g}}$$

$$\boxed{v_3 = \sqrt{2g h_t}}$$

(2) & (3)

$$h_2 + \frac{v_2^2}{2g} + \frac{P_2}{\rho g} = h_3 + \frac{v_3^2}{2g} + \frac{\text{Patm}}{\rho g}$$

$$v_2 = \sqrt{2g h_t}$$

$$h_2 + \frac{P_2}{\rho g} = \frac{P_3}{\rho g} + \frac{\text{Patm}}{\rho g}$$

air entrapped. thds ✓

or

$$P_2 = \text{Patm} - h_2 \rho g \rightarrow \text{aspiration generate}$$

✓ Avoid Aspiration? ✗

(2) & (3)

$$\frac{P_2}{\rho g} + \frac{v_2^2}{2g} + h_2 = \frac{P_3}{\rho g} + \frac{v_3^2}{2g} + h_3$$

$$P_2 = P_3$$

$$\frac{v_2^2}{2g} + h_2 = \frac{v_3^2}{2g}$$

$$h_2 = \frac{v_3^2}{2g} - \frac{v_2^2}{2g}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2g} (v_3^2 - v_2^2)$$

$$h_2 g = v_3^2 - v_2^2$$

$$= R^2 v_3^2 - R^2 v_2^2$$

$$= v_3^2 (1 - R^2)$$

$$\frac{P_2}{A_2} = \frac{P_3}{A_3}$$

$$\frac{A_2}{A_3} = \frac{v_3}{v_2}$$

$$v_2 = R v_3$$

$$R = A_3 / A_2$$

$$\frac{h_2 g}{v_3^2} = (1 - R^2)$$

$$R = \sqrt{1 - \frac{2gh_2}{v_3^2}}$$

$$R = \sqrt{1 + \frac{2gh_2}{2gh_t}}$$

$$R = \sqrt{1 - \frac{h_2}{h_t}}$$

$$R = \sqrt{\frac{h_t - h_2}{h_t}}$$

$$R = \sqrt{\frac{h_t - h_2}{h_t}} \quad h_t - h_2 = h_c$$

$$\frac{A_3}{A_2} = \sqrt{\frac{h_c}{h_t}}$$

$$\frac{A_3}{A_2} = \sqrt{\frac{20}{80}} \quad \text{Assume.}$$

$$A_3/A_2 = \frac{1}{2}, \quad A_3 = \frac{1}{2} A_2$$

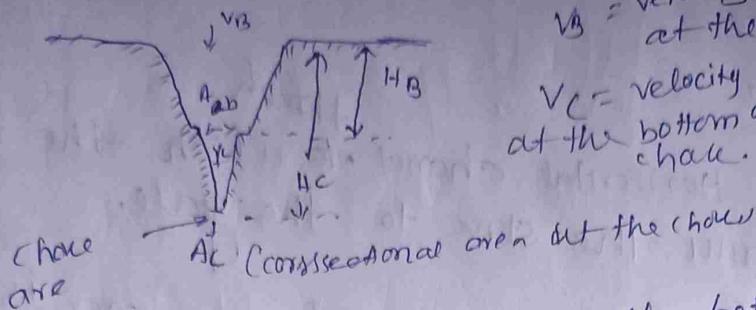
Desine the choke area

H_{B3} - height of pouring Bas. 2

$H_C = \dots$ " Total Metal head above the choke

v_B = velocity of liq Metal at the top of Sprue.

v_C = velocity of liq Metal at the bottom of sprue or choke.



The smallest area that occurs at the bottom of sprue.

According to the Bernoulli's Theorem.

velocity of the liq Metal at the top of the sprue

$$A, v_B = \sqrt{2g H_B}$$

similarly velocity at the choke area.

$$v_C = \sqrt{2g H_C}$$

volume of flow at choke in a given time i.e.

$$= A_C v_C \times t = \frac{W}{\rho} \quad \text{where } W = \text{weight of poured metal.}$$

$$\text{thus, } A_C = \frac{W}{\rho v_C t \times C}$$

ρ = density of liq metal.

C = co-efficiency of discharge ($0.7 - 0.9$)

W = weight of poured metal in kg

$$A_C = \frac{W}{\rho t C \sqrt{2g H_C}}$$

H_C = height of the total metal head above choke.

t = pouring time in sec.

g = acceleration due to gravity, 9.81 cm/sec^2

Sprue oil: is used to catch & trap the fast metal to absorb erosion of sand due to kinetic energy of molten metal.



Rules for design of sprue oil.

(1) Sprue area $\frac{2}{3}$ times 2-3 times area of
choke area.

Runner:

is the horizontal channel to which the molten metal flows from the sprue to the gate.

Typical cross section of a runner is square.

The runner cross sectional area is generally 2-4 times of the cross sectional area of choke.

Based on the gating ratio.

3. Abrupt change in the direction of runner should be avoided if the changing direction is more than about 15° the joints needs to be filleted.

4. Runner should be maintain a minimum distance from the casting i.e. 4-5 times the thickness of the Gate.

5. Runner extension is used to catch hot metal that the slag & impurities in the first metal that are likely to enter the mould cavity.
Runner extension diameter is 2-2.5 times width of Runner.

