

BEME2209 **Fluid Mechanics & Machines**

Module I (12 Lectures)

Introduction : Scope of fluid mechanics and its development as a science

Physical property of Fluid: Density, specific gravity, specific weight, specific volume, surface tension and capillarity, viscosity, compressibility and bulk modulus, Fluid classification.

Fluid static Pressure, Pascal's Law, Pressure variation for incompressible fluid, atmospheric pressure, absolute pressure, gauge pressure and vacuum pressure, manometer.

Hydrostatic process on submerged surface, force on a horizontal submerged plane surface, force on a vertical submerged plane surface.

Buoyancy and flotation, Archimedes' principle, stability of immersed and floating bodies, determination of metacentric height.

Fluid kinematics : Introduction, description of fluid flow, classification of fluid flow. Acceleration of fluid particles, flow rate and continuity equation, differential equation of continuity,

Module II (10 Lectures)

Fluid dynamics : Introduction, Euler's equation along a streamline, energy equation, Bernoulli's equation,

Hydraulic Measurements: Water level measurements, velocity measurements, discharge measurements, venturimeter, orifice meter, current meter, pitot tube, orifice, notch and weir.

Module III (14 Lectures)

Hydraulic turbines and pumps: Impulse and reaction turbines, construction and working principle of tangential, radial and axial type turbines. Power of turbines, efficiency of turbines. Construction and working principles of centrifugal type pumps. Power and efficiency of the pump. Positive displacement pump.

Hydraulic systems: hydraulic accumulator, hydraulic intensifier, hydraulic ram, hydraulic lift, hydraulic crane, hydraulic press, hydraulic torque converter.

Text Books

1. Fluid Mechanics and hydraulic machines, Modi & Seth
2. Hydraulics fluid machines and fluid machines by S. Ramamrutham

Reference Books:

1. Fluid Mechanics by A.K. Mohanty, PHI
2. Introduction to Fluid Mechanics by Fox and McDonald, Willey Publications
3. Fluid Mechanics by Kundu, Elsevier
4. An Introduction to Fluid Dynamics by G.K.Batchelor, Cambridge University Press
5. Engineering Fluid Mechanics by Garde et. al., Scitech
6. Fluid Mechanics by J.F.Douglas, J.M.Gasiorek, J.A.Swaffield and L.B.Jack, Pearson Education.