

Guru Nanak Dev Engineering College, Ludhiana

Civil Engineering Department

Study Scheme of Post Graduate Program (Batch 2016 & Onwards)

M.Tech Geotechnical Engineering							
S No	Subject Code	Course Title	Type	Contact Hours	Credits	Distribution of Marks	
				L-T-P		Ext	Int
First Semester							
1	MTGT-16501	Site Investigations	Core	4-0-0	4	100	50
2	MTGT-16503	Applied Soil Mechanics	Core	4-0-0	4	100	50
3	MTGT-16505	Analysis of Settlement of Soils & Foundations	Core	4-0-0	4	100	50
4	MTGT-166xx	Program Elective-I	Program Elective	3-0-0	3	100	50
5	MTGT-166xx	Program Elective-II	Program Elective	3-0-0	3	100	50
6	MTGT-16507	Laboratory-I	Lab-I	0-0-4	2	50	50
Second Semester							
1	MTGT-16502	Advanced Foundation Engineering	Core	4-0-0	4	100	50
2	MTGT-16504	Research Methodology	Core	4-0-0	4	100	50
3	MTGT-16506	Soil Dynamics	Core	4-0-0	4	100	50
4	MTGT-166xx	Program Elective-III	Program Elective	3-0-0	3	100	50
5	MTxxx	Open Elective - I	Open Elective	3-0-0	3	100	50
6	MTGT-16508	Laboratory-II	Lab-II	0-0-4	2	50	50
Third Semester							
1	MTyyy	Open Elective - II	Open Elective	3-0-0	3	100	50
2	MTGT-166xx	Program Elective-IV	Program Elective	3-0-0	3	100	50
3	MTGT-16509	Pre-Thesis Seminar	Pre-thesis seminar	0-0-2	1	-	100
4	MTGT-16510	Pre-Thesis Project	Pre-thesis project	0-0-3	3	50	50
Fourth Semester							
1	MTGT-16511	Thesis/Dissertation	Thesis	0-0-15	15	100	200

List of Program Electives for Geotechnical Engineering

S. No.	Course Name	Course Code
1	Soil-Structure Interaction	MTGT-16601
2	Rock Mechanics	MTGT-16602
3	Geosynthetic Engineering	MTGT-16603
4	Structural Design of Foundations	MTGT-16604
5	Clay Mineralogy	MTGT-16605
6	Retaining Structures	MTGT-16606
7	Slope Stability Analysis	MTGT-16607
8	Case Histories in Geotechnical Engineering	MTGT-16608
9	Earth Anchors	MTGT-16609
10	Design of Highway and Airport Pavements	MTGT-16610
11	Traffic Simulation and Management	MTGT-16611
12	Buried Structures	MTGT-16612
13	Environmental Impact assessment & Management	MTGT-16613
14	Advanced Soil Mechanics	MTGT-16614
15	Disaster Reduction and Management	MTGT-16615
16	Environmental Geotechnology	MTGT-16616
17	Ground Improvement	MTGT-16617
18	Earthen Embankment	MTGT-16618
19	Geomechanics	MTGT-16619
20	Highway Materials & Construction	MTGT-16620
21	Numerical Methods in Engineering	MTGT-16621

