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EXPERIMENT-1

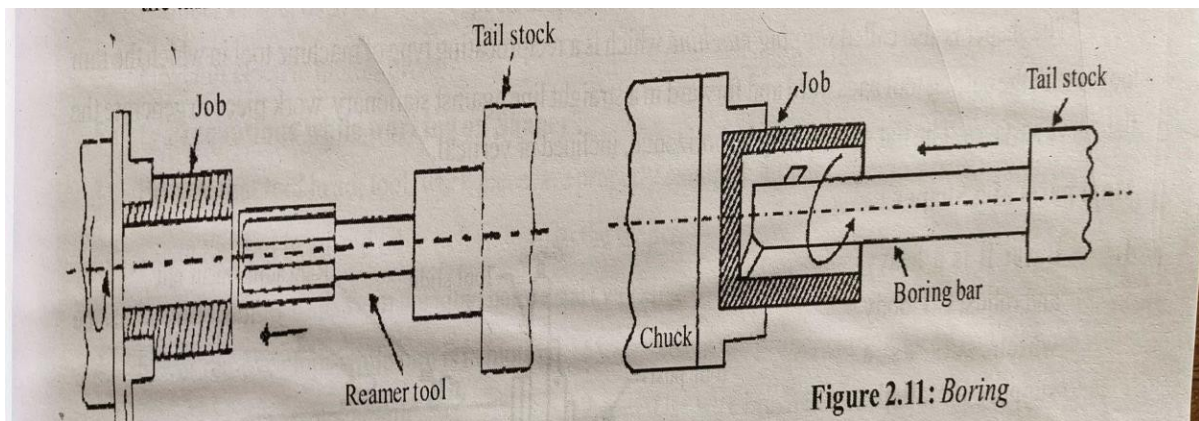
AIM: TOPREPAREAJOBONALATHEHAVINGVARIOUSOPERATIONSviz.DRILLING,BORING,TAPERTURNING,THREADCUTTING,KNURLING,etc.

INTRODUCTION:

- The lathe is one of the oldest machine tools, which is one of the most versatile andwidelyused machine tool, it is alsoknown as*mother of machinetool*.
- The job to be machined is held and rotated in a chuck, a cutting tool is advancedwhich is stationary against the rotating job. Since the cutting tool material is harderthanthework piece,sometal removal takesplacein theform of chips.
- Some of the common operations performed on a lathe are facing, turning, threading,knurlingand boring etc.

DRILLING: It is an operation of making a hole in the work piece with the help of a drill.The work piece is held in a chuck and the drill is held in the tailstock. The drill is feedmanually,into the rotatingwork piece,byrotatingthe tailstockhand wheel.

BORING: Boring is the operation of enlarging a existing hole in a work piece. In this,boringtool isheld inthe tailstock andis feed intothe worksimilarly asin caseof drilling.



THREADING: Both the types of external and internal threads can be cut on a lathe. For this operation a chart is provided on the head stock, which carries the information of speed and feed recommended for particular type of threads. With the help of gear change lever, required speed and feed can be set first of all. Then engage the half nut for the automatic feed to cut the threads.

KNURLING: Knurling produces a regular shaped pattern, rough surface on work piece. The knurling tool is pressed against the work piece, which causes the slight outward and lateral displacement of the metal so as to form the knurl.

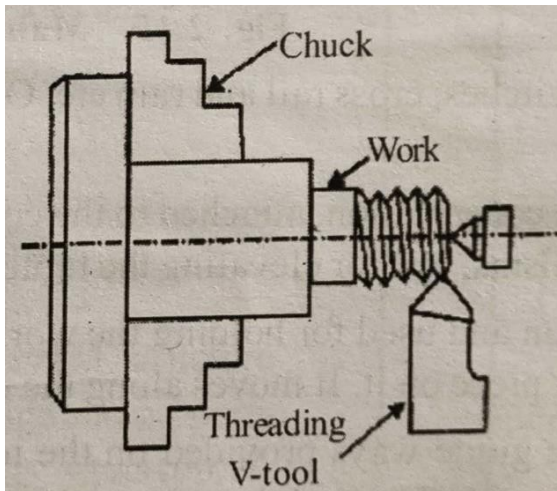


Figure 2.13: Thread cutting

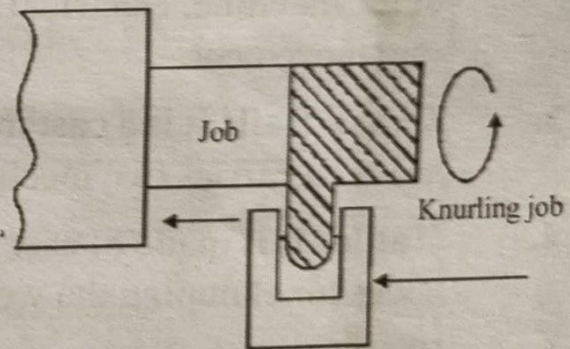


Figure 2.14: Knurling

TAPER TURNING: It is an operation of producing an external conical surface on a workpiece. Taper turning can be performed by the tail stock offset method, by swiveling the compound rest, or using the taper turning attachment. Most commonly used by swiveling the compound rest for smaller size jobs.

