Walchand College of Engineering, Sangli

(Government Aided Autonomous Institute)

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Course Information				
Programme M. Tech. (Mechanical Heat Power Engineering)				
Class, Semester	First Year M. Tech., Sem II			
Course Code	7OE504			
Course Name	Waste to Energy			
Desired Requisites:				

Teaching Scheme		Examination Scheme (Marks)				
Lecture	3 Hrs/week	MSE	ISE	ESE	Total	
Tutorial	-	30	20	50	100	
		Credits: 3				

Course Objectives

- 1 Understand the grave problem of urban solid waste disposal and methods to tackle this problem.
- 2 Understand and apply various energy conversion methods using biomass.
- 3 Study and analyze the biogas energy conversion process.
- 4 Study the Waste To Energy & Environmental Implications

Course Outcomes (CO) with Bloom's Taxonomy Level

At the end of the course, students will be able to,

СО	Course Outcome Statement/s	Bloom's Taxonomy Level	Bloom's Taxonomy Description
CO1	Describe various methods of conversion of waste to energy.	II	Understand
CO2	Examine various methods of energy generation using waste	III	Apply
CO3	Explain the environment considerations of WTE plants the combustion mechanisms of various fuels	IV	Analyse

Module	Module Contents	Hours	
I	Introduction – Waste production in different sectors such as domestic, industrial, agriculture, post-consumer, waste etc. Classification of waste-agro based, forest residues, domestic waste, industrial waste (hazardous and non-hazardous), Characterization of waste for energy utilization, Characterization of wastes, Waste to energy by incineration process, Incineration plant furnaces & boilers.	7	
II	Biomass Pyrolysis: Pyrolysis – Types, slow fast – Manufacture of charcoal – Methods - Yields and application. Manufacture of pyrolytic oils and gases, yields and applications.	6	
III	Biomass Gasification: Gasifiers- Fixed bed system- Downdraft and updraft gasifiers, Fluidized bed gasifiers- construction and operation – Gasifier burner arrangement for thermal heating. Gasifier engine arrangement and electrical power – Equilibrium and kinetic consideration in gasifier operation		
IV	Biomass Combustion: Biomass stoves – Improved chullahs, types, some exotic designs, Fixed bed combustors, Types, inclined grate combustors, Fluidized bed combustors, construction and operation.		
V	Biogas: Properties of biogas (Calorific value and composition) - Biogas plant technology and status - Bio energy system - Design and constructional features Biochemical conversion - anaerobic digestion - Types of biogas Plants Applications - Alcohol production from biomass - Bio diesel production.		
VI	Waste To Energy & Environmental Implications- Environmental standards for waste to energy plant operations and gas clean-up. Savings on non-renewable fuel resources. Carbon Credits: Carbon foot calculations and carbon credits transfer mechanisms.	6	
	Tout Pooles		
1	Text Books S . P. Sukhatme, "Solar Energy", McGraw Hill Education, 3rd Edition, 2015		

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1	S. P. Sukhatme, "Solar Energy", McGraw Hill Education, 3rd Edition, 2015		
2	Energy Technology- S. Rao and B. B. Parulekar, Khanna Publica		
3	NIR Board 2004, Handbook on Biogas and its applications, NIIR, New Delhi.		

	References			
	Annual Report 2006, Ministry of new and renewable energy, Government of India, New			
1	Delhi.			
2	Energy Handbook, R. L. Loftness Van NOstrand Reinhold.			
3	H. Shah et al., Integrated renewable energy for rural development, 1990, Tata Mc Graw Hill.			
4	LL. Anderson et al, Fuels from waste academic press, New york, 1977.			
	Rogoff, M.J. and Screve, F., "Waste-to-Energy: Technologies and Project Implementation",			
5	Elsevier Store			
6	Young G.C., "Municipal Solid Waste to Energy Conversion processes", John Wiley and Sons			
7	Harker, J.H. and Backhusrt, J.R., "Fuel and Energy", Academic Press Inc.			
8	EL-Halwagi, M.M., "Biogas Technology- Transfer and Diffusion", Elsevier Applied Science			
9	Hall, D.O. and Overeed, R.P.," Biomass - Renewable Energy", John Willy and Sons			
10	Non Conventional Energy, Desai, Ashok V., Wiley Eastern Ltd., 1990.			
11	Biogas Technology - A Practical Hand Book - Khandelwal, K. C. and Mahdi, S. S., Vol. I & II,			
11	Tata McGraw Hill Publishing Co. Ltd., 1983.			
12	Biogas Technology - A Practical Hand Book - Khandelwal, K. C. and Mahdi, S. S., Vol. I & II,			
12	Tata McGraw Hill Publishing Co. Ltd., 1983.			
13	Biomass Conversion and Technology, C. Y. WereKo-Brobby and E. B. Hagan, John Wiley &			
	Sons, 1996.			
	Useful Links			
1	https://nptel.ac.in/courses/103103206			
2	https://www.youtube.com/@wastetoenergyconversion2687			
3	https://archive.nptel.ac.in/courses/103/107/103107125/			

CO-PO Mapping						
	Programme Outcomes (PO)					
	1	2	3	4	5	6
CO1	1					
CO2					2	
CO2						3

The strength of mapping is to be written as 1,2,3; Where, 1:Low, 2:Medium, 3:High Each CO of the course must map to at least one PO.