

JAWAHARLAL NEHRU TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY HYDERABAD

**M.Tech in AUTOMATION
Effective from Academic Year 2017- 18 admitted batch**

COURSE STRUCTURE AND SYLLABUS

I Semester

Category	Course Title	Int. marks	Ext. marks	L	T	P	C
PC-1	Automation in Manufacturing	25	75	4	0	0	4
PC-2	Additive Manufacturing Technologies	25	75	4	0	0	4
PC-3	Industrial Robotics	25	75	4	0	0	4
PE-1	1. Intelligent Manufacturing Systems 2. Performance Modeling And Analysis of Manufacturing Systems 3. MEMS & Micro Systems : Design And Manufacture	25	75	3	0	0	3
PE-2	1. Special Manufacturing Processes 2. Advanced Mechatronics 3. Neural Network & Fuzzy logics	25	75	3	0	0	3
OE-1	*Open Elective – I	25	75	3	0	0	3
Laboratory I	Manufacturing simulation & Precision Engineering lab	25	75	0	0	3	2
Seminar I	Seminar-I	100	0	0	0	3	2
Total		275	525	21	0	6	25

II Semester

Category	Course Title	Int. marks	Ext. marks	L	T	P	C
PC-4	Modern control Engineering	25	75	4	0	0	4
PC-5	Design of Hydraulics & Pneumatic Systems	25	75	4	0	0	4
PC-6	Intelligent Instrumentation And Manufacturing	25	75	4	0	0	4
PE-3	1. Optimization Techniques & Applications 2. Vibration Analysis & Condition Monitoring 3. Design for Manufacturing & Assembly	25	75	3	0	0	3
PE4	1. Artificial Intelligence And Expert System 2. Flexible Manufacturing Systems 3. Concurrent Engineering & Product Life Cycle Management	25	75	3	0	0	3
OE-2	*Open Elective - II	25	75	3	0	0	3
Laboratory II	Automation & Robotics Lab	25	75	0	0	3	2
Seminar II	Seminar-II	100	0	0	0	3	2
Total		275	525	21	0	6	25

III Semester

Course Title	Int. marks	Ext. marks	L	T	P	C
Technical Paper Writing	100	0	0	3	0	2
Comprehensive Viva-Voce	0	100	0	0	0	4
Project work Review II	100	0	0	0	22	8
Total	200	100	0	3	22	14

IV Semester

Course Title	Int. marks	Ext. marks	L	T	P	C
Project work Review III	100	0	0	0	24	8
Project Evaluation (Viva-Voce)	0	100	0	0	0	16
Total	100	100	0	0	24	24

*Open Elective subjects must be chosen from the list of open electives offered by **OTHER** departments.

For Project review I, please refer 7.10 in R17 Academic Regulations.

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AUTOMATION IN MANUFACTURING (PC-1)

UNIT – I

Over View of Manufacturing and Automation: Production systems, Automation in production systems, Automation principles and strategies, Manufacturing operations, production facilities. Basic elements of an automated system, levels of automation; Hardware components for automation and process control, programmable logic controllers and personal computers.

UNIT – II:

Material Handling and Identification Technologies: Material handling, equipment, Analysis. Storage systems, performance and location strategies, Automated storage systems, AS/RS, types. Automatic identification methods, Barcode technology, RFID.

UNIT – III:

Manufacturing Systems and Automated Production Lines: Manufacturing systems: components of a manufacturing system, Single station manufacturing cells; Manual Assembly lines, line balancing Algorithms, Mixed model Assembly lines, Alternative Assembly systems. Automated production lines, Applications, Analysis of transfer lines.

UNIT – IV:

Automated Assembly Systems: Fundamentals, Analysis of Assembly systems. Cellular manufacturing, part families, cooling, production flow analysis. Group Technology and flexible Manufacturing systems, Quantitative Analysis.

UNIT – V:

Quality Control and Support Systems: Quality in Design and manufacturing, inspection principles and strategies, Automated inspection, contact Vsnon contact, CMM. Manufacturing support systems. Quality function deployment, computer aided process planning, concurrent engineering, shop floor control, just in time and lean production.

