

RCETCECC02 - Hydraulic Machinery

Course outcomes:

- Calculate forces and work done by a jet on fixed or moving plate and curved plates
- Select the type of turbine required with reference to available head of water and discharge
- Apply the working principles of pumps

Syllabus:

UNIT I

Principles of impingement of jets - Impact of jet on a stationary vertical plate, stationary inclined plate, stationary curved plate, hinged plate, moving vertical and inclined plates, moving curved plate and on series of moving flat and curved vanes fixed on the periphery of circular rim.

UNIT II

Turbines - classification- impulse turbines - Pelton wheel - Reaction turbines - Francis and Kaplan Turbines - draft tubes - Governing of a Francis turbine - Performance of turbines - specific speed and their significance.

UNIT III

Centrifugal pump - description and working - Head, discharge and efficiency of a centrifugal pump - pressure rise in the pump - minimum starting speed of a pump - cavitation - priming - multistage pumps - characteristic curves. Reciprocating pump - Description and working - types - discharge and slip - power required to drive the pump - Indicator diagram - Air vessel - work done against friction with and without air vessels. Working principle and use of the following hydraulic pumps and machines - Deep well pumps - submersible and jet pumps, special pumps - Gear pump - screw pump, sewage pump

Reference Text Books:

- 1. Fluid Mechanics and Fluid Power Engineering by D.S. Kumar, Kotaria & Sons
- 2. Hydraulic Machines by Banga & Sharma, Khanna Publishers.
- 3. Instrumentation for Engineering Measurements by James W. Dally, William E. Riley, Wiley & Sons Inc. 2004 (Chapter 12 Fluid Flow Measurements).