***Department can float any above subject as Open elective as per the requirement of timetable.**

MTGT-16501 Site Investigations

Course Credits --4

Internal Marks: 50

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External Marks: 100

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Total Marks: 150

Course Content	Contact Hours
Soil formation -Processes – Characteristics of major soil deposits of India. Necessity and Importance of soil exploration Method of sub surface exploration Test pits , Trenches, Caissons, Tunnels and drifts, Wash boring , Percussion drilling , Rotary drilling, Factors affecting the selection of a suitable method of boring. Extent of boring, Factors controlling spacing and depth of bore holes, Spacing and depth for various Civil engineering structures.	12
Indirect method of exploration, Seismic method, Electrical resistivity, Resistivity sounding and profiling, Qualitative and quantitative interpretation of test results, Comparison of resistivity and seismic surveys, Shortcomings.	6
Stabilization of bore holes, Different method of stabilization of the bore holes, their relative merits and demerits	2
Ground water Observation: Different method of ground water observation: Time lag in observation, Sampling of ground water.	14
Sampling: Source of disturbance and their influence, Type of sampler, Principle of design of sampler, Representative and undisturbed sampling in various types of soils, Surface sampling, Amount of sampling, Boring and sampling record, Preservation and shipment of sample preparation of bore log.	6
In situ Permeability. Pumping in test in a cased hole with open end, Falling head packer test constant head packer test, Pump in out tests in a single test wall and open pit or unlined hole. Piezometer methods	6
Water content at site: Speedy moisture tester, Their relative merits and demerits.	2
Fields Tests: Standard penetration test, Dynamic cone penetration tests with and without bentonite mud slurry. Static cone penetration test, Surface sampling. Cyclic plate load test, Large shear box test, Vane shear test, Pile load, , Block resonance test, wave propagation test. Small size penetrometers, Pressuremeter test and Diltometer test. Various corrections in the test results and interpretation of test results for design of foundations. Correlation among various test results. Precautions to be exercised during the execution of these tests. Preparation of bore hole log.	12
Investigation below sea/river bed – methods and equipments – interpretation of offshore exploration, Instrumentation in soil engineering - strain gauges - resistance and inductance type - load cells, earth pressure cells - settlement and heave gauges - piezometers and slope indicators -inclinometer, Field visit, data and report preparation	6

References

1. Hvorsler M. "Subsurface exploration and sampling of soil for Civil Engg. purposes.
2. Simon and Cayton " Site investigation"

MTGT-16502 Advance Foundation Engineering

Course Credits --4

Internal Marks: 50

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External Marks: 100

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Total Marks: 150

Course Content	Contact Hours
Shallow Foundation: Terzaghi's bearing capacity equation, General bearing capacity equation, Balla's & Meyerhof's theory, Effect of water table, special footing problems, I.S. Code, Footing pressure for settlement on sand, Soil pressure at a depth, Boussinesq's & westergaard methods, Computation of settlements (Immediate & Consolidation) Permissible settlements, Proportioning of footing, Inclined & Eccentric loads.	13
Pile Foundation: Timber, concrete, Steel piles, estimating pile capacity by dynamic formula, By wave equation & By static methods, Point Bearing piles, Pile loads tests, Negative skin friction, Modulns of subgrade reaction for laterally loaded piles, Lateral resistance	13
Single Pile v/s Pile Groups, Pile group consideration, Efficiency, Stresses on underlying strata, Settlement of pile group, Pile caps, Batter piles, Approximate and exact analysis of pile groups, I.S code.	10
Well foundation: Types (open end & closed or box, pneumatic, drilled) shapes, Bearing capacity and settlements, Determination of grip length by dimensional analysis, Design of well foundation construction, Tilts & shifts.	10
Sheet Pile Structure: Types, Cantilever, Anchored sheet piling , Design by Fixed earth Method and modifications by Anderson & Techabotarioff, Anchor Braced sheeting cofferdam , Single well cofferdams, Cellular cofferdam, Stability of cellular cofferdam, Instability due to Heave of bottom.	10

References

1. Barken, D.D. "Dynamic of Bases and Foundation"
2. Peek Hansen "Foundation Engineering and Thornolour"
3. Leaconards "Foundation Engineering"
4. Bowles "Foundation Design"
5. Rechartetal "Vibration of Soils - Foundations."

