



Construction of Precast System

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4 modules

Gain insight into a topic and learn the fundamentals.

Advanced level

Recommended experience ⓘ

8 hours to complete

Flexible schedule

Learn at your own pace

What you'll learn

- ✓ Gain practical knowledge in designing, casting, handling, and erecting precast elements, ensuring quality control and compliance.
- ✓ Understand the design criteria, load analysis, and preventive measures required for safe, efficient, and durable precast construction

Skills you'll gain

Structural Engineering Shop Drawing Construction Engineering Construction Management Building Codes Building Design Manufacturing Processes
Structural Analysis Engineering Calculations Construction Inspection Product Testing Engineering Tolerance Engineering Practices Architectural Drawing
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Details to know



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Assessments

4 assignments



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Build your subject-matter expertise

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- Learn new concepts from industry experts
- Gain a foundational understanding of a subject or tool
- Develop job-relevant skills with hands-on projects
- Earn a shareable career certificate

There are 4 modules in this course

This comprehensive course on the construction of precast systems covers all essential aspects, starting with an introduction to types of precast systems and their production processes. It delves into the creation of design and shop drawings, the preparation of moulds, and good casting practices. It also addresses the various methods of casting, concreting, and curing, followed by demoulding and inspection procedures. The course further explores the storage, delivery, handling, and erection of precast components, including quality inspection and tolerances. Preventive measures are discussed, focusing on testing requirements, water tightness, temporary supports, and MEP-related issues, alongside common defects and remedies. Lastly, the course covers design basis criteria, including geometric parameters, occupancy, location-specific factors, material specifications, analysis tools, and load considerations, encompassing gravity loads, seismic parameters, wind loads, and load combinations.

Target Learners:

- ☐ Undergraduate students of Civil Engineering
- ☐ Post-Graduate Students of Geotechnical Engineering
- ☐ Practicing Engineers in Pile Construction based projects.
- ☐ Faculties of Civil Engineering Domain

Pre-requisites:

- ☐ Analytical skill for determinate & indeterminate structures and design knowledge of reinforced concrete members
- ☐ Exposure to codes and standards (Indian standard codes for concrete, wind and earthquake design)

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Plant and Production

Module 1 • 2 hours to complete

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This module introduces the precast system, detailing its types, processes, and the critical stages of production from initial design to shop drawings, casting, and curing, emphasizing best practices and quality control.

What's included

 16 videos  1 assignment

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 16 videos • Total 115 minutes

About the Specialization • 3 minutes

About the Course • 2 minutes

Introduction and Types • 6 minutes

Process • 12 minutes

Production-Design and Shop Drawings - Part 1 • 7 minutes

Production-Design and Shop Drawings - Part 2 • 13 minutes

Checklists • 3 minutes

Mould • 13 minutes

Mould-Good practice • 6 minutes

Casting • 1 minute

Types of Casting - Part 1 • 10 minutes


Types of Casting - Part 2 • 6 minutes

Concreting • 4 minutes

Curing- Part 1 • 11 minutes

Curing - Part 2 • 6 minutes

Demoulding and Inspection • 4 minutes

 **1 assignment** • **Total 30 minutes**

Assessment on Plant and Production • 30 minutes

Storage, Delivery, Handling, Erection and Quality Inspection

[Module details](#) ^

Module 2 • 2 hours to complete

This module covers the logistical aspects of precast elements, including storage, delivery, handling, and the erection process, focusing on equipment and techniques for safe and efficient installation.