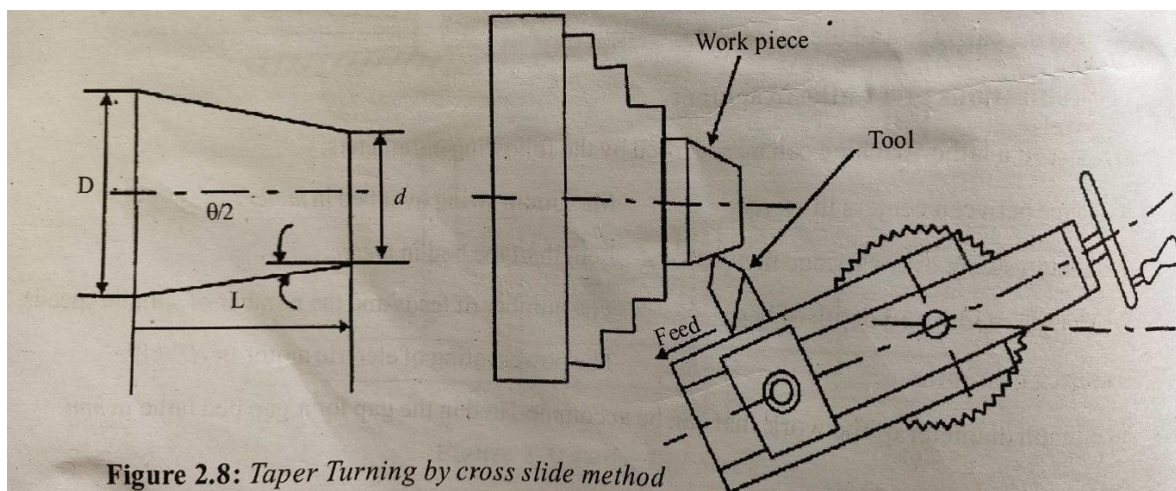


Figure 2.8: Taper Turning by cross slide method

EXPERIMENT-2

AIM: TO CUT EXTERNAL THREADS ON A LATHE MACHINE.

APPARATUS: Lathe Machine, Threading Tool, Vernier Caliper, Oil, Screw thread pitch Gauge, Micrometer etc.

THEORY:

Cutting screw threads on a center lathe is known as screw cutting.

- Thread cutting consists in producing a helical form or thread on the revolving workpiece, Figure shows cutting of both external and internal threads.
- Pitch is the distance between adjacent, corresponding points on the helix measured parallel to the axis.
- Lead is the axial distance a point moves along the helix in one revolution (i.e., the distance a nut would move along a bolt in one revolution).
- In a single start helix, Lead = Pitch.
- In a multi-start helix, lead = Pitch $\times$ number of starts. Example in a double start thread, lead is 2 times the pitch.
- Root is the bottom surface joining the sides of adjacent threads.
- Major diameter is the outside diameter as applied to the thread of a screw and full diameter as applied to the thread of a nut.
- Minor diameter is the smallest diameter of the thread of a screw or nut. The term replaces core diameter as applied to the thread of a screw and inside diameter as applied to the thread of a nut.

PROCEDURE

Figure shows the setup for thread cutting. For thread cutting, it is necessary that the relation between the axial movement of the cutting tool and the turns of the work should be carefully controlled. This is brought about by means of the lead screw, which is driven by a train of gears from the spindle, to vary the relationship between the turns of lead screw and those of spindle, (i.e. the work) the gears in the gear train may be varied.

For cutting threads, the saddle (and hence the cutting tool) should move along the lathe bed a distance equal to the pitch of the lead screw for each turn of the screw. For this, the connection between the lead screw and the saddle is effected by a nut, fixed to the inside of the apron and screwed to suit the lead screw. This nut is made in two halves and arranged in such a way that, by operating a lever at the front of the apron, the halves may be engaged with the lead screw.

Thus we obtain the rotation of the work, combined with a fixed longitudinal movement of the tool for each turn the work makes and the result is thread formed on the work

CHANGE GEAR CALCULATIONS.

- In the absence of an index chart showing gear combinations for various threads, it is necessary to calculate the proper gears to use for cutting threads,
- Change gears are either simple or compound in form.

SIMPLE GEARING

Simple gear train consists of a stud gear (or driving gear keyed to the lathe spindle), a screw gear or driven gear keyed to the lead screw and one (or two) intermediate gear or idler. Since change gears of different diameter are used, the distance between them will vary. An idler gear is, therefore, required to fill up the gap between the stud gear and the screw gear. Idler gear also helps obtaining desired direction of rotation of the lead screw idler gear. However, it does not change the gear ratio.

$$\text{Gearing ratio} = \frac{\text{Driver teeth}}{\text{Driven teeth}} = \frac{\text{Lead screw turns}}{\text{Spindle turns}} = \frac{\text{Pitch to be cut}}{\text{Pitch of lead screw}}$$

When the fraction representing drivers/driven has been found it must be thrown into one containing number equal to the numbers of teeth in whatever gears are available to make up the drive. Often lathes are equipped with a set of gears ranging from 20 teeth to 120 teeth in steps of 5 teeth.

COMPOUND GEAR TRAIN OR COMPOUND GEARING

Like simple gearing. Compound gearing also has a stud gear and a screw gear, but instead of having an idler, the compound gear train contains a compound gear assembly. A compound gear assembly is nothing but a combination of two gears keyed together which revolve as one (i.e., with the same R.P.M.)

A compound gear train is used when the calculated gearing ratio is such that it is not possible to arrange a simple gear train out of the available set of (change) gears.

