UTILIZATION OF ELECTRICAL ENERGY

Course Code: 13EE1135

Pre requisites:
Basic knowledge in physics, kinematics, electrical engineering.

Course Educational Objectives:
The objective of this course is to train students on characteristics of various drives, Heating, Welding methodologies, Illumination methods and traction system.

Course Outcomes:
After completion of the course, the student will be able to

✦ Choose a right drive for a particular application.
✦ Understand various types of Heating, Welding and traction system.
✦ Student will be able to design Illumination systems for various applications.

UNIT-I (12 Lectures)

ELECTRIC DRIVES:
Type of electric drives, choice of motor, starting and running characteristics, speed control, temperature rise, Particular applications of electric drives, Types of industrial loads, continuous, Intermittent and variable loads, load Equalization.

UNIT-II (12 Lectures)

ELECTRIC HEATING:
Advantages and methods of electric heating, resistance heating, induction heating and dielectric heating.
UNIT-III  
ELECTRIC WELDING:  
Electric welding, resistance and arc welding, electric welding equipment, comparison between A.C. and D.C. Welding.

UNIT-IV  
ILLUMINATION FUNDAMENTALS & VARIOUS ILLUMINATION METHODS:  
Introduction, terms used in illumination, laws of illumination, polar curves, photometry, integrating sphere, sources of light.

Discharge lamps, MV and SV lamps – comparison between tungsten filament lamps and fluorescent tubes, Basic principles of light control, Types and design of lighting and flood lighting.

UNIT-V  
ELECTRIC TRACTION:  
System of electric traction and track electrification. Review of existing electric traction systems in India. Special features of traction motor, methods of electric braking-plugging rheostatic braking and regenerative braking, Mechanics of train movement. