

# **Machinist with CNC**

# **Trades Safety: Getting Started**

#### **Objectives:**

- · List the physical hazards associated with chemicals and describe how to avoid them
- Name several electrical shock hazards and the techniques used to prevent shocks
- · List the steps in a lockout/tagout procedure
- Explain the importance of machine guarding, and name several types of machine guards
- · Name the five classes of fire and how to extinguish each of them
- Describe the proper technique used to manually lift a heavy load
- · Explain how to avoid hand injuries when using hand and power tools
- · List some of the hazards involved in welding and hot cutting operations and how to prevent them
- · Explain how job analysis and ergonomics are used to improve the workplace
- Explain the importance of using personal protective equipment (PPE)
- Name the agencies and organizations that make and enforce safety

# **Working Safely with Chemicals**

#### **Objectives:**

- Recognize the different ways in which a chemical can cause you physical injury
- · Name the paths of entry along which chemicals enter your body
- Describe the basic types of injuries caused by chemicals
- · Identify potential chemical hazards in the workplace
- · Describe how to identify, store, and label hazardous chemicals
- · List several methods used to prevent chemical accidents
- Explain why proper training is important to chemical handling
- · Describe the types of personal protective equipment used when handling chemicals
- · Explain the role of government agencies in enforcing chemical regulations

# **Fire Safety**

- · Describe the types of property losses and injuries associated with fires
- Explain how fires are ignited
- · Identify the five classes of fire
- Describe the primary fire hazards found in the workplace
- · Explain the various ways in which fires can be prevented
- · Describe the operation of several different fixed fire protection systems
- · Identify the proper type of portable fire extinguisher to use on a fire
- · Describe the operation of several different types of fire extinguishers
- · Explain how to defend yourself and others in a fire situation
- · Describe how to evacuate a burning building in a safe manner

# Safe Handling of Pressurized Gases and Welding

#### **Objectives:**

- · Identify common welding gases and the hazards associated with each of them
- Safely handle and store different types of gas cylinders
- · Recognize the safety considerations involved in the setup and operation of electric arc-welding equipment
- Explain how to safely set up and operate a basic gas welding rig
- Identify welding equipment malfunctions and take corrective action
- Utilize fire prevention and protection methods specific to welding operations
- · Discuss the importance of the hot-work-permit program in your facility
- Explain the correct use of protective clothing and equipment for welding
- Understand the importance of proper ventilation when welding
- · Describe how to effectively deal with confined spaces when performing welding operations

# **Advanced Electrical Safety**

#### **Objectives:**

- Explain how electricity can harm you and property
- · Discuss the importance of using quality electrical components
- · Describe why it's important to properly ground electrical installations
- Understand the type of equipment used in hazardous locations
- List the safety practices required when performing electrical work
- · Discuss the importance of workspace clearance around electrical enclosures

# **Material-Handling Safety**

- Recognize the hazards associated with handling materials
- · Know the types of injuries that can be caused by these hazards
- Understand how to effectively use safe material-handling practices
- Know how to avoid physical injury when handling loads
- · Identify the parts of a powered lift truck and similar mechanized material-handling equipment
- Explain how to operate various types of mechanized material-handling equipment safely
- Know and follow the rules for safe operation of powered industrial material-handling equipment
- Understand and respect the limits and restrictions placed on powered material handling mechanisms

# **Machine Safety**

#### **Objectives:**

- Recognize the basic machine motions that can present a hazard to you
- Recognize the types of machinery most likely to be hazardous to you
- · Understand the types of injuries caused by accidents commonly associated with unsafe machine-operating procedures
- Discuss the importance of machine guarding and how to incorporate methods of guarding to avoid physical injury
- Recognize the types of machine guards commonly used in industry
- · Control various forms of hazardous machine energy through the use of lockout/ tagout procedures
- · Understand how and why to properly use personal protective equipment for added protection when operating industrial equipment

# **Addition and Subtraction**

#### **Objectives:**

- Define the following terms: whole number, numeral, digit, decimal, place value, addend, sum, minuend, subtrahend, and difference
- Properly place commas in large numbers
- Explain the significance of the digit zero in a number
- Differentiate between concrete and abstract numbers
- Properly prepare numbers for addition and subtraction
- Perform addition and subtraction on numbers
- Check your answers to both addition and subtraction problems
- · Use a calculator to add and subtract numbers

# **Multiplication and Division**

- Define the following terms: factor, multiplicand, multiplier, partial product, product, dividend, divisor, quotient, and remainder
- Recognize the various signs used for multiplication and division
- Properly prepare numbers for multiplication and division
- · Perform multiplication and division on whole numbers, decimal numbers, and mixed decimal numbers
- · Check your answers to both multiplication and division problems
- Find the average of a group of numbers
- Use a calculator to multiply and divide numbers

