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III – SEMESTER

With Practical

					Mark	(S	Teaching			Duration	
Semester	Category	Subject code	Title of the Paper				hours/week			Credit	of exams
				IA	SEE	Total	L	Т	P		(Hrs)
	DSC9	21PHY3C9L	Thermal and Statistical Physics	30	70	100	4	-	-	4	3
	DSC10	21PHY3C10L	Analytical Techniques & Instrumentation	30	70	100	4	-	-	4	3
	DCE1	21PHY3E1AL	A. Advanced Condensed Matter Physics	20	70	100		-	-	4	2
	DSE1	21PHY3E1BL	B. Advanced Nuclear Physics	30	70	100	4				3
		21PHY3E1CL	C. Materials Science	1							
THIRD	DSE2	21PHY3E2AL	A. Radiation Physics		70		4	-	-	4	
		21PHY3E2BL	B. Optical Spectroscopy	30		0 100					3
		21PHY3E2CL	C. Renewable Energy Physics								
		21PHY3G1AL	A. Nanomaterials	20	30	50	2	-	-	2	
	GEC1	21PHY3G1BL	B. Elementary Astrophysics								1
		21PHY3G1CL	C. Biophysics								
	SEC3	21PHY3S3LP	Research Methodology	20	30	50	1	-	2	2	1
	DSC9P6	21PHY3C9P	Thermal and Statistical Physics Lab	20	30	50	-	-	4	2	4
	DSC10P7	21PHY3C10P	Analytical Techniques & Instrumentation Lab	20	30	50	-	-	4	2	4
	Total Marks for III Semester 600 24										
Note: STUDY TOUR: The study tour shall be organized by the department to students to acquaint with research institutes /research facilities in the country. This would motivate students to take up research work / research career soon after completion of the PG program.											

Semester - III

Course Title: Thermal and Statistical Physics	Course Code:21PHY3C9L
Total Contact Hours: 55 Hours	No. of Credits: 04
Formative Assessment Marks: 30	Duration of ESA/Exam: 03 Hours
Summative Assessment Marks: 70	

Course Outcomes (COs):

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

- 1. Apply the basic ideas in thermodynamics and statistical mechanics to physical situations.
- 2. Use various partition functions to determine thermodynamic potentials.
- 3. Apply various distribution functions to physical systems.
- 4. Analyse thermodynamical systems using fluctuations and related phenomenon.
- 5. Analyse phase equilibria in various thermodynamical situations.

DSC9: Thermal and Statistical Physics (21PHY3C9L)

Unit	Description	Hours
1	Basic thermodynamics and statistical concepts Laws of thermodynamics and their consequences, Thermodynamic potentials, Maxwell's relations and their applications, Microscopic and Macroscopic states, Phase space and μ-space, Chemical potential (qualitative), Ergodic hypothesis and Liouville's theorem (proof). Probability distribution – Binomial, Poisson and Gaussian distributions, Ensemble – Probability distributions in Microcanonical,	11
	canonical and grand canonical ensembles. (1,2,4)	
2	Classical statistics Concept of partition function, Partition function of a system of particles, The translation partition function, Gibbs paradox – Sacker-Tetrode equation, Boltzmann equipartition theorem, Rotational partition function, Vibrational partition function, Electronic partition function, Maxwell-Boltzmann distribution – velocity & energy, Deduction of average speed, mean square speed and most probable speed by Maxwell-Boltzmann distribution. (Ref. 2,3,4)	11
3	Quantum statistics The symmetry and anti symmetry of the wave functions, Bosons and Fermions, Bose-Einstein and Fermi-Dirac distributions. Ideal Bose systems: Photon gas – Radiation pressure, Radiation density and emissivity, Bose-Einstein condensation, Phonon gas - specific heat of solids by Einstein and Debye's theories. Ideal Fermi Systems: Fermi energy, Mean energy of Fermions at T=0K, Fermi Gas in Metals, Atomic nucleus as an ideal Fermion gas, Electronic specific heat in metals, Pauli paramagnetism, (Ref. 1,4)	11
4	Fluctuations and Irreversible thermodynamics Fluctuations in canonical, grand canonical and microcanonical ensembles. The Brownian motion and Langevin equation. Random walk, diffusion and the	11

	Einstein relation for mobility. Onsager reciprocity relations. Thermoelectric phenomena. (Ref. 2,4)	
5	 Phase Equilibria Equilibrium conditions, First- and second-order phase transitions, phase diagram, Ising model, Clausius-Clapeyron equation, Liquid-Vapour equilibria: vapour pressure curve, Heat capacity of vapour in equilibrium, Compressibility of vapour; Sublimation curve; Phase transition in ferromagnetic materials, Liquid 	11
Refere	helium, Chemical equilibrium, Saha-Ionisation formula. (Ref.1,4)	
	Fundamentals of Statistical Mechanics by B.B. Laud, New Age International Pvt. Ltd., Edition, 2012.	Second
2.	Statistical Mechanics and Properties of Matter by E.S.R. Gopal, Ellis Horwood Limted Chichester Publisher, 1974.	
	Thermal Physics by by S.C. Garg, R.M. Bansal and C.K. Ghosh, Mc Graw Hill Educat (India) Private Limited, 2012.	
4.	Fundamentals of Statistical Mechanics and Thermal Physics by F. Reif, Mc Graw Hill Company, New York.	Book

Semester - III

Course Title: Analytical Techniques & Instrumentation	Course Code: 21PHY3C10L
Total Contact Hours: 55 Hours	No. of Credits: 04
Formative Assessment Marks: 30	Duration of ESA/Exam: 03 Hours
Summative Assessment Marks: 70	

Course Outcomes (COs):

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

At the end of the course the student will be able to:

- 1. Explain the fundamentals of analytical Instrumentation techniques.
- 2. Analyse vibrations of molecules using IR and Raman spectroscopic techniques.
- 3. Analyse atomic absorption, emission & photoluminescence of chemical species using absorption and emission spectroscopy.
- 4. Analyse the crystalline and morphological features of chemical species using spectroscopic techniques.
- 5. Determine electrical, magnetic, nuclear and thermal properties of chemical species using suitable techniques.