REFERENCES:

1. Automation, production systems and computer integrated manufacturing/ Mikell. P Groover/PHI/3rd edition/2012,.
2. Automation, Production Systems and CIM/ MikeJ P. Grewer/PHI
3. CAD/CAM/CIM/ P. Radha Krishnan & S. Subrahamanyarn and Raju/New Age International Publishers / 2003.
4. System Approach to Computer Integrated Design and Manufacturing/ Singh/John Wiley /96.
5. Computer Aided Manufacturing/Tien-Chien Chang, Richard A. Wysk and Hsu-Pin Wang/ Pearson/ 2009
6. Manufacturing and Automation Technology / R Thomas Wright and Michael Berkeihiser / Good Heart/Willcox Publishers

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ADDITIVE MANUFACTURING TECHNOLOGIES

(PC-2)

UNIT-I

Introduction: Introduction to Prototyping, Traditional Prototyping Vs Rapid Prototyping (RP), Need for time compression in product development, Usage of RP parts, Generic RP process, Distinction between RP and CNC and other related technologies, Classification of RP, Need for RP software, MIMICS, Magics, SurgiGuide, 3-matic, 3D-Doctor, Simplant, Velocity2, VoXim, SolidView, 3D View, etc., Preparation of CAD models, Problems with STL files, STL file manipulation, RP data formats: SLC, CLI, RPI, LEAF, IGES, HP/GL, CT,STEP.

UNIT-II

RP Processes:

- a) **Photopolymerization RP Processes**:-Stereolithography (SL), SL resin curing process, SL scan patterns, Microstereolithography, Applications of Photopolymerization processes.
- b) **Power Bed Fusion RP Processes**:-Stereolithography (SL), SL resin curing process, SL scan patterns, Microstereolithography. Applications of Photopolymerization Processes.
- c) **Extrusion Based RP Processes**: Fused Deposition Modelling (FDM), Principles, Plotting and path control, Applications of Extrusion-Based Processes
- d) **Printing RP Processes**: 3D printing (3DP), Research achievements in printing deposition, Technical challenges in printing, Printing process modeling, Application of Printing Process
- e) **Sheet Lamination RP Processes**: Laminated Object Manufacturing (LOM), Ultrasonic Consolidation (UC), Gluing, Thermal bonding, LOM and UC applications
- f) **Beam Deposition RP Processes**: Laser Engineered Net Shaping (LENS), Direct Metal Deposition (DMD), Processing-structure-properties, relationships, Benefits and drawbacks.

UNIT-III

Rapid tooling: Conventional Tooling Vs. Rapid Tooling, Classification of Rapid Tooling, Direct and Indirect Tooling Methods, Soft and Hard Tooling methods

UNIT-IV

Reverse engineering: Reverse Engineering (RE) Methodologies and Techniques, Selection of RE systems, RE software, RE hardware, RE in product development

UNIT-V

Errors in RP processes and applications: Pre-processing, processing, post-processing errors, Part building errors in SLA, SLS, etc., Design, Engineering Analysis and planning applications, Rapid Tooling, Reverse Engineering, Medical Applications of RP

REFERENCE BOOKS:

- 1 Chua Chee Kai., Leong Kah Fai., Chu Sing Lim, Rapid Prototyping: Principles and Applications in Manufacturing, World Scientific, 2010.
- 2 Ian Gibson., David W Rosen., Brent Stucker, Additive Manufacturing Technologies: Rapid Prototyping to Direct Digital Manufacturing, Springer, 2010.
- 3 Rafiq Noorani, Rapid Prototyping: Principles and Applications in Manufacturing, John Wiley & Sons, 2006.
- 4 D.T. Pham, S.S. Dimov, Rapid Manufacturing: The Technologies and Applications of Rapid Prototyping and Rapid Tooling, Springer, 2011
- 5 Amit Bandyopadhyay, Additive Manufacturing, CRC Press 2015.
- 6 T.S. Srivatsan, T.S. Sudharshan, CRC Press 2015

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INDUSTRIAL ROBOTICS (PC – 3)

UNIT - I

Introduction: Automation and Robotics, Robot anatomy, robot configuration, motions joint notation work volume, robot drive system, control system and dynamic performance, precision of movement.

Control System and Components: basic concept and medias controllers control system analysis, robot activation and feedback components. Positions sensors, velocity sensors, actuators sensors, power transmission system.

UNIT - II

Motion Analysis and Control: Manipulator kinematics, position representation forward transformation, homogeneous transformation, manipulator path control, robot dynamics, configuration of robot controller.