# Fractions, Percents, Proportions, and Angles

#### **Objectives:**

- Define the following terms: fraction, proper fraction, improper fraction, lowest common denominator, percent, ratio, and proportion
- Add, subtract, multiply, and divide fractions
- · Change fractions to decimals and decimals to fractions
- Solve problems involving percent
- Work with ratios and equivalent ratios
- Solve proportion problems
- Use a protractor to measure angles
- Lay out templates for checking angles
- Use a calculator to solve percent problems, to convert fractions to decimals, and to calculate missing terms in proportions

# **Metric System**

#### **Objectives:**

- · Name the base units most commonly used in the metric system and identify what they're used to measure
- · Identify metric prefixes and their values
- · Apply conversion factors to create a unit that's larger or smaller than the base unit
- Estimate lengths in metric units
- Express temperature in degrees Celsius
- Define the terms mass, density, force, torque, and pressure, and identify the metric units used to measure each one
- Use a conversion table to convert metric units to English units and English units to metric units
- · Use a calculator to perform metric conversions

# Formulas

- Explain the use of variables in formulas
- Prepare and use formulas to solve problems
- Use formulas to calculate the perimeter of a triangle and a rectangle, and the area of a triangle, a rectangle, and a circle
- Use formulas to calculate distance, current in a circuit, and the volume of a pyramid and a sphere
- Use a calculator to find square roots and solve formulas
- · Substitute given numerical values for letters in a formula and find the unknown quantity
- Transform and solve equations and formulas

# Introduction to Algebra

#### **Objectives:**

- Explain the difference between positive and negative numbers and their uses
- Perform basic arithmetic operations with signed numbers
- Raise a number to any power
- · Use the order of operations for solving problems involving multiple operations
- · Define the following words: term, constant, coefficient, exponent, monomial, trinomial, and polynomial
- · Identify and combine like terms in an expression
- · Perform basic arithmetic operations with signed terms
- Multiply and divide terms containing exponents n
- Remove parentheses from an expression and simplify the expression

# **Applied Geometry**

#### **Objectives:**

- · Identify properties and types of angles and figures
- Distinguish between common geometric solids
- · Use the Pythagorean theorem to solve triangles
- · Calculate the perimeter and area of polygons, circles, and ellipses
- · Determine the surface area and volume of commonly encountered geometric solids

# **Practical Trigonometry**

#### **Objectives:**

- · Define and compute the value of trigonometric functions such as cosine, sine, tangent, and others
- Use trigonometric functions to find the lengths of sides and angles in right and oblique triangles
- Understand trigonometric functions as they relate to waves
- Solve practical problems using trigonometry

# **Introduction to Print Reading**

#### **Objectives:**

- · Identify the various kinds of lines used on drawings
- · Compare and contrast the various types of drawings
- Relate the information given in the title block and bill of material to the drawing
- · Define different types of scales used on drawings
- · Identify the different views used on drawings

# **Reading Shop Prints, Part 1**

- · Properly interpret working drawings (including dimensions and tolerances)
- Interpret symbols, notes, and specification
- Identify material requirements
- · Interpret drawings to determine the proper procedure to make the part

# **Reading Shop Prints, Part 2**

#### **Objectives:**

- Read and properly interpret various shop prints
- Interpret and use cam prints
- Interpret and use gear prints
- Read and understand an assembly drawing and bill of materials
- Read simple sheet metal drawings

# Dimensioning

#### **Objectives:**

- · Identify the height, width, and length dimensions of a drawing
- Interpret dimensions on angles, arcs, fillets, rounds, holes, and chamfers
- Interpret the surface finish symbols for roughness, waviness, and lay

# **Tolerancing and Symbols**

#### **Objectives:**

- Tell the position method from the bracket method of dual dimensioning
- Identify the three general classes of fit
- Interpret unilateral and bilateral tolerances
- Interpret the various symbols and notations used on drawings

# **Sectional Views and Simplified Drafting**

#### **Objectives:**

- Tell one type of section from another
- Interpret the various types of sections
- Interpret drawings using simplified drafting methods

# **Bench Work Part 1**

- Familiarize yourself with the nature of bench work
- Familiarize yourself with wrenches, hammers, pliers, and screwdrivers
- Familiarize yourself with punches, twist drills, reamers, and broaches
- Familiarize yourself with saws, chisels, and snips
- Familiarize yourself with finishing and grinding tools

