IV Year – I SEMESTER

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CE802-REMOTE SENSING AND GIS APPLICATIONS

Lecture :	3 hrs/Week	Internal Assessment :	Marks
Tutorial :	1 Hrs/Week	Semester End Examination :	Marks
Practical :		Credits :	3

Course Learning Objectives:

The course is designed to

- 1. Introduce the basic principles of Remote Sensing and GIS techniques.
- 2. Learn various types of sensors and platforms
- 3. learn concepts of visual and digital image analyses
- 4. Understand the principles of spatial analysis
- 5. Appreciate application of RS and GIS to Civil engineering

Course outcomes

At the end of the course the student will be able to

- a. Be familiar with ground, air and satellite based sensor platforms.
- b. Interpret the aerial photographs and satellite imageries
- c. Create and input spatial data for GIS application
- d. Apply RS and GIS concepts in water resources engineering

SYLLABUS:

UNIT – I

Introduction to remote sensing: Basic concepts of remote sensing, electromagnetic radiation, electromagnetic spectrum, interaction with atmosphere, energy interaction with the earth surfaces characteristics of remote sensing systems.

Sensors and platforms: Introduction, types of sensors, airborne remote sensing, spaceborne remote sensing, image data characteristics, digital image data formats-band interleaved by pixel, band interleaved by line, band sequential, IRS, LANDSAT, SPOT.

UNIT – II

Image analysis: Introduction, elements of visual interpretations, digital image processing- image preprocessing, image enhancement, image classification, supervised classification, unsupervised classification.

UNIT – III

Geographic Information System: Introduction, key components, application areas of GIS, map projections.

Data entry and preparation: spatial data input, raster data models, vector data models.

UNIT – IV

Spatial data analysis: Introduction, overlay function-vector overlay operations, raster overlay operations, arithmetic operators, comparison and logical operators, conditional expressions, overlay using a decision table, network analysis-optimal path finding, network allocation, network tracing.

UNIT – V

RS and GIS applications General: Land cover and land use, agriculture, forestry, geology, geomorphology, urban applications.

UNIT - VI

Application to Hydrology and Water Resources: Flood zoning and mapping, groundwater prospects and potential recharge zones, watershed management.

TEXT BOOKS:

- 1. Bhatta B (2008), 'Remote sensing and GIS', Oxford University Press
- Lillesand, T.M, R.W. Kiefer and J.W. Chipman (2013) 'Remote Sensing and Image Interpretation', Wiley India Pvt. Ltd., New Delhi
- 3. Schowenger, R. A (2006) 'Remote Sensing' Elsevier publishers.
- 4. 'Fundamentals of Remote Sensing' by George Joseph, Universities Press, 2013.
- 5. 'Fundamentals of Geographic Information Systems' by Demers, M.N, Wiley India Pvt. Ltd, 2013.

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- 1. 'Remote Sensing and its Applications' by Narayan LRA, Universities Press, 2012.
- 2. 'Concepts and Techniques of Geographical Information System' by Chor Pang Lo and A K W Yeung, Prentice Hall (India), 2006
- 3. 'Introduction to Geographic Information Systems' by Kand Tsung Chang, McGraw Hill Higher Education, 2009.
- 4. 'Basics of Remote sensing & GIS' by Kumar S, Laxmi Publications, New Delhi, 2005.
- 'Principals of Geographical Information Systems' by Burrough P A and R.A. McDonnell, Oxford University Press, 1998.