

Manufacturing Of Bimetallic Pistons and Its Surface Integrity

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Abstract- To ensure better bonding, the insert is dipped in the molten aluminium bath, this dipping time playing a vital role. Achieving the near net shape of the bimetallic pistons without damaging the bonding between the aluminium and cast iron is the major challenge. Weight reduction and wear resistance, bimetallic pistons are used. Aluminum alloy is reinforced with cast iron insert to realize the bimetallic pistons. Nevertheless, as far as machinability is concerned, achieving the near net shape of the bimetallic pistons without damaging the bonding between the aluminum and cast iron is the major crisis. The bond integrity after machining is primarily related to the magnitude of the cutting forces during machining and thus the objective of the paper is to obtain optimal cutting parameters in turning of such pistons. In addition, any machining process should also satisfy surface finish requirements. A Taguchi analysis of the influence of cutting speed, feed, and depth of cut on cutting force were conducted and the extent of debonding and the surface finish was measured.

Keywords- Bimetallic piston, Depth, Feed, Speed, Surface roughness, Al,CI etc.

I. INTRODUCTION

The bimetallic car segment comprises of an aluminum-silicon composite fortified with an iron based addition. In perspective on diminishing the heaviness of the segment and for better mechanical properties it was fabricated by gravity kick the bucket throwing technique. The present work is engaged to limit the wear and furthermore for better usefulness. Uniform wetting is guaranteed for appropriate holding of the addition with combination. Under these conditions, the mechanical conduct of holding of a car cylinder at various warmth treatment is managed.

The mechanical practices, for example, quality and hardness are estimated. Furthermore, the metallurgical properties like accessible stage, structure at the aluminum and cast iron (Al-CI) joining are managed the aftereffect of Scanning Electron Microscope (SEM) and X-Ray Diffraction (XRD). Piston is placed in such a way that two probes are in touch at the top and bottom portion of the bonding region. When it is rotated, the probe senses if any debonding zone is present on the circumference of the Al-CI.

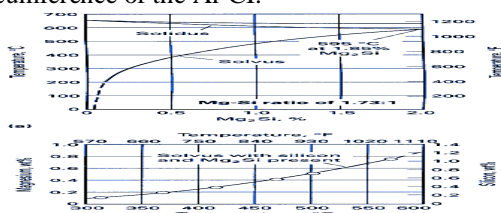


Fig 1 Function of silicon in aluminum alloy

II. LITERATURE REVIEW

Bimetallic pistons are fabricated through gravity kick the bucket throwing, by strengthening dim give iron a role as an addition in the aluminum composite. The graphite particles in dim, pliant and flexible irons are in charge of the free-machining attributes of the cast iron and their better machinability when thought about than steels.

Inside the cast irons, graphite morphology assumes a significant job in machinability, with the graphite chips found in dim iron giving predominant machining attributes. While the graphite particles impact cutting power and surface completion, the grid is the essential determinant of hardware life. Machining incites worry at the interface and it influences the holding. Since the piston responds inside a chamber bore, the surface unpleasantness of the piston assumes a fundamental job in wear execution. Thus, it is required to check the surface uprightness of pistons through bond checking and surface unpleasantness estimation in the wake of machining.

Technique for the permeable strengthening material. It is heated up to a temperature generously above liquefying purpose of the lattice metal. At that point the liquid lattice metal is invaded into the permeable structure of the strengthening material under a generous weight. At that point the mix of the strengthening material and the network metal penetrated there into is chilled off to a temperature underneath the liquefying purpose of the

framework metal, while keeping up the previously mentioned significant weight.

III. RESEARCH METHODOLOGY

To make the piston into close to net shape, it is to be machined with a target of estimating cutting power at various machining parameters (speed, feed, and profundity of cut) without irritating holding nature. In the bimetallic area, a solitary device is presented for machining both the metals as opposed to utilizing two distinct devices. The subtleties of trial set in the mood for machining are introduced beneath. Aluminium combination is fortified with the dark cast iron to produce the bimetallic pistons. Run of the mill piece of aluminium and cast iron.



