

# GUJARAT TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY, AHMEDABAD, GUJARAT

## COURSE CURRICULUM

### COURSE TITLE: PROCESS INSTRUMENTATION-II

(COURSE CODE: 3351702)

| Diploma Programmers in which this course is offered | Semester in which offered |
|---|---------------------------|
| Instrumentation and Control Engineering             | 5 <sup>th</sup> Semester  |

#### 1. RATIONALE

In the present industrial scenario, role of the process instrumentation is becoming more important day by day. More advanced, precise and complex instrumentations are being employed in the industry. Diploma engineers should therefore be able to identify, select, troubleshoot and maintain the different process instrumentation systems. Therefore, this course has been designed so that students will learn to build and test the different types of process instrumentation system required for the parameters such as temperature, level, force, torque, vibration etc.

#### 2. LIST OF COMPETENCY

The course content should be taught and implemented with the aim to develop different types of skills so that students are able to acquire following competency:

- **Operate and Maintain different types of process instrumentation systems.**

#### 3. COURSE OUTCOMES:

The theory should be taught and practical should be carried out in such a manner that students are able to acquire different learning outcomes in cognitive, psychomotor and affective domain to demonstrate following course outcomes.

- Selects measurement method for a process parameter by process instruments for temperature level, vibration, force and torque in a process plant.
- Specify instrumentation for temperature level, vibration, force and torque application.
- Identify, describe and Calibrate major instruments for temperature, level, vibration, force and torque in a process plant.
- Test & maintain the components of the main types instruments for temperature level, vibration, force and torque in a process plant.
- Draw schematic diagram of process instrumentation for temperature level, vibration, force and torque in a process plant.

#### 4. TEACHING AND EXAMINATION SCHEME

| Teaching Scheme<br>(In Hours) |   |   | Total<br>Credits<br>(L+T+P) | Examination Scheme |    |                 |    |                |
|-------------------------------|---|---|-----------------------------|--------------------|----|-----------------|----|----------------|
|                               |   |   |                             | Theory Marks       |    | Practical Marks |    | Total<br>Marks |
| L                             | T | P | C                           | ESE                | PA | ESE             | PA |                |
| 3                             | 0 | 4 | 7                           | 70                 | 30 | 40              | 60 |                |

## 5. COURSE DETAILS

| Unit   | Major Learning Outcomes<br>(In cognitive domain )   | Topics and Sub-topics  |
|--|---|--|
| <b>Unit – I<br/>Temperature<br/>Measurement<br/>Techniques</b> | 1a. Define heat, temperature.<br>1b. List various temperature scales and relate them.<br>1c. Enlist types of expansion thermometer.<br>1d. Enlist application, merits and demerits of expansion thermometer.<br>1e. Explain construction and working of following filled system thermometers: (1) Class I (2) Class II (3) Class III (4) Class V.<br>1f. Enlist applications, merits and demerits of filled system thermometers<br>1g. List sources of error in filled system thermometry.<br>1h. Explain head effect, radiation effect, immersion effect and dip effect.<br>1i. Describe Seebeck effect, Peltier effect and Thomson effect.<br>1j. State and explain thermoelectric laws.<br>1k. Describe protection, installation and importance of thermowell in thermometry<br>1l. State positive and negative extension wires used in following type of thermocouples: B, E, J, K, R, S, and T<br>1m.. Explain cold junction compensation method used in thermocouple.<br>1n. Enlist methods used for forming thermocouples ends.<br>1o. Define thermopile.<br>1p. State the criteria for selection of thermocouple.<br>1q. Classify various thermocouples as per ANSI standard<br>1r. Describe the output of thermocouple (mV) converted to corresponding temperature value using thermocouple calibration table.<br>1s. Describe construction of | 1.1 Introduction: Heat, Temperature<br>1.2 Temperature scales.<br>1.3 Expansion thermometer<br>1.3.1 Solid Expansion Thermometer<br>• Bimetallic thermometer<br>➤ Spiral Bimetal element<br>➤ Helix Bimetal element<br>1.3.2 Liquid Expansion Thermometer- Mercury in Glass type.<br>1.4 Filled system thermometer<br>1.4.1 Class I-Liquid Filled Systems<br>1.4.2 Class II- Vapour Systems<br>1.4.3 Class III- Gas Filled Systems<br>1.4.4 Class V- Mercury Filled Systems<br>1.5 Thermocouples<br>1.5.1 Principle: Seebeck, Peltier, Thomson effect<br>1.5.2 Thermoelectric laws<br>1.5.3 Cold junction compensation<br>1.5.4 Thermowell<br>1.5.5 Thermocouple extension wires<br>1.5.6 Thermocouples selection criteria<br>1.6 Resistance Temperature Detector<br>Industrial RTD<br>1.6.1 2-wire RTD<br>1.6.2 3-wire RTD<br>1.6.3 4-wire RTD<br>1.7 Thermistors<br>1.8 Integrated Circuit (IC) based Temperature sensors<br>1.9 Non-contact type thermometry<br>1.9.1 Radiation pyrometer<br>1.9.2 Optical pyrometer<br>1.9.3 Optical Fibre Thermometry<br>1.9.4 Ultrasonic thermometry<br>1.9.5 Laser thermometry<br>1.10 Temperature switches and thermostats |