MTGT-16503: Applied Soil Mechanics

Course Credits --4

Internal Marks: 50

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External Marks: 100

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Total Marks: 150

Course Content	Contact Hours
Introduction to stability of slopes, Stability number, Friction circle, Bishop's method of slices- simple and rigorous; Wedge method, Factor of safety w.r.t height and strength	14
Earth work construction, Embankments, Earth dams, Field compaction, Seepage and piping in embankments and dams construction problems	14
Stabilization of soils: Mechanical, Electrical and Chemical methods of stabilization, Problems of excavation, Dewatering, Stability of base and embankment	13
Arching in Soil & underground culvert and conduits.	3
Swell and shrinkage, Soils characteristics, swelling pressure of soils, Mechanics of Swelling, Crack	8
Design of open cuts	4

References:

1. "Soil Mechanics", Lambe & Whitman, Wiley Publisher
2. "Soil Mechanics and Foundation Engineering", Dr. K R Arora, Standard Publisher Distributors, New Delhi
3. "Applied Soil Mechanics", Braja M Das
4. "Fundamentals of Soil Mechanics", D W Taylor

MTGT –16504 Research Methodology

Course Credits --4

Internal Marks: 50

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External Marks: 100

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Total Marks: 150

Course Content	Contact Hours
Overview of Research: Nature and Objectives of research, historical, descriptive and experimental, Study and formulation of research problem, Scope of research and formulation of hypotheses; Feasibility, preparation and presentation of research proposal	10
Methods of Data Collection: Primary data and Secondary Data, methods of primary data collection, classification of secondary data,	10
Sampling Methods: Probability sampling: simple random sampling, systematic sampling, stratified sampling, cluster sampling and multistage sampling. Non-probability sampling: convenience sampling, judgment sampling, quota sampling. Sampling distributions	10
Processing and Analysis of Data: Statistical measures and their significance: Central tendencies, variation, skewness, Kurtosis, time series analysis, correlation and regression, Testing of Hypotheses, Parametric (t, z and F) Chi Square, ANOVA. Measures of central tendency and dispersion: mean, median, mode, range, mean deviation and standard deviation. Regression and correlation analysis	14
Design Of Experiments: Basic principles, study of completely randomized and randomized block designs. Edition and tabulation of results, presentation of results using figures, tables and text, quoting of references and preparing bibliography	12

Note: Application and use of various software for case studies should essential be covered in the lectures.

References:

Levin, R.I. and Rubin, D.S., Statistics for Management, 7th Edition, Pearson Education: New Delhi.

Malhotra, N.K., Marketing Research An Applied Orientation, 4th Edition Pearson Education: New Delhi.

Zikmund, W.G., Business Research Methods, 7th Edition, Thomson South-Western

Krishnaswami, K.N., Sivakumar, A. I. and Mathirajan, M., Management Research Methodology, Pearson Education: New Delhi.

Kothari C.R., Research Methodology Methods and techniques by, New Age International Publishers, 2nd edition

MTGT-16505: Analysis of Settlement of Soils & Foundations

Course Credits --4

Internal Marks: 50

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External Marks: 100

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Total Marks: 150

Course Content	Contact Hours
Stress Strain Relation; Evaluation of parameters, types of settlements- elastic and inelastic, Method for estimation; Consolidation theories- one and three dimensional.	26
Settlement of footings- isolated footings, strip footing, Rafts, Piles and piles groups, Analysis of foundation Soil system.	30

References

1. Leonards- "Foundation Engineering"
2. Das Braja M _- "Advanced Soil Mechanics"
3. Lambe & Whitman -"-Soil Mechanics"

MTGT-16506 Soil Dynamics

Course Credits --4

Internal Marks: 50

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External Marks: 100

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Total Marks: 150

Course Content	Contact Hours
Introduction: Nature of dynamic loads, Stress conditions on soil, Elements under E.Q. loading (basic concepts only), Fundamentals of theory of vibrations-simple harmonic motion, Response of SDOF system-Vibration analysis procedure- Free and forced vibration with and without damping. Adverse effects of Seismic hazard and Site improvement methods for mitigation of earthquake hazards.	14
Dynamic Bearing Capacity: General, Failure Zones & Ultimate Bearing capacity criteria for satisfactory action of footing. Introduction to bearing capacity and settlement analysis under earthquake loading- Seismic design considerations, Codal provisions,	8
Dynamic response of Retaining wall: Seismic design consideration of Retaining Walls during Earth Quakes, Modification of Coulomb's Theory, Indian standard code of Practice.	12
Liquefaction of Soils: Soil liquefaction - Criterion and Factor Affecting Liquefaction, Susceptibility, initiation and effects of soil liquefaction, Laboratory and Field methods for estimation of liquefaction potential- CSR and CRR. Liquefaction behaviors of dense sand.	12
M/C Foundations: Introduction, Design criteria for satisfactory M/C foundation as per IS codes, Methods of analysis- Linear elastic weightless spring and elastic half space theory approach. Design of Block Foundation for reciprocating engine and low speed machines. Vibration Isolation techniques & Screening of Waves.	10

