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DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC ELECTIVE COURSES (DSE-12)

CREDIT DISTRIBUTION, ELIGIBILITY AND PRE-REQUISITES OF THE COURSE

Course title & Code	Credits	Credit distribution of the course			Eligibility criteria	Pre-requisite of the course
		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/ Practice		
AUTOMOBILE APPLICATIONS OF POLYMERS	4	3	0	1	Class 12th with Physics, Chemistry	---

Learning objectives

- To know various sources of materials used in automobiles.

- To learn about polymeric materials significance in automobiles structural and mechanical components.
- To study about rubber components used in automobiles.

Learning outcomes

After completing this course, the students

- Explain the knowledge about requirements of automobile industry.
- Apply the polymeric (plastic) components in automobile interior and exterior parts.
- Determine the rubber components used in automobile parts.

SYLLABUS OF DSE-12

THEORY COMPONENT-

UNIT 1: (8 Hours)

INTRODUCTION TO AUTOMOTIVE COMPONENTS AND MATERIALS

History of automobile industry, need for polymers, advantages and limitations of polymers, competition between plastics, composites and other materials, processing, designing with plastics, selection criteria of material.

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UNIT 2: (10 Hours)

POLYMERS IN THE INTERIOR OF THE VEHICLE

Interiors, dominance of polymeric components, Fashion and function, Plastics surfaces (Texture and fogging), Plastic structure and panel application (Sandwich concept, Instrumental panel, other sensitive panels), Structural and mechanical components (Seating, Door and window furniture, steering wheel, airbags, seat belts, pedals, instrumental and others).

UNIT 3: (10 Hours)

POLYMERS IN THE EXTERIOR OF THE VEHICLE

Exteriors: Body panels and structure – Painting problems – Bumpers – Other exteriors: Grills, Spoilers, Mirrors, Door handles, Wheel trim, Road wheels, Sun roof components, Windscreen wiper assemblies.

UNIT 4: (10 Hours)

ENGINE, POWERTRAIN AND CHASSIS

The engine compartment, cooling system, under bonnet structure, transmission, engine hang on parts, engine interior, composite engine, suspension, steering, brakes, fuel tanks, electrics: battery boxes, circuitry, lighting and instrumentation, electronics.

UNIT 5:

(7 Hours)

RUBBER PRODUCTS

Rubber mounts, spring, seals, O-ring, rubber to metal bonding components, coupling hoses, brake lining, disc brakes.

PRACTICAL COMPONENT

(30 Hours)

- To prepare EPDM profile for windshield and door seal.
- To prepare bumper material and test its impact strength.
- To prepare O'Rings/gaskets material for sealing applications
- To manufacture automobile carpet/leather and test its mechanical and physical properties.
- To prepare laminated material for radiator pipe
- To manufacture carbon fibre-epoxy composite for high strength applications
- To prepare plastic joint and test its strength.
- To find out scratch resistance of a coated automobile part.
- To prepare composite for railway breaker
- To analyze flexural strength of jumping rod.
- Industrial Visit

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DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC ELECTIVE COURSES (DSE-13)

CREDIT DISTRIBUTION, ELIGIBILITY AND PRE-REQUISITES OF THE COURSE

Course title & Code	Credits	Credit distribution of the course			Eligibility criteria	Pre-requisite of the course
		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/ Practice		
POLYMERS IN ENERGY APPLICATION	4	2	0	2	Class 12th with Physics, Chemistry	---

Learning objectives

The Learning Objectives of this course are to:

- Make students familiar with use of advanced polymers for energy applications
- Learn about the manufacturing of fuel cells