Rules of Gate design

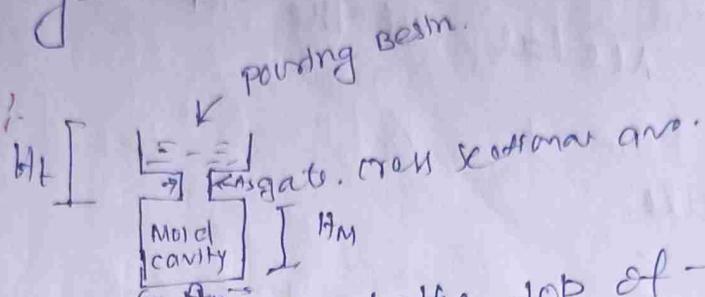
- (1) Multiple ingates often are preferable for large part, a fillet should be used where an ingate needed in casting produces less turbulence.
- (2) The minimum ingate length should be 3-5 times the ingate width depending on the metal being cast.

(iii) curved ingate should be avoided as per as possible.

Type of Ingates:

- (i) TOP gate.
- (ii) Parting line gate.
- (iii) Bottom gate.
- (iv) side gate.

(i) TOP gate:



Molten metal is poured at the top of the mold.

H_P = height of the mold.

t_H = Pouring Height

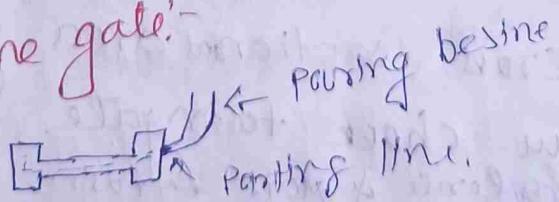
A_M = cross sectional area of mold.

$$\text{pouring time} = \frac{\text{volume of Mold.}}{\text{gate cross sectional area} \times \text{velocity of the metal at gate}}$$

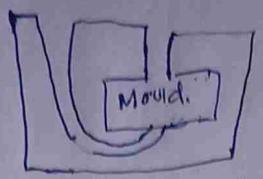
$$= \frac{A_M \times H_M}{A_S \times V_g}$$

Turbulence and erosion where molds are
erosion.

(ii) Parting line gate:-



III Bottom gate (Honey gate)



Molten metal flows into the mould through the mould cavity. Troublesome & erosion is minimum. Metal at the top of the cavity.

(IV) Side gate:-



Metal enters to mould cavity through the side no. of gate.

Types of Gating System:

(i) pressurise gating system

(ii) unpressurise gating system.

(i) Total cross sectional area gradually decreases from choke to ingate.

* More Turbulence & more erosion, casting yield is less complex shape & thin shape easily casting.

(ii) unpressurise gating system. Total cross sectional area gradually increases from choke to ingate toward the mold cavity.

* less Turbulence, casting yield is less

casting yield = $\frac{\text{finish casting weight}}{\text{use of casting metal}} \times 100$
 complex & thin section may not cast in unprestress
 use.

pressurised gating system, $A_c : A_r : A_g$ = cross-sectional area
 choke, Runners, Gating.

$A_c : A_r : A_g$ (for iron casting)

$1 : 1.3 : 1.1$ (for gray iron casting)

$1 : 2 : 1$ (Al.)

$1 : 2 : 1.5$ (for steel)

unpressurise gating System:-
 $A_c : A_r : A_g$ (for GI)

$1 : 4 : 4$ (for GI)

$1 : 3 : 3$ (Al)

$1 : 3 : 3$ [for steel]

Logical approach for a proper design of gating system.

I. Estimation optimum pouring time.

II. calculation of suitable choke area.

III. selection of appropriate gating system.

IV. selection of gating type & ingate location.

V. selection of Runner & ingate size.

VI. calculation of pouring time:-
 G.I casting $\leq 450 \text{ kg}$

$$\text{Pouring time } t' = K \left(1.41 + \frac{T}{14.59} \right) \sqrt{W} \text{ sec.}$$

K = fluidity factor, which depends upon
 Temperature & composition of molten metal.

$$\text{Fluidity Factor} = \frac{\text{Fluidity of iron in inch}}{40}$$

(6)

~~T~~ T = Average thickness of the casting (mm)

W = Mass of the casting in kg

2. GI casting > 450 kg

$$\text{Pouring time } t = K \left(1.206 + \frac{T}{16.65} \right) \sqrt[3]{W} \text{ sec}$$

3. Steel casting

$$\text{Pouring time } t = (2.4335 - 0.3953 \log W) \sqrt{W} \text{ sec}$$

4. S.G iron (Spheroidal graphite Iron)

$$\text{Pouring time } t = K_1 \sqrt{W} \text{ sec}$$

$K_1 = 2.08$ for casting of thinner section
< 10 mm.

