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**SECOND SEMESTER 2021-2022**

# Course Handout Part II

Date:07-1-2022

In addition to part-I (General Handout for all courses appended to the time table) this portion gives further specific details regarding the course.

*Course No.* : **ME G512**

## Course Title : **FINITE ELEMENT METHODS**

## Instructor-in-Charge : **Pardha Saradhi G V**

1. **Course Description**: Fundamental concepts, matrix algebra and Gauss elimination, one-dimensional problems, trusses, two-dimensional problems using constant strain triangles, axisymmetric solids subjected to axisymmetric loading, two-dimensional isoparametric elements and numerical integration, beams and frames, three-dimensional problems in stress analysis, scalar field problems, dynamic considerations, pre-processing and post processing.
2. **Scope and Objective of the Course:** The course covers intermediate to advanced topics of finite element methods including scalar field problems. The course develops an approach to solve variety of differential equations in integral form. The students are introduced to techniques of finite element discretization, conversion methods of differential equations into algebraic equations and solution procedure of algebraic equations. The students will be equipped with knowledge of solving several physical field problems.
3. **Textbooks:**
4. T. R. Chandrupatla, A. D. Belegundu, Introduction to Finite Elements in Engineering, 3rd Edition, Prentice Hall of India, New Delhi.
5. **Reference books**
6. Reddy J. N., An Introduction to Finite Element Method, 3rd Edition, Tata-McGraw Hill Edition, 2006, New Delhi.
7. Rao S. S., The finite element method in engineering, fourth edition, Elsevier, 2005, MA, USA.
8. **Course Plan:**

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| **Lecture No.** | **Learning objectives** | **Topics to be covered** | **Chapter in the Text Book** |
| 1-3 | Fundamental Concepts | Historical background, stresses and equilibrium, boundary conditions, strain-displacement relations, stress-strain relations , temperature effects, potential energy and equilibrium, Rayleigh-Ritz method, Galerkin’s method | T1,Chapter1 |
| 4-7 | Finite element modeling of one-dimensional vector-field problems | Finite element modeling, linear and quadratic shape functions, Rayleigh-Ritz & Galerkin approaches, assembly of equations, application of essential and natural boundary conditions, thermal stress | T1,Chapter3 |
| 8-10 | Finite element modeling of trusses | Finite element modeling of planar trusses, allusion to three-dimensional trusses, assembly of global stiffness matrix | T1,Chapter4 |
| 11-15 | Finite element modeling of two-dimensional vector-field problems | Isoparametric representation, CST element,finite element modeling of axisymmetric solids, modeling of orthotropic material system,Four node quadrilateral elements, Numerical integration, Higher order elements, conjugate gradient implementation of the quadrilateral elements | T1,Chapter5-8 |
| 16-22 | Modeling of fourth order problems | Beams and Frames; Modeling Euler-Bernoulli beam elements using, Rayleigh-Ritz and Galerkin approaches, Load vector and boundary conditions, shear force and bending moment, beams on elastic supports,  Plane frames, three-dimensional frames,  Modeling using Timoshenko beam elements,  Plate bending, Analysis of plates using membrane elements with in-plane loads, Modeling of bending of plates under transverse loads | T1,Chapter5-8  R1,Chapter9-10 |
| 23-26 | Modeling of 3-dimensional problems | Formulation of 3D problems, stress calculations, hexahedral elements, solution procedures | T1,Chapter9 |
| 27-29 | Matrix algebra and Gauss elimination | Row and column operations of a matrix, eigenvalues and eigenvectors, positive definite matrix, cholesky decomposition, Gaussian elimination, conjugate gradient method, implementation of matrix operations in FEM calculations | T1,Chapter2 |
| 30-33 | Modeling of eigenvalue and dynamic problems | Formulation of Eigen value problems, mass matrices and stiffness matrices, Formulation of time dependent problems, parabolic equations,  hyperbolic equations | T1,Chapter11  R1,Chapter6  R2,Chapter12 |
| 34-38 | Finite element modeling of single variable scalar field problems | Boundary value problems, mesh generation and boundary conditions,  applications to heat transfer  applications to potential flow, fluid mechanics  application to solid mechanics  application to torsion | T1,Chapter10  R1,Chapter8  R2,Chapter13-16 |
| 39-42 | Finite element analysis fluid flow as vector field problems | Equations of fluid mechanics, modeling procedure  analysis of inviscid and incompressible fluid flows  analysis of viscous and non-Newtonian flows | T1,Chapter10  R2,Chapter 17-19 |

1. **Evaluation Scheme:**

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| **Component** | **Duration** | **Weightage (%)** | **Date & Time** | **Nature of Component** |
| Mid semester test | 90 min | 25% (50 Marks) | As per Timetable | Open book |
| Class/Lab Assignment | - | 15% (30 Marks) |  | Open book |
| Research Seminar/Project \* |  | 20% (40 Marks) |  | Open book |
| Comprehensive Examination | 2 hrs | 40% (80 Marks) | As per Timetable | Open book |

\*\*Research seminar:Each student/batch of students is assigned a task of solving a specific physical field or multi-physics coupled field problems. The students/batch have to prepare a plan through proper literature survey and have to numerically analyze the task. The progress of the project will be monitored through three time evaluation in the form of project plan proposal, mid-semester and end-semester presentations.

**Chamber Consultation Hour:** Will be announced in the class

1. **Notices:** All in The CMS and if very important also on the Department Notice Board.
2. **Make-up Policy:** Make-up will be granted only to genuine cases. For cases related to illness, proper documentary evidence is essential. Prior permission is necessary if the student is out of station on the test date.
3. **Academic Honesty and Integrity Policy:** Academic honesty and integrity are to be maintained by all the students throughout the semester and no type of academic dishonesty is acceptable.

**INSTRUCTOR-IN-CHARGE**

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