

LESSON PLAN - CE 1018 - GEOTECHNICAL ENGINEERING - I
Academic year 2015-16
(Semester commencing in June 2015)

Instructional Objectives

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1	Provide the description and classification of soil and analysis of stresses in soils under different loading conditions
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Student Outcomes

Student Outcomes No.	Student Outcome (SO)
a	An ability to apply knowledge of mathematics, science, and engineering
e	An ability to identify, formulate and solve engineering problems
k	An ability to use the techniques, skills and modern engineering tools necessary for engineering practice

Mapping of Instructional Objectives (IOs) with Student Outcomes (SOs)

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CE 1018	GEOTECHNICAL ENGINEERING - I	Lecture Hours (L)	Tutorial Hours (T)	Practical Hours (P)	Credits (C)
		2	2	0	3
	Prerequisites - Nil				

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Lecture No.	Topic	No. of Hours	Instructional Objectives	Student Outcome	References
UNIT I - INTRODUCTION					
1	Definition of Soil and Soil Mechanics- Formation of soils	1	1	a	1,2,3
2	Type of Soils - Basic definition in soil mechanics	2	1	a, e	1,2,3
3	Three phase systems & relationships	3	1	a, e	1,2,3
4	Specific gravity - Pycnometer and density bottle methods	2	1	a	1,2,3
5	Field density from sand replacement and core cutter method	3	1	a, e	1,2,3
	Cycle Test 1	2			
UNIT II - INDEX PROPERTIES					
6	Classification of soil - Grain size analysis	2	1	a,e	1,2,3
7	Stoke's law and hydrometer analysis	2	1	a,e	1,2,3
8	Consistency - Atterberg limits	2	1	a,e	1,2,3
9	PI, LI, CI, SR, FI & TI Problems	2	1	a,e	1,2,3
10	Classification of coarse grained and fine grained soils as per BIS	3	1	a,e	1,2,3
UNIT III - PERMEABILITY AND SEEPAGE					
11	One dimensional flow through soil - Permeability – Assumptions- Darcy's law - Limitations	2	2	a,e	1,2,3
12	Field and laboratory permeability tests	3	2	a,e	1,2,3
13	Permeability in stratified soils - factors affecting permeability	2	2	a,e	1,5,6
14	Introduction to flow nets – Properties – Applications – Discharge Velocity and seepage Velocity	3	2	a,e	1,2,3
	Cycle Test 2	2			
UNIT IV - COMPACTION AND CONSOLIDATION					
15	Compaction - Proctor's test	2	3, 4	a,e	1,2,5
16	Field compaction methods - factors affecting compaction – effect of compaction in soil properties	2	3, 4	a,e,k	1,2,3,4
17	California Bearing Ratio test	2	3, 4	a,e,k	1,2,3,4
18	Consolidation - definition - Terzaghi's theory of one dimensional consolidation partial differential equations (no analytical)	2	3, 4	a,e	1,2,3,4

19	Laboratory test - Determination of coefficient of consolidation- \sqrt{t} and $\log t$ methods.	2	3, 4	a,e	1,2,3,4
UNIT V - STRESS DISTRIBUTION AND SHEAR STRENGTH					
20	Stresses in soils - concept of effective and neutral stresses	2	1, 4	a,e,k	1,5,6
21	stress distribution in soil media - Boussinesq - – point load, uniformly distributed load, line load, rectangular load	2	1, 4	a,e,k	1,2,3
22	Westergaards equation – point load, uniformly distributed load, line load, rectangular load - Pressure bulb – Newmark’s chart – Introduction.	2	1,4	a,e,k	1,2,3
23	Shear strength - Shear strength of cohesive and cohesionless soils - Mohr - coulomb's - theory - Laboratory and field test: Direct shear test	2	1,4	a,e,k	1,2,3
24	triaxial and unconfined shear strength test – lab and field vane shear test - factors affecting shear strength.	3	1,4	a,e,k	1,2,3
	Model Examination	3			
	Total Hours	60			

TEXT BOOKS

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3. Gopal Ranjan, Rao.A.S.R., *Basic and Applied Soil Mechanics*, Wiley Eastern Ltd., 2000

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5. Lambe T.W., Whitman, *Soil Mechanics*, John Wiley Ltd., 1979.
6. Arora .K.R, “Soil Mechanics and Foundation Engineering”, Standard Publication Distributors , 2011.

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