References

1. Robert W Day. Geotechnical Earthquake Engineering Handbook, McGraw Hill, New York. 2007
2. Kramer, S. Geotechnical Earthquake Engineering, Pearson, New Delhi. 1995
3. Ishihara, K. Soil Behaviour in Earthquake Geotechnics, Oxford Science, NY. 1996
4. Lkuo Towhata, Geotechnical Earthquake Engineering, Springer, NY. 1995
5. Bharat Bhusan Prasad Fundamental of Soil Dynamics and Earth quake Engineering, PHI, 2005
6. Prakash S and Puri, Foundations for Machines: Analysis and design, Wiley, New York, 1988.
7. Braja M. Das and G.V. Ramana Principle of Soil Dynamics, Cengage Learning . 2010.
8. Swami Saran, Soil Dynamics and machine foundations, Galgotia Publishers, New Delhi, 1997.
9. Murthy V. N. S, Soil Mechanics and Foundation Engineering CBS Publishers & Distributors, New Delhi, 2009.

MTGT-16507: Laboratory-1

Course Credits --2

Internal Marks: 100

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External Marks: 50

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Total Marks: 150

- 1) Algorithm/flow chart for various geotechnical engineering problems using spread sheet, any computer language.
- 2) Stability analysis using various software such as GEO5, PLAXIS etc
- 3) Bearing Capacity of shallow and deep foundations using software such as GEO5, PLAXIS etc.
- 4) Settlement analysis of shallow and deep foundations using software such as GEO5, PLAXIS etc.
- 5) Analysis of soil-structure interaction problems such as piled-raft, laterally loaded piles, sheet piles etc.
- 6) Analysis of ground improvement problems such as soil nailing, use of geogrids/geosynthesis etc

MTGT-16508 Laboratory-2

Course Credits --2

Internal Marks: 50

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External Marks: 50

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Total Marks: 100

1. Relative Density of sand Test
2. Proctor Compaction Test
3. CBR Test
4. Permeability of Clay/ Sand Soils.
5. Free Swell, Swell Potential, Swell Pressure Test
6. Standard Penetration Test
7. Dynamic Cone Penetrometer Test
8. Analytical study of cuts and slopes

MTGT-16509: Pre-Thesis Seminar

Course Credits --1

Internal Marks: 100

External Marks: --

Total Marks: 100

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This is an unstructured open-ended course where under the overall supervision of a faculty member of his discipline, each student must submit report as a culmination of his endeavor and investigation. The course will aim to evaluate student's actual ability to use the fundamentals of knowledge and to meet new unknown situations as demonstrated by the student's interaction with the teachers.

**The topic of seminar must be related to the thesis work of the student.*

MTGT-16510: Pre-Thesis Project

Course Credits --3

Internal Marks: 50

External Marks: 50

Total Marks: 100

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This is an unstructured course where under the overall supervision of a faculty member of his discipline, each student must submit report as a culmination of his endeavor and investigation related to the topic of his/her discipline. The course will aim to evaluate student's actual ability to use the fundamentals of knowledge and to meet new unknown situations as demonstrated by the student's interaction with the teachers.

