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Technical Skills

- Exotic Alloy castings development for grades C12A, 4A, 5A, 6A, Monel, CW6MC, CU5MCuC, CW12MW, CW2M, N7M, CK3MCuN, CN3MCu, CB7Cu-1
- Casting quality Improvements through Process Control in Molding (Sodium Silicate, No-Bake), Melting, Knock out, Cutting, Heat Treatment and Welding
- Experience in metal Refining (Induction furnace, Ladle Refining, Wire injection and Vacuum De-gassing)
- Failure and Metallurgical investigation by OM, SEM, EDAX, XRD etc.,
- Material Development for special requirements like corrosion and Mechanical properties (Sub Zero impact 40J at -50°C and 80J at -35°C in WC9/1.7379, 27J at -20°C in WC6/1.7357, 30J at -41°C in C5/1.7365, 20J at -34°C in C12A, G48 Pitting Corrosion at 50C for 72 hrs in CK3MCuN, CW6MC)

International Publications

- **Published Two Technical Papers in ISIJ International “Iron and Steel Institute of Japan” on**
 - 1) **Modeling of Slag Eye Area in Argon Stirred Ladles - Vol.50 (2010), No.11.**
 - **Authors:** M.Peranandhanathan and Dipak Mazumdar
 - 2) **Mixing Models for Slag Covered, Argon Stirred Ladles - Vol.50 (2010), No.8.**
 - **Authors:** S.P. PATIL, D.Satish, M.Peranandhanathan and D.Mazumdar

Academic profile

| Degree | Specialization | Institution/School | Month & Year | Performance |
|-------------------------|---|---|--------------|-------------|
| M.Tech | Materials and Metallurgical Engineering | Indian Institute of Technology- Kanpur | Jan-2010 | 9.0/10 |
| B.E | Metallurgical Engineering | Government College of Engineering, Salem | April-2006 | 77.63% |
| Higher Secondary | Math's & Computer Science | Nyruthi Higher Secondary School, Tiruppur | March-2002 | 89.58% |
| S.S.L.C | Math's and Science | K.V.K Govt Higher Sec School, P.Puliampatti | March-2000 | 70% |

Work Experience

1. Organization : Arihant Technocast Pvt Ltd(ATPL),Coimbatore,Tamilnadu, India.

Designation : Production Manager (Metallurgist)
Area of Work : Production, Metallurgy and Process Control
Duration : 12-Dec-2016 to 20-Apr-2019
Job Profile : Foundry Metallurgist

Responsibilities:

I. Process Establishment and Team Development:

- Process Establishment and Team Developing for Brand New Foundry from 0.5 ton to 50 ton
 - Established PEPSET (3 part : No-bake Moulding system with Auto loop line) to achieve upto of 52 moulds in 8 hrs shift with **Manhour/ton of 40** starting from Core making to Closing with average casting 40 Kg
 - i. 30 ton mixer with PLC controlled compaction with the complete setup of Booster plate
 - ii. Optimized the resin consumption through proper selection of raw Materials (Total Resin+Binder+ Catalyst 0.9%)
 - iii. Auto Roll over for stripping of mould after predefined time controlled by PLC
 - iv. Flow Coat and DIP coat painting station for coating of mould and cores with uniform coating thickness with a 125-178 Micron
 - v. Auto closer for positing of cope and drag in mould closing consistently with “Matching Bro Assembly”
 - Established Coldbox Core Making (3 part Amine Cured Core) with **Manhour/ton 10**
 - i. Core weight upto 100 kg produced with full solid/ two half ready for Critical Knife gate body, Pumps and valve casting
 - ii. Establishing the tooling for selection of vent for complete filling of cores in the intricate deep recess location
 - Established Shell Mould and Shell Core Making with Manhour/Ton of 45, with casting weight 18 kg
 - Established Bottom pouring even for mould weight 25kg
 - Established Tundish pouring to avoid double stopper pouring for optimize the flow
 - Established Hot Knock out followed by water or air quenching for exotic alloys like Duplex, Super duplex, Super Austenitic stainless steel
 - Established Hot knock out followed by loading and heat treatment at higher temperature for Super Duplex Pump casing
 - Developed complete team of employees without foundry back ground through training and Motivation