= 2.67 for medium section 10-25 mm

= 2.97 for thick section or heavier section
 $> 25 \text{ mm}$

W = Mass of casting in kg

5. Copper Alloy casting:

$$\text{Pouring time } t = K \sqrt[3]{W}$$

$K = 1.3$ for Top gating
 2.18 for Bottom gating.

(6) Al Alloy:-

$$t = A \sqrt{TW}$$

T = predomiance section thickness.

$$A = 17.3$$

W = Mass of casting in kg.

problem:-

calculate the optimum pouring time for a casting whose mass 20 kg and average section thickness (T) 15 mm, the material of the casting is Al

Take fluidity of material as 28 inch

$$t = K \left(1.41 + \frac{T}{14.59} \right) \sqrt{W}$$

$$K = \frac{28}{40} = 0.7$$

$$t = 0.7 \left(1.41 + \frac{15}{14.59} \right) \sqrt{20}$$

$$= 7.63 \text{ secnd.}$$

* solve the problem if the material is steel.

$$t = \left[2.4335 - 0.3953 \log 20 \right] \sqrt{20}$$

$$= 8.58 \text{ secnd}$$

$$= 88.58 \text{ secnd}$$

OF

W.

Design the gating system for a casting made up of cast iron whose dimension are $500 \times 250 \times 50$ mm. Density of solid cast iron 7.86 g/cm^3 . Fluidity factor length = 22 inch if $\text{CI} = 6.9 \text{ g/cm}$ calculate volume of light cut core. If weight of casting = $500 \times 250 \times 50 = 6.25 \times 10^6 \text{ mm}^3 = 6.25 \times 10^3 \text{ cm}^3$

$$\text{Mass of casting (Net weight)} = \cancel{\rho \cdot \text{vol}} = \text{volume} \times \text{density} \\ = 6.25 \times 10^3 \times 7.86 \\ = 49125 \text{ g} \\ \rightarrow 49.125 \text{ kg}$$

Assume casting yield is 70%.

$$\frac{\text{Mass of casting}}{\text{Weight of parred metal}} = \cancel{\text{yielded cast}} = \frac{70}{100}$$

$$\text{Weight of parred metal} = \frac{\text{Mass of casting} \times 100}{70} \\ = \frac{49.125 \times 100}{70} \\ = 70.18 \text{ kg}$$

$$\text{Pouring time (t)} = K \left[1.41 + \frac{I}{14.59} \right] \sqrt{W}$$

$$K = \frac{22}{400} = 0.55 = 0.55 \left(1.41 + \frac{50}{14.59} \right) \sqrt{70.18} \\ = 22.28 = 22.3 = 23 \text{ seconds}$$

Design of choke av

$$A_C = \frac{W}{P_t C \sqrt{2gH}} = \frac{70}{10 \times 6.9 \times 23 \times 0.8 \sqrt{2 \times 9.8 \times 1}}$$

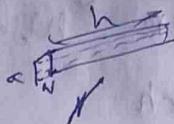
$$P = 6.9 \times 10^6$$

39.38

$$= 30 \cdot 38 = 381 \text{ mm}^2$$

Dia of choke = 22 mm

Design of runner.



$A_c : A_R : A_g$

1 : 4 : 4

$$AR = \frac{4 \times 381}{4} = 1524$$

$$381 : 4 \times 381 : \frac{4 \times 381}{4}$$

\therefore

Design of ingates

$$A_g = 4 \times 381 = 1524 \text{ mm}^2$$

No of ingates taken = 2

$$\text{Cross section area of each ingate} = \frac{1524}{2} = 762$$

height of ingate = a .

width of ingate = $2a$

$$2axa = 762$$

$$a^2 = 381$$

$$a = \sqrt{381} = 19.51 = 20 \text{ mm}$$

height of each ingate = 20 mm

& width of each ingate = 40 mm

80.28

v

0.8 x 1.8 x 5, 6.0 x 1.8 x 5 x 6 x 6

height = 20

15.10
34.28

Design the gating system for a casting of size $400 \times 200 \times 40$ mm made up of steel, the casting has a true density of solid steel 7.86 g/cm^3 , density of liquid steel 6.9 g/cm^3 , height of core box 150 mm,浇注 length 24 inch

$$\therefore \text{volume} = 400 \times 200 \times 40 \\ = 32000 \cdot 3.2 \times 10^6 \text{ mm}^3 \\ = 3.2 \times 10^3 \text{ cm}^3$$

$$\text{Mass of casting} = \text{Volume of casting} \times \rho_s \\ = 3.2 \times 10^3 \times 7.86 \\ = 25.152 \text{ kg}$$

Assume casting yield is 70%

$$\frac{\text{Mass of casting}}{\text{Weight of poured melt}} = \frac{70}{100}$$

$$\text{Weight of poured melt} = \frac{25.152 \times 100}{70} \\ = 35.93 \text{ kg}$$

$$\text{Pouring time, } t = (2.4335 - 0.3953 \log 35.93) \sqrt{35.93} \\ = 10.9 \text{ sec} = 11 \text{ sec}$$

Design of core.