DSC10: Analytical Techniques & Instrumentation (21PHY3C10L)

Unit	Description	Hours
1	Fundamentals of Analytical Instruments:	11
	Types of chemical analysis, Elements of analytical instrument, Sensors and	
	transducers, Classification of transducers, Performance characteristics of	
	Transducers, Smart sensors, Signal processing in analytical instruments, Read out	
	systems, types of instrumental methods, classification of analytical instruments.	
	Performance requirements of analytical instruments: Errors in chemical analysis,	
	Types of Errors, Accuracy and precision, Significant figures, Application of	
	statistical methods, Signal to noise ration. Sensitivity, Selectivity, Specificity,	
	Resolution, Range, Limit of detection, Linearity.	
	Instrument Calibration techniques: Calibration curve method, Standard addition	
	method, Method of Internal standard, Validation. (Ref: 1)	
2	Infrared and Raman Spectroscopy:	11
	Infrared Absorption Spectroscopy: Range of Infrared Radiation, Modes of	
	vibrations, Basic components of IR spectrophotometers (Radiation sources,	
	monochromators, slits, mirrors, sample cells, sampling substance, and detectors)	
	Types of IR spectrophotometers: Optical null method and Ratio recording	
	method; sample handling techniques, Fourier transform infrared spectrometer.	
	(Ref: 1,2)	
	Raman Spectroscopy: Raman effect: Principle, characteristic properties of Raman	
	lines, Raman spectrometer (Sources, sample chamber, Detectors), PC based	
	Raman spectrometer, FT Raman spectrometer, Applications, comparison between	
	Raman and InfraredSpectroscopy. (Ref: 1,2)	
3	Absorption and Emission Spectroscopy:	11

	UV-Visible Absorption spectroscopy: Beer-Lamberts law, construction and working of single and double beam absorption spectrometers, applications. Atomic absorption spectroscopy: Principle, Instrumentation (Radiation sources, Burners and flames, Atomization, Optical system, Electronic system, Sampling					
	system), Applications.					
	Atomic emission spectrophotometer: Instrumentation, Plasma excitation sources					
	(Direct coupled plasma, Inductively coupled plasma, Microwave induced plasma). Photoluminescence: Principles of fluorescence and Phosphorescence, Jablonski diagram, Instrumentation of spectrofluorimeter and phosphorescence spectrometer. (Ref: 1-6)					
4	X-ray, Electron and Ion spectroscopy:	11				
	X-ray Diffraction: Bragg's law, X-ray diffraction methods and associated instrumentation, Applications.					
	Electron spectroscopy: Auger Electron Spectroscopy (AES), Scanning Electron					
	Microscopy (SEM); Transmission Electron Microscopy (TEM). Scanning					
	Tunneling Electron Microscopy (STEM), Atomic Force Microscopy (AFM).					
	Ion Spectroscopy: Secondary Ion Mass Spectroscopy (SIMS), Ion Scattering					
	Spectroscopy (ISS). (Ref: 1-4)					
5	Electric, Magnetic, Nuclear and Thermal techniques: Instrumentation of impedance analyzer. Impedance, dielectric constant and dielectric loss measurements using impedance analyzers. Vibrating-sample magnetometer (VSM), Nuclear Magnetic Resonance spectrometer (NMR), Electron Spin Resonance (ESR).	11				
	Nuclear techniques: Instrumentation of alpha spectrometer with single and					
	multichannel analyzer, Gamma ray spectrometer - NaI (Tl) scintillation detector.					
	Thermo-analytical instruments: Thermogravimetric analysis (TGA), Differential					
D.C.	thermal analysis, Differential scanning calorimetry (DSC). (Ref: 1-4)					
	References:					
 Handbook of Analytical Instruments, R.S. Khandpur, 3rd Edition, Tata McGraw-Hill, (2015). Instruments Methods of Chemical Analysis, Chatwal and Anand, Himalaya Publishing House, (2019). 						
3. Instrumental Method of Analysis, Willard, Merritt, Dean and Settle, CBS Publishers and Distributors, Delhi (1986).						
4. Principles of Instrumental Analysis, 7 th Edition, D. A. Skoog, F. J. Holler, S. R. Crouch, Cengage India Private Limited, (2020).						
	 Methods of Experimental Physics, Dudley Williams, Academic press, New York, (1976). Experimental Spectroscopy, Sawyer, Prentice-Hall publisher, (1946). 					
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Semester - III

Course Title: Advanced Condensed Matter Physics	Course Code:21PHY3E1AL
Total Contact Hours: 55 Hours	No. of Credits: 04
Formative Assessment Marks: 30	Duration of ESA/Exam: 03 Hours
Summative Assessment Marks: 70	

Course Outcomes (COs):

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

- 1. Determine physical parameters of solids using reciprocal lattice and band structure models.
- 2. Determine transport properties of solids using related theories.
- 3. Analyse dielectric and optical properties of solids using basic principles of physics.
- 4. Analyse magnetic properties of solids using various theories/models.
- 5. Explain properties of superconductors based on classical and quantum concepts.

DSE 01: Advanced Condensed Matter Physics (21PHY3E1AL)

Unit	Description	Hours
1	Reciprocal Lattice and Band structure in Solids:	11
	Concept of Reciprocal lattice, Method of Construction, Reciprocal Lattice	
	Vectors, Properties of Reciprocal lattice, Expression for length of Reciprocal	
	lattice vector in terms of interplanar spacing, Reciprocal lattice to SC, BCC and	
	FCC, Bragg's law in Reciprocal Lattice, Brillouin Zones and their construction,	
	Brillouin Zone of BCC and FCC Lattice. (Ref.1 & 2)	
	Nearly free electron model – origin and magnitude of energy gap; Tight Binding	
	Model – Band width and effective mass in linear lattice and cubic lattice;	
	Augumented Plane Wave (APW) method of band structure calculation. (Ref. 2, 3	
2	& 4) Transport Properties:	11
2	Boltzmann transport equation, Boltzmann Transport Equation for Electrons and	11
	Lorentz solution, Chamber's Equation, Sommerfeld's theory of electrical	
	conductivity, Thermal conductivity of metals and Widemann –Franz law, Criticism	
	of Sommerfeld's theory, Relaxation time, Mean free path, The additive Nature of	
	Resistivity – Mathiessen's rule, Thermoelectric effects, Magneto-resistance.	
	(Ref.5)	
3	Dielectric and Optical Properties:	11
	Static Fields: Macroscopic description of static dielectric constant, Static	
	electronic and ionic polarisabilities of molecules, Orientational polarization, Static	
	dielectric constant of gases, Internal field according to Lorentz, Static dielectric	
	constant of solids - Clausius-Mosotti formula. Alternating fields: Complex	
	dielectric constant and dielectric losses, Dielectric losses and relaxation time,	
	Classical theory of electronic polarization and optical absorption. (Ref. 6)	
4	Magnetic Properties	11
	Classification of magnetic materials, Atomic origin of magnetism, Langevin	

	diamagnetism, Paramagnetism - Classical and quantum theories; Magnetism in metals – Spin-paramagnetism, diamagnetism; Ferromagnetism in insulators – Curie-Weiss law, Molecular field theory, Antiferromagnetism and ferrimagnetism, Ferromagnetism in metals, Ferromagnetic domains – Hysteresis curve, Principle and Theory of Paramagnetic resonance and Nuclear magnetic resonance. (Ref. 3 & 4).					
5	Superconductivity	11				
	Review of superconductivity, Heat Capacity, Energy gap, Microwave and Infrared					
	Properties, Isotope Effect, Thermodynamics of Superconducting Transition,					
	Electrodynamics of Superconductors - London Equations, Coherence Length, BCS					
	theory of Superconductivity, BCS Ground State, Flux quantization in a					
	Superconducting Ring, Duration of Persistent Currents, Single Particle Tunneling,					
	Josephson Tunneling - DC and AC Josephson Effect, Macroscopic Quantum					
	Interference. (Ref. 2)					
Referenc	es:					
1. Sc	1. Solid State Physics by R. K. Puri & V. K. Babbar, S. Chand Publications.					
	troduction to Solid State Physics by C. Kittel, Wiley Eastern Ltd					
	ements of Solid State Physics by J.P Srivastava, PHI Learning Pvt. Ltd.					
	blid State Physics by S.L. Gupta and V. Kumar, K. Nath & Co.					

6. Solid State Physics by A. J. Dekker, McMillan and Co. Ltd.

Semester - III

Course Title: Advanced Nuclear Physics	Course Code:21PHY3E1BL
Total Contact Hours: 55 Hours	No. of Credits: 04
Formative Assessment Marks: 30	Duration of ESA/Exam: 03 Hours
Summative Assessment Marks: 70	

Course Outcomes (COs):

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

- 1. Analyse structure of nuclei using various models.
- 2. Analyse two nucleon systems and nuclear reactions.
- 3. Explain fundamentals of heavy ion physics.
- 4. Use neutron physics to describe various nuclear processes. .
- 5. Apply various nuclear techniques in advanced nuclear physics.

DSE 01: Advanced Nuclear Physics (21PHY3E1BL)

Unit	Description	Hours		
1	Nuclear Models			
	Shell model: Evidences for shell structure, energy levels according to harmonic			
	oscillator intermediate potentials - effect of spin-orbit interaction. Shell model			
	Prediction of ground state spin, parity of odd-A nuclei and odd-odd nuclei -			
	Nordheim's rules, magnetic moments of odd-A nuclei Schmidt limits.			
	Collective model: Introduction, Nuclear deformations and collective motions of			
	nucleons. Vibrational model- Vibrational excitation and vibrational energy levels			
	for even-even nuclei, rotational model- Nuclear rotational motion and rotational			
	energy spectra for even-even and odd A nuclei.			
	Fermi gas model: Fermi energy of nucleons, Fermi momentum and level density;			
	nuclear matter. (Ref. Roy and Nigam, D C Tayal, R D Evans)			
2	Two nucleon systems: The ground and Excited states of deuteron, tensor nature	11		
	of nuclear force and its range. Neutron-proton scattering at low energies,			
	scattering length, Effective range theory in n-p scattering, proton-proton scattering			
	at low energies, Analysis of n-p and p-p scattering, high energy n-p and p-p			
	scattering. Interpretation of n-p and p-p scattering.			
	Nuclear reactions: Nuclear reactions and cross sections, partial wave analysis of			
	nuclear reactions-expressions for scattering and reaction cross sections and their			
	interpretations - shadow scattering. Resonance theory of scattering and			
	absorption. Breit-Wigner formula for l=0.			
	Compound nucleus model: model and continuum theory of cross-section.			
	(Ref. Roy and Nigam, D C Tayal)	11		
3	Optical model - mean free path - optical potential and optical model parameters,			
	optical model at low energy, Kapur-Pierls dispersion formula for potential			
	scattering and experimental results.			
	Direct Reactions: Transfer reactions - semiclassical description. Theory of			
	stripping and pickup reactions, Plane wave Born approximation (PWBA) - its			
	predictions of angular distributions - modifications - distorted wave Born			

approximation (DWBA) - spectroscopic factors and their significance.		
Heavy Ion Physics: Special features of heavy ion reactions. Qualitative treatment		
of remote electromagnetic interaction Coulomb excitations; close encounters,		
grazing collisions and particle transfer. Direct and head on collision, compound		
nucleus and quasi molecule formation. (Ref: Roy and Nigam, Mermier and		
Sheldon Vol. II)		
4 Neutron Physics:	11	
Introduction, Properties of neutron, Classification of neutrons according to energy		
- neutron sources. Ultrafast neutrons, Neutron detectors, Neutron detection from		
nuclear reactions. BF3 counters, He-3 proportional counters, fission detectors,		
activation method for neutron flux measurement. Recoil counters, neutron time of		
flight technique. Slow neutron detection through nuclear reaction and induced		
radio activity, slow neutron cross section measurements, neutron		
monochromators.		
Review of Nuclear fusion process, Controlled thermonuclear reactions.		
Hydromagnetic equations. Magnetic pressure, pinch effect, magnetic confinement		
systems for controlled thermonuclear fusion. (Ref: S N Ghoshal and Zweifel P F)		
5 Nuclear techniques:	11	
X-ray Fluorescence (XRF) - Basic principle, instrumentation and application,		
Neutron Activation Analysis (NAA) - Basic Principle, Instrumentation and		
application, Proton Induced X-ray Emission (PIXE) - Basic Principle,		
Instrumentation and application, Positron annihilation - Basic Principle, Sources,		
Experimental details, angular correlation of annihilation radiation and Fermi		
momentum of conduction electron in metals, Ion beam analysis-Rutherford back		
scattering.		
(Ref. H R Verma)		
References:		
1. Nuclear Physics: R R Roy and B P Nigam, John Wiley & Sons, Inc., 1967.		
2. Nuclear Physics: D C Tayal, Himalaya Publishing House, Fifth Edition, 2015.		
3. The Atomic Nucleus: R D Evans, Tata McGraw Hill Edition, 1955.		
4. Physics of Nuclei and Particles: P Mermier and E Sheldon, Volume-II, Academic Press, Inc., 19		
5. Atomic and Nuclear Physics: S N Ghoshal, S. Chand & Company Pvt. Ltd., 2014.		
6. Zweifel P F, 'Reactor Physics', International student Edn. (McGraw Hill, 1973).		
7. H R Verma, Atomic and Nuclear Analytical Methods: XRF, Mössbauer, XPS, NAA and Ion-Bea		
Spectroscopic Techniques. Springer.		

Semester - III

Course Title: Materials Science	Course Code:21PHY3E1CL
Total Contact Hours: 55 Hours	No. of Credits: 04
Formative Assessment Marks: 30	Duration of ESA/Exam: 03 Hours
Summative Assessment Marks: 70	

Course Outcomes (COs):

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

At the end of the course the student will be able to:

- 1. Explain the basics of engineered materials and their properties.
- 2. Analyse the behavior of elastic and plastic materials.
- 3. Analyse the behavior of ferroelectric, ferrite, polymer and Nano materials.
- 4. Describe the applications of different materials in science and technology.

DSE 01: Materials Science (21PHY3E1CL)

Unit	Description	Hours
1	Introduction to Engineering Materials :Materials Science and Engineering, Classification of Engineering Materials,Levels of Structure, Structure - Property Relationships in Materials.Equilibrium and Kinetics: Stability and Metastability, Basic Thermodynamicfunctions, The statistical nature of entropy, The kinetics of thermally activatedprocesses.Review of ionic, covalent and molecular bindings, bond angle, bond length andbond energy, lattice energy - Madelung constant cohesive energy, vander Waal'sInteraction- Lennard- Jones Potential, closed packed structure-packing efficiencyand density of materials.	11
2	Elastic and plastic behaviour of materials: Atomic model of elastic behaviour-rubber like Elasticity-anelastic behaviour, viscoelastic behaviour, fracture of materials-Ductile and brittle fracture – Ductile brittle transition, Protection against fracture. Plastic deformation by slip-shear strength of perfect and real crystals- CRSS ratio, Maximum stress to move dislocation, Methods of strengthening crystalline materials against plastic deformation-strain hardening, grain refinement, solid solution strengthening, precipitation strengthening.	11
3	Ferroelectrics and Ferrites: Ferroelectrics: General properties of ferroelectrics, classification and properties of representative ferroelectric crystals, theory of ferroelectricity, piezo and pyro electric properties, dielectric constant with temperature and frequency, hysteresis loop. Ferrites: definitions and types of ferrites with examples, structure of cubic ferrite, saturation magnetization, molecular field theory, hexagonal ferrite, influence of temperature and field on magnetic behaviour, domains, hysteresis, and applications of ferrites.	11

	4	Elements of polymer science:	11
	•	Monomers- Polymers- classification of polymers, synthesis of polymers-chain	
		polymerization, step polymerization, Industrial polymerization methods, Average	
		molecular weight- weight, number & viscosity, size of polymer molecule.	
		Microstructure of polymers- chemical, geometric, random, alternating and block	
		polymers. Phase transition-Polymer melting and glass transition, stereo	
		isomerism, degree of crystallinity.	
		Process of plastic materials: Moulding- compression, injection, blow, extrusion,	
		spinning.	
	5	Nanomaterials:	11
		Introduction, size effect: quantum confinement effect, Different form of	
		nanostructures, idea of 2-d, 1-d and 0-d nanostructures, Synthesis of	
nanomaterials, Physical Methods of Synthesis: High Energy Ball Milling,			
Physical Vapour Deposition, Laser Ablation, Electric Arc Deposition; Chemical			
	Methods of Synthesis: Synthesis of Metal and Semicondctor Nanoparticles by		
	Colloidal Route, Sol-Gel Method, Hydrothermal Synthesis; Biological Methods of Synthesis: Synthesis Using Microorganisms, Synthesis Using Plant Extracts.		
Dof	ference		
1.		ents of Materials Science and Engineering, H. Lowrence, V. Vlack, Addison Wesley,	` /
2.	Introc	luction to Ceramics, W. D. Kingery, H. K. Bower, D. R. Uhlmann, 2 nd Edition, Wiley	<i>v</i> , (1976).
3.	. Foundations of Materials Science and Engineering, W. F. Smith, J. Hashemi, 5 th Edition, McGraw		McGraw
	Hills	International Edition, (2009).	
4.	Mater	rials Science and Engineering, V. Ragharan, 5 th Edition, Prentice Hall, (2011).	
5.	Structure & Properties of materials- Rose, Shepard, Wulff, Wiley, (1987).		
6.	Polymer Science, V. R. Gowariker, N.V. Vishwanathan, Joydev Shreedhar, John Wiley and Sons,		
	Inc. (1987).		
7.	Text of Polymer Science, Fred. W. Billmeyer, 3 rd Edition, John Wiley and Sons, Inc. (1984).		
8.		technology: Importance and applications, M H Fulekar, I. K. International Pvt. Ltd., (,
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10.		technology: Principles and Practices, 3 nd Edition, Sulabha K. Kulkarni, Springer Int shing, (2015)	ernational

Semester - III

Course Title: Radiation Physics	Course Code:21PHY3E2AL
Total Contact Hours: 55 Hours	No. of Credits: 04
Formative Assessment Marks: 30	Duration of ESA/Exam: 03 Hours
Summative Assessment Marks: 70	

Course Outcomes (COs):

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

- 1. Describe the basics of radiation physics.
- 2. Analyse interaction of radiation with matter.
- 3. Measure radiation and related quantities with appropriate units.
- 4. Describe the importance of radiation protection.
- 5. Identify electronics/electronic components required in radiation field.
- 6. Explain the industrial applications of radiation.