DETAIL PROCEDURE FOR EXTERNAL THREAD CUTTING

1. The work piece is setup in the lathe & it is turned to the major diameter of the thread. (Figure shows)
2. A V-thread cutting tool is ground & then checked for accuracy using a screw cutting gauge. The radius on the tip of the cutting tool produces root radius on the thread being cut. This radius must be carefully ground and then checked (Fig. 4'63 g) by using a screw thread pitch gauge. This radius must never be exceeded or a slack thread may result.

The shape of the cutting end of the tool should conform to the standard cross-sectional shape of the thread to be cut; consequently, it is essential to “now about the various important screw thread standards.

3. Figure show the screw cutting set up. It can be seen that the compound slide is set to half the thread angle. In other words for cutting a 60° , right hand, external thread, set the compound rest at 29° or 30° (for metric threads).
4. Properly ground and checked thread cutting tool is placed in the tool holder and its height is adjusted by setting it to the tip of the tailstock center.
5. The tool bit is set square with the axis of the work, using a setting gauge.
6. For cutting required number of thread per unit length on the work, quick change gearbox is used. If the required pitch is not available on this gearbox, it will be necessary to, calculate and then change the Gears of the Gear train.
7. For thread cutting use the back gear and set the lathe rpm for about one-third the speed normally used for turning material of that kind and diameter.
8. Using carriage hand wheel, position, the tool just off the end of the work piece. Start the lathe and engage the half nut lever when a line (say 2) on the thread dial (Fig. 465) is even with the reference mark on the thread dial housing (not visible because of sectional view).
9. It is always better first to take a very light trial cut to make sure that the desired thread pitch is being obtained. The thread pitch can be checked with the help of a scale. For this purpose, as the tool moves across the surface of the work-piece, advance it with compound rest crank until the tool enters the work-piece surfaces lightly.
10. At the end of the cut, stop the carriage by disengaging the half nut lever and withdraw the tool with the cross-slide crank far enough for it to clear the work-piece. Check the pitch of the thread. If it is correct, crank the carriage to the right to position the tool for the next cut and return the cross-side crank to its zero reading position.
11. Using compound rest crank, advance the tool for the next cut. Engage the half nut level as the line (again 2) on the thread dial is even with the reference mark on the thread dial housing and let the thread be cut. At the end of cut repeat, step 10 above. For first several cuts, the tool should be advanced into the work about 0.08 mm. This amount should be reduced to about 0.05 mm when the thread is, about half deep and to 0.025 mm when the thread nears full depth. Figure shows how thread is formed by taking a number of successive cuts.
12. After taking first cut on the work, and before going for the second, one has to make sure that the tool will follow the same path as it has taken (or produced on the work in the previous cut, otherwise the work will get spoiled. A few methods used for the said purpose are:
 - (a) Using thread dial or indicator as has been explained above in steps 8 to 11.
 - (b) Allowing the carriage to remain in engagement with the lead screw and reversing the lathe and lead screw at the completion of each cut. Such a method, however, is consuming if the work-piece is long.

13. While cutting threads use a good cutting oil for lubrication purposes.
14. As the thread approaches completion, stop and check it for size. A nut may be tried and screwed onto the work to check. If the nut fits well without play, the work may be said to have correct threads. Figure shows straight and angular methods of feeding tool into the work when cutting threads in lathe. In straight cutting method, the tool is fed at right angles to the axis of the work whereas in angular cutting, it is at an angle of 30° and hence the compound rest is set at an angle of 30° . The objection with straight cutting method (A) is that the cutting action is not as good as when one edge of the tool does practically all the cutting (B and C) and the other edge moves parallel to the opposite side of the thread. Angular cutting does not tear the thread and thus unlike straight cutting produces a smoother thread. After most of metal has been removed by angular cutting, the tool may be fed straight in to take a light finishing cut. A screw thread pitch gauge can be used to check the finer pitches of threads.

Experiment 3

AIM: To calculate the machining time for cylindrical turning on a Lathe and compare with the actual machining time.

APPARATUS: Lathe Machine

THEORY: The major aim and objectives in machining industries generally are;

- reduction of total manufacturing time, T
- increase in MRR, i.e., productivity
- reduction in machining cost without sacrificing product quality
- increase in profit or profit rate, i.e., profitability.

Hence, it becomes extremely necessary to determine the actual machining time, TC required to produce a job mainly for,

- assessment of productivity
- evaluation of machining cost
- measurement of labour cost component
- assessment of relative performance or capability of any machine tool, cutting tool, cutting fluid or any special or new techniques in terms of saving in machining time.

The machining time, TC required for a particular operation can be determined o roughly by calculation i.e., estimation o precisely, if required, by measurement. Measurement definitely gives more accurate result and in detail but is tedious and expensive. Whereas, estimation by simple calculations, though may not be that accurate, is simple, quick and inexpensive. Hence, determination of machining time, specially by simple calculations using suitable equations is essentially done regularly for various purposes.

Procedure: The factors that govern machining time will be understood from a simple case of machining. A steel rod has to be reduced in diameter from D_1 to D_2 over a length L by straight turning in a centre lathe as indicated in Fig.

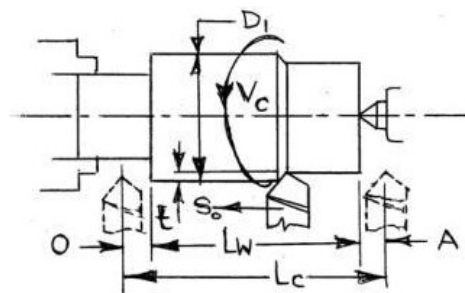


Fig. Estimation of machining time in turning.