**The topic of Project must be related to the thesis work of the student.*

MTGT-16602 ROCK MECHANICS

Course Credits --3

Internal Marks: 50
 External Marks: 100
 Total Marks: 150

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Course Content	Contact Hours
Introduction: Introduction on the rock mechanics its relation with engineering Geology and soil Mechanics-Importance and application of the rock mechanics to Civil Engineering.	6
Classification: Review of litho-logical classification of rocks, Engineering classification of intact and fissured rock- Deere & Miller and Deere classification - RQD classification on wave velocity relation classification on fissures joints and faults.	7
Engineering Properties of Rock Masses Lab Tests: Void- index test, Compression & tensile tests, Permeability, Strength characteristics, Strength of intact and fissured rocks, Effect of test conditions.	8
Stability in Rock Slopes: Modes of failures in rock masses simplified Bishop's method, Janbu's method, Hock's method, Wedge's method.	8
In Situ Testing Of Rocks: Field direct shear test, Triaxial test, Use of flat jacks, Cable jacking, Chamber test & Plate load test.	7
Stabilization of Rocks: Rock Bolting, Principle of rock Bolting, Rock grouting, Grouting materials, Grouting operations & method of grouting.	6

Reference

1. Goodman R.E." Rock Mechanics"
2. Robert,A " Geotechnology"

MTGT- 16603 Geosynthetics Engineering

Course Credits -- 3

Internal Marks: 50

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External Marks: 100

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Total Marks: 150

Course Content	Contact Hours
An Overview of Geosynthetics: Classification of Geosynthetics, Functions and applications, Properties of geotextiles, Geogrids and Geomembranes.	5
Soil Reinforcement: Mechanism, improvement of bearing capacity, Embankments on soft ground, Reinforced Embankments and Reinforced soil walls –Internal and External Stability	9
Applications of Geosynthetics: Applications: Retaining walls, Embankments, Shallow foundations, Roads, Unpaved roads, Paved roads, Railway tracks, Filters and drains, Slopes, Erosion control, Stabilization, Containment facilities, Landfills, Ponds, reservoirs, canals, Earth dams, Tunnels, Installation survivability requirements.	9
Designing with Geosynthetics: Designing methodologies, Properties, test methods and construction with geotextiles, Geogrids and Geomembranes for Retaining/Earth walls, Embankments, Shallow foundations, Roads, Unpaved roads, Paved roads, Slopes, Erosion control, Mechanism of filtration and drainage functions & their applications.	15
Quality Field Performance Monitoring: Concepts of quality and its evaluation, Field performance monitoring, Case Study.	4

References:

1. Koerner, R. M. - Designing with Geosynthetics, Prentice Hall; 2nd edition, (1991)
2. Rao, G. V. & Raju G. V. S. S. - Engineering with Geosynthetics, Tata-McGraw Hill. Publication, New Delhi, 2004.
3. Shukla, Fundamentals of Geosynthetic Engg. Imperial College Press, London, 2006
4. Babu Sivakumar, Introduction to Soil Reinforcement and Geosynthetics, Univ. Press, Hyderabad, 2004.
5. Hausmann, M. R. - Engineering Principles of Ground Modifications, McGraw Hill Pub Co, 1989
6. Xianthakos, Abreimson and Bruce - Ground Control and Improvement, John Wiley & Sons, 1994.
7. Jones C. J. F. P. (1985) – Earth Reinforcement and soil structures – Butterworths, London.

MTGT-16604: Structural Design of Foundations

Course Credits --3

Internal Marks: 50

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External Marks: 100

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Total Marks: 150

Course Content	Contact Hours
Introduction to design of foundation: Review of design of shallow footing e.g. isolated footing, combined footings, Design of Piles, Pile caps and pile foundations buildings, Design of retaining structures	10
Earth Retaining Structures: Design of retaining walls for dry and saturated back fills with surcharge loads. Retaining walls resting on piles, Design of bridge abutments, Design of sheet piles used for coffer dams , Design of sheeting bracing in excavation trenches	16
Special Structures: Design of foundation for transmission tower, Design of basement walls, Design of wells foundation and caissons, Design of bridge piers resting on piles and raft	16

References:

1. "Advanced RCC Design" Pillai & Menon, Tata MacGraw Hill
2. "Advanced Design of Structures", N. Krishna Raju
3. "Limit State Design", A.K. Jain
4. "Limit state Design of Reinforced Concrete"; Varghese P C; Prentice-Hall of India Pvt. Ltd".
5. "Reinforced Concrete and masonry Structures", Hool and kinne

MTGT - 16615 Disaster Reduction & Management

Course Credits --3

Internal Marks: 50

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External Marks: 100

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Total Marks: 150

Course Content	Contact Hours (Min.)
Introduction to Disaster Management: Define and describe disaster, hazard, emergency, vulnerability, risk and disaster management; Identify and describe the types of natural and non-natural disasters, Important phases of Disaster Management Cycle	5
Disaster Mitigation and Preparedness: <i>Natural Hazards:</i> causes, distribution pattern, consequences and mitigation measures for earth quake, tsunami, cyclone, flood, landslide drought etc. <i>Man-made hazards:</i> causes, consequences mitigation measures for various industrial hazards/disasters, Preparedness for natural disasters in urban areas.	5
Hazard and Risk Assessment: Assessment of capacity, vulnerability and risk, vulnerability and risk mapping, stages in disaster recovery and associated problems.	6
Emergency Management Systems (EMS): Emergency medical and essential public health services, response and recovery operations, reconstruction and rehabilitation.	6
Capacity Building: Gender sensitive disaster management approach and inculcate new skills and sharpen existing skills of government officials, voluntary activists, development of professional and elected representative for effective disaster management, role of media in effective disaster management, overview of disaster management in India, role of agencies like NDMA, SDMA and other International agencies, organizational structure, role of insurance sector, DM act and NDMA guidelines.	8
Application of Geoinformatics and Advanced Techniques: Use of Remote Sensing Systems (RSS) and GIS in disaster Management, role of knowledge based expert systems in hazard scenario, using risks-time charts to plan for the future, early warning systems.	5
Integration of public policy: Planning and design of infrastructure for disaster management, Community based approach in disaster management, methods for effective dissemination of information, ecological and sustainable development models for disaster management.	4
Case Studies: Lessons and experiences from various important disasters with specific reference to Civil Engineering.	3

References:

1. Natural Hazards in the Urban Habitat by Iyengar, C.B.R.I., Tata McGraw Hill, Publisher
2. Natural Disaster management, Jon Ingleton (Ed), Published by Tudor Rose, Leicester
3. Disaster Management, R.B. Singh (Ed), Rawat Publications
4. ESCAP: Asian and the Pacific Report on Natural Hazards and Natural Disaster Reduction.
5. [www.http//ndma.gov.in](http://ndma.gov.in)
6. Disaster Management –Future Challenges & Opportunities by Jagbir Singh, I.K. International Publishing House.

MTGT –16616 Environmental Geotechnology

Course Credits --3

Internal Marks: 50

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External Marks: 100

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Total Marks: 150

Course Content	Contact Hours
Introduction and soil mineralogy: Scope of environmental geotechnology and its applications, Soil Formation, Composition and Structure: Introduction, Soil formation, Solids composition and characterization, Mineral composition, Different scales of soil structure, Structural variations due to consolidation and compaction, Role of Composition and soil structure in the engineering behavior of soils.	8
Contamination in soils: Subsurface contamination, Mass transport mechanisms, Mass transfer mechanisms, Governing equation for mass transport, Soil as a geotechnical trap, effects of subsurface contamination its detection and monitoring.	6
Mechanisms of soil-water interaction: Diffuse double layer and simple DDL models; Force of attraction and repulsion; Soil-water-contaminant interaction; Effect of contaminants on engineering properties of soil.	8
Site investigation: Introduction, Site investigation approach, phase investigations, Geophysical techniques, Hydro-geological investigations, Hydro-geochemical investigations, Geochemical data collection and analysis.	6
Concepts of waste containment facilities: Desirable properties of soil; contaminant transport and retention; containment of solid waste in landfills, environmental impact of slurry waste and containment of slurry wastes, contaminated site remediation.	4
Case histories: Case histories on geo-environmental problems pertaining to use of readily available local soils, bio-remediation of spills etc.	4