$$AC = \frac{W}{\rho g \sqrt{2gh}} = \frac{35.93}{6.9 \times 10^{-6} \times 11 \times 0.8 \sqrt{2 \times 9800 \times \frac{150}{100}}} \\ = \cancel{0.0002} = \cancel{402.2 \text{ mm}^2} \\ \therefore 345.10$$

Dia of choke

$$\pi r^2 = 422.2 \times 345.105$$

$$r = 10.48$$

so the dia of choke = ~~20.96~~ 20.96

design of the Runner:-

$$A_c : A_R : A_a$$

$$1 : 3 : 3$$

$$A_R = 3 \times \frac{422.2}{345.10} = 1035.3$$

Design of Ingates.

$$A_a = 3 \times \frac{345.10}{2} = 1035.3$$

No of Ingate taken, 2.

$$\text{cross-sectional area of each Ingate.} = \frac{1035.3}{2}$$

$$= 517.65$$

height of Ingate = a .

width of Ingate = $2a$

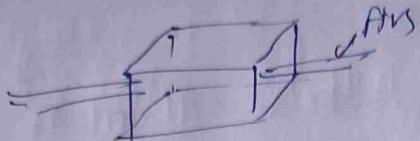
$$\text{area of Ingate. } 2a \times a = 633.3$$

$$a = 16.08$$

height of each Ingate = ~~16.08~~ 16.08 m

and width of each Ingate = ~~32.17~~ 32.17 m

Design the gating system for a casting of size $600 \times 300 \times 100$ mm made up of steel the casting of two thin fins on the two side of $250 \times 50 \times 3$ mm density of solid 7.86 g/cm^3 density of liquid 6.9 g/cm^3 . height of core 150 mm, fluidity factor $= 24$ inch



$$\begin{aligned}\text{volume of casting} &= 600 \times 300 \times 100 \\ &= 18 \times 10^6 \text{ mm}^3 \\ &= 18 \times 10^3 \text{ cm}^3\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Volume of fins} &= 2 \times 250 \times 50 \times 3 \\ &= 75 \times 10^3 \text{ mm}^3\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Total volume of casting} &= 18 \times 10^3 + 75 \\ &= 18.075 \times 10^3\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Mass of casting} &= 18.075 \times 10^3 \times 7.86 \\ &= 142.07 \times 10^3 = 142.07 \text{ kg}\end{aligned}$$

Assume casting yield 70%.

$$\frac{\text{Mass of casting}}{\text{Weight of parred metal}} = \frac{70}{100}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Weight of parred metal} &= \frac{142.07 \times 10^3}{0.7} \\ &= 202.95 \times 10^3 \text{ kg}\end{aligned}$$

passing time.

$$t = \left(2.4335 - 0.3053 \log 202.95 \right) \sqrt{W}$$
$$= 21.6$$

$$A_C = \frac{W}{P t C \sqrt{2gH}}$$
$$= \frac{202.95 \times 10^3}{6.0 \times 10^{-6} \times 21.6 \times 0.8 \sqrt{2 \times 9.81 \times 150}}$$
$$= 162000 \text{ mm}^2$$
$$\geq 992.7$$

dia of chain.

$$\pi r^2 = 992.7$$

$$r^2 = \frac{992.7}{\pi}, \quad r = 17.7$$

so the dia is = 35.5

design of Runner

$$A_C : A_R : A_a \\ 1 : 2 : 1.5$$

$$A_R = 2 \times 992.7 = 1985.42$$

$$A_a = 1.5 \times 992.7 = 1489.05$$

No of ingates taken, 2

cross section area of each ingate,

$$= \frac{1489.05}{2}$$

$$= 744.525$$

height of the ingate = a

runner ext width = 2a

width = 38.5

$$2axa = 744.525$$

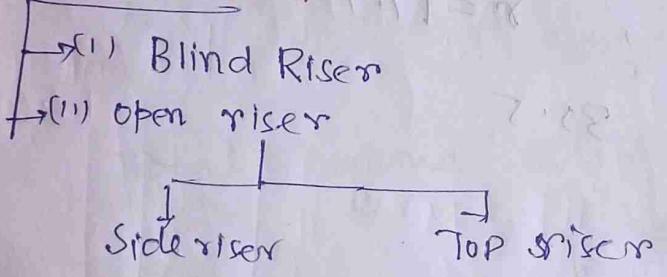
$$a = 19.25$$

Riser Design:

Primary function of Riser:

- (i) It act as a reservoir of molten metal in the mould. to compensate shrinkage during solidification.
- (ii) It gives an indication that the cavity is full with the molten metal.
- (iii) A oversize riser require excess molten metal which is not required.

