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BMM4893 Mechanics of Composite Materials Assignment No.1

Answer all questions. Important note: This assignment must be *in handwiritng*, no MS Word/Latex etc.

- 1. What is a composite material?
- 2. What is an isotropic body?
- 3. What is a homogeneous body?
- 4. Are composite materials isotropic and homogeneous?
- 5. What is an isotropic material?
- 6. What is a nonhomogeneous body?
- 7. What is a lamina?
- 8. What is a laminate?
- 9. How are hybrid composites classified?
- 10. What are the limitations of modern composites?
- 11. With aid of a diagram, discuss the manufacturing processes of the:
 - a. Filament winding
 - b. Vacuum Bagging
 - c. Vacuum Resin Infusion
 - d. Pultrusion
 - e. Compression moulding
 - f. Autoclave