ELEMENTS OF CIVIL ENGINEERING AND MECHANICS

[As per Choice Based Credit System (CBCS) scheme] (Effective from the academic year 2017 -2018) SEMESTER - I/II

Subject Code	17CIV13/23	IA Marks	40	
Number of Lecture Hours/Week	04	Exam Marks	60	
Total Number of Lecture Hours	50	Exam Hours	03	
CREDITS - 04				

COURSE OBJECTIVES:

The objectives of this course is to make students to learn basics of Civil Engineering concepts and infrastructure development, solve problems involving Forces, loads and Moments and know their applications in allied subjects. It is a pre-requisite for several courses involving Forces, Moments, Centroids, Moment of inertia and Kinematics.

Particulars	
Module 1: Introduction to Civil Engineering & Engineering	
Mechanics	
Introduction to Civil Engineering	
Scope of different fields of Civil Engineering - Surveying, Building	
Materials, Construction Technology, Geotechnical Engineering,	
Structural Engineering, Hydraulics, WaterResources and Irrigation	01
Engineering, Transportation Engineering, Environmental Engineering.	
Infrastructure: Types of infrastructure, Role of Civil Engineer in	01
theInfrastructural Development, Effect of the infrastructural facilities	
onsocio-economic development of a country.	
Roads: Classification of Roads and their functions, Comparison of	01
Flexible and Rigid Pavements (Advantages and Limitations)	

Bridges: Types of Bridges and Culverts, RCC, Steel and Composite		
Bridges		
Dams: Different types of Dams based on Material, Structural behavior		
and functionality with simple sketches.		
Introduction to Engineering Mechanics:		
Basic idealizations - Particle, Continuum and Rigid body; Newton's		
lawsCForce and its characteristics, types of forces-Gravity, Lateral and		
its distribution on surfaces, Classification of force systems, Principle of		
physical independence, superposition, transmissibility of forces, ,	02	
Introduction to SI units.		
Couple, Moment of a couple, Characteristics of couple, Moment of a	03	
force, Equivalent force - Couple system; Numerical problems on		
moment of forces and couples, on equivalent force - couple system.		
Module 2: Analysis of Concurrent Force Systems		
Concepts: Resultants and Equilibrium Composition of forces - Definition of Resultant: Composition of	03	
coplanar -concurrent force system, Parallelogram Law of forces, Principle of resolved parts;		
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Module - 3 Analysis of Non-Concurrent Force Systems		
Concepts: Resultants and Equilibrium Composition of coplanar - non-concurrent force system, Varignon's	05	
principle of moments; Numerical problems on composition of coplanar		
non-concurrent Force system.		
Application-Support Reaction in beams Types of Loads and Supports, statically determinate beams, Numerical	05	
problems onsupport reactions for statically determinate beams with		
Point load (Normal and inclined) and uniformly distributed and		
uniformly varying loads and Moments.		
Module 4 Centroids and Moments of Inertia of Engineering	10	
Sections:		
Centroids	05	
Introduction to the concept, centroid of line and area, centroid of basic		
geometrical figures, computing centroid for- T, L, I, Z and		
full/quadrant circular sections and their built up sections. Numerical	05	
problems		
Moment of Inertia Introduction to the concept, Radius of gyration, Parallel axis theorem,		
Perpendicular axis theorem, Moment of Inertia of basic planar figures,		
computing moment of Inertia for – T, L, I, Z and full/quadrant circular		
sections and their built up sections. Numerical problems		
Module 5: Kinematics	10	
Concepts and Applications	02	
Definitions – Displacement – Average velocity – Instantaneous velocity		
- Speed - Acceleration - Average acceleration - Variable acceleration -		
Acceleration due to gravity – Newton's Laws of Motion.		
Rectilinear Motion-Numerical problems.	02	
Curvilinear Motion – Super elevation – ProjectileMotion – Relative		
motion – Numerical problems.		
Motion under gravity – Numerical problems.		
COURSE OUTCOMES		
After a successful completion of the course, the student will be able to:		

- 1. Know basics of Civil Engineering, its scope of study, knowledge about Roads, Bridges and Dams;
- 2. Comprehend the action of Forces, Moments and other loads on systems of rigid bodies;
- 3. Compute the reactive forces and the effects that develop as a result of the external loads;
- 4. Locate the Centroid and compute the Moment of Inertia of regular crosssections.
- 5. Express the relationship between the motion of bodies and
- 6. Equipped to pursue studies in allied courses in Mechanics.

Question Paper Pattern:

- 10 Questions are to be set such that 2 questions are selected from each module.
- 2 Questions are to be set under respective modules.
- Intra module questions are to be set such that the questions should cover the entire module and further, should be answerable for the set marks.
- Each question should be set for 20 marks (Preferably 10 marks each)
- Not more than 3 sub questions are to be set under any main question
- Students should answer 5 full questions selecting at least 1 from each module.

TEXT BOOKS

- 1. Elements of Civil Engineering and Engineering Mechanics by M.N. Shesha Prakash and Ganesh. B. Mogaveer, PHI Learning, 3rd Revised edition (2014)
- 2. Engineering Mechanics-Statics and Dynamics by A Nelson, Tata McGraw Hill Education Private Ltd, New Delhi, 2009.
- 3. Elements of Civil Engineering (IV Edition) by S.S. Bhavikatti, New Age International Publisher, New Delhi, 3rd edition 2009.

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- 1. Engineering Mechanics by S.Timoshenko, D.H.Young, and J.V.Rao, TATA McGraw-Hill Book Company, New Delhi
- Beer FP and Johnson ER, "Mechanics for Engineers- Dynamics and Statics"- 3rd SI Metric edition, Tata McGraw Hill. - 2008
- 3. Shames IH, "Engineering Mechanics Statics & Dynamics"- PHI 2009