UNIT - III

End Effectors: Grippers-types, operation, mechanism, force analysis, tools as end effectors consideration in gripper selection and design. **SENSORS:** Desirable features, tactile, proximity and range sensors, uses sensors in robotics.

Machine Vision: Functions, Sensing and Digitizing-imaging, Devices, Lighting techniques, Analog to digital single conversion, image storage, Image processing and Analysis-image data reduction, Segmentation feature extraction. Object recognition, training the vision system, Robotics application.

UNIT - IV

Robot Programming: Lead through programming, Robot programming as a path in space, Motion interpolation, WAIT, SINONAL AND DELAY commands, Branching capabilities and Limitations.

Robot Languages: Textual robot Languages, Generation, Robot language structures, Elements in function.

UNIT - V

Robot Cell Design and Control: Robot cell layouts-Robot centered cell, In-line robot cell, Considerations in work design, Work and control, Inter locks, Error detect ion, Work wheel controller.

Robot Application: Material transfer, Machine loading/unloading. Processing operation, Assembly and Inspection, Feature Application.

REFERENCES:

1. Industrial Robotics / Groover M P /Pearson Edu.
2. Introduction to Robotic Mechanics and Control by JJ Craig, Pearson, 3rd edition.
3. Robotics / Fu K S/ McGraw Hill.
4. Robotic Engineering / Richard D. Klafter, Prentice Hall
5. Robot Analysis and Intelligence / Asada and Slotine / Wiley Inter-Science.
6. Robot Dynamics & Control – Mark W. Spong and M. Vidyasagar / John Wiley & Sons (ASIA) Pte Ltd.
7. Robotics and Control / Mittal R K & Nagrath I J / TMH
8. Industrial Automation and robotics, Er. A.K. Gupta and S.K. Arora, University Science Press, 2014.

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INTELLIGENT MANUFACTURING SYSTEMS (PE – I)

UNIT - I:

Computer Integrated Manufacturing Systems Structure and functional areas of CIM system - CAD, CAPP, CAM, CAQC, ASRS. Advantages of CIM. Manufacturing Communication Systems - MAP/TOP, OSI Model, Data Redundancy, Top-down and Bottom-up Approach, Volume of Information. Intelligent Manufacturing System Components, System Architecture and Data Flow, System Operation.

UNIT - II:

Components of Knowledge Based Systems - Basic Components of Knowledge Based Systems, Knowledge Representation, Comparison of Knowledge Representation Schemes, Inference Engine, Knowledge Acquisition.

UNIT - III:

Machine Learning - Concept of Artificial Intelligence, Conceptual Learning, Artificial Neural Networks - Biological Neuron, Artificial Neuron, Types of Neural Networks, Applications in Manufacturing.

UNIT - IV:

Automated Process Planning - Variant Approach, Generative Approach, Expert Systems for Process Planning, Feature Recognition, Phases of Process planning. Knowledge Based System for Equipment Selection (KBSES) - Manufacturing system design. Equipment Selection Problem, Modeling the Manufacturing Equipment Selection Problem, Problem Solving approach in KBSES, Structure of the KRSES.

UNIT- V:

Group Technology: Models and Algorithms Visual Method, Coding Method, Cluster Analysis Method, Matrix Formation - Similarity Coefficient Method, Sorting-based Algorithms, Bond Energy Algorithm, Cost Based method, Cluster Identification Method, Extended CI Method. Knowledge Based Group Technology - Group Technology in Automated Manufacturing System. Structure of Knowledge based system for group technology (KBST) — Data Base, Knowledge Base, Clustering Algorithm.

REFERENCES:

1. Intelligent Manufacturing Systems/ Andrew Kusiak/Prentice Hall.
2. Artificial Neural Networks/ Yagna Narayana/PHI/2006
3. Automation, Production Systems and CIM / Groover M.P./PHI/2007
4. Neural networks: A comprehensive foundation/ Simon Haykin/ PHI.
5. Artificial neural networks/ B. Vegnanarayana/PHI
6. Neural networks in Computer intelligence/ Li Min Fu/ TMH/2003
7. Neural networks/ James A Freeman David M S kapura/ Pearson education/2004
8. Introduction to Artificial Neural Systems/Jacek M. Zurada/JAICO Publishing House Ed. 2006.