II. Regular Activities:

- Monthly Material Planning and Execution
- Daily Heat wise production planning (Moulding, Melting, Process and metallurgy control)
- Cutting, Heat treatment and Dispatch planning and Production
- Man-Power recruitment for shop floor activities
- Attendance maintenance and salary preparation for Contract employees
- Continuous Process monitoring, Training to work force in Shop Floor meeting

2. Organization : L&T Valves, Coimbatore, Tamilnadu, India.

Designation : Assistant Manager
Area of Work : QA-Metallurgist
Duration : Since 21-Mar-2015
Job Profile : Foundry Metallurgist

Responsibilities:

I. Foundry Development for Exotic Alloy Castings:

- Exotic Alloy development with LTVL approved vendor through Complete training, Witness and walk through on casting manufacturing process
 - Melting Charge preparation, Charging Sequence, Aim chemical composition finalizing, De-Oxidation addition
 - Suggestion on Pouring and Tapping temperature
 - Knock out temperature preference (Hot Knock out and Slow cooling)
 - Cutting Process selection (Arc cutting/ gas cutting, intermediate heat treatment before cutting, Pre-heating requirement during cutting)
 - Fine tuning of molding parameters for CO2 and No-bake 2 part process
 - Heat treatment parameters selection (Rate of heating, Soaking Temperature, Soaking Time, Selection of Thermocouple, Cooling medium)
 - Weld rod selection, Welding precaution (Preheat temperature, Inter-pass temperature, Electrode selection)
- Successfully developed
 - CW6MC in “**Auto Shell, Coimbatore**” through training and Witness pouring
 - Monel M35-1 in “**Shaw Precicast- Sangli**” through Technical Training
 - C12A Development in “**Veeyes Foundry-Coimbatore**” through Technical training and Witness Pouring
 - C5 and C12 development in **Jsons Foundry, Sangli** and **SVE Castings, Bellary** through failure analysis, Witness pouring, modification of melting charge, De-oxidation practice, Pouring and tapping temperature.

II. Vendor Quality Improvement through Process Modification:

- Grade 4A re-work reduction through Process improvement in “**Peekay Steels Calicut**”
- Stainless steels Weld Rod consumption reduction in “**Madura Steels, Dingidual**”
- Mechanical failure for Grade C12 in Peekay steels Calicut

III. Special Projects (Identification, Development and Approval of New vendor):

- C12A, C12 and C5 Process Development in L&T approved Foundries
- Identifying New Foundry Source for C12A, C12 and C5 (Star Wire - Ballabgarh, PTC – Lucknow, Flow Link System, Coimbatore, Peekay Steels- Coimbatore)
- In-house Casting Rework reduction through failure analysis and Technical training to foundries
- Failure analysis in castings and Guiding foundries on 8D Technique for CAPA

IV. Regular Activities:

- QMS Audit, Process audit, improvement and Customer approval for Foundries
- New Foundry Approval for Vendor development on Exotic Alloys
- TDC preparation for casting procurement, Special material, MESC specification

3. Organization : Emirates Techno Casting, Pentair, HFZ- Sharjah, UAE.

Designation : Plant Metallurgist
Area of Work : Quality Assurance
Duration : 16-July-2013 to 28-Feb-2015
Job Profile : Foundry Metallurgist and Process control Team member

Responsibilities:

I. New Product Development Activities:

- Metallurgical Feasibility study and new product development for customer specific requirement (Ex: Carbon, Low alloy, Stainless steels and Nickel alloys)
- Formulating Process flow and Standard Operating Procedure for metallurgical process (Ex: Melting, Heat treatment, Pickling, Welding and Fettling processes)
- Establishing raw-material inspection procedure for quality and process improvement
- Metallurgical suggestion on raw material procurement to meet specific chemical requirement

II. Process Improvement Activities:

- Root cause analysis and Corrective measure for non-conformed product through failure analysis using OEM, SEM
- Quality improvements through process Analysis and modification (De-oxidation practice, Heat treatment, cutting and fettling)
- Conducting Technical (Metallurgical) training to operators and supervisor.
- Walk through of complete manufacturing process for critical material/Product for material development and process optimization

