

GUJARAT TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY

Bachelor of Engineering Subject Code: 3150617 Semester –V Subject Name: Remote Sensing and GIS

Type of course: Open Elective-I

Prerequisite: NIL

Rationale:

- 1. To develop a basic understanding about Geo-Spatial techniques and its applications.
- 2. To enable the students to apply the tools to solve various problems related to Civil Engineering.

Teaching and Examination Scheme:

Teaching Scheme Crew			Credits	Examination Marks				Total
L	Т	Р	С	Theory Marks		Practical Marks		Marks
				ESE (E)	PA (M)	ESE (V)	PA (I)	
2	0	2	3	70	30	30	20	150

Content:

Sr. No.	Content		
1	FUNDAMENTAL OF REMOTE SENSING:	05	
	Definition –Components of Remote Sensing –Active and Passive Remote Sensing – Electro Magnetic Spectrum – Interaction of EMR With the Earth's Surface – Interactions with the Atmosphere		
	Energy Sources and Radiation.		
	Active and Passive Remote Sensing.		
	Energy Interaction with the Earth Surface Features.		
	Data Acquisition and Recording.		
	Remote Sensing Data Products.		
2	IMAGE INTERPRETATION AND DIGITAL IMAGE PROCESSING -	04	
	Introduction to Digital Image and Imaging Sensors- Data Formats of Digital Image- Display of Digital Image - Image Processing Systems – Strategies – Keys – Equipment – Fundamentals of Image Classification and Analysis.		
3	GEOGRAPHIC INFORMATION SYSTEM -	06	
	Introduction to GIS- Definitions of GIS and related terminology - Components of GIS – GIS Data – Georeferenced data – introduction to data input and output in GIS–Fundamentals of data quality and Management		



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4	SPATIAL DATA ANALYSIS -Characteristics of Map Coordinate systems- Introduction to Map projections- Geo-referencing Frameworks and Reference Coordinate Systems. GIS analysis functions – Retrieval – Reclassification – Buffering and Neighborhood – Overlaying – Data Output – Fundamentals of GIS Analysis functions	06
5	SOFTWARE - GIS and Image interpretation Software – Salient features – Capabilities and Limitations. Data management in public domain GIS software- Attribute Data Management	04
6	APPLICATIONS - Application of Remote Sensing / GIS- Case studies.	03
	GIS and Remote Sensing – Usefulness in Civil Engineering.	

Suggested Specification table with Marks (Theory): (For BE only)

Distribution of Theory Marks						
R Level	U Level	A Level	N Level	E Level	C Level	
10%	40%	30%	5%	5%	10%	

Legends: R: Remembrance; U: Understanding; A: Application, N: Analyze and E: Evaluate C: Create 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.

Reference Books:

- 1. Lilliesand T.M. and Kiefer R.W., Remote Sensing and image Interpretation, John Wiley and Sons, New York, 2004.
- 2. Burrrough P.A and McDonnel R.A., Principles of Geographic Information Systems, Oxford university press, 1998
- 3. A.M. Chandra and S.K. Ghosh, Remote Sensing and Geographical information System, Narosa Publishing House, New Delhi, 2006
- 4. BhattaB., Remote Sensing and GIS, Oxford University Press, New Delhi, 2008
- 5. Stan Aronoff, "Geographical Information Systems", WDL Publications, Ottawa, Canada, 1989.
- 6. Agrawal N.K., Essentials of GPS, Spatial Network Pvt. Ltd., Hyderabad, 2004.
- 7. Bhatta B., Remote Sensing and GIS, Oxford University Press, New Delhi, 2008
- 8. Manual of Remote Sensing (Edited), Series of volumes.
- 9. Lo C.P. and Yeung Albert K.W., Concepts and Techniques of Geographical Information Systems, Prentice-Hall of India Pvt. Ltd. New Delhi, 2006



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Course Outcomes:

Sr. No.	CO statement	weightage
CO-1	Observe, Identify and define simple/ complex problems of day to day lives present in Industry/ Society where GIS and Remote Sensing applications can be useful.	20 %
CO-2	Apply knowledge of basic image interpretation and data image processing.	25%
CO-3	Integrate the existing data through various observations from various angles and layer creation.	15%
CO-4	Apply problem-solving methodologies to generate, evaluate and justify innovative solutions by designing and conducting/ analyzing and interpreting the data.	15%
CO-5	Demonstrate the ability to give solutions with an ability which can help communicate effectively for giving betterinterpretation and solutions.	25%

List of Tutorials/Activities:

- 1. Projects on Water Resource Mapping and Management.
- 2. Projects on Land Use Mapping and LandResource Management.
- 3. Projects on Site Selection for major infrastructure.
- 4. Projects on Natural Disaster Mitigation and Management.

List of Open Source Software/learning website:

- 1. CCRS Canada Centre for Remote Sensing -http://landmap.mimas.ac.uk/ipc/ccrs/fundam_e.html
- 2. NASA Remote Sensing Tutorial http://rst.gsfc.nasa.gov/
- 3. TELSAT, Belgium http://eoedu.belspo.be/en/guide/index.htm
- 4. http://www.landsat.org/ (Free)
- 5. SRTM 90m Digital Elevation Data (Free) http://srtm.csi.cgiar.org/
- 6. Freeware MultiSpec (A Multispectral Image Data Analysis System) http://cobweb.ecn.purdue.edu/~biehl/MultiSpec/
- 7. Commercial ERDAS Imagine http://gi.leica-geosystems.com/LGISub1x33x0.aspx
- 8. PCI Geomaticshttp://www.pcigeomatics.com/
- 9. ENVI http://rsinc.com/envi/
- 10. ER Mapper http://www.ermapper.com/
- 11. IDRISI http://www.clarklabs.org/