Calculations: SI No L A O LC VC D N SO D_1 D_2 T npTc Where, L= length of the work piece in mm; A= approach run in mm; O= over run in mm; Lc=actual length of cut in mm; Vc= cutting velocity in mm/min; D= diameter of the job before cut in mm; N=spindle speed in

rpm; S_o = tool feed in mm/rev; D_1 = initial diameter before passes in mm; D_2 =final diameter after passes in mm; t =depth of cut in one pass in mm; n_p =no of passes; T_c =machining time in min; Result: The machining time of the turning operation is done and compared.

Here,
$$T_c = \frac{L_c}{N S_o} \times n_p$$

where, L_c = actual length of cut
 $= L + A + O$
 A, O = approach and over run as shown
 N = spindle speed, rpm
 s_o = feed (tool), mm/rev
 n_p = number of passes required

Speed, N , is determined from cutting velocity, V_c

$$V_c = \frac{\pi D N}{1000} \text{ m/min}$$

where, D = diameter of the job before cut

Therefore,
$$N = \frac{1000 V_c}{\pi D}$$

The number of passes, n_p is mathematically determined from,

$$n_p = \frac{D_1 - D_2}{2t}$$

where, t = depth of cut in one pass, mm.

Calculations:

Sl No	L	A	O	L_c	V_c	D	N	S_o	D_1	D_2	T	n_p	T_c

Where,

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Result: The machining time of the turning operation is done and compared.

Experiment-4

AIM: To prepare a useful product containing different types of welded joints using simple TIG/MIG welding set.

OBJECTIVES

- What is TIG welding?
- How to do TIG welding?
- How to prepare single-V joint metal plates?

EXPERIMENT

To make a single V-butt joint using TIG welding.

EQUIPMENTS/INSTRUMENTS/SYSTEM REQUIRED

Tungsten Inert Gas welding set (TIG), hand hacksaw, bench vice, bastard file 12", steel scale, try square, scribe, welding shield, tong, apron, hand gloves.

Material required for job—Mild steel flat, Finish size-100×98mm.

THEORY

Gas tungsten arc welding (GTAW), also known as **tungsten inert gas (TIG) welding**, is an arc welding process that uses a non-consumable tungsten electrode to produce the weld. The weld area is protected from atmospheric contamination by an inert shielding gas (argon or helium), and a filler metal is normally used, though some welds, known as autogenous welds, do not require it. A constant-current welding power supply produces energy which is conducted across the arc through a column of highly ionized gas and metal vapours known as a plasma. GTAW is most commonly used to weld thin sections of stainless steel and non-ferrous metals such as aluminium, magnesium, and copper alloys. The process grants the operator greater control over the weld than competing processes such as shielded metal arc welding and gas metal arc welding, allowing for stronger, higher quality welds. However, GTAW is comparatively more complex and difficult to master, and furthermore, it is significantly slower than most other welding techniques.

OPERATION

Manual gas tungsten arc welding is often considered the most difficult of all the welding processes commonly used in industry. Because the welder must maintain a short arc length, great care and skill are required to prevent contact between the electrode and the work piece. Similar to torch welding, GTAW normally requires two hands, since most applications require that the welder manually feed a filler metal into the weld area with one hand while manipulating the welding torch in the other. However, some welds combining thin materials (known as autogenous or fusion welds) can be accomplished without filler metal; most notably edge, corner, and butt joints.

To strike the welding arc, a high frequency generator provides an electric spark; this spark is a conductive path for the welding current through the shielding gas and allows the arc to be initiated while the electrode and the workpiece are separated, typically about 1.5–3 mm (0.06–0.12 in) apart.

Once the arc is struck, the welder moves the torch in a small circle to create a welding pool, the size of which depends on the size of the electrode and the amount of current. While maintaining a constant separation between the electrode and the workpiece, the operator then moves the torch back slightly and tilts it backward about 10–15 degrees from vertical. Filler metal is added manually to the front end of the weld pool as it is needed.

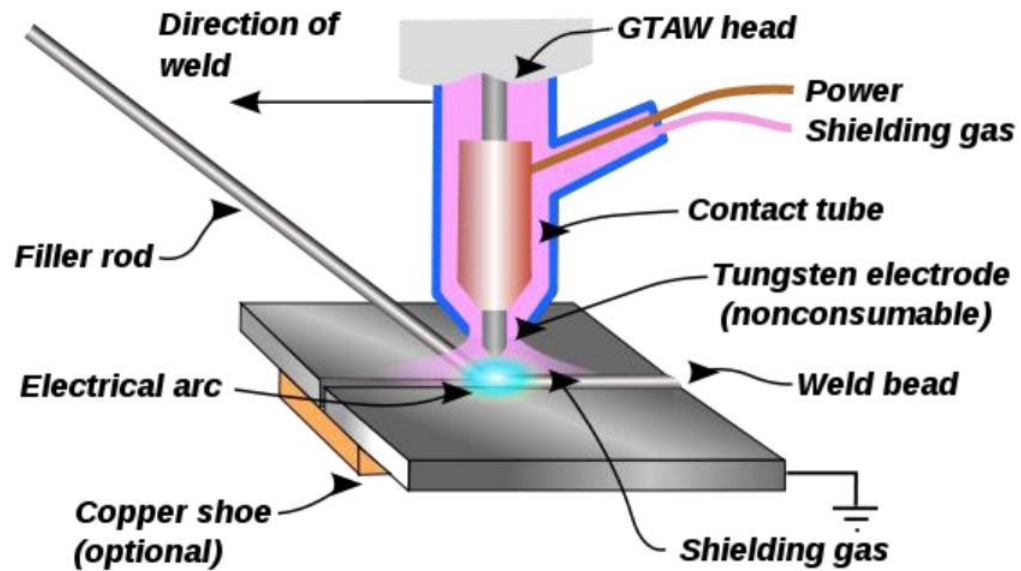
Filler rods composed of metals with low melting temperature, such as aluminium, require that the operator maintain some distance from the arc while staying inside the gas shield. If held too close to the arc, the filler rod can melt before it makes contact with the weld puddle. As the weld nears completion, the arc current is often gradually reduced to allow the weld crater to solidify and prevent the formation of crater cracks at the end of the weld.

