

IV B.Tech II Semester

15AEE35-UTILIZATION OF ELECTRICAL ENERGY

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Course Objectives:

This course enables the students to

- Understand different types of heating and welding techniques.
- Study the basic principles of illumination and its units of Illumination.
- Understand different lighting design schemes for various applications.
- Learn basic principles of traction system & speed time curves for different traction system.
- Understand the fundamentals of environmental aspects of hybrid electric vehicles.
- Study the concepts of economic aspects of utilizing electrical energy.

UNIT-I ILLUMINATION

Definition – Laws of Illumination–Polar Curves – Calculation of MHCP and MSCP. Lamps: Incandescent Lamp, Sodium Vapour Lamp, Fluorescent Lamp. Requirement of Good Lighting Scheme – Types, Design and Calculation of Illumination. Street Lighting and Factory Lighting – Numerical Problems.

UNIT-II ELECTRIC HEATING & WELDING

Electrical Heating: Advantages, Methods of Electric Heating – Resistance, Arc, Induction and Dielectric Heating.

Electric Welding: Types – Resistance, Electric Arc, Gas Welding. Ultrasonic, Welding Electrodes of Various Metals, Defects in Welding.

Electrolysis - Faraday's Laws, Applications of Electrolysis, Power Supply for Electrolysis.

UNIT-III INTRODUCTION TO HYBRID ELECTRIC VEHICLES

History of hybrid and electric vehicles, social and environmental importance of hybrid and electric vehicles, impact of modern drive-trains on energy supplies.

UNIT-IV ELECTRIC TRACTION

Introduction – Systems of Electric Traction. Comparison Between AC And DC Traction – Special Features of Traction Motors - Methods of Electric Braking – Plugging, Rheostatic and Regenerative Types. Mechanics of Train Movement. Speed-Time Curves of Different Services – Trapezoidal and Quadrilateral, Speed-Time Curves – Numerical Problems. Calculations of Tractive Effort, Power, Specific Energy Consumption - Effect of Varying Acceleration and Braking Retardation, Adhesive Weight and Coefficient of Adhesion – Problems.

UNIT-V ECONOMIC ASPECTS OF UTILISING ELECTRICAL ENERGY

Power Factor Improvement, Improvement of Load Factor, Off Peak Loads- Use of Exhaust Steam, Waste Heat Stations, Pit Head Generation, Diesel Plant, General Comparison of Private Plant and Public Supply- Initial Cost and Efficiency, Capitalization of Losses, Choice of Voltage, Cost of Renewals.

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Course Outcomes:

The students will have knowledge on the following concepts to:

- Identify most appropriate heating & welding techniques for suitable applications
- Design the levels of illumination based on the applications
- Determine speed-time curves, acceleration & retardation of different traction services.
- Estimate energy consumption levels at various modes of operation in traction systems
Identify the economic aspects of utilizing electrical energy

TEXT BOOKS:

1. Utilization of Electric Energy – by E. Openshaw Taylor and V. V. L. Rao, Universities Press.
2. Art & Science of Utilization of electrical Energy – by Partab, Dhanpat Rai & Co.

REFERENCE BOOKS:

1. Utilization of Electrical Power including Electric drives and Electric traction – by N.V.Suryanarayana, New Age International (P) Limited, Publishers, 1996.
2. Utilization of Electrical Power – by R. K. Rajput, Laxmi Publications
3. Generation, distribution and utilization of electrical energy by C.L Wadhwa
4. Hybrid Electric Vehicles: Principles and Applications with Practical Perspectives by Chris Mi; M. AbulMasrur & David Wenzhong Gao