Types of Riser:



In general for side riser $H = D$

Top riser $\Rightarrow H = 0.5D$

$$H = \frac{D}{2}$$

Guidelines for Riser design location:

1. The riser & the feeder must not solidify before casting.
- (ii) The volume of the riser must be large enough to feed the entire shrinkage of the casting.
- (iii) The pressure head from the riser should enable complete cavity free

(iv) Riser must be placed so that it enables directional solidification.

$$x = \frac{a}{y-b} + c \quad \begin{matrix} a & b & c \\ \text{steel} & 0.1 & 0.03 \end{matrix}$$

x = freezing factor

$$y = \frac{\text{volume of riser}}{\text{volume of casting}} \quad \begin{matrix} \text{AL} & 0.1 & 0.06 & 1.08 \\ \text{CI} & 0.04 & 0.017 & 1.6 \end{matrix}$$

* necessary to calculate the size of a cylindrical riser needed to feed slag
a steel slag casting of size $25 \times 2.5 \times 5'$
height of the riser & diameter is equal



$$\text{Volume of casting} = 25 \times 25 \times 5 = 3125$$

$$\text{Surface area of casting} = 2 \times 25 \times 25 + 4 \times 25 \times 5 = 1750 \text{ cm}^2$$

Let diameter of the riser = D

$$\text{Volume of the riser} = \frac{\pi D^3}{4}$$

$$\text{Surface area of the riser} = \frac{\pi D^2}{4} + \pi D^2 = 1.25 \pi D^2$$

$$\text{freezing ratio} = 0.112D$$

$$4 = \frac{\pi D^2 / 4}{3125}$$

Drawback -

(i) for each material the constant a, b, c changing
(ii) calculation of freezing ratio is difficult if the
surface of the casting is complex.

hence -

SOLUTION of the

Modulus Method:

Solidification modulus or modulus = $\frac{V}{A}$

Chvorinov's Rule:-

$$T_{ST} = C_m \left(\frac{V}{A} \right)^n$$

↓
Total solidification time.

V = volume of casting

A = Surface area of the casting

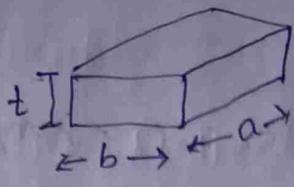
n = exponent usually taken as 2

C_m = a coefficient which depends upon
Mould material.

Ideal shape of riser is sphere.

Requirement of the riser to feed the

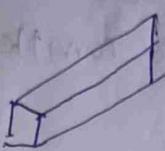
$$m_R = 7.2 M_C$$



$$M = 0.5t$$

$$a < 5t$$

Long bar:

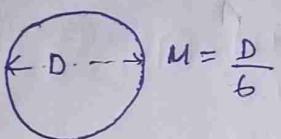


$$M = \frac{a}{2}$$

Cube: $M = D/6$

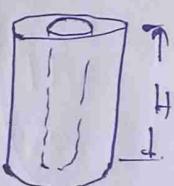
Cylinder: $M = \frac{D}{6}$

Sphere:



$$M = \frac{D}{6}$$

Hollow cylinder:



$$M = \frac{\gamma H}{2(r+R)}$$

Determine the size of a side riser for a casting of dimension $25 \times 25 \times 5$ cm using modulus method.

Volume of the casting, $V_C = 25 \times 25 \times 5 = 3125 \text{ cm}^3$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Surface area of the casting} &= 2(25 \times 25) + 4(25 \times 5) \\ &= 1750 \text{ cm}^2 \end{aligned}$$

Modulus of casting,

$$M_C = \frac{V_C}{M_C} = \frac{3125}{1750} = 1.7857$$

$$\text{Modulus of riser} = 1.2 \times M_C$$

$$= 1.2 \times 1.7857 = 2.1429$$

$$\frac{D}{6} = 2.1429$$

$$D = 12.6 \text{ cm}$$

and height $h = 12.6 \text{ cm}$ [$h = D'$]

During the casting of a certain alloy using a sand mold it took \rightarrow 165 sec for a cube casting to solidify, The cube was 50 mm on each side (i) determine the value of mould constant

(i) for the same alloy & mold selection
solidification time for a cylindrical casting
whose diameter is 30 mm & length is 45 mm

$$155 = \text{find } m \left(\frac{5\phi^3}{6 \times 10^6 F} \right)$$

$$1.15 = \left(m \times \frac{50}{63} \right)^2$$

$$(m \approx 2,32)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 T_{ST} &= 2.3 \times \left(\frac{\pi}{4} \right)^2 \\
 &\approx 2.32 \times \left(\frac{\pi \times 15^2 \times 50}{2 \times \pi \times 15 \times 50 + 2 \times 15^2} \right) \\
 &= 2.32 \left(\frac{15}{2 \times 15 + 2 \times \frac{15}{\pi}} \right) \\
 &\approx 2.32 \left(\frac{15}{2 + 2 \frac{\pi}{15}} \right)
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{parflos} = 13.38$$

Merits:-

The method is independent of the material of casting.

Element:
The modulus of casting depends on the surface area. In many cases the determination of surface area is very difficult for complex casting.