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**PERFORMANCE MODELING AND ANALYSIS OF MANUFACTURING SYSTEMS
(PE – I)**

UNIT I:

Manufacturing Systems & Control: Automated Manufacturing Systems – Modeling – Role of performance modeling – simulation models-Analytical models. Product cycle – Manufacturing automation – Economics of scale and scope – input/output model – plant configurations. Performance measures – Manufacturing lead time – Work in process – Machine utilization – Throughput – Capacity – Flexibility – Performability – Quality Control Systems – Control system architecture – Factory communications – Local area network interconnections – Manufacturing automation protocol – Database management system.

UNIT II:

Manufacturing Processes: Examples of stochastics processes – Poisson process-Discrete time Markov chain models – Definition and notation – Sojourn times in states – Examples of DTMCs in manufacturing – Chapman – Kolmogorov equation – Steady-state analysis. Continuous Time Markov Chain Models – Definitions and notation – Sojourn times in states – examples of CTMCs in manufacturing – Equations for CTMC evolution – Markov model of a transfer line. Birth and Death Processes in Manufacturing – Steady state analysis of BD Processes – Typical BD processes in manufacturing.

UNIT III:

Queuing Model: Notation for queues – Examples of queues in manufacturing systems – Performance measures – Little's result – Steady state analysis of M/M/m queue, queues with general distributions, and queues with breakdowns – Analysis of a flexible machine center.

UNIT IV:

Queuing Networks: Examples of QN models in manufacturing – Little's law in queuing networks – Tandem queue – An open queuing network with feedback – An open central server model for FMS – Closed transfer line – Closed server model – Garden Newell networks.

UNIT V:

Petrinets: Classical Petri Nets – Definitions – Transition firing and reachability – Representational power – properties – Manufacturing models. Stochastic Petri Nets – Exponential timed Petri Nets – Generalized Stochastic Petri Nets – modeling of KANBAN systems – Manufacturing models.

REFERENCES:

1. Viswanadham, N and Narahari, Y. "Performance Modelling of Automated Manufacturing Systems", Prentice Hall of India, New Delhi, 1994
2. Trivedi, K.S. "Probability and Statistics with Reliability, Queuing and Computer Science Applications", Prentice Hall, New Jersey, 1982.
3. Gupta S.C. & Kapoor V.K. "Fundamentals of Mathematical Statistics", 3rd Edition, Delhi, 1988

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**MEMS AND MICRO SYSTEMS: DESIGN AND MANUFACTURE
(PE-I)**

UNIT – I:

Overview and Working Principles of MEMS and Microsystems: MEMS & Microsystems, Evolution of Micro fabrication, Microsystems & Microelectronics, Microsystems & Miniaturization, Applications of MEMS in Industries, Micro sensors, Micro actuation, MEMS with Micro actuators Micro accelerometers, Micro fluidics.

UNIT – II:

Engineering Science for Microsystems Design and Fabrication: Atomic structure of Matter, Ions and Ionization, Molecular Theory of Matter and Intermolecular Forces, Doping of Semiconductors, The Diffusion Process, Plasma Physics, Electrochemistry, Quantum Physics

UNIT – III:

Engineering Mechanics for Microsystems Design: Static Bending of Thin Plates, Mechanical Vibration, Thermo mechanics Fracture Mechanics, Thin-Film Mechanics, Overview of Finite Element Stress Analysis

UNIT – IV:

Thermo Fluid Engineering & Microsystems Design: Overview of Basis of Fluid Mechanics in Macro and Mesoscales, Basic equations in Continuum Fluid Dynamics, Laminar Fluid Flow in Circular Conduits, Computational Fluid Dynamics, Incompressible Fluid Flow in Micro conduits, Fluid Flow in Sub micrometer and Nanoscale, Overview of Heat conduction in Solids, Heat conduction in Multilayered Thin films and in solids in sub micrometer scale, Design Considerations, Process Design Mechanical Design, Mechanical Design using FEM, Design of a Silicon Die for a Micro pressure Sensor

UNIT – V:

Materials for MEMS & Microsystems and Their Fabrication: Substrates and Wafers, Active substrate materials, Silicon as a substrate material, Silicon Compounds, Silicon Piezoresistors, Gallium Arsenide, Quartz, Piezoelectric Crystals and Polymers, Photolithography, Ion implantation, Diffusion and oxidation, Chemical and physical vapor deposition, Etching, Bulk micro manufacturing, Surface Micromachining, The LIGA Process.