DSE 02: Radiation Physics (21PHY3E2AL)

Unit	Description	Hours
1	Basic Radiation Physics: Atomic and nuclear structure – Rutherford's and Bohr's atomic models, nucleus and its constituents, isotopes, isobars and isomers. Electromagnetic radiation – Ionising and non-ionising radiations. Radioactivity – Radioactive decay, decay constant, half-life, biological half-life, types of ionising radiations (alpha, beta, and gamma radiations) and radioisotopes. Radiation sources – Natural and artificial radioactive sources.	11
2	Interaction of Radiation with Matter: Interaction of radiation with matter: Interaction - stopping power - energy loss characteristics, particle range - energy loss in thin absorbers. Scaling laws. Interaction of fast electrons - specific energy loss. Electron range and transmission curves. Interaction of gamma rays - interaction mechanisms - photoelectric absorption, Compton scattering and pair-production. Gamma ray attenuation - attenuation coefficients, absorber mass thickness, cross sections. Interaction of neutrons - general properties - slow down interaction, fast neutron interaction, neutron cross sections. Radiation exposure and dose – dose equivalent.	11
3	Radiation Measurements, Quantities, Units and Protection: Basic principles of radiation detection - GM detectors, scintillation detectors, semiconductor detectors, solid state nuclear track detectors (SSNTD) and thermo luminescent dosimeters (TLD).Radiation quantities and units – Activity, radiation exposure, absorbed dose, equivalent dose and effective dose. Linear energy transfer (LET). Radiation protection - Objectives of radiation protection, committees and regulatory bodies concerned with risk estimates and radiation protection, occupational exposure, as low as reasonably achievable (ALARA), protection of the embryo/fetus, Exposure of members of the public (non-occupational).	11
4	Nuclear Electronics:	11

	Preamplifier circuits, linear and pulse amplifier, pulse shaping, pulse stretching. Wilkinson type analog to digital converter. Pulse discriminators - coincidence and anticoincidence circuits - memories, single and multichannel analysers – on-line data processing - time to amplitude converter - charge sensitive amplifier. Basic	
	principles of measurement techniques such as collimation, shielding, geometry and calibration.	
5	Industrial Applications: Non-Destructive Testing: automobile industry - thickness of metal sheets, pipeline corrosion; aircraft industry - checking flaws in jet engines; mineral analysis. Sealed source applications: industrial radiography, gauging applications - density, moisture, level, thickness monitoring gauges. Radio tracer techniques: Leak and block detection, flow rate and mixing measurements. Gamma Radiation Processing Plants: sterilization of medical products, irradiation of food materials. Enhancing Material Quality: hardening plastics by cross linking, heat resistant wire and cables by irradiation, radiation vulcanisation of natural rubber for better quality. Electrostatic control applications.	11
 References: 1. Knoll G F, Radiation Detection and Measurement', II Edn. (John Wiley, 1989). 2. Ghoshal S N, 'Atomic and Nuclear Physics', Vol. I & II (S Chand & Company, 1994). 3. Segre E, 'Nuclei and Particles', II Edn. (Benjamin, 1977). 		

- 4. Eisenbud M. Environmental Radioactivity, Academic Press Inc. (London) Ltd., 24-28 Oval Road, London NW1 7DX, 1987.
- 5. Patel S B, 'Nuclear Physics An Introduction' (Wiley Eastern, 1991).
- 6. Krane K S, 'Introductory Nuclear Physics' (John Wiley, 1988).
- 7. Roy R K and Nigam P P, 'Nuclear Physics Theory and Experiment' (Wiley Eastern Ltd., 1993).
- 8. Kapoor S S and Ramamurthy V S, 'Radiation Detectors' (Wiley Eastern, 1986).

Semester - III

Course Title: Optical Spectroscopy	Course Code:21PHY3E2BL
Total Contact Hours: 55 Hours	No. of Credits: 04
Formative Assessment Marks: 30	Duration of ESA/Exam: 03 Hours
Summative Assessment Marks: 70	

Course Outcomes (COs):

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

- 1. Analyse UV and visible spectroscopy of molecules.
- 2. Analyse fluorescence spectroscopy of molecules.
- 3. Explain time domain and frequency domain techniques for lifetime measurements.
- 4. Describe the working of Refractometry, Polarimetry, and Circular Dichroism instrumentation.
- 5. Explain the development of holograms and theory of non-linear optics.

DSE 05:	Optical Spectroscopy	(21PHY3E2BL)
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Unit	Description	Hours	
1	Ultraviolet and Visible Spectroscopy:		
	Origin and theory of ultraviolet spectra, Beer-Lambert's law, Types of transitions		
	in inorganic and organic molecules ($\sigma \rightarrow \sigma^*, n \rightarrow \sigma^*, \pi \rightarrow \pi^*, n \rightarrow \pi^*$), The		
	shape of UV absorption curves, Transition probability, Chromophore and related		
	terms: Bathochromic and Hypsochromic shift; Hyperchromic, Hypochromic		
	effect; Auxochrome, Effect of conjugation, solvent effects, Choice of solvents,		
	Instrumentation: construction and working of single and double beam		
	spectrophotometers, Applications.	11	
2	Fluorescence Spectroscopy:	11	
	Fluorescence, Jablonski Diagram, Characteristics of Fluorescence Emission,		
	Fluorescence Lifetimes and Quantum Yields, Fluorescence Anisotropy, Timescale		
	of Molecular Processes in Solution, Molecular Information from Fluorescence:		
	Emission Spectra and the Stokes Shift, Quenching of Fluorescence, Fluorescence		
	Polarization or Anisotropy, Resonance Energy Transfe;, Intrinsic or Natural		
	Fluorophores, Extrinsic Fluorophores, DNA Probes, Chemical Sensing Probes		
	and Special Probes, other Fluorescent Proteins, Long-Lifetime Probes:		
	Lanthanides, Transition Metal-Ligand Complexes, Proteins as Sensors.		
	Construction and working of Spectrofluorometer: Light Sources,		
	Monochromators, Optical Filters, Detectors.	11	
3	Time Domain and Frequency Domain Lifetime Measurements:		
	Overview of Time-Domain and Frequency-Domain Measurements, Meaning of		
	the Lifetime or Decay Time, Phase and Modulation Lifetimes, Examples of Time-		
	Domain and Frequency-Domain Lifetimes, Construction and Working of Time-		
	Correlated Single-Photon Counting Instrument, Applications of TCSPC, Theory		
	of Frequency-Domain Fluorometry, Frequency-Domain Instrumentation.		