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|---|--|---|
|   | Industrial RTD.<br>1t. Explain resistance measuring circuit of RTD.(2-wire, 3-wire, 4-wire bridge circuit)<br>1u. State the need of lead wire compensation in RTD.<br>1v. Describe temperature measuring bridge circuit using thermistor.<br>1w. Describe performance of a thermistor. (Resistance-temperature graph).<br>1x. Compare output response of RTD, Thermistor and Thermocouple with sketch.<br>1y. Explain Integrated Circuit (IC) based temperature sensors.<br>1z. Define emissivity, Black body concept, Stefan Boltzmann Law.<br>1aa. Explain construction and working of non-contact type of thermometry(1.9.1 to 1.9.5)<br>1bb. State merits and demerits of non-contact type thermometer.<br>1cc. List sources of error in Non-contact type thermometry.<br>1dd. Describe operation of Temperature switches and thermostats. |   |
| <b>Unit – II<br/>Level<br/>Measurement<br/>Techniques</b> | 2a State units, importance of level measurement in process Industries<br>2b Classify methods of level measurement.<br>2c Describe working and construction of level measurement method (2.2 to 2.7).<br>2d Enlist Applications for various level measuring methods (2.2 to 2.7)<br>2e State merits and demerit of various level measuring methods(2.2 to 2.7)<br>2f Describe working and construction of various levels switches (2.8)   | 2.1 Level measurement: Importance and Units.<br>2.2 Level measurement methods:<br>2.2.1 Direct methods<br>• Bob and Tape method<br>• Sight glass method<br>2.2.2 Indirect methods<br>• Pressure gauge type<br>• Air bellows.<br>2.3 Capacitance type level measurement and Radiation type level measurement<br>2.4 Differential pressure type level measurement<br>2.5 Ultrasonic level detector.<br>2.6 Laser Level Sensors<br>2.7 Optical Level detector<br>2.8 Level switches:<br>2.8.1 Float type level switch<br>2.8.2 Displacer level switch<br>2.8.3 conductivity level switch |

| Unit   | Major Learning Outcomes<br>(In cognitive domain )   | Topics and Sub-topics   |
|--|---|---|
| <b>Unit – III<br/>Temperature and level Transmitters</b>   | 3a Define transmitter.<br>3b Explain electronic temperature transmitter with neat schematic diagram.<br>3c List Differential pressure type level transmitters.<br>3d Explain working and construction of pressure type level transmitter with neat sketch (3.2.1-3.2.2).<br>3e Enlist applications of transmitters.<br>3f Describe concept of Zero suppression and Elevation for level transmitter. | 3.1 Electronic temperature transmitters<br>3.2 Level transmitter<br>3.2.1 Differential pressure type level transmitter<br>•Pneumatic type<br>•Electronic type<br>3.2.2 Extended diaphragm level transmitter |
| <b>Unit IV<br/>Force And Torque Measurement Techniques</b> | 4a Define Force and Torque<br>4b State units of Force and Torque<br>4c Explain working and construction of listed force transducers.<br>4d Explain working and construction of listed torque transducers.   | 4.1 Force<br>4.1.1 Elastic force meters.<br>4.1.2 Load cells<br>4.2 Torque<br>4.2.1 Strain gauge torsion meter<br>4.2.2 Electrical torsion meter<br>4.2.3 Mechanical torsion meter.                         |
| <b>Unit – V<br/>Vibration Measurement Techniques</b>       | 5a Define vibration<br>5b Explain working and construction of vibration sensor (5.2)<br>5c Enlist applications of vibration sensors (5.2)<br>5d Enlist merits and demerits of vibration sensors (5.2)   | 5.1 Vibration.<br>5.2 Vibration Sensors:<br>5.2.1. Mass spring seismic sensor<br>5.2.2 Piezo-electric sensor  |