PROCEDURE

1. Check the work strips size. Grip the strip in bench vice and cut the strip of the required dimensions by using hand hacksaw.
2. File all the sides of strips by using bastard file for right angle.
3. Mark on the strips of required dimension using scribe, steel scale, and try square according to the given sketch.
4. File the strips (lengthwise), remove the material and prepare a 'V' shape.
5. Switch on the tungsten inert Gas welding Set; Open the valve of oxygen gas cylinder and switch on the motor pump for water cooling.
6. Put the job in position of butt joint on the working table.
7. Check the supply of Gas and water.
8. Touch the electrode with job take away for making spark between the work piece & electrode. Then add the filler material for preparing the joint. Do the welding as per above mentioned operation.

PRECAUTIONS

- Edges of the workpieces should be clean i.e. free from dirt, grease and oil etc.
- Always use welding glass screen while welding.
- Never see the welding arc with naked eye.
- Remove all sharp edges before welding.
- Remove scale and burrs after welding.
- Pick the welded job with tong.



OPEN ROOT



BACKING BAR



BACKING WELD
APPLIED BEFORE FILL



BACK WELD
APPLIED AFTER FILL

RESULTS

Butt joint of required size is prepared

AIM: To carry out the welding using TIG/MIG welding set.

OBJECTIVES

- What is MIG welding?
- How to perform MIG welding?
- Knowledge about MIG welding.
- How to prepare double-V metal plates?

EXPERIMENT

To make a double V-butt joint using MIG welding.

EQUIPMENTS/INSTRUMENTS/SYSTEM REQUIRED

Metal Inert Gas welding set (MIG), hand hacksaw, bench vice, bastard file 12", steel scale, try square, scribe, welding shield, tong, apron, hand gloves.

Material required for job—Mild steel flat, Finish size-100×98mm.

THEORY

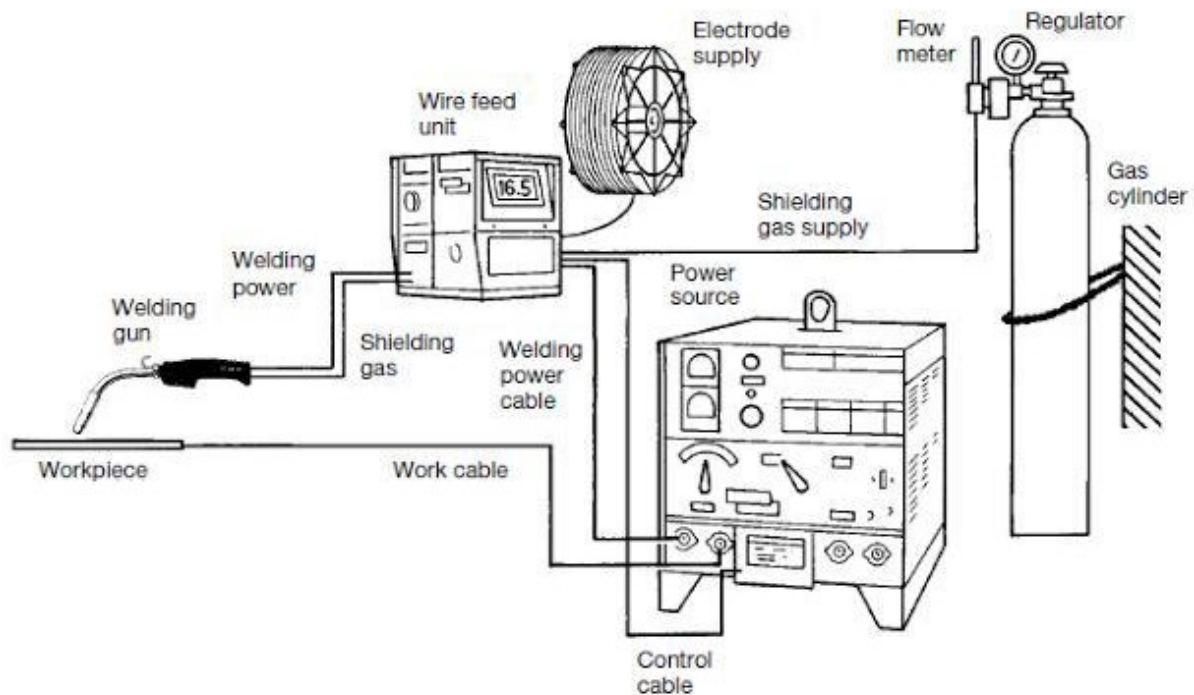
Gas metal arc welding (GMAW), sometimes referred to by its subtypes **metal inert gas (MIG) welding** or **metal active gas (MAG) welding**, is a welding process in which an electric arc forms between a consumable wire electrode and the workpiece metal(s), which heats the workpiece metal(s), causing them to melt, and join. Along with the wire electrode, a shielding gas feeds through the welding gun, which shields the process from contaminants in the air. The process can be semi-automatic or automatic. A constant voltage, direct current power source is most commonly used with GMAW, but constant current systems, as well as alternating current, can be used. There are four primary methods of metal transfer in GMAW, called globular, short-circuiting, spray, and pulsed-spray, each of which has distinct properties and corresponding advantages and limitations.

