

# GUJARAT TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY

## B.E Semester: 3 Environment Engineering

Subject Code 131304

Subject Name BASICS OF STRUCTURAL ENGINEERING

Sr.No	Course content
1.	Direct and bending stresses : Short columns subjected to eccentric load, middle third rule, kernel of section, Retaining walls, Masonary walls, Overview of long column, slenderness ratio
2.	Deflection of beams : Moment area method, Techniques to control deflections
3.	Moment Distribution Method : Overview of fixed end moments, Analysis of statically Indeterminate beams & plane frames.
4.	Concrete Technology : <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Ingredient of concrete: Cement, Aggregate, Admixtures, Water.<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Cement: Hydration mechanisms, Types of cement &amp; their uses, Overview of physical properties and their tests as per IS and ASTM</li><li>2. Aggregate: Function, Types, Sieve analysis, size, Overview of physical tests as per IS &amp; ASTM</li><li>3. Admixtures: Various types, Advantages and limitations relevant IS &amp; ASTM</li></ol></li><li>• Mixing &amp; Placing of Concrete, Various techniques of Curing, Hardened Concrete</li><li>• Durability and permeability of Concrete: Definitions, Causes, Carbonation, Cracking, Creep, shrinkage, Crack width, Permeability.</li><li>• Concrete in Aggressive Environment: Alkali aggregate Reaction, Sulphate Attack, Chloride attack, Acid attack. Special coating for them, Water proofing. Concrete for storing hot liquids.</li></ul>
5.	Soil Engineering : <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• General characteristics of different types of soil, Soil designation.</li><li>• Particle size analysis as per BIS grading curves consistency limits</li><li>• Geotechnical properties of soil : Permeability, Shearing strength, Compaction &amp; Consolidation, Characteristics of soil and relevant test</li><li>• Bearing capacity of soil mass : Shear failure and Settlement criteria.</li><li>• Sub surface investigation : Planning of exploration programme, Field testing of soil.</li><li>• Introduction to geosynthesis and its application.</li></ul>

**TERM WORK:**

Term Work shall consist of atleast 12 problems based on the syllabus of Basics of structural engineering.

Presentation based on Concrete Technology .& soil Engineering

**Reference Books:**

1. Timoshenko & Gere ; *Mechanics of Materials*
2. S. Ramamrutham ; *Strength of Materials*
3. S. Ramamrutham ; *Theory of structures*
4. A.M.Neville ; *Properties of Concrete*
5. M.S.Shetty ; *Concrete Technology*
6. K.R.Arora ; *Soil Mechanics*
7. B.C.Punmia ; *Soil Mechanics*