## 6. SUGGESTED SPECIFICATION TABLE WITH HOURS and MARKS (THEORY)

| Unit No. | Unit Title                              | Teaching Hours | Distribution of Theory Marks |         |         |             |
|----------|---|----------------|------------------------------|---------|---------|-------------|
|          |   |                | R Level                      | U Level | A Level | Total Marks |
| I        | Temperature Measurement Techniques      | 14             | 4                            | 12      | 5       | 21          |
| II       | Level Measurement Techniques            | 14             | 4                            | 12      | 5       | 21          |
| III      | Temperature and level Transmitters      | 08             | 0                            | 10      | 4       | 14          |
| IV       | Force And Torque Measurement Techniques | 04             | 2                            | 6       | 2       | 10          |
| V        | Vibration Measurement Techniques        | 02             | 0                            | 2       | 2       | 04          |
|          | Total                                   | 42             | 10                           | 42      | 18      | 70          |

**Legends:** R = Remembrance; U = Understanding; A = Application and above levels (Revised Bloom's taxonomy)

**Note:** This specification table shall be treated as a general guideline for students and teachers. The actual distribution of marks in the question paper may vary slightly from above table.

## 7. SUGGESTED LIST OF EXERCISES/PRACTICALS

The practical/exercises should be properly designed and implemented with an attempt to develop different types of skills (**outcomes in psychomotor and affective domain**) so that students are able to acquire the competencies/programme outcomes. Following is the list of practical exercises for guidance.

**Note:** Here only outcomes in psychomotor domain are listed as practical/exercises. However, if these practical/exercises are completed appropriately, they would also lead to development of certain outcomes in affective domain which would in turn lead to development of **Course Outcomes** related to affective domain. Thus over all development of **Programme Outcomes** (as given in a common list at the beginning of curriculum document for this programme) would be assured.

Faculty should refer to that common list and should ensure that students also acquire outcomes in affective domain which are required for overall achievement of Programme Outcomes/Course Outcomes.

| Sr. No. | Unit No. | Practical Exercises<br>(Outcomes' in Psychomotor Domain)  | Hrs. required |
|---------|----------|---|---------------|
| 1       | I        | Use liquid in glass type filled system thermometers   | 02            |
| 2       | I        | Perform temperature measurement using expansion thermometer.  | 02            |
| 3       | I        | Measure temperature of given medium using given thermocouple with the help of corresponding thermocouple table.(Conversion of millivolt to temperature) | 02            |
| 4       | I        | Verify the law of intermediate metal for available type of thermocouple.  | 02            |
| 5       | I        | Test the effect of reference junction temperature on given thermocouple.  | 02            |
| 6       | I        | Convert output of thermocouple (mV) into temperature(°C) using corresponding thermocouple calibration table   | 02            |
| 7       | I        | Measure the temperature using RTD and Test.   | 02            |
| 8       | I        | Calculate temperature co-efficient of resistance using RTD  | 02            |
| 9       | I        | Measure the temperature using Thermistors and Plot the characteristic curve.  | 02            |
| 10      | I        | Measure the temperature using IC temperature sensor.  | 02            |
| 11      | I        | Measure the temperature of heating element using Optical Pyrometer.   | 02            |
| 12      | I        | Measure the temperature of heating element using radiation Pyrometer.   | 02            |
| 13      | I        | Measure the temperature using fiber Optic thermometer.  | 02            |