GMAW requires only that the operator guide the welding gun with proper position and orientation along the area being welded. Keeping a consistent contact tip-to-work distance (the *stick out* distance) is important, because a long stick out distance can cause the electrode to overheat and also wastes shielding gas. Stick out distance varies for different GMAW weld processes and applications. The orientation of the gun is also important—it should be held so as to bisect the angle between the workpieces; that is, at 45 degrees for a fillet weld and 90 degrees for welding a flat surface. The travel angle, or lead angle, is the angle of the torch with respect to the direction of travel, and it should generally remain approximately vertical. However, the desirable angle changes somewhat depending on the type of shielding gas used—with pure inert gases, the bottom of the torch is often slightly in front of the upper section, while the opposite is true when the welding atmosphere is carbon dioxide.

OPERATION

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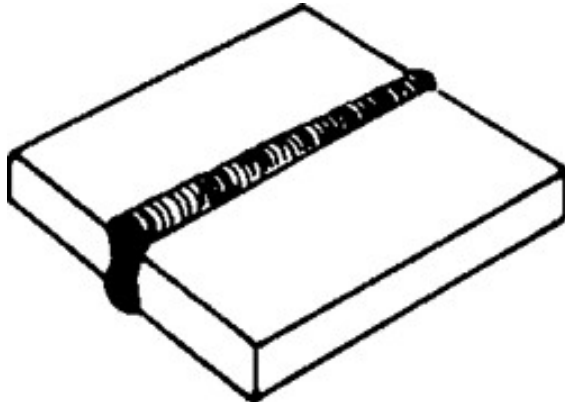
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4. File the strips (length wise), remove the material and prepare a 'V' shape on both sides as required.
5. Switch on the metal inert Gas welding set, Open the valve of carbon dioxide gas cylinder.
6. Put the job in position of butt joint on the working table.
7. Check the supply of Gas.
8. Touch the electrode with job take away for making spark between the workpiece & electrode. Do the welding as per above mentioned operation.

PRECAUTIONS

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- Remove scale and burrs after welding.
- Pick the welded job with tong.

RESULTS

Butt joint of required size is prepared.



QUESTIONS FOR VIVA VOCE

For Experiment No. 2

Q: Define T.I.G and M.I.G welding.

Q: Differentiate between T.I.G and M.I.G

welding Q: State the applications of T.I.G and M.I.G welding

Q: Which gases are used in T.I.G and M.I.G WELDING?

Q: State the function of inert gas in T.I.G and M.I.G welding

Experiment- 5

AIM: TO CUT GEAR TEETH ON MILLING MACHINE USING DIVIDING HEAD.

APPARATUS: Steel rule, Milling cutter, Spanner, Mandrel, Dog carrier

THEORY: Milling is the machining process of using rotary cutters to remove material from a work piece advancing (or feeding) in a direction at an angle with the axis of the tool. It covers a wide variety of different operations and machines, on scales from small individual parts to large, heavy-duty gang milling operations. It is one of the most commonly used processes in industry and machine shops today for machining parts to precise sizes and shapes.

Main Components of milling machine:

Base, column, knee, saddle, table

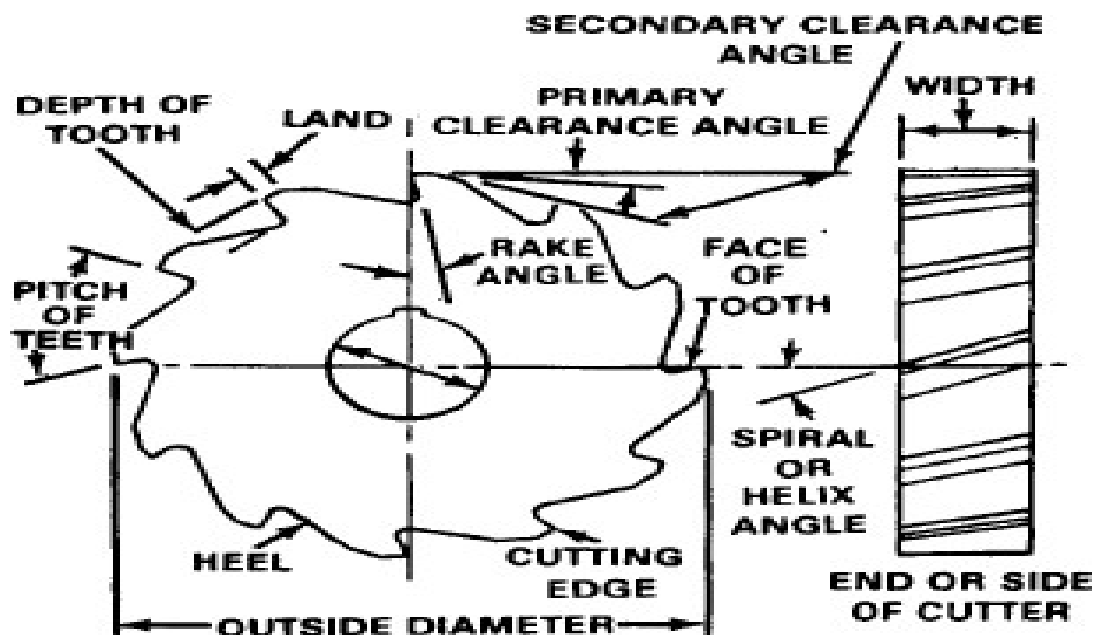
Type of milling machine:

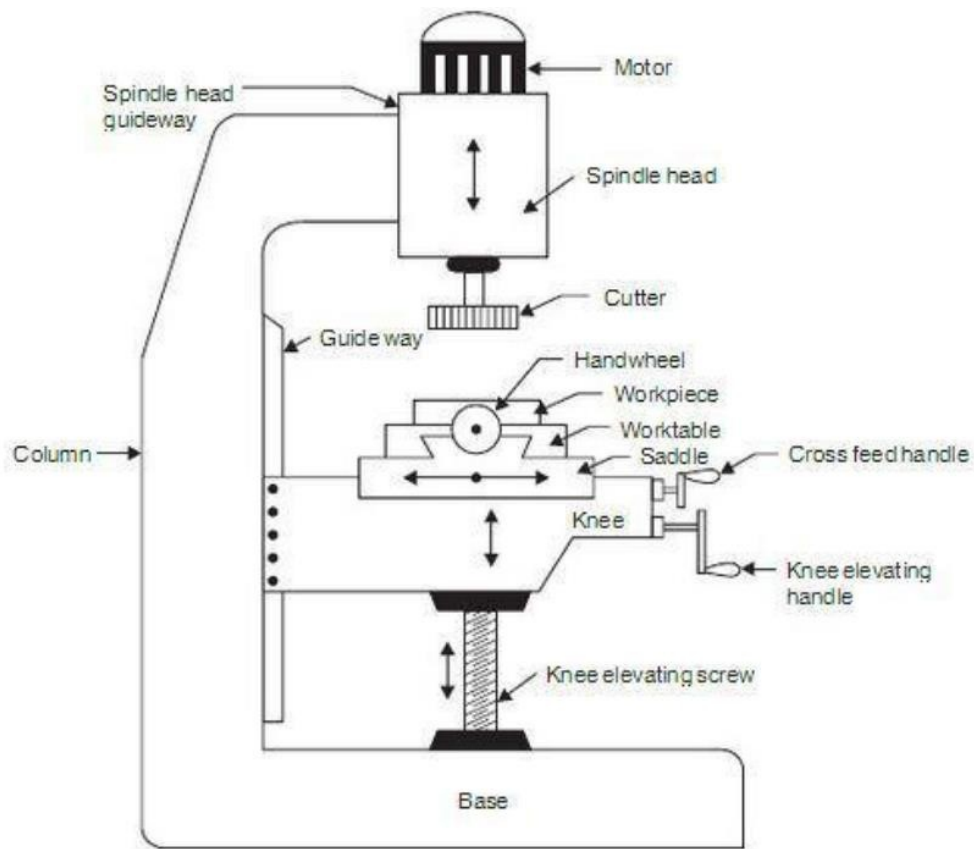
Plain milling machine, vertical milling machine, universal milling machine, simplex milling machine, triplex milling machine

Type of Milling Cutter:

Plain milling cutter, slide milling cutter, arbor cutters, shank cutters, face cutters.

PROCEDURE:



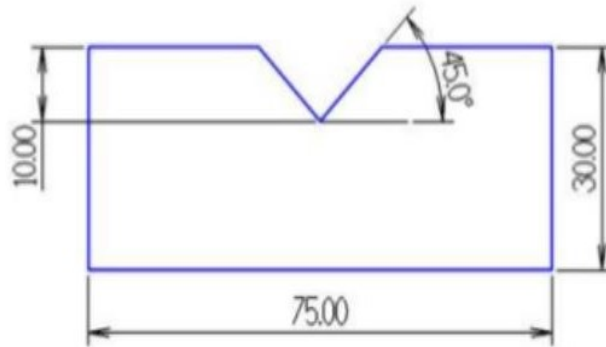


1. The raw blank is selected with reference to the number of teeth to be cut.
2. Indexing number is calculated to the position of the blank.
3. Gear blank is mounted on mandrel in milling machine.
4. Centering of the blank is done by upward and cross feed.
5. The depth of the cut is calculated for the given module.

Result: Thus the gear cutting is performed in a milling machine.

Experiment-6

AIM: TO CUT V GROOVE USING A SHAPER.



TOOLS REQUIRED:

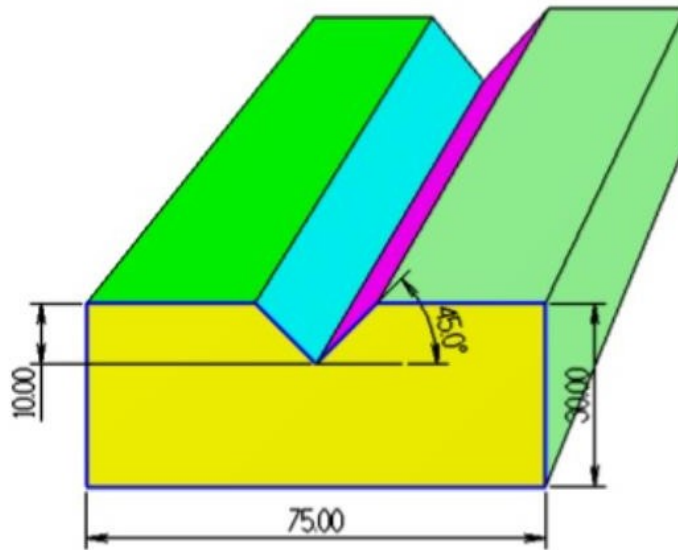
- SINGLE POINT THREAD CUTTING TOOL
- SHAPER MACHINE
- VERNIER CALIPER
- TRY SQUARE
- VISE