# Bench Work Part 2

#### **Objectives:**

- · Identify threaded fasteners
- Describe thread systems
- Describe hole preparation for threaded fasteners
- Identify mechanical fasteners
- Describe rivets
- Describe keys
- Describe pins
- Familiarize yourself with threading with hand tools

# **Bench Work Part 3**

#### **Objectives:**

- Describe tolerance, allowance, clearance, and fit
- Describe installation of machine components
- Describe babbitting
- Familiarize yourself with cutoff saws
- Familiarize yourself with soldering
- Familiarize yourself with brazing

# **Precision Measuring Instruments Part 1**

#### **Objectives:**

- Explain the difference between accuracy and precision
- Define standard, the Rule of 10, and traceability
- Describe Abbe's error
- Describe how to use a number of tools for measuring dimensions
- Read a vernier scale
- · Demonstrate the skill to work with both English and metric dimensions and with their abbreviations
- Convert between millimeters and inches

# Precision Measuring Instruments, Part 2

- Properly read standard and metric micrometers
- Read a vernier micrometer
- Choose special micrometers appropriately for various measuring tasks
- · Recognize five kinds of depth and height gages and demonstrate the ability to read a depth gage
- · Read the scale on a vernier bevel protractor
- Explain the uses of many kinds of indicators and gages in shopwork
- · Describe how to minimize cosine error when using dial test indicators

# Precision Measuring Instruments, Part 3

#### **Objectives:**

- · Explain the use of optical comparators and toolmaker's microscopes
- Recognize the setup and operation of an optical alignment system—including laser and alignment telescopes
- Understand the use of digital readout gauges, and the use of both absolute and incremental measuring
- Recognize the uses for in-process and post-process gauging, including video inspection and CNC tool presetters
- Understand the use of hardness testers and video material testing
- · Recognize the uses for modern nondestructive material testing, including magnetic particle inspection and ultrasonic testing

### **Linear Distance and Measurement**

#### **Objectives:**

- · Measure using both English and metric units of length
- · Calculate the perimeters of rectangles, squares, and triangles
- · Calculate the areas of objects such as rooms or machine bases
- · Calculate the circumference of circular objects such as pipes or tanks
- · Measure distances using rigid and flexible rules, thickness gages, and screw pitch gages
- · Make precise measurements using vernier calipers and micrometers

### Jobs, Companies, and the Economy–Basic Concepts for the Employee

#### **Objectives:**

- · Conclude how the economy will affect you as a consumer and as an employee
- · Explain the concept of competition and how a business must react to market demands
- · Evaluate how government policies affect the amount of saving and investing within an economy
- · Defend the use of a flexible and empowered workforce in making a business more competitive
- Explain various economic measuring tools such as the inflation rate, the unemployment rate, and the GDP
- · Appraise the current status of American labor in general and the status of American labor unions in particular
- · Recognize how you as an employee or as an employer must compete in an increasingly international marketplace

# **Quality Concepts: Terminology**

- · Define quality and total quality management, using examples
- Describe how quality has evolved to where it is today
- · Explain several motivations for quality improvement
- Describe how quality-conscious organizations have changed for the better
- · Assess quality-consciousness in individuals and organizations
- Explain how some familiar business practices have led to TQM and how certain other common practices have gotten in the way of TQM
- Name some successful results of TQM programs

# **Metal Processing**

#### **Objectives:**

- · Identify industrial metals by their names and chemical symbols
- Define in basic terms the characteristics and properties of metals
- Explain the various metal-processing methods used in producing industrial metals
- · Explain how metals are extracted from their ores found in the earth and then refined

# **Ferrous Metals**

#### **Objectives:**

- · Identify the features of a blast furnace
- Recognize cast irons by their fractures and other properties
- · Describe the major steelmaking processes
- · Discuss the hot-working and cold-working methods used to shape steel
- · Classify the types of steel, according to both processing method and carbon content
- Relate certain grade numbers to the types of steel they identify

### **Nonferrous Metals**

#### **Objectives:**

- · Explain how the various metals are extracted from their ores
- · Describe how the addition of certain elements affects the mechanical properties of the base metals
- · Select the metal alloy most suitable for a given job
- Recognize whether a copper alloy is a brass or a bronze

### **Identification of Metals**

#### **Objectives:**

- · Identify a metal by making a file test, magnetic test, temperature test, chip test, or spark test
- Find the hardness of a metal, by using a Brinell, Rockwell, monotron, Vickers, Herbert-pendulum, or scleroscope hardness-testing machine

# Practical Shop Math (Part I)

#### **Objectives:**

• Add, subtract, multiply, and divide fractions and decimal values of whole units such as inches and feet Derive the square root of fractions and decimals