References:

1. Mitchell, J.K. and Soga, K., Fundamentals of Soil Behaviour, John Wiley & Sons, Inc., New Jersey., 2005
2. Reddy, L.N. and Inyang. H. I., Geoenvironmental Engineering –Principles and Applications, Marcel Dekker, Inc., New York., 2000
3. Mohamed, A.M.O. and Antia, H.E., Geoenvironmental Engineering, Elsevier, Netherlands., 1998
4. Hsai_Yang Fang and Daniels, J.L. Introductory Geotechnical Engineering an Environmental Perspective, Taylor & Francis, Oxon., 2006
5. Yong, R. N., Geoenvironmental Engineering: Contaminated Soils, Pollutant Fate and Mitigation”, CRC press LLC, Florida., 2001.
6. Fang, H.Y, Introduction to Environmental Geotechnology, CRC Press, 1997.
7. “ Proceedings of the International symposium of Environmental Geotechnology (Vol. I and Vol. II) “,4. Environmental Publishing Co., 1986 and 1989.

MTGT –16617 Ground Improvement

Internal Marks: 50

External Marks: 100

Total Marks: 150

Course Credits --3

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Course Content	Contact Hours
Introduction , Economic considerations, Consolidation by preloading and sand drains , Strengthening by granular columns and lime columns, Compaction by vibro - flotation, Blasting , Dynamic consolidation, Grouting techniques and principles grounds anchors , Reinforced earth construction Geo- textiles Problems.	28
Stabilization: Mechanical, Lime, Cement, Resins & Other Chemicals, Drainage methods	14

References:

1. M.P. Moasley "Ground Improvement"
2. P. Purushothama Raj "Ground Improvement"
3. Das Braja M. "Principles of foundation Engineering"

MTGT – 16618 EARTHEN EMBANKMENTS

Internal Marks: 50

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External Marks: 100

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Total Marks: 150

Course Content	Contact Hours
Investigation of dams sites: General & extent of investigation, Preliminary and Final investigation, Geological investigation, Sub - surface investigation, Drilling and Sampling	6
Soil test & other utility: General various soil test for coarse, Sand and gravels, Clay, Silts & fine sands, Tests of foundation material shear consideration and settlement tests O.M.S. consideration	6
Earth Dams: General History, Advantages and disadvantages, General features of earth & rock-fill dams, Design consideration for the various components	6
Flow through saturated Porous Media: Darcy' s law - its applications , Laplace equation for isotropic and anisotropic soils , theory of flownets	6
Seepage through embankments and its controls: General determination of pheratic line by different methods, Effect of seepage, Piping, control of seepage and exit gradients by different structures such as cut off, Sheet pilling upstream blankets, filters, internal drains etc	6
Construction material and Methods: General consideration for the construction of materials, suitability of different materials for various components earth dams. Soil unsuitable for dam construction by roll, Hydraulic- fill & semi hydraulic fill methods	6
Failure & Maintenance of earth Dams: Cause & remedies of hydraulic seepage and structure failures , Causes of foundation failure and maintenance of Earth dams	6

Reference:

1. U.S.B.R. " Design of small Dams"
2. Creger Justin and Hinds "Engineering for Dams Vol. 2 & 3.
3. J.Nemec " Engineering Hydrology"