| Sr. No.  | Unit No. | Practical Exercises<br>(Outcomes' in Psychomotor Domain)                 | Hrs. required |
|--|----------|--|---------------|
| 14   | I        | Measure the temperature using thermometer                                | 02            |
| 15   | I        | Measure the temperature using thermometer                                | 02            |
| 16   | I        | Test the operation of temperature switch at given temp                   | 02            |
| 17   | II       | Measure the level of the tank with the help of the Sight glass           | 02            |
| 18   | II       | Measure the level of the tank with the help of the pressure gauge.       | 02            |
| 19   | II       | Measure level with the capacitance type transducer.                      | 02            |
| 20   | II       | Test for the float type level switch                                     | 02            |
| 21   | II       | Use displacer level switch for given range & Test                        | 02            |
| 22   | II       | Use capacitance type level switch for given range & Test                 | 02            |
| 23   | III      | Use Electronic Temperature transmitters for given range & Test.          | 02            |
| 24   | III      | Use differential pressure type level transmitter for given range & Test. | 02            |
| 25   | IV       | Measure torsion by electrical torsion meter                              | 02            |
| 26   | IV       | Use load cell and test for performance                                   | 02            |
| 27   | V        | Measure vibration by vibration analyser.                                 | 02            |
| * Note: These experiments can be either conducted using hardware from covering all the Units . |          |  |               |
| Total  |          |  | 54            |

## 8. SUGGESTED LIST OF STUDENT ACTIVITIES

- Industrial Visit for students (chemical industries, petroleum industries, production industries)
- Small technical projects based on theory topic.

## 9. SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONAL STRATEGIES

- Videos/Animation for different devices should be shown.
- Seminar on relevant topics.

## 10. SUGGESTED LEARNING RESOURCES

### A) List of Books

| Sr. No. | Title of Book                       | Author         | Publication                          |
|---------|-------------------------------------|----------------|--------------------------------------|
| 1.      | Process Measurement and Analysis    | Liptak, B. G.  | I.S.A                                |
| 2.      | Industrial Instrumentation          | Eckman, D. P.  | Wiley Eastern Limited, New Delhi     |
| 3.      | Industrial Instrumentation          | Singh, S.K.    | Tata Mc Graw Hill, New Delhi         |
| 4.      | Mechanical Measurements             | Kumar, D. S.   | Metropolitan Book Company, New Delhi |
| 5.      | Process Instrumentation and Control | Kulkarni, A.P. | Nirali Prakashan, Pune               |

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|----|--|---------------------------------------|--|
| 6. | Mechanical and Industrial measurements | Jain, R.K.                            | Khanna publication, New Delhi                |
| 7. | Industrial Instrumentation             | Krishnaswamy, K. and S. Vijayachitra, | New Age International Publication, New Delhi |

### B) List of Major Equipment/ Instrument with Broad Specifications

- i. Function generator( sine, square, triangle etc. with frequency range 10 Hz to 100 kHz)
- ii. DC power supply ( -30 →0→+30 V with at least 1A current capacity)
- iii. Measuring equipments like CRO ( preferably dual channel, 20Mhz)
- iv. Multi meter
- v. Electrical tool kit.
- vi. Circuit/Trainer board/ Demonstration modules of Thermocouples , RTDs, Thermistors, IC temperature sensor.
- vii. Temperature Switches, Optical Pyrometer, Radiation Pyrometer
- viii. Sight Glass type Level Indicator
- ix. Pressure Gauge type Level Indicator
- x. Float type , Displacer type and Capacitance type Level Switches
- xi. Fiber Optic Thermometer, Ultrasonic Thermometer, Laser Thermometer
- xii. Capacitance type Level Transducer
- xiii. Electronic Temperature transmitters
- xiv. Differential pressure type Level Transmitter
- xv. Universal Calibrator
- xvi. Air Compressor
- xvii. Load Cell
- xviii. Vibration Analyzer
- xix. Electrical Torsion Meter
- xx. metal detector
- xxi. ultrasonic flaw detector

### C) List of Software/Learning Websites

- i. <http://www.pc-education.mcmaster.ca/Instrumentation/temperature>.
- ii. <http://www.pc-education.mcmaster.ca/Instrumentation/level>.
- iii. [http://www.dugantech.com/Product\\_Group-Temperature/Technical%20Articles/TECriteria%20for%20Selection%20of%20RTD%20or%20TC%20industrial%20apps.pdf](http://www.dugantech.com/Product_Group-Temperature/Technical%20Articles/TECriteria%20for%20Selection%20of%20RTD%20or%20TC%20industrial%20apps.pdf)
- iv. [books.google.co.in/books?isbn=8122416691](http://books.google.co.in/books?isbn=8122416691)
- v. [Capacitive Displacement/Vibration Measurement Sensor Products](#)
- vi. [Eddy-Current Displacement/Vibration Measurement Sensor Products](#)

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