- · Compute a machine drive ratio for a given speed
- · Make calculations using the metric, or SI, system of measurement

# Practical Shop Math (Part II)

- · Compute the areas of rectangles, triangles, circles, parallelograms, and other common shapes
- · Compute the volumes of solid figures such as cubes, cylinders, cones, rectangles, and combinations of these
- · Use the principles of geometry and trigonometry to lay out and solve various kinds of triangles and their parts
- Plot coordinates of a point using both the rectangular (Cartesian) and the polar systems

# **Practical Shop Measurement**

#### **Objectives:**

- Use a steel rule to measure the length of a part in inches or millimeters
- Measure the sizes of parts to 1/1000 inch using a vernier caliper
- Use a micrometer to measure diameters and thicknesses of workpieces
- Make angular measurements using various instruments

# **Safe Shop Practices**

#### **Objectives:**

- · List the proper safety equipment to be worn when performing machine shop tasks
- State the environmental hazards most commonly encountered in a machine shop
- · State the method used to remove stock from a workpiece mounted in a lathe, milling machine, and drill press
- · Name at least one method used to protect the worker from harmful fumes when cutting fluids are used

### **Properties and Classifications of Metals**

#### **Objectives:**

- Understand the four basic methods of manufacturing iron and steel
- Discuss the fundamental properties of metals
- · Recognize standard identification of various steels and alloys
- · Know the characteristics and applications of particular steels and alloys
- · Realize the effects and limitations of heat treatment
- Be familiar with materials testing methods
- · Differentiate between hot-working and cold-working metal processes

# Using Shop Drawings and Process and Routing Sheets (Part I)

#### **Objectives:**

- Understand the uses of industrial blueprints
- · Recognize surfaces, object lines, and object points on a blueprint
- Recognize front, top, and right-side views of an object
- · Identify lines on a drawing and explain their use
- · Read and understand sectional views and apply information from them to other views
- · Identify and read auxiliary and double auxiliary lines
- Understand tolerances and apply them to dimensions, and read different tolerancing systems

# Using Shop Drawings and Process and Routing Sheets (Part II)

- · Recognize and read a geometric drawing
- · Understand variations used on geometric drawings
- · Locate and correctly read a drawing block, and apply its information to a drawing
- · Recognize and read a process sheet, and use the information it contains
- Understand the baseline dimensioning system
- · Understand the Cartesian coordinate system
- · Understand the fixed or floating zero system

# Layout

#### **Objectives:**

- Prepare a work surface and know the types and uses of layout compounds
- · Identify and use common layout tools
- Identify and use measuring instruments used in a layout
- Identify and use precision layout tools
- Perform basic layout operations and construct various geometric shapes

# Metal Cutting and Machine Tooling (Part I)

#### **Objectives:**

- · Identify a variety of cutting tools
- Understand how a cutting tool cuts and separates material by using the three kinds of cutting edges
- · Identify the three major types of chips a cutting tool produces
- Know the key parts of a twist drill
- · Describe the applications of a counterbore, countersink, and combination countersink/centerdrill
- Understand the differences between reamers for machine and hand use
- Explain the differences between taps used for hand tapping and machine tapping methods
- · Describe the dies used to produce threads by both hand and machine methods
- · Identify the different machine attachments and tooling components needed for tap and die threading on production machinery

# Metal Cutting and Machine Tooling (Part II)

#### **Objectives:**

- Define the major parts of a lathe tool bit
- · Identify numerous turning, boring, and milling tools shown in this module
- Describe the different styles of end mills available
- · Identify the different horizontal end mills
- Explain the difference between the mounting methods used for horizontal and end mill style cutters
- Understand the differences among the various cutting tool materials used
- · Describe the reasons for using a tool coating on a cutting tool or cutting insert
- Describe the effects that coolants have on the cutting point n
- Identify the major methods of applying cutting fluids

# Metal Cutting Machinery (Part I)

- · Identify numerous machine tools described in this module and identify their important operating parts
- Describe the major accessories and work holders used on drilling machines
- Explain the difference between horizontal and vertical milling machines
- · Describe the different types of horizontal and vertical milling machines available
- Understand numerical control and computer numerical control of machine tools and differentiate between the two methods
- Distinguish a machining center from an ordinary milling machine
- Understand the differences among the four designs of automatic tool changers

# Metal Cutting Machinery (Part II)

#### **Objectives:**

- Be familiar with basic lathe construction
- Describe the manual and automated turning machines used by industry
- · Recognize the uses of turning centers for mass-production applications
- · Differentiate between the bar and chucking types of automatic screw machines
- · Identify some of the accessories and workholders used with turning machines
- · Know the differences between the horizontal and vertical band saw configurations
- · Interpret the different tooth styles of band saws and the applications for each style
- Understand conventional and vertical band saw cutting operations
- Explain the circular cold sawing, abrasive cutting, and friction sawing techniques