REFERENCES:

1. Tai – Ram Hsu, MEMS & Microsystems: Design & Manufacturing, Tata Mc-Graw Hill ed., 2002
2. Maluf, M., "An Introduction to Microelectromechanical Systems Engineering", Artech House, Boston, 2000
3. Trimmer, W.S.N., "Micro robots and Micromechanical Systems", Sensors & Actuators, vol. 19, no.1989.
4. Trim, D.W., "Applied Partial Differential Equations", PWS-Kent Publishing, Boston, 1990.
5. Madou, M. "Fundamentals of Microfabrication", CRC Press, Boca Raton, 1997.
6. Hsu, T.R., "The Finite Element Method in Thermomechanics", Alien & Unwin, London, 1986.

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SPECIAL MANUFACTURING PROCESS (P E – II)

UNIT - I:

Surface Treatment: Scope, Cleaners, Methods of cleaning, Surface coating types, and ceramic and organic methods of coating, economics of coating. Electro forming, Chemical vapor deposition, thermal spraying, Ion implantation, diffusion coating, Diamond coating and cladding.

UNIT - II:

Processing of Ceramics: Applications, characteristics, classification .Processing of particulate ceramics, Powder preparations, consolidation, Drying, sintering, Hot compaction, Area of application, finishing of ceramics. Processing of Composites: Composite Layers, Particulate and fiber reinforced composites, Elastomers, Reinforced plastics, MMC, CMC, Polymer matrix composites.

UNIT - III:

Fabrication of Microelectronic Devices: Crystal growth and wafer preparation, Film Deposition oxidation, lithography, bonding and packaging, reliability and yield, Printed Circuit boards, computer aided design in micro electronics, surface mount technology, Integrated circuit economics.

UNIT - IV:

E-Manufacturing: Nano manufacturing techniques and micromachining, High Speed Machining and hot machining

UNIT - V:

Rapid Prototyping: Working Principles, Methods, Stereo Lithography, Laser Sintering, Fused Deposition Method, Applications and Limitations, Rapid tooling, Techniques of rapid manufacturing

REFERENCES:

1. Manufacturing Engineering and Technology I Kalpakijian / Adisson Wesley, 1995.
2. Process and Materials of Manufacturing / R. A. Lindburg / 1th edition, PHI 1990.
3. Microelectronic packaging handbook / Rao. R. Thummala and Eugene, J. Rymaszewski / Van Nostrand Renihold,
4. MEMS & Micro Systems Design and manufacture / Tai — Run Hsu / TMGH
5. Advanced Machining Processes / V.K. Jain / Allied Publications.
6. Introduction to Manufacturing Processes / John A Schey/ McGraw Hill.

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**ADVANCED MECHATRONICS
(P E – II)**

UNIT-I

Mechatronics systems, elements, levels of mechatronics system, Mechatronics design process, system, measurement systems, control systems, microprocessor-based controllers, advantages and disadvantages of mechatronics systems. Sensors and transducers, types, displacement, position, proximity, velocity, motion, force, acceleration, torque, fluid pressure, liquid flow, liquid level, temperature and light sensors.

UNIT-II

Solid state electronic devices, PN junction diode, BJT, FET, DIA and TRIAC. Analog signal conditioning, amplifiers, filtering. Introduction to MEMS & typical applications.

UNIT-III

Hydraulic and pneumatic actuating systems, Fluid systems, Hydraulic and pneumatic systems, components, control valves, electro-pneumatic, hydro-pneumatic, electro-hydraulic servo systems: Mechanical actuating systems and electrical actuating systems.

UNIT-IV

Digital electronics and systems, digital logic control, micro processors and micro controllers, programming, process controllers, programmable logic controllers, PLCs versus computers, application of PLCs for control.

UNIT-V

System and interfacing and data acquisition, DAQS, SCADA, A to D and D to A conversions; Dynamic models and analogies, System response. Design of mechatronics systems & future trends.