What's included

 12 videos  1 assignment

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 **12 videos** • **Total 104 minutes**

Storage • 11 minutes

Delivery • 7 minutes

Handling • 5 minutes

Handling Equipment's • 12 minutes

Handling and Lifting devices- Part 1 • 9 minutes

Handling and Lifting devices- Part 2 • 8 minutes

Installation-Erection - Part 1 • 6 minutes


Installation-Erection - Part 2 • 7 minutes

Installation of Horizontal components • 8 minutes

Installation of Vertical components • 8 minutes

Installation of Special Elements • 7 minutes

Quality Inspection and Tolerance • 10 minutes

 **1 assignment** • **Total 30 minutes**

Assessment on Storage, Delivery, Handling, Erection and Quality Inspection • 30 minutes

Preventive Measures

[Module details](#) ^

Module 3 • 1 hour to complete

This module addresses preventive measures during precast construction, covering testing requirements, water tightness, temporary supports, MEP integration, and measures against progressive collapse and common defects.

What's included

 8 videos  1 assignment

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 8 videos • Total 70 minutes

Testing requirements • 8 minutes

Water tightness • 9 minutes

Temporary supports • 9 minutes


MEP related preventive measures • 6 minutes

Progressive Collapse-Introduction • 6 minutes

Common defects and remedies Part 1 • 12 minutes

Common defects and remedies Part 2 • 9 minutes

Common defects and remedies Part 3 • 7 minutes

 1 assignment • Total 30 minutes

Assessment on Preventive Measures • 30 minutes

Design Basis Criteria, Loads and Load Combinations

[Module details ^](#)

Module 4 • 2 hours to complete

This module focuses on the design basis criteria for precast structures, including geometric parameters, occupancy considerations, location-specific factors, material specifications, and load combinations for gravity, seismic, and wind loads.

What's included

 11 videos  1 assignment

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 11 videos • Total 90 minutes

Introduction • 3 minutes

Geometric parameters and Occupancy • 8 minutes

Location and Associated Parameters • 12 minutes

System and Material Specifications • 7 minutes

Requirements • 10 minutes

Analysis tools and Multiple Teams • 5 minutes


Gravity loads • 9 minutes

Lateral Loads-Seismic • 2 minutes

Seismic Parameter's • 11 minutes

Lateral Loads-Wind • 9 minutes

Load combinations • 8 minutes

 1 assignment • Total 30 minutes

Assessment on Design Basis Criteria, Loads and Load Combinations • 30 minutes



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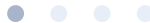
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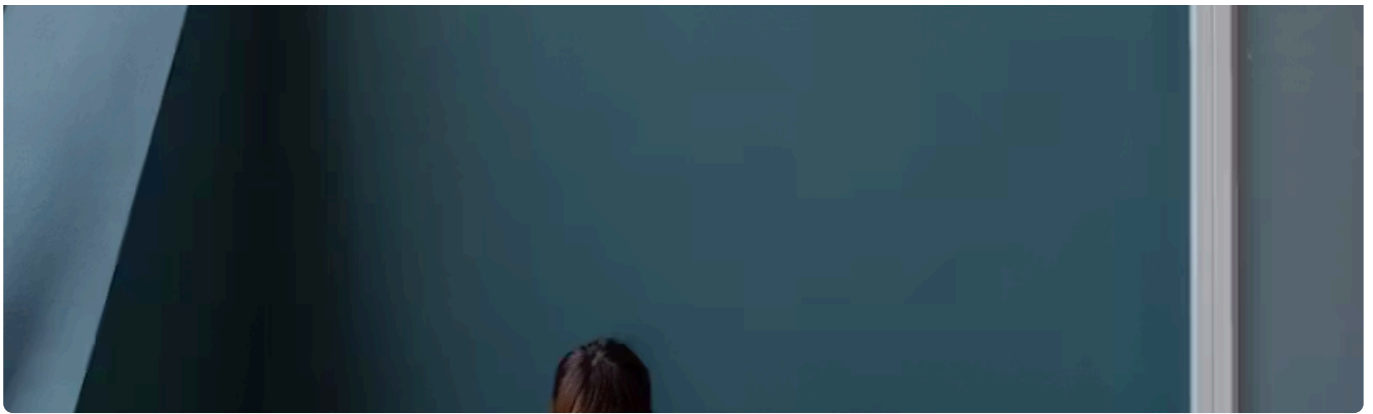
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