

4 th Semester	RCH4C003	Fuel & Energy Technology	L-T-P 3-0-0	3 CREDITS
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Module I: (08 hrs)

Fuels: Solid Fuels: Coal - Origin, chemical composition, calorific value, classifications, Characteristics & distribution of Indian coals, storage and spontaneous combustion of coal,

Module II: (07 hrs)

Coal washing and blending, petrographic constituents of coal, carbonization of coal, manufacture and properties of metallurgical coke, recovery of by-products.

Module III: (12 hrs)

Liquid Fuels: Origin and composition of crude oil, crude oil distillation and its products with special reference to gasoline, kerosene and diesel oil, cracking and reforming, coal tar distillation products, Shale oil.

Gaseous Fuels: Natural gas, coal gas, coke oven and blast furnace gas, manufacture of water gas and producer gas, carburetted water gas.

Module IV: (10 hrs)

Synthetic Fuels: Hydrogenation of coal, Fischer-Tropsch synthesis.

Nuclear Fuels: Introduction, nuclear fuels and nuclear reactors, moderators and structural materials. Introduction to renewable energy sources.

Module V: (08 hrs)

Combustion: Combustion of solids fuels, calculation of volumes and weights of air necessary for combustion of fuels, gas analysis.

Books:

- Fuels and Combustion, 3rd ed. by S Sarkar, Universities Press.
- Elements of Fuels, Furnaces & Refractories by O P Gupta, Khanna.
- The Elements of Fuel Technology, 2nd ed. by G W Himus, L Hill.
- Fuel Solid, Liquid and Gaseous, 4th ed. by J S S Brame and J G King, Edward Arnold.