REFERENCES:

1. MECHATRONICS Integrated Mechanical Electronics Systems/K P Ramachandran & GK Vijaya Raghavan/WILEY India Edition/2008
2. Mechatronics Electronics Control Systems in Mechanical and Electrical Engineering by W Bolton, Pearson Education Press, 3rd edition, 2005.
3. Mechatronics Source Book by Newton C Braga, Thomson Publications, Chennai.
4. Mechatronics – N. Shanmugam / Anuradha Agencies Publishers.
5. Mechatronics System Design / Devdasshetty /Richard/Thomson.
6. Mechatronics /M.D. Singh /J.G.Joshi/PHI.
7. Mechatronics – Electronic Control Systems in Mechanical and Electrical Engg. 4th Edition, Pearson, 2012 W. Bolton
8. Mechatronics – Principles and Application Godfrey C. Onwubolu, Wlsevier, 2006 Indian print

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NEURAL NETWORKS AND FUZZY LOGIC (P E-II)

UNIT-I

Knowledge and Processing – Knowledge and Intelligence- logic frames- production systems. Fundamentals of Fuzzy logic-characteristics of fuzzy logic and systems-Fuzzy sets-Fuzzy number-Equality of fuzzy sets- Empty Fuzzy set –Fuzzy point-universal Fuzzy set. Operations on Fuzzy sets-Intersection-union –complement.

UNIT-II

Fuzzy Relations-classical N-Array Relation-Reflexivity-Anti reflexivity-symmetry –Transitivity-Equivalence-Binary fuzzy relations, operation on Fuzzy relations-Intersection-union-projection-Cartesian product.

UNIT-III

Fuzzy Implications, Translation rules, Triangular norms, Triangular conorm, Fuzzy Rule base system, Fuzzy logic controller, Defuzzification Methods, Fuzzy logic applications-prevention of Road accidents-control room temperature-Robot control system-domestic applications-Industrial applications.

UNIT-IV

Basic concepts of Neural Network-Processing units-connection between units-output rules- Network topologies-paradigms of learning –perception, Back-propagation, classification Models-Association Models, optimization models.

UNIT-V

Rule Based Neural Networks-Network Training –Application of Neural Network in Mathematical Modeling- Knowledge based approaches-applications in Mechanical Engineering –Fuzzy –Neural, example, Neuro –Fuzzy examples-Intelligence in Automation.

REFERENCES:

1. Fuzzy logic & Neural Networks/ Chennakesava R. Alavala/ New Age International, 2008
2. Intelligent Control Fuzzy Logic Applications/ Clarence W.de Silva/ CRS Press, 1995.
3. Fuzzy Logic with engineering Applications/ Timothy J. Ross/ McGraw Hill Inc., 1995.
4. Neural Networks in Computer Intelligence/ Limin Fu / Tata McGraw Hill Publishing Company Ltd., 2003
5. Stimations and Understanding Neural Networks and Fuzzy Logic/ V. Karthalopoulos Basic concepts Applications, IEE Neural Networks Council PHI 2001.
6. Neural Networks Algorithms, Applications/ James A. Freeman and David M. Skapura & Programming Techniques/ Pearson Education Asia, 2001
7. Artificial Neural Networks/ Yegnarayane. B/ Prentice Hall- 2001.
8. N.P. Padhya & S.P. Simon, soft computing with MAT LAB Programming, Oxford University Press, 2015.

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MANUFACTURING SIMULATION & PRECISION ENGINEERING LABORATORY

A. MANUFACTURING SIMULATION

The students will be given training on the use and application of the following software to manufacturing problems:

1. Auto MOD Software.
2. PROMODEL
3. SLAM-II
4. CAFIMS
5. Flexsim

They also learn how to write sub routines in C-language and interlinking with the above packages. Problems for modelling and simulation experiments:

1. AGV planning
2. ASRS simulation and performance evaluation
3. Machines, AGVs and AS/RS integrated problems
4. JIT system
5. Kanban flow
6. Material handling systems
7. M.R.P. Problems
8. Shop floor scheduling etc.

B. PRECISION ENGINEERING

1. Hydraulic and Pneumatic circuits
2. Closed loop control systems
3. Study of the chip formation in turning process
4. Study of operation of tool and cutter grinder, twist drill grinder, Centreless grinder
5. Determination of cutting forces in turning
6. Experiments in unconventional manufacturing processes-AJM and study of USM, EDM, Laser Machining and Plasma spraying
7. Inspection of parts using tool makers microscope, roughness and form tester
8. Study of micro-controllers, programming on various CNC machine tools and also controllers
9. Studies on PLC programming
10. Study and programming of robots
11. Condition monitoring in machining process using acoustic emission.