# **Fundamentals of Grinding**

#### **Objectives:**

- · Explain the differences among the types of abrasives and bonds
- · Define structure in terms of how it applies to the grinding process
- Recognize Standard Marking System symbols to choose the correct grinding wheel
- Know the major wheel types by shape and list specific applications for each
- · Describe how to put a grinding wheel into operation and keep it in good working order
- Be familiar with the various types of grinding fluids, what they're used for, and the different methods of applying them
- · List uses and nomenclature associated with utility grinders, surface grinders, and cylindrical grinders
- · Know various safe practices when using grinders

# **CNC Machine Tool Features and Advantages**

#### **Objectives:**

- · List the most common machines adapted to computer numerical control
- · Describe how CNC machines operate and what processes they're capable of performing
- List advantages of CNC over manual control
- Name various CNC components and describe what each does
- Explain the function of a feedback device
- · Understand the Cartesian coordinate system of measurement
- Define tool length compensation and describe the process of zeroing a CNC machine
- · Know safe practices when operating CNC machines
- · Be familiar with the job responsibilities of people involved in CNC operations

# **Drilling**, Part 1

- · Recognize and use basic drilling equipment and components
- Identify and use various types of drill tools
- · Explain how to set up various workpieces on a drill press
- · Understand how to recondition drilling tools and maintain equipment

# Drilling, Part 2

#### **Objectives:**

- Explain how to set up more complex drilling equipment
- · Select and use various types of auxilliary tools with drill equipment
- Set up more advanced work on a drill press
- Select and modify drills for different materials and cutting conditions
- Determine the correct speeds, feeds, and coolant for a given operation
- Diagnose quality, tolerance, and tool-life problems, and find solutions for them

# Lubrication, Part 1

#### **Objectives:**

- Describe the various types of friction
- · Discuss how materials wear
- List the various functions lubricants perform in industry
- Explain how lubricants reduce friction
- · Classify lubricants depending upon their composition, properties, and additives
- Understand why certain lubricants are chosen for certain tasks
- · Explain how to safely handle and store lubricants

# Lubrication, Part 2

#### **Objectives:**

- · Explain how to manually apply various types of lubricants in an industrial environment
- Describe total-loss lubrication
- · Identify a nonloss lubrication system's components and describe their operation
- Explain how to maintain a nonloss lubrication system
- Identify the proper lubrication procedures to use for special industrial applications including sealed bearings, oil-impregnated bearings, and food-processing plants
- Explain how lubricant-conditioning systems work and how to maintain them
- Describe how automatic lubrication systems work and how to maintain them
- · List the tasks involved in preventive and predictive lubrication maintenance

# **Milling Machines Part 1**

- Define the milling operation and the types of uses for cutters
- · Identify the classifications and differences of milling machines
- · Describe the construction, sizes, and the basic components of milling machines
- Describe some of the types and features of knee milling machines
- Describe the manual feed process of milling machines
- · Identify the different power feed processes
- Identify the functions of overarms, arbors, braces, and supports
- · Identify some of the controls and cycles used on milling machines
- Describe how the horizontal milling machine operates
- Calculate and select the proper spindle speed, cutting speed, and feed rate for a horizontal machine

# **Milling Machine Fundamentals**

#### **Objectives:**

- Understand the application of a Cartesian coordinate system to the milling operation
- · Describe the construction, sizes, and the basic components of milling machines
- · Identify the classifications, characteristics, and functions of different milling machines
- · Describe how knee, horizontal, and vertical milling machines operate

• Discuss the numerous attachments and accessories that increase the effectiveness of milling machines • Explain the application of CNC to milling machines

# **Milling Machine Cutting Tools**

#### **Objectives:**

- · Discuss the primary function of different types of milling cutters
- · Describe the heat treatment process for making tool steels
- · Explain how cemented carbide cutting tools are made
- · Interpret the standardized lettering/numbering system for carbide cutters
- · Understand the geometry of carbide inserts and toolholders and the methods used to attach inserts to tools
- · Explain what causes tool wear and methods for extending tool life
- Recognize basic milling econometric concepts

# Milling Machine Practice and Operation, Part 1

#### **Objectives:**

- Explain the function of layout tools
- · Perform basic layout operations
- Understand machine setup guidelines
- · Use a variety of vises, clamps, and fixtures to securely hold workpieces
- Square up work holders on a milling machine table
- Select machine speeds and feeds
- Plan a sequence of milling operations