Research
Naval Research Laboratory (NRL)

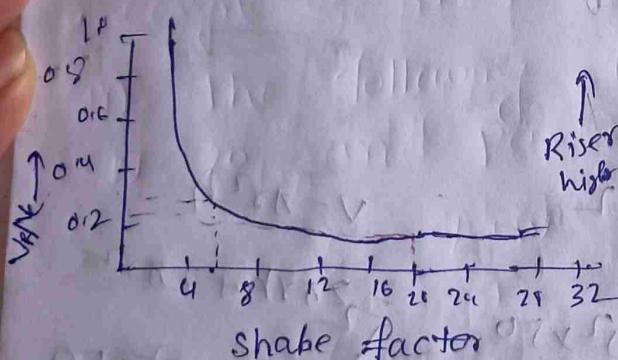
$$SF = \frac{L+W}{T}$$

L = casting length

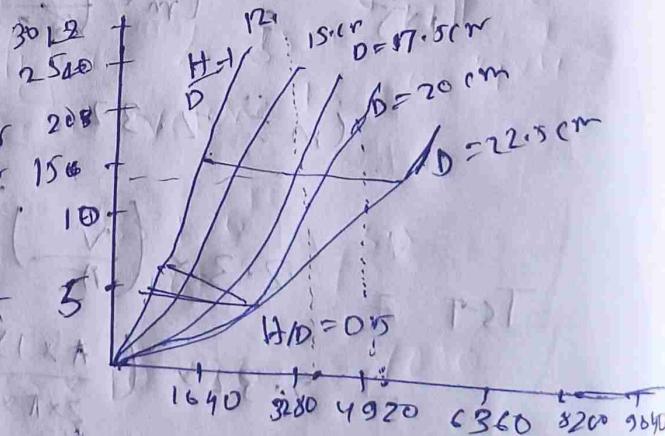
W = width

T = thickness

$$L > W > T$$



SF_2 shape factors



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Riser volume

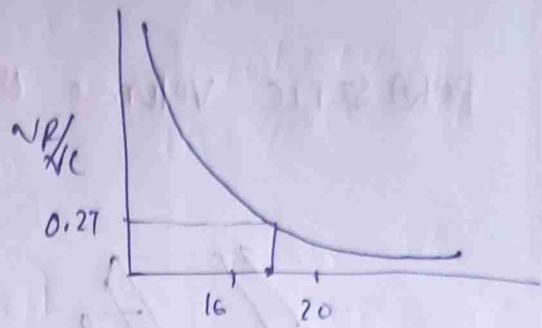
Design the top riser for a plate like casting whose dimension are $50 \times 50 \times 5$ the material of the casting is low alloy steel

$$S = \frac{50 + 50}{5} = 20.$$

casting volume = $\frac{1}{6} \pi \times 50 \times 50 \times 5$
 $= 12500 \text{ cm}^3$

~~VR vs S~~

$$\frac{VR}{\sqrt{C}} = \frac{S \times 12500}{20 \times 17500} \rightarrow 250/1000$$



$$\frac{VR}{\sqrt{C}} = \frac{VR}{\sqrt{C}} = 0.27$$

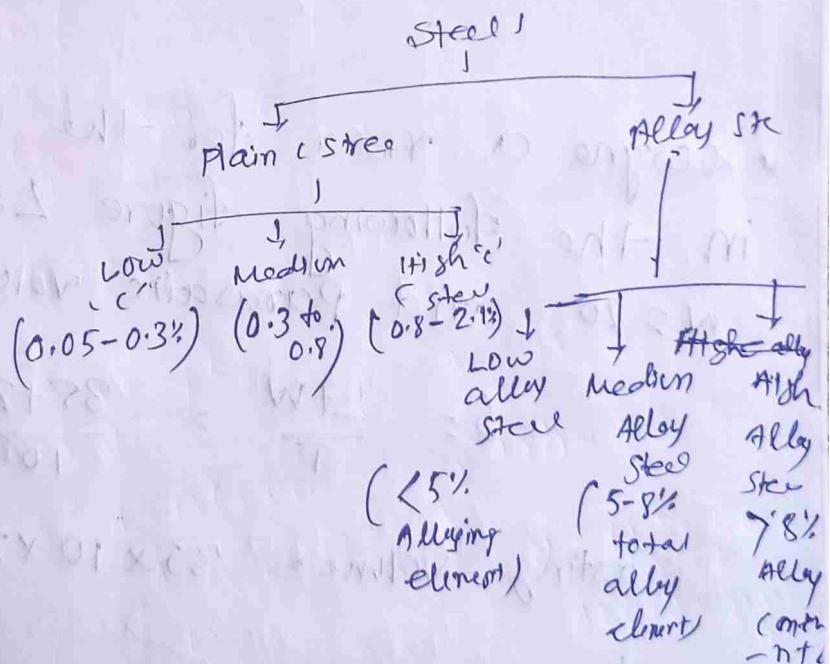
$$VR = 0.27 \times 12500$$

$$= 3375 \text{ cm}^3$$

Advantage:

Limitations:

Only application
low carbon



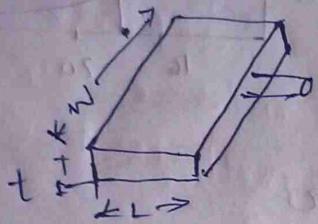
Advantage:

- The freezing ratio, like as in the case of ~~Coke~~ casting method does not come.
- (i) Surface area of the casting need not be calculated as in the case of Modulus method.
 - (ii) Most of the result can be obtained from the graph very less calculation.