Fig. 2 Surface roughness measurement facility

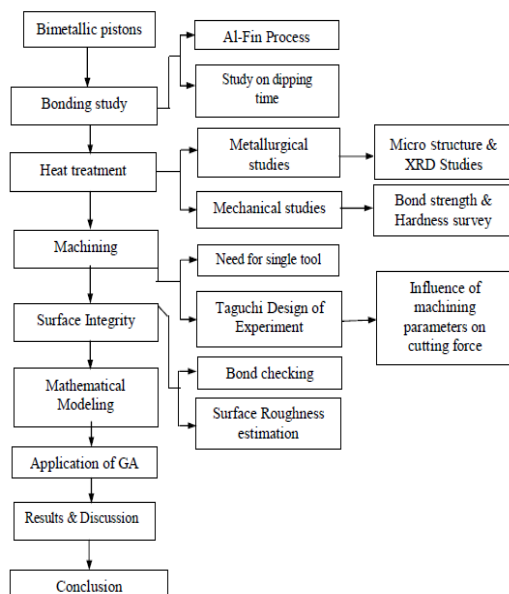


Fig. 3 Flow chart of Research work

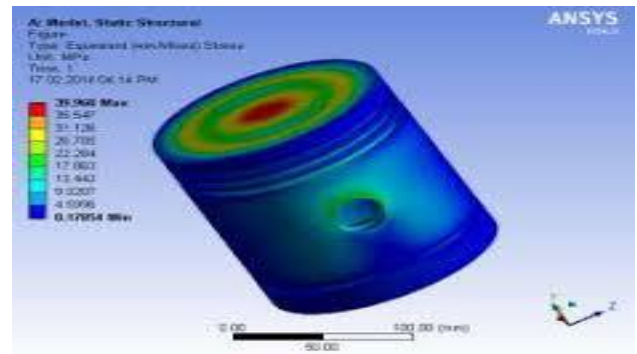


Fig. 4 Analysis in ANSYS

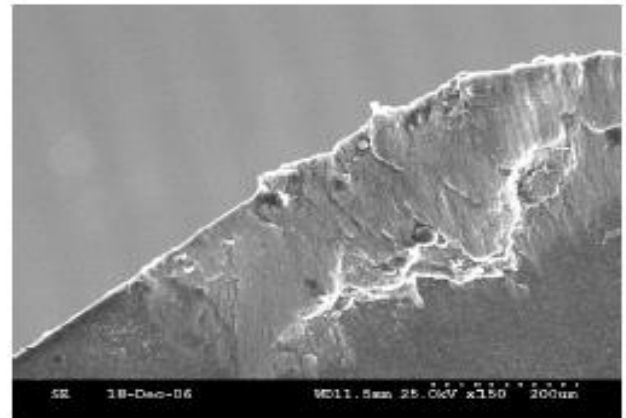


Fig.5 Crater wear at x150.

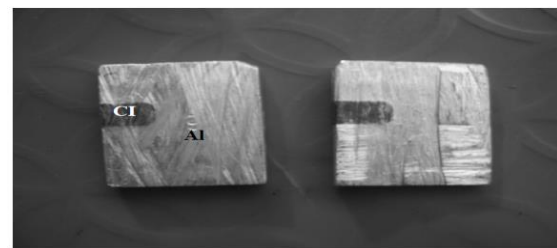


Fig.6 Typical specimen of piston.

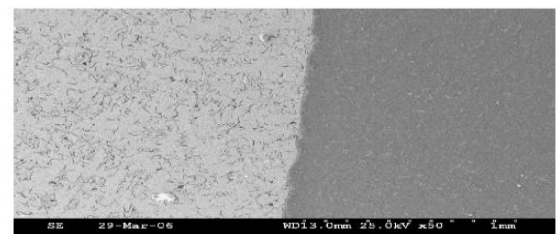


Fig. 7 Typical micrograph of as cast piston

There are nine types of ternary mixes in Al-Si and Fe frame work Regularly X Ray Diffraction study is utilized to break down the stage present with data on cross section type direction separating (Venkatesh V.C et al 1982). The

stages present in Al-Si and Fe framework can be comprehended from the ternary stage outline (Ragavan.V 2002). Fe Al₂, Fe₂ Al₅ and Fe Al₃ are the conceivable middle of the road stages in Fe-Al framework as clarified in Table 1. There are nine types of ternary mixes in Al-Si and Fe framework.

Table 1 Al-Fe-Si crystal structure

Phase	% Composition		
	Al	Fe	Si
Al ₂ Fe ₃ Si ₃	25.0	37.5	37.5
Al ₂ FeSi	50.0	25.0	25.0
Al _{2.7} Fe _{2.3} Si _{2.3}	45.0	16.7	38.3
Al ₁₅ Fe ₆ Si ₅	57.7	23.1	19.2
Al _{4.5} FeSi	69.2	15.4	15.4
Al _{63.5} Fe _{20.5} Si ₁₆	93.5	20.5	16.0
Al ₆ Fe ₄ Si ₆	37.5	25.0	37.5
Al ₂ Fe ₃ Si ₄	22.2	33.3	44.4
Al ₄ Fe _{1.7} Si	59.7	25.4	14.9

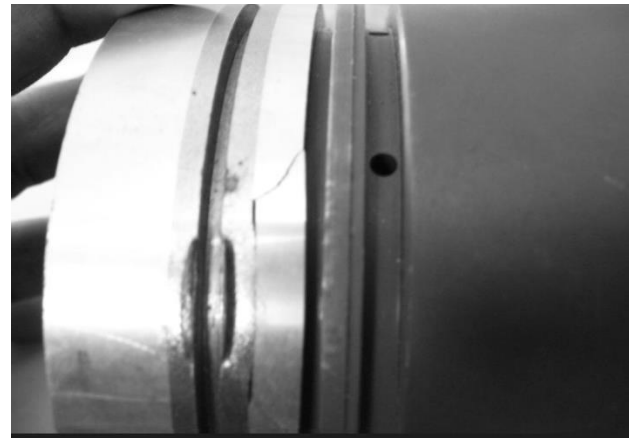


Fig. 9 Typical display of components of cutting force

Table 2 Typical strength test result

Parameter	Result
Peak load	45.5 KN
Displacement at Max force	2.9 mm
Breaking Load	39.050 KN
Maximum Displacement	3 mm