4	Refractometry, Polarimetry, and Circular Dichroism:	10
	Refractometry: Refractive index, Effect of wavelength and temperature on RI,	
	Instrumentation of Abbe Refractometer, Applications.	
	Polarimetry: Optical activity, types of molecules analyzed by polarimetry,	
	Instrumentation of Polarimeter, Applications.	
	Circular Dichroism Spectroscopy: Circularly polarized light, Optically active	
	molecules, Optically rotator dispersion, Circular dichroism and Instrumentation	
	for measurements, Applications.	
5	Holography and Non-linear optics:	11
	Principle of holography, Recording of the Hologram, Reconstruction of the	
	Image, some distinguishing characteristics of holographs - practical applications	
	of holography.	
	Harmonic generation - second harmonic generation - phase matching - third	
	harmonic generation Z scan technique - optical mixing - parametric generation of	
	light - self focusing of light, Electro-optic effect.	
Reference	es:	
	truments Methods of Chemical Analysis, Chatwal and Anand, Himalaya Publishir 19).	ng House,
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	ndamentals of Molecular Spectroscopic, C N. Banwell and E. M. McCash, Tata Mc	/
	blishing Co., Ltd., New Delhi, 5 th Edition, (2008).	
4. Prin	nciples of fluorescence spectroscopy, Joseph R Lakowicz, 3 rd Edition, Springer, N 06).	lew York,
5. Las	ers & Nonlinear Optics, Laud B B, New Age International (P) Limited, Publishers, (2	011).
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Semester - III

Course Title: Renewable Energy Physics	Course Code:21PHY3E2CL
Total Contact Hours: 55 Hours	No. of Credits: 04
Formative Assessment Marks: 30	Duration of ESA/Exam: 03 Hours
Summative Assessment Marks: 70	

Course Outcomes (COs):

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

- 1. Explain the fundamentals of renewable energy.
- 2. Identify different renewable energy sources.
- 3. Analyse different solar electric systems.
- 4. Analyse the performance of wind energy systems.
- 5. Explain the biomass energy systems.

DSE 02: Renewable Energy Physics (21PHY3E2CL)

Unit	Description	Hours
1	Introduction to renewable energy: Introduction, Definition of Power and energy, difference between power and	11
	energy, Importance of Energy Consumption as Measure of Prosperity, Per Capita	
	Energy Consumption, Classification of Energy Resources; Conventional Energy	
	Resources - Availability and their limitations; Non-Conventional Energy	
	Resources – Classification, Advantages, Limitations; Comparison of	
	Conventional and Non-Conventional Energy Resources; World Energy Scenario; Indian Energy Scenario.	
2	Energy Sources:	11
	Conventional energy sources: Hydro Electric, Thermal, Nuclear, Non-	
	Conventional Energy sources Bio-mass, geo-thermal, solar, wind energy, ocean	
	energy, wave energy, advantages and disadvantages, challenges. Commercial	
	energy sources, fosial-fuels coal, oil, natural gas, hydroelectric power, nuclear, Non-commercial energy sources, wood, animal wastes, agricultural waste, cost of	
	raw materials, transport problems, issues.	
3	Solar Electric Systems:	11
	Solar Thermal Electric Power Generation - Solar Pond and Concentrating Solar	
	Collector (parabolic trough, parabolic dish, Central Tower Collector). Advantages	
	and Disadvantages; Solar Photovoltaic – Solar Cell fundamentals, characteristics,	
	classification, construction of module, panel and array. Solar PV Systems – stand-	
	alone and grid connected; Applications – Street lighting, Domestic lighting and	
4	Solar Water pumping systems.	11
4	Wind Energy: Introduction, Wind and its Properties, History of Wind Energy, Wind Energy	11
	Scenario – World and India. Basic principles of Wind Energy Conversion	

	Systems (WECS), Classification of WECS, Parts of WECS, Derivation for Power		
	in the wind, Electrical Power Output and Capacity Factor of WECS, Wind site		
	selection consideration, Advantages and Disadvantages of WECS.		
5	Biomass Energy:	11	
	Introduction, Photosynthesis process, Biomass fuels, Biomass conversion		
	technologies, Urban waste to Energy Conversion, Biomass Gasification, Biomass		
	to Ethanol Production, Biogas production from waste biomass, factors affecting		
	biogas generation, types of biogas plants – KVIC and Janata model; Biomass		
	program in India.		
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1. Non-Conventional Sources of Energy, Rai, G. D, Khanna Publishers, 4th Edition, 2007			
2 Non-Conventional Energy Resources, Khan, B. H., Tata Mc Hills, 2nd Edition			

 Non-Conventional Energy Resources, Khan, B. H., Tata Mc Hills, 2nd Edition.
 Fundamentals of Renewable Energy Systems, Mukherjee, D and Chakrabarti, S., New Age International Publishers, 2005.

Semester - III

Course Title: Nanomaterials	Course Code:21PHY3G1AL
Total Contact Hours: 26 Hours	No. of Credits: 02
Formative Assessment Marks: 20	Duration of ESA/Exam: 1.5 Hours
Summative Assessment Marks: 30	

Course Outcomes (COs):

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

- 1. To get brief introduction about the nanomaterials and nanotechnology. Also understand the size and shape dependent on the physical properties of materials at nanoscale.
- 2. Analyze the advantages of using nanotechnology for various electronic applications.
- 3. Gain knowledge about nanomedicine, targeted drug delivery, diagnosis and treatment. Understand bio-inspired, biomimicking and bio-compatible nano-materials.