MTGT-16619 Geomechanics

Course Credits --3

Internal Marks: 50

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External Marks: 100

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Total Marks: 150

Course Content	Contact Hours
Superficial deposits. weathering and erosion processes, Mechanism involved, Detailed description of the resulting geomorphologic feat covering weather effects river actions, Sea action, Wind action and ice action, Their origin, Mechanism involved and engineering significance.	6
Detailed geologic and physiographic account of extra peninsular India and Indo-gangetic Plains.	4
Study of important Rock: forming minerals, Quartz group, Mica, Feldspar group, Pyroxene group, Amphibole group and miscellaneous mine of common occurrence. Structures and texture of the main rock group geological and engineering characteristics of the important rock by: Microscopic study of important rock and minerals including preparation of thin sections.	7
Geotectonics: North movement, Diastrophism, Oscstasy and central drafts, formation of major structural feature in rock folds. Faults, Joints and unconformities, their effects on cut crops mechanism involved their engineering significance.	7
Rock as constructional materials: sand and gravel characteristics of aggregates, Stability of slopes and cutting, Landslides and Landoidence. Geological exploration of engineering sites. Geological investigation in the case of Dams and Reservoirs Canals. Building foundation and highways.	8
Earthquakes: Mechanism involved; Geological consideration for construction; Reservoir related earthquakes.	5
Groundwater: Ground water investigation in Civil engineering, Ground water provinces in India.	2
Geological Mapping: Interpretation of geological mapping sections.	3

References:

1. Leggey "Engg. Geology"
2. Slyth "Engg Geology"
3. D.S. Arora "Geology for Engineers"

MTGT- 16620 Highway Materials and Construction

Course Credits --3

Internal Marks: 50

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External Marks: 100

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Total Marks: 150

Course Content	Contact Hours
Subgrade Soil:- significance, characteristics of soil, desirable properties, Index Properties, Soil classification based on grain size, IS soil classification, GI of soil, Subgrade strength, Evaluation of soil strength- Direct Shear Test, Triaxial Comp. test, UCS test, plate bearing test, Modulus of subgrade reaction, CBR Test.	6
Stone Aggregates:- Introduction, desirable properties, crushing test, impact test, soundness test, shape test, specific gravity & water absorption, bitumen adhesion test.	4
Bituminous Materials:- Introduction, types of bitumen materials, desirable properties, penetration test, ductility test, viscosity test, float test, specific gravity test, softening point test, flash & fire point test, solubility test, spot test, loss on heating test, water content test, Cutback bitumen, bitumen emulsion, tar	8
Bituminous Paving Mixes: - Requirements of bituminous mixes, design of bituminous mix, Marshall Method of bituminous mix design, modified Hubbard field method of bituminous mix design, Hveem method of bituminous mix design.	8
Bituminous Pavement Construction:- Introduction, types of pavement construction, excavation equipments, embankment construction, preparation of subgrade, compaction equipments, field control for compaction, construction of earth roads, construction of gravel roads, construction of WBM roads, construction of bituminous pavements, Bituminous construction procedures.	8
Cement Concrete Pavement Construction:- Introduction, Mix design, concrete strength, size of aggregates & gradation, workability, construction of cement concrete pavement slab, construction of joints, joints filler & sealer, pre-stressed concrete pavements.	8

References:

1. Atkins, N. Harold, Highway Materials, Soils and Concretes, Fourth Edition, 2002, Prentice-Hall.
2. Kerbs Robert D. and Richard D. Walker, Highway Materials, McGraw-Hill, 1971.
3. Relevant IRC and IS Codes of Practices (Separate List will be given).
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Course Credits --3

Internal Marks: 50

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Course Content	Contact Hours
Equation: Roots of algebraic transcendental equation, Solution of linear simultaneous Equations by different methods using Elimination, Iteration, Inversion, Gauss-Jordan and Gauss Siedel iteration method – Factorization method – Ill conditioned matrix. Numerical integration: Newton Cotes closed quadrature – Trapezoidal rule – Simpson's 1/3 rd rule – 3/8 th rule method. Homogeneous and Eigen Value problem, Non-linear equations, Interpolation.	12
Finite Difference Technique: Partial differential equation: Laplace, Poisson and wave equation – Explicit and implicit methods. Initial and Boundary value problems of ordinary and partial differential equations, Solution of Various types of plates and other civil engineering related problems	10
Statistical Methods: Method of correlation and Regression analysis for fitting a polynomial equation by least square	10
Initial Value problem: Galerkin's method of least square, Initial Value problem by collocation points, Runge-kutta Method	10

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