PROCEDURE:

1. Work piece of required dimension to be cut on power hack saw.
2. The job is fixed in vice of shaper machine.
3. Top surface is machined first.
4. The job surface is inverted and clamped tight in the vice.
5. All the remaining surfaces are machined in sequence.
6. Then marking is done as per the drawing for making groove.
7. The groove is machined using round nose cutting edge.
8. For making the groove feed to the table and tool is given simultaneously.
9. The groove is the shaped in different cuts to achieve the desired depth.

Drawing of V-Groove on Job

Length of Block = 75 mm



**Material
used**

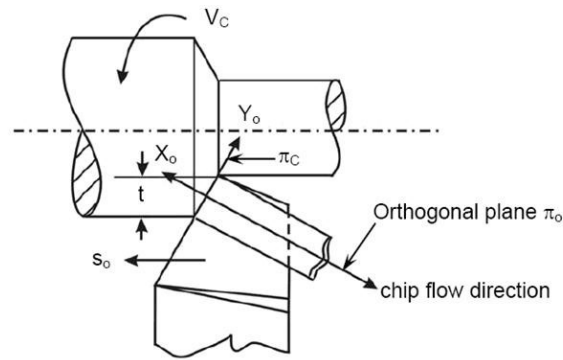
Mild steel block having sides 75x30x75 mm sides.

Experiment 7

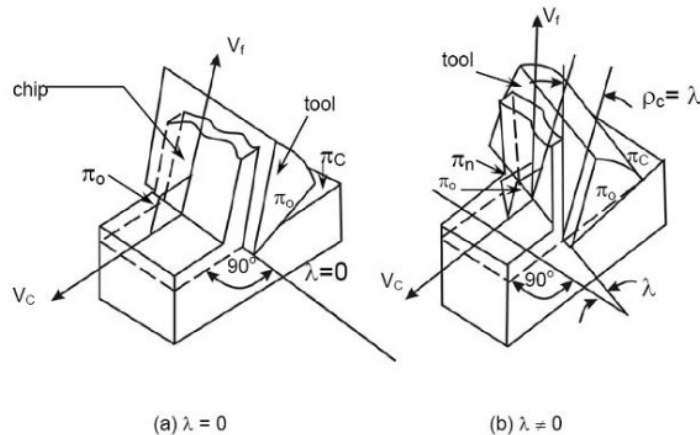
AIM: To study of Orthogonal & Oblique Cutting on a Lathe.

APPARATUS: Lathe Machine

THEORY: It is appears from the diagram in the following figure that while turning ductile material by a sharp tool, the continuous chip would flow over the tool's rake surface and in the direction apparently perpendicular to the principal cutting edge, i.e., along orthogonal plane which is normal to the cutting plane containing the principal cutting edge. But practically, the chip may not flow along the orthogonal plane for several factors like presence of inclination angle, λ , etc.



The role of inclination angle, λ on the direction of chip flow is schematically shown in figure which visualizes that, • when $\lambda=0$, the chip flows along orthogonal plane, i.e, $\rho = 0$ • when $\lambda \neq 0$, the chip flow is deviated from π and $\rho = \lambda$ where ρ is chip flow deviation (from π) angle.



Orthogonal cutting: when chip flows along orthogonal plane, π , i.e., $\rho = 0$ Oblique cutting : when chip flow deviates from orthogonal plane, i.e. $\rho \neq 0$ But practically ρ may be zero even if $\lambda = 0$ and ρ may not be exactly equal to λ even if $\lambda \neq 0$. Because there are some other (than λ) factors also which may cause chip flow deviation. Result: Hence the study of Orthogonal & Oblique Cutting on a Lathe is completed.

Experiment-8

AIM: TO DEMONSTRATE SLOT MILLING.

THEORY: Slot milling is the operation of producing slots in solid workpiece on a milling machine. These slots can be varied shapes such as plain slots, T-slots, etc.

TOOLS AND TECHNIQUES: Milling machine, vice slotting cutter, slotting cutter, scale, vernier caliper, wire brush, spanner set, clamping device (clamps, bolts, nuts, blocks, etc).

PROCEDURE:

1. Clamp the slotting cutter on the arbor of milling machine.
2. Tight the arbor support nut properly.
3. Check the rotation of cutter, that it should not rotate outward side.
4. Hold the work piece in the vice or on the table accordingly with the help of clamping device.
5. Start the milling and set the work piece against the rotating cutter.
6. Give the depth of cut and feed to the work piece as per requirements. Ensure depth of cut should not too much.
7. Stop the machine, remove the work piece and check its dimensions with the help of measuring instruments.

PRECAUTIONS:

1. Do not wear loose cloth during working on the machine.
2. Slotting cutter must be tight properly on the arbor.
3. Work piece also must be tight properly in the vice or on the table of the machine with the help of clamping device.
4. Correct cutting speed and feed should be used for long life of cutter.
5. Give minimum depth of cut to the work piece. Do not give too much depth of cut.
6. Do not run machine without cutting fluid.
7. When cutters become dull, they should be sharpened immediately.