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Write your answers for each question.

**[CAD]**

1. Among the roles of a CAD system in a product development cycle, which is the most important role and why?

*Design geometry. Because you can't proceed the product development cycle without well-defined geometry.*

2. List commercial CAE tools you know.

*COSMOSWorks, ANSYS, LS-Dyna, Abaqus, MADYMO, PAM-CRASH.*

*NOT: Autodesk, UG-NX, SolidWorks, CATIA, PRO-E, Delmia*

3. Describe the advantage of non-manifold modeling systems over conventional solid modeling systems.

*Conventional solid modeling systems only allow complete modeling, not allow partial modeling. However non-manifold modeling makes all the combination of solid / surface / wireframe modeling.*

4. Answer the following questions for a non-periodic B-spline curve of order 3 defined by control

points,  $\mathbf{P}_0, \mathbf{P}_1, \mathbf{P}_2, \mathbf{P}_3$ .

(a) Determine the knot values.  $t_0=0, t_1=0, t_2=0, t_3=1, t_4=2, t_5=2, t_6=2$

(b) How many different curves is the B-spline curve composed of? *2 curves*

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5. For **injection molding**, describe potential change in original design from the view point of **Design for Manufacturing**. In other words, what would you consider in redesigning if the manufacturing process is decided to be injection molding.

- *Draft angle: if the angle of wall is smaller than 0, the manufactured part cannot be pulled out from the mold house.*

- *Shrinkage: after cooling, the entire product volumes are decreased by material's properties.*

6. Explain the following terminology in the **CAM (Computer-Aided Manufacturing)**.

- Face cut (or Facing):

*Milling of flat plane of part, for the accuracy of plane.*

- Rough cut (or roughing):

*Machining entire roughly shape of part with low accuracy*

- Finish cut (or finishing):

*Machining the part with high accuracy for the final design.*

7. Describe advantages and disadvantages of **Rapid Prototyping technology** compared with **conventional CNC machining (milling) technology**.

*Pros: Able to make complex geometry*

*Able to work without zigs or fixtures*

*Able to make with undercut volume in the deposition direction*

*Cons: more expensive than conventional CNC machining*

*Selective materials are limited.*

