

Industrial Automation (ICE 3252)

Introduction

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Syllabus

Hours/ week: 4L Number of credits: 4

Computers in Process Control: Data loggers, Data Acquisition Systems (DAS), Direct Digital Control (DDC). Supervisory Control and Data Acquisition Systems (SCADA), sampling considerations. (03 hrs)

Programmable Logic Controller (PLC): Definition, overview of PLC systems, PLC architecture, input/output modules, power supplies and isolators. (03 hrs)

Ladder logic Programming: General PLC programming procedures, programming on-off inputs/ outputs. Auxiliary commands and functions, PLC Basic Functions, register basics, timer functions, counter functions. Arithmetic functions, number comparison functions, Skip and MCR functions, data move systems. PLC Advanced intermediate functions: Utilizing digital bits, sequencer functions, matrix functions. PLC-PID functions, PLC Advanced functions, analog PLC operation. (14 hrs)

Alternate Programming Languages: General programming procedures to construct Instruction List (IL), Structured Text (ST), Sequential Flow Chart (SFC), Functional Block Diagrams (FBD). Basic Instructions of alternate programming languages. Problems on alternate programming languages. (07 hrs)

PLC Maintenance: networking of PLC, PLC installation, troubleshooting and maintenance, wiring of sensors and output devices to the PLC. (02 hrs)

Interface and Backplane Bus Standards for Instrumentation Systems: Communication Hierarchy- Communication System Requirements. - Network Topologies -Protocol -Functions of Various Layers, Field bus: Introduction, concept. HART protocol: Method of operation, structure, operating conditions and applications. Smart transmitters, smart valves and smart actuators. MOD bus: Transmission mode, General message form, Data types, Data addressing, cyclic redundancy check calculation. Profibus: Communication Profiles, Physical Profiles, Application Profiles, Protocol Architecture, IEC 1158-2 Transmission Technology. (10 hrs)

Distributed Control Systems (DCS): Definition, configuration of DCS, Local Control Unit (LCU) architecture, LCU languages, LCU – Process interfacing issues, redundancy concept. **(04 hrs)**

Operator interfaces: Low level and high level operator interfaces – Displays – Engineering interfaces – Low level and high level engineering interfaces – Factors to be considered in selecting DCS – Case studies in DCS. (05 hrs)

References:

- 1. John. W. Webb Ronald A Reis, *Programmable Logic Controllers Principles and Applications*, PHI, (4e). 1998.
- 2. Lukcas M.P, Distributed Control Systems, Van Nostrand Reinhold Co., 1986.
- 3. Frank D. Petruzella, Programmable Logic Controllers, MGH, (2e), 1997.
- 4. Liptak, B.G., Instrument engineers' handbook, volume two: Process control and optimization, CRC press, 2018.

	At the end of this course, the student should be able to:	No. of Contact Hours	Marks
CO1:	Review the computer based control and PLC architecture and	8	16
	maintainance.		
CO2:	Analyse the function blocks of PLC programming.	6	12
600			
CO3:	Develop PLC programmes using different programming methods.	15	30
CO4:	Comprehend the structure and working of various types of	10	22
	communication protocols used in automation domain.		
CO5:	Understand the architecture interface concepts of DCS	9	20
	Total	48	100

Pre-requisites:

Knowledge of Control system elements.

Knowledge of closed loop control system.

Basics of data acquisition systems

• Basics of communication

Assessment...

- Continuous Assessment 20Marks
- Internal assessment 30 Marks
- End semester exam 50 Marks.
- Total: 100 Marks

Minimum 18 in the end sem to clear the course

Attendance: 75%