GEC 01: Nanomaterials (21PHY3G1AL)

Unit	Description	Hours
1	Introduction: Introduction to nanoscience: Science of low-dimensional materials, quantum effects, 1D, 2D and 3D confinement, Density of states, Excitons, Coulomb blockade, Zero-, One-, Two- and Three-dimensional structure, Size control of metal nanoparticles and their properties: optical, electronic, magnetic properties; surface plasmon resonance, change of bandgap; Application: catalysis, electronic devices.	09
2	Synthesis and Characterisation of Nanomaterials: Synthesis: Top Down and Bottom up approaches: Ball Milling and Laser ablation techniques, Sol-gel, hydrothermal and green synthesis methods. Characterisation: XRD, SEM, TEM and DLS methods.	08
3	Nanotechnology for Nanomedince: Drug deliveries, drug delivery system, nanoparticles in drug deliverable applications, nanotechnology future application understanding for treatment. Manufacture of nanoparticles, nanopowder and nanocrystals, targeting ligands, applications of nanoparticle in drug delivery, cancer treatment, tissue regeneration, growth and repair, impact of drug discovery and development.	09
Referenc	ees:	
publis 2. Trans	nolithography and patterning techniques in microelectronics, David G. Bucknall, Wood head olishing 2005 ansport in Nanostructures, D.K. Ferry and S.M. Goodmick, Cambridge university press 1997. tical properties of solids, F. Wooten, Academic press 1972	

- 4. Charles P. Poole, Jr., Frank J. Owens, "Introduction to nano technology", Wiley, 2003.
- 5. Gunter Schmid, "Nanoparticles: From Theory to Applications", WileyVCH Verlag GmbH & Co., 2004.

Semester - III

Course Title: Elementary Astrophysics	Course Code:21PHY3G1BL
Total Contact Hours: 26 Hours	No. of Credits: 02
Formative Assessment Marks: 20	Duration of ESA/Exam: 1.5 Hours
Summative Assessment Marks: 30	

Course Outcomes (COs):

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

- 1. Explain the basics of astrophysics and telescopes.
- 2. Identify stars and its parameters based on their spectra.
- 3. Identify various types of galaxies.
- 4. Describe the structure and evolution of the universe.

GEC 01: Elementary Astrophysics (21PHY3G1BL)

Unit	Description	Hours
1	Basics of Astrophysics and Telescopes:Scales and Dimensions, Night Sky, Constellations, Earth, Sun, and the SolarSystem, Retrograde Motion of Planets, Sidereal Time.Basic Optics, Types of telescopes. Telescope mounting systems. Opticaltelescopes, Infrared, Ultraviolet, X-ray and Gamma-ray telescopes. Schmidttelescopes.	09
2	Stars, Stellar Spectra, and Classification: Stellar Spectra, Harvard Classification of Stellar Spectra, Saha Equation, HR Diagram, Star Clusters and Association, Distance and Age Determination of Clusters Using Color-Magnitude Diagram, Solar System, Solar Atmosphere (Photosphere, Chromosphere, Corona).	09
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Referen	ces:	
2. A 3. A 4. A 5. S	ntroduction to Stellar Astrophysics, E. Bohm-Vitense, 3 rd Volume, CUP, 1989. Astrophysics and Stellar Astronomy, T.L. Swihart, Wiley 1968. In Introduction to Astrophysics Baidyanath Basu, PHI. A Text book of Astrophysics and Cosmology, V.B. Bhatia, New Age. tars and Galaxies, K.D. Abhyankar, University Press. In introduction to Astrophysics and Cosmology by Andrew Norton – 2016	

Semester - III

Course Title: Biophysics	Course Code:21PHY3G1CL
Total Contact Hours: 26 Hours	No. of Credits: 02
Formative Assessment Marks: 20	Duration of ESA/Exam: 1.5 Hours
Summative Assessment Marks: 30	

Course Outcomes (COs):

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

- 1. Explain fundamentals of biophysics.
- 2. Describe the energetics of biological processes.
- 3. Describe the physics of sensory organ systems.

GEC 01: Biophysics (21PHY3G1CL)

Unit	Description	Hours	
1	Introduction:	09	
	Cell Doctrine, Organization and structure of prokaryotes and eukaryotes, nucleus,		
	cytoplasm, plasma membrane, mitochondria-structure, golgi apparatus,		
	membranes, ribosomes, lysozomes. (Ref.4: Sybesma, P Narayanan)		
2	Bioenergetics:	08	
	The biological energy flow - Photosynthesis, Photosynthetic unit, Chlorophyll,		
	Bacterial photosynthesis, Photophosphorylation and Carbon fixation, Fermentation		
	and Respiration - Aerobic and Anaerobic oxidation, Kreb's cycle, The respiratory		
	chain.		
3	Bio-Physics of Sensory systems: 09		
	The senses, Neuronal coding of receptor signals, sensory signal processing, the		
	viual receptor - The vertibrate retina, visual pigments, color vision, The auditory		
	receptor - Hearing, The Ear, The auditory receptor cells, Contractility - Muscles.		
Referen	ces:		
1. An ii	ntroduction to Biophysics, C Sybesma, Academic, 1977.		
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Semester - III

Course Title: Research Methodology	Course Code:21PHY3S3LP
Total Contact Hours: 26 Hours	No. of Credits: 02
Formative Assessment Marks: 20	Duration of ESA/Exam: 01 Hours
Summative Assessment Marks: 30	

Course Outcomes (COs):

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

- 1. Identify types of research and sources for selection of a research problem.
- 2. Explain methods of data collection.
- 3. Write a technical paper with representing data in terms of plots and figures.
- 4. Perform data analysis using various statistical tools.