(1^o) Riser dimension can be selected in different combination of the diameter & height as per the convenience.

Limitation: this method applicable only to cast iron and low alloy steels.

PARASITIC volume of NRTL Method:



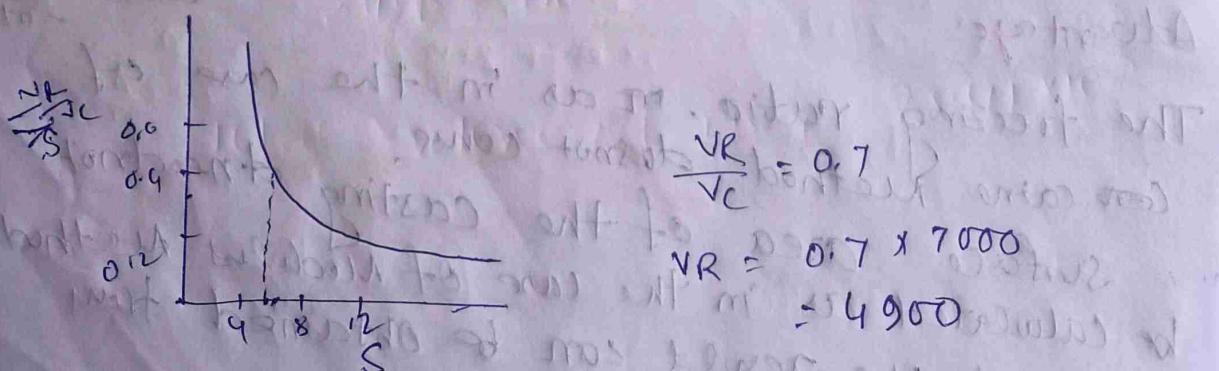
$$\begin{aligned} \text{Final riser volume} \\ = \text{Riser volume (calculated)} \\ + 30\% \text{ Parasitic volume} \end{aligned}$$

* Design a riser for the casting shown in the following figure $L=35\text{cm}$ and parasitic volume $L=20$.

$$W=20 \quad \text{and, Parasitic volume } L=20, \quad 4 \times 4 \text{ mm}$$

$$S = \frac{L+W}{T} = \frac{35+20}{10} = 5.5$$

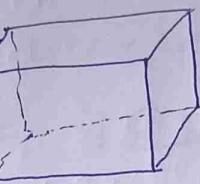
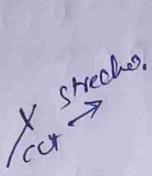
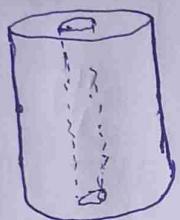
$$\text{Casting volume} = 35 \times 10 \times 20 = 7000$$



$$\begin{aligned}\text{Final riser volume} &= 4000 + [(20 \times 424) \frac{30}{T}] \\ &= 4900 + 96 \\ &= 4996\end{aligned}$$

$$D = 22.5, H = 10$$

Correction factor in NRL method:-



$$SF = \frac{L+W}{T}$$

Inner surface take more time to solidification.

$$\text{corrected safe factor} = \frac{L+W}{KT}$$

K = correction factor.

correction factor in different cases, is different.

so core diameter

core diameter	0.5T	T	2T	4.7"
correction factor	1.17	1.47	1.02	1.00

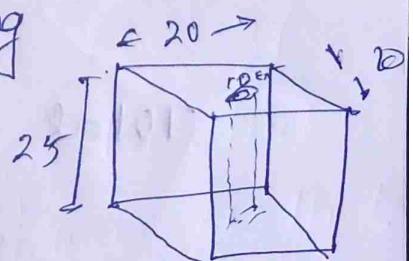
design the riser for the casting
the following figure, hole 10x10.

$$\pi r^2 = 10 \times 10$$

$$r = \frac{10}{\pi}, r = 3.14 \approx 3.14$$

$$\sin = 305 \approx 11.2$$

$$SF = \frac{L+W}{KT}, = \frac{20+20}{25 \times 1.17} = 1.36$$

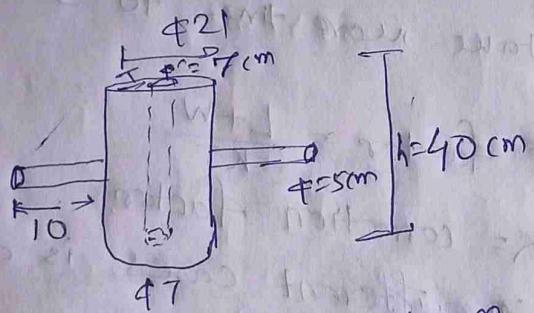
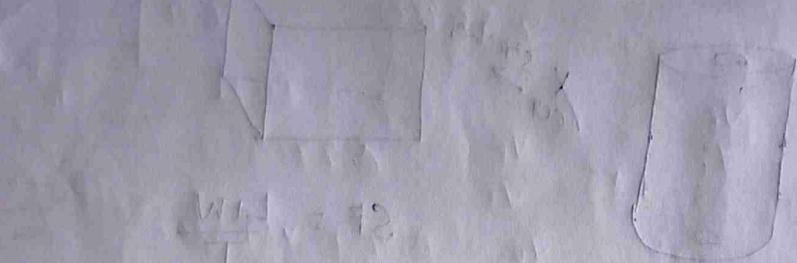