III. Special Project in Metallurgy:

- Reduction of surface cracking on CW6MC through failure analysis and Process modification Using SEM
- Analysis on effect of Calcium silicide wire injection against the lumps addition through inclusion analysis using OEM and SEM
- Failure analysis on inclusion related defect, through Digital Microscope, OEM and SEM
- Successfully developed special requirement on C12A like less than 2% Tempered Martensite, Cr equiv < 10, X-bar < 15, impact 40J at 6 °C
- Established Coil Pre-heating for welding of heavy section casting
- Developed Low temperature properties with Chrome-Moly alloy steel i.e., 40J at -50°C and 80J at -35°C in WC9/1.7379, 27J at -20°C in WC6/1.7357, 30J at -41°C in C5/1.7365
- Developed Business partner relationship with Sharjah University for utilizing SEM and XRD facilities for failure analysis, R&D activities
- Strengthened in-house laboratory Microscopic analysis, with development of etchant for different materials through literature survey
- Technical review of NORSOK QTR Documentation requirement on Duplex stainless steel for STATOIL Approval
- Reducing the gas porosity in 22 Chromium Duplex stainless(Grade 4A) steel
- Improving the G48 Pitting corrosion at 50°C for 24 hrs in Grade 4A, 50°C for 72 hrs in CK3MCuN, CW6MC
- Supported NABL (ISO 17025) approval for In-house Corrosion testing

4. Organization : Sanmar Foundries Limited, Trichy, India

Designation : Executive Manager
Area of Work : Development-Metallurgy
Duration : 07-July-2010 to 06-July 2013
Job profile : Metallurgist

Responsibilities:

I. Product Development Activities:

- Conducting Metallurgical Feasibility study for manufacturability of New alloy (Ex: Carbon, Low alloy & Stainless steels and Nickel base alloys)
- Charge and Cost Calculation for New alloy Manufacturing
- Formulating Process flow and Standard Operating Procedure for metallurgical process (Ex: Melting, Heat treatment, Pickling, Welding and Fettling processes)

II. Process Improvement Activities:

- Process Audit of the Metallurgical activity
- Process capability study on Metallurgical processes
- Root cause analysis for Metallurgical failures
- Formulating internal chemistry for achieving the Material specific properties, ease manufacturability.

III. Special Alloy Developing and Manufacturing:

| S.No | Iron Base Alloys | Nickel base alloys |
|------|--|--------------------|
| 1 | Carbon and Low alloy Steel | Ni-Cu Alloys |
| 2 | Austenitic Stainless Steel | Ni-Cr-Mo Alloys |
| 3 | Duplex Stainless Steel | Ni-Cr-Fe Alloys |
| 4 | Precipitation Hardened Stainless steel | Ni-Mo Alloys |

IV. Special Project in Metallurgy:

- Developed Linear optimization program for preparing Cost calculation of melting charge
- Developing new process for metallurgical improvements.
- Returns reduction through Carbon boiling in Carbon steel with Induction melting furnace
- Improving the OTD in Exotic and Nickel base alloys by walk through of casting manufacturing process

5. Organization : Iron and Steel Research Laboratory, IIT-Kanpur.

Designation : Research Associate
Area of Work : Modeling of Steel Making
Duration : 01-02-2010 to 31-04-2010

Responsibilities:

- Developed a Mixing Models for Slag Covered, Argon Stirred Ladles through multiple linear regressions using Solver in Excel.

6. Organization : Southern Iron and Steel Company Limited (JSW), Mettur, India.

Designation : Graduate Engineering Trainee
Area of Work : Ladle Refining Furnace (Operation)
Duration : August 2006-July 2007
Job profile : Melting In-charge

Responsibilities:

- Meeting customer requirement of the melt in terms of Chemical Composition and Mechanical Properties for 65 different kinds of low alloy and structural Steels
- Producing clean steel through secondary refining process of Ladle Refining, De-Sulphurisation, Vacuum De-Gassing to improve billet quality and Castability

Academic Projects

M.Tech Thesis

Advisor: Dr.Dipak Mazumdar, IIT Kanpur

➤ Slag Eye Area: Measurement and Correlation

- Developed a model to predict the slag eye area (to minimize the alloy-reoxidation, inclusion formation, oxygen pickup and slag entrapment)

B.E Project

Advisor: Prof.P.G.Venkata krishnan, GCE, Salem

➤ Internal soundness correlation of Spheriodized Graphite cast iron between X-ray radioscopy, Gamma radiography and ultrasonic testing

- Qualitative comparison of these techniques using Analysis of Variance, based on shape intricacy, cost and time factor

Conference Presentation

- Presented a Technical Paper on “Eye Area in Argon Stirred Ladles” in the IIM conference in Kolkata in 2010 and Won First Prize.

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References

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