SEC 03: Research Methodology (21PHY3S3LP)

Unit	Description	Hours
1	Introduction to Research:	06
	Nature and importance of research - Aims, Objectives and Principles, Fundamental	
	research vs. applied research with examples, Qualitative vs Quantitative research	
	with examples, Theoretical research vs. experimental research with examples.	
	Selection of a research problem and Sources of literature – Journals, Conferences,	
	Books. Types of sources: Literature Survey engines - Scopus, web of Science,	
	Google Scholar, PubMed, NCBI, Scihub, etc. <u>How to read a research paper?</u> ,	
	Science citation index: Citations, h-index, i10 index, impact factor.	0.6
2	Methods of Data Collection:	06
	Data Collection Methods - Framing a hypothesis, designing controlled experiments,	
	choosing the sample-size, sampling bias, importance of independent replicates,	
	conducting an experiment, maintaining a lab notebook to record observations,	
	Identifying experimental errors.	
	Case studies on well-designed experiments vs. poorly designed experiments.	
	Correlations vs. Causation , Good laboratory Practices.	
3	Data analysis (Practical):	14
	Data Presentation and Writing: Technical presentation, technical writing,	
	Formatting citations ; MS Excel for plotting the data (pie chart, plots, bar charts)	
	Analysis using software tools:	
	Descriptive Statistics: Mean, standard deviation, variance, plotting data and	
	understanding error-bars. Curve Fitting: Correlation and Regression. Distributions:	
	Normal Distribution, Gaussian distribution, skewed distributions, Inferential	
	Statistics: Hypothesis testing and understanding p-value, Parametric tests: Student's	
DC	t-test, ANOVA, Tests to analyse categorical data: Chi-square test.	
Refere	nces:	
1. C.I	R. Kothari, Research Methodology: Methods and Techniques, II Ed. New Age Interna	ational
Pub	blishers, (2009).	

- 2. Shanthibhushan Mishra, Shashi Alok, Handbook of Research Methodology, I Ed, 2017, Edu creation Publishers.
- 3. Basic Statistical Tools in Research and Data Analysis (https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pmc/articles/PMC5037948/).
- 4. Introduction to statistical methods with MATLAB (MATLAB and Simulink Training (mathworks.com).

Semester - III

Course Title: Thermal and Statistical Physics Lab	Course Code:21PHY3C9P
Total Contact Hours: 52 Hours	No. of Credits: 02
Formative Assessment Marks: 20	Duration of ESA/Exam: 04 Hours
Summative Assessment Marks: 30	

Course Outcomes (COs):

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

- 1. Design an experiment / a computation technique in statistical physics.
- 2. Conduct an experiment / perform a computation in statistical physics.
- 3. Analyse data and interpret the results related to statistical physics.

DSC9P6: Thermal and Statistical Physics Lab (21PHY3C9P)

List of Experiments

- 1. Study of Binomial distribution.
- 2. Study of Poisson distribution.
- 3. Study of Gaussian Distribution.
- 4. Study of variation of MB, BE and FD statistics at different temperatures- Computation.
- 5. Study of Bose-Einstein condensation Computation.
- 6. Study of theories of specific heat Computation.
- 7. Specific Heat in Metals.
- 8. Debye temperature of solids.
- 9. Study of Black body Radiation.
- 10. Measurement of Planck's constant.
- 11. Study of Seeback and Peltier effects.
- 12. Fourier analysis studies.
- 13. Measurement of Magnetic susceptibility.
- 14. Measurement of Curie temperature (Magnetic/Electrical).
- 15. Measurement of thermal conductivity.

Note:

- 1. Minimum of EIGHT computations must be carried out.
- 2. Computations may be added as and when required with the approval of BoS.

- 1. University Practical Physics by D.C. Tayal, Himalaya Publishing House, First Millenium Edition, 2000.
- 2. Advanced Practical Physics for students by B.L. Flint and H.T. Worsnop, Asia Publishing House, 1971.
- 3. A Text Book of Practical Physics, I. Prakash & Ramakrishna, Kitab Mahal, 11th Edition, 2011.
- 4. Advanced level Physics Practicals, Michael Nelson and Jon M. Ogborn, Heinemann Educational Publishers, 4th Edition, 1985.

Semester - III

Course Title: Analytical Techniques & Instrumentation Lab	Course Code:21PHY3C10P
Total Contact Hours: 52 Hours	No. of Credits: 02
Formative Assessment Marks: 20	Duration of ESA/Exam: 04 Hours
Summative Assessment Marks: 30	

Course Outcomes (COs):

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

- 1. Design an experiment / a computation technique to measure material properties.
- 2. Conduct an experiment / perform a computation to measure material properties.
- 3. Analyse data and interpret the results related to material properties.

DSC10P7: Analytical Techniques & Instrumentation Lab (21PHY3C10P)

List of Experiments

- 1. Determination of 'g' factor using Electron spin resonance spectrometer.
- 2. Fourier analysis of different complex waves, existence of different harmonics and measure their relative amplitudes.
- 3. Study of the Dispersion relation for "Mono-atomic Lattice". Determination of the Cut-off frequency and Comparison with theory.
- 4. Study of the Dispersion relation for the Di-atomic Lattice, Acoustical mode and Energy Gap. Comparison with theory.
- 5. Measurement of numerical aperture and acceptance angle of the given optical fibre.
- 6. Determination of Dielectric constant of given liquid.
- 7. Determination of Dielectric constant of given solid.
- 8. Measurement of Dipole moment of Organic molecules by Solvatochromic technique.
- 9. Identification of type of vibrations in organic molecules by IR spectroscopic technique and determination of force constant.
- 10. Design of simple pendulum experiment using ExpEyes kit.
- 11. Simulation of range of heavy ions in materials using SRIM software.
- 12. Determination of lattice constant of a given powder XRD pattern of a sample.
- 13. Determination of size of the NPs using Debye-Scherrer method.
- 14. Study of Beta / Alpha spectrometer- single/multi channel analyser.
- 15. Study of Gamma spectrometer-single/multi channel analyser.

Note:

- 1. Minimum of EIGHT computations must be carried out.
- 2. Computations may be added as and when required with the approval of BoS.

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- 2. Advanced Practical Physics for students by B.L. Flint and H.T. Worsnop, Asia Publishing House, 1971.
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