$$L = 20, W = 20, T = 25$$

60
25
(\times 1000)
SF =

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Design of riser of 100 m

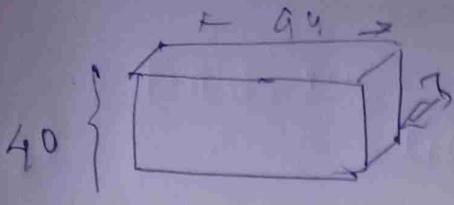


Design the riser shown in figure.

$$\text{Fin} \quad \pi r^2 h = \pi 5^2 \times 10 \\ = 250\pi = 785.39 \text{ (m)}^3$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Riser } & \pi (14)^2 \times 40 \\ \text{Volume } & = 24.63 \times 10^3 \text{ (cm}^3\text{)} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Total volume of riser} = 25.41 \times 10^3$$



$$L = \pi \times 14 \\ = 44 \text{ cm}$$

Width = 44 cm

Thickness = 7 cm

$$SF = \frac{L+W}{KT} = \frac{44+40}{1.07 \times 7} \\ = 10.52$$

$$\text{Casting volume} = 44 \times 40 \times 7 + 2785.39 \times 2 \\ = 18180 \cancel{cm^3} \quad 12320$$

$$\frac{V_R}{V_L} = 0.4$$

$$V_R = 0.4 \times 12320 \\ = 4928$$

Total Riser volume with paraffin

$$= 4928 \times 200 \left(500 \times \frac{3}{7} \right) \\ = 5300.23$$

Riser Efficiency:- is the ratio of Total feed metal available to the total volume of the metal riser.

Open cylindrical Efficiency
 < 15%

Exothermic Slits with exothermic powder addition increases upto 70%.

Maximum efficiency of riser depends on its shape & use of feed adds.

Riser efficiency can be improved by achieving directional solidification & modified its design.

* Design of open side riser without any feeding add like insulating slits, exothermic cover etc for a casting of dimension $25 \times 25 \times 5$ using modulus method check its adequacy when (a) the material of the casting is plain carbon steel

(b) The material of casting is pure aluminium.

Ans.

$$\text{Volume of the casting} = 25 \times 25 \times 5 \\ = 3125 \text{ cm}^3$$

$$\text{Surface area of casting} = 2(25 \times 25) + 4(25 \times 5) \\ = 1750 \text{ cm}^2$$

$$\text{Modulus of Casting} \quad M_C' = \frac{V_C}{M_C} = \frac{3125}{1750} = 1.787$$

$$\text{Modulus of riser} = 1.2 \times 1.787 \\ = 2.1429$$

$$\frac{D}{S} = 2.1429 \\ D = 12.6, \quad \text{height} = 12.6$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{Volume of the riser} &= 2\pi rh + 2\pi r^2 \\
 &= \frac{\pi D^3}{4} \\
 &= 1572 \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} = 2\pi \times \frac{12.6}{2} \times 12.6 + 2\pi r^2 (6.3)^2 \\ = 748.1388 \end{array} \right.
 \end{aligned}$$

For plain carbon steel.

$$\alpha(V_c + VR) = n_f \times VR \quad n_f = \frac{15\%}{(q_{eff})} = 0.15$$

$$0.04 (3125 + VR 1572) = \frac{187.8}{235.8} \text{ cc.} \quad \alpha = (2.5 - 4) \times$$

$$\text{For Al: } \frac{6.6}{TW} (3125 + 1572) = \frac{235.8}{235.8} \quad n_f = 15\% = 0.15$$

$$\frac{3125 \pi r^3}{4} = 310 \text{ cc} \quad VR = 1572$$

$\frac{3125 \pi r^3}{4} = 310 \text{ cc}$

demand of feed Metal = 310 cc

Supply = 235.8 Supply < Demand.
 Size of the riser is not adequate.

Feed metal volume:
 Little volume of liquid metal from the riser solidifies during process of feeding, hence entire volume of the riser will not be available for purpose of the feeding. ^{thus} Feeder must compensate solidification shrinkage by the following expression

$$\alpha (V_c + VR) = n_f \frac{VR}{\text{Supply}}$$

$n_f = \text{riser efficiency}$

$V_c = \text{volume of riser}$
 $VR = \text{" " " volumetric shrinkage values}$
 $\alpha = \text{" " " different with diff. metal.}$
 Vde - α
 pure Al
 Al+Si

$$\frac{6.6}{3.8}$$

Al 4.5 Cu 96.3

a 1

0.8 to 1.8

w 1

4 to 5.5

plain carbon steel

2.5 to 4

pure cu

4.5

Sn - bronze

5.5

Al - Brn

4.0

Mg

4.2

Zn

6.5

Pb

3.2

Au

5.5