Sticky material around the little openings close to the bleeding edge. Be that as it may, there is less grip close to the external edge of the small scale pits. The explanation behind this is, presently metal cutting, the arrangement of the miniaturized scale surface alters the chip stream course, making attachment on the machined surface moderately light. it tends to be finished up, at that point, that smaller scale surfaces impact.

IV. RESULTS ANALYSIS

The Experimental design is a procedure to accumulate observational learning, for example information dependent on the investigation of experimental data. Building a design implies, cautiously picking few tests that are to be performed under controlled conditions. There are four interrelated strides in structure a design:

- Define an objective, i.e. effect of process variables or find optimal parameters.
- Define the process variables that will be controlled during experimentation and their working range.
- Define the variables that will be measured to describe the outcome of the experimental runs, i.e. response variables.
- Among the available standard designs, choose the one that is compatible with the objective, number of design variables, precision of measurements and a reasonable cost.

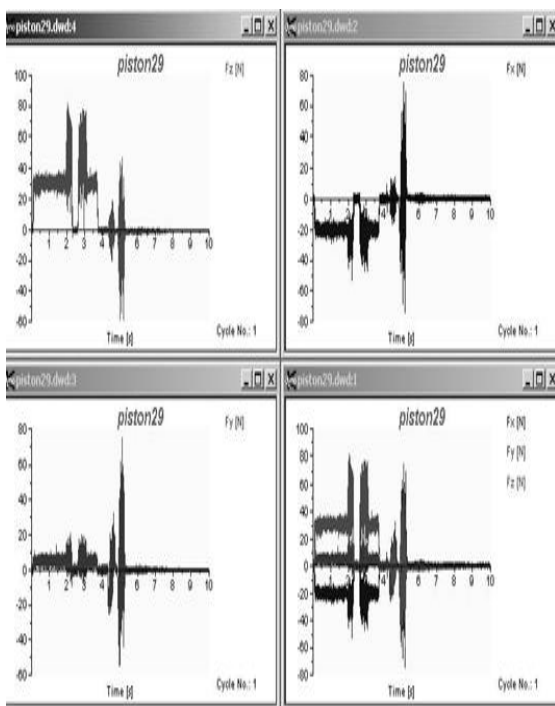


Fig 8 Cracked piston after strength test

Table 3 Experimental result

Experimental Run	Speed (m/min)	Feed (mm/rev)	Depth of cut (mm)	Mean Cutting force at bonding region (N)
1	452	0.15	0.15	42
2	452	0.20	0.20	55
3	452	0.25	0.25	82
4	482	0.15	0.20	60
5	482	0.20	0.25	85
6	482	0.25	0.15	58
7	512	0.15	0.25	53
8	512	0.20	0.15	39
9	512	0.25	0.20	76

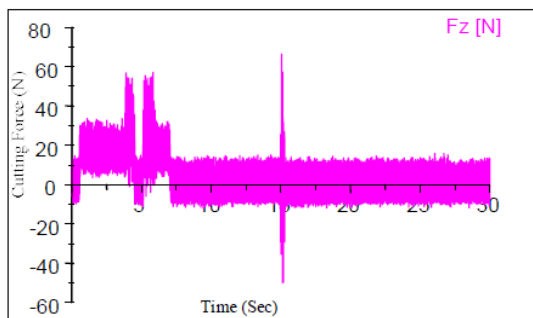


Fig. 10 Typical cutting force variations.

V. CONCLUSIONS

Pistons are exposed to heat treatments and broke down through SEM study for their holding nature. XRD study uncovers the stages. Hardness and shear quality data uncover the mechanical attributes of pistons. For examination, comparative tests are completed on as cast examples and heat treatment examples under different conditions.

- Such a creative thought of utilizing a solitary device for machining bimetal decreases the process duration as well as improves the efficiency. The cutting power estimation on 1½ minutes plunged supplement is done and

machining parameters are streamlined.

- A CBN tool was used to machine bimetallic pistons.
- The optimal cutting conditions for bimetallic pistons were obtained using the Taguchi method.
- The developed mathematical model accurately predicted the cutting force at the bonding zone.
- The outcomes particular cylinder performs obviously better than single piece cylinder in all perspective, increasingly over measured cylinder lessens the expense of assembling cylinder with exorbitant super combinations and composites, the accompanying perceptions are produced using the ANSYS recreation 1. Supplanting the cylinder crown material with composite diminishes the net warmth ingestion by the cylinder 2.

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