# Lathes, Part 1

- Describe the modern lathe
- Explain the differences among various types of modern lathes
- · Interpret the size ratings of a lathe
- Describe common work-holding devices
- Explain the range of operations of the lathe
- Describe various tool styles, materials, and holders
- Understand turning parameters and their effects on the machining process

# Lathes, Part 2

#### **Objectives:**

- Set up a lathe using various work holders and auxiliary equipment
- Choose the correct tool material, type, and geometry for a particular operation
- · Set the correct feed, speed, and depth of cut for external machining operations
- Explain facing, diameter turning, and shoulder turning
- Describe forming operations, including the fillet radius and chamfer forming
- Explain necking and groove cutting, parting, and knurling
- Discuss finishing operations, including filing and polishing

### Lathes, Part 3

#### **Objectives:**

- · Machine boring operations, internal shoulders, internal grooves, and recesses
- Machine offset bushings, eccentrics, and other off-center milling operations
- Improve workpiece finish and reduce chatter
- Measure inside forms, including bored holes and internal grooves
- Understand tailstock operations, including drilling, reaming, and tapping
- · Describe the functions of different types of drills

### Lathes, Part 4

#### **Objectives:**

- · Identify various types of tapers and state their uses
- · Describe methods of producing tapers
- · Calculate the dimensions required to machine tapers
- Explain how to set up and machine tapers using various techniques
- · Calculate tapers measured in inches per foot and their corresponding taper angles
- · Describe techniques for measuring and inspecting tapers

### Lathes, Part 5

- Describe the functions of various thread types
- Understand the differences among thread standards
- · Calculate the required dimensions and setups for machining threads
- Explain common methods of producing threads
- List the steps required to set up, machine, measure, and inspect threads

# **Fasteners**

#### **Objectives:**

- Describe the various types of fasteners
- Identify the different types of thread form systems
- Recognize various nonthreaded fasteners and discuss their uses
- Explain how to install and uninstall fasteners
- Understand the terminology used in measuring fasteners
- · Explain how adhesives are used as fasteners

# **Turret Lathes Part 1**

#### **Objectives:**

- · Familiarize yourself with turret lathe design
- Describe ram-type turret lathes
- Describe saddle-type turret lathes
- Describe electronically controlled turret lathes
- Describe turret lathe basic maintenance
- Familiarize yourself with work-holding and work-feeding devices

# **Turret Lathes Part 2**

#### **Objectives:**

- Describe toolholding provisions
- Familiarize yourself with bar tools
- Familiarize yourself with chucking tools
- Familiarize yourself with threading devices
- Familiarize yourself with cross slide tools
- Familiarize yourself with tooling principles
- Familiarize yourself with examples of setups

# **Cylindrical Grinding Part 1**

- List the various types of cylindrical grinders
- Describe the fundamentals of cylindrical grinding
- · Identify the significant components of center-type grinders
- Describe the various functions of center-type grinder parts
- · List the types of controls grinding machines use
- Describe the functions of the various grinding machine controls
- List the factors that impact the characteristics of a grinding wheel, and identify the use of the wheels
- · Identify the terms and procedures used in dressing the grinding wheel
- · Describe the processes that must take place in the inspection, mounting, and balancing of a grinding wheel
- · List the important reasons and applications for coolants when precision grinding

# Cylindrical Grinding Part 2

#### **Objectives:**

- · Describe some of the safety measures that should be applied when using grinding machines
- · Calculate the revolutions per minute by using the formula and the manufacturer's grinding wheel speed as indicated by the surface feet per minute
- Identify the procedures and calculations necessary in preparing the grinding machine
- Describe the methods and machines used in obtaining the required workpiece size
- · Identify the various components that are used in production grinding
- Describe automatic wheel balancing and gage sizing
- · Identify the requirements and characteristics that occur in roll grinding
- · List some of the types of roll grinders and their functions
- · Describe some of the applications and procedures used in grinding, such as taper grinding and rotary surface grinding
- · Identify some of the sources of grinding faults, as they pertain to a poor finish on a workpiece
- · Describe some of the causes that leave a workpiece out of round or with unwanted taper
- · Identify the causes and remedies for chatter marks, feed lines, and scratches
- · Describe some of the reasons for problems and the corrective actions to be taken with grinding machines and wheels

# **Surface Grinding Part 1**

#### **Objectives:**

- · Identify the types of surface grinders and explain their uses
- · Identify the purpose and characteristics of surface grinders, magnetic chuck, horse power, and work speed
- · Identify the differences between grinding done on a small and large scale
- · Identify the differences between grinders
- · Identify the characteristics of vertical spindle surface grinders
- · List the other important grinders and their characteristics that are used in surface finishing
- · Identify design considerations and work supporting mechanisms as they relate to surface grinding
- · Compare the types of work holders and other accessory items used in surface grinding
- Define how controls are important when using surface grinders
- · Identify attachments used with grinders

# **Surface Grinding Part 2**

- Describe how to select, mount, and balance a grinding wheel
- Describe the procedures used in the dressing and truing of the wheel
- Explain the procedures used in surface grinding
- Describe the processes used in form grinding and crush forming
- · Identify the methods used in finishing surfaces
- · Identify the causes of imperfections and the procedures used to correct them
- · List the types of grinding accessories available and how they assist in the grinding process

# Milling Machine Practice and Operation, Part 2

#### **Objectives:**

- Set the cutter exactly on the workpiece sur face
- Square the workpiece
- Mill shoulders, steps, slots, angled sur faces, dovetails, keyseats, and pockets
- Perform sawing and slitting work on the mill
- Maintain and troubleshoot mills

# **Fundamentals of Metal Cutting**

#### **Objectives:**

- · Describe the metal-cutting process and cutting tool requirements
- Explain the role of feed, speed, and depth-of-cut in machining
- · List the advantages and limitations of carbon steel and carbide cutting tools
- · Describe the principles of single-point cutting tools and the factors governing tool wear
- · Explain multiple-point cutting tools and their uses
- · Describe the difference between lathe turning and milling operations
- · Explain tapping, threading, reaming, and broaching
- Understand the role of cutting fluids in machining operations

# Milling Machine Practice and Operation Part 2

#### **Objectives:**

- · Set the cutter exactly on the workpiece surface
- Square the workpiece
- Mill shoulders, steps, slots, angled surfaces, dovetails, keyseats, and pockets
- Perform sawing and slitting work on the mill
- · Maintain and troubleshoot mills

# **Fundamentals of Metal Cutting**

#### **Objectives:**

- · Describe the metal-cutting process and cutting tool requirements
- · Explain the role of feed, speed, and depth-of-cut in machining
- · List the advantages and limitations of carbon steel and carbide cutting tools
- · Describe the principles of single-point cutting tools and the factors governing tool wear
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### Automatic Screw Machines Part 1

- Identify types of automatic screw machines
- Identify single-spindle chucking lathes
- Identify multiple-spindle chucking lathes
- Identify bar-type lathes

# Automatic Screw Machines Part 2

#### **Objectives:**

- · Identify operations performed with various single-spindle chucking lathe setups
- Identify attachments for the multiple-spindle chucking lathe
- · Identify the vertical slide and many types of blades used on the single-spindle bar machine
- Identify Swiss-type automatic lathes
- · Identify single-spindle bar lathes
- · Identify multiple-spindle bar lathes

# **Fundamentals of Grinding**

#### **Objectives:**

- · List the types of abrasives and their classifications
- · Identify the basic grinding machines and how they work
- · Describe the types of abrasives and how they are used in grinding wheels
- · Define the terms grain size, bond, and structure and explain their effect in the grinding action
- Explain what types of grinding machines there are and how they work
- · Describe the types of grinding fluids, how they are selected, and how they are applied
- Explain the differences between coated abrasives and grinding wheels
- · Compare the roles of coated abrasives and their characteristics and uses on grinding machines
- · Describe what the terms stock-removal and surface finish mean
- · Apply the factors that influence stock removal and finish
- · Identify the major hazards you must be aware of when working with grinding wheels and machines
- · Describe how to properly mount and use grinding wheels

### **Inspection of Shop Products**

#### **Objectives:**

- · Identify inspection practices
- · Identify inspection procedures
- · Identify inspection methods
- · Identify other types of inspection
- · Identify screw threads, dovetails, tapers, and gears
- · Describe care of equipment and instruments

### **Boring Mills Part 1**

- · Identify boring mill fundamentals
- · Identify vertical boring mills
- · Identify horizontal boring mills
- Identify special boring mills
- · Identify boring mill motions
- · Identify boring mill supports, tools, and operations

### **Planers**

#### **Objectives:**

- · Identify the nature and classification of planers
- Identify planers' construction and lubrication system
- Identify automatic features and convertible planers
- Identify cutters, feeds, and speeds
- Identify clamping equipment and procedures
- Identify additional planer information

# Broaching

#### **Objectives:**

- Identify broaching principles
- · Identify types of broaches
- Identify broaching machines
- · Identify broaching fixtures
- · Identify broaching practice
- Identify troubleshooting in broaching
- Identify supplementary broaching information

# Shapers, Slotters, and Keyseaters

#### **Objectives:**

- Identify the principle and construction of shapers
- · Identify attachments, work-holding devices, and cutters
- · Identify shaper practice and operations
- · Identify vertical shapers and slotters
- Identify keyseaters

# **Tool Dressing**

**Objectives:** 

- · Identify tool steels
- Identify forging chisels and machine cutting tools
- Identify tipping forged tools
- · Identify forging rock chisels and drills
- · Identify annealing, hardening, and tempering

# **Gear Calculations**

- Identify spur gears
- Identify helical and bevel gears
- Identify work and spiral gearing
- · Identify strength of gear-teeth

# **Nontraditional Machining Technologies**

#### **Objectives:**

- Explain how electrical discharge machining works
- · Describe the difference between wire and ram electrical discharge machining
- Explain how laser light is produced and how lasers are used in industrial settings
- · Explain why a plasma cutting torch is so much hotter than other types of cutting torches
- Describe the difference between chemical and electrochemical machining
- · Explain how water can be made to cut steel
- · Identify the common rapid-prototyping manufacturing processes

# Hardening and Tempering

#### **Objectives:**

- · Identify methods and equipment used for hardening and tempering
- · Identify heat treating operations
- · Identify examples of heat treatment
- · Identify the theory of heat treatment

### **Tool Grinding**

#### **Objectives:**

- · Identify the requirements needed, and the types of tools used, in the grinding of tools
- Describe the methods used when grinding carbide tools
- · Describe how, and why, chip breaking is done
- · Identify the procedures and rules used in obtaining and adjusting cutter clearance
- · Describe the procedures used in cylindrical and helical grinding
- · Identify the various grinding cutters and compare their characteristics
- · Describe the procedures that take place when sharpening a reamer
- · Explain the process of tap sharpening
- Explain how to sharpen chasers
- · List the ways cutters can be straightened and reconditioned

# **Toolholding Systems**

- · Understand the fundamental characteristics of toolholders used in various machine tools
- · Describe how a toolholder affects the quality of the machining operation
- · Interpret national standards for tool and toolholder identification systems
- Recognize the differences in toolholder tapers and the proper applications for each type of taper
- · Explain the effects of toolholder concentricity and imbalance
- Access information from manufacturers about toolholder selection

# **Gear Making Part 1**

#### **Objectives:**

- · Identify milling methods
- Identify templet planning
- · Identify generating spur and helical gears
- Identify backlash

# **Gear Making Part 1**

#### **Objectives:**

- Identify gear hobbing
- · Identify generating straight- and spiral-toothed bevel gears
- Identify gear finishing
- Familiarize yourself with gear inspection
- · Identify gear materials and their heat treatment

# Manufacturing Processes, Part 1

#### **Objectives:**

- Understand and describe the evolution of modern manufacturing before and since the industrial revolution of the 1800s
- Understand and describe the importance of developments in manufacturing such as standardization and mass production
- Understand the importance of and advances in typical manufacturing materials and their effect on manufacturing locations and techniques
- Understand and describe the role of quality assurance in manufacturing operations
- Describe and categorize the basic types of manufacturing organizational structure

# Manufacturing Processes, Part 2

#### **Objectives:**

- Describe the four basic classifications of materials used for manufacturing processes
- Understand the essential metallurgical characteristics of steel and ferrous alloys, and types of steel for different applications
- · List the important properties of nonferrous alloys
- Explain the effect material choices have on the subsequent manufacturing processes and the performance of the end product

• Describe the manufacturing processes for ceramics, polymers, and composite materials especially as they relate to metal and alloy replacement applications

### **Manufacturing Processes, Part 3**

- · Identify and describe the general classifications of manufacturing systems that provide us with product
- · Identify important processes used to manufacture parts from different materials, and select appropriate techniques to produce finished parts
- Understand and describe the fundamental cutting and forming processes used to make products or parts
- Understand and describe the basic technical aspects of new manufacturing processes for high-tech applications
- List the advantages and disadvantages of manufacturing methods used to process various materials and understand why each of these processes may be used in different applications
- · Identify and describe the most important methods of joining components or subassemblies to make completed parts
- Understand and select appropriate finishing methods for manufactured parts
- Understand and describe the basic manufacturing systems used to assemble parts into finished products

# Manufacturing Processes, Part 4

#### **Objectives:**

- Understand and describe the basic functions of management and the principles on which work is organized in a manufacturing business
- Understand and describe various types of production control systems
- Describe the basic concepts behind modern production systems
- Explain how modern QA systems affect the manufacturing processes and product and process quality
- Understand how modern network-based communications technologies will affect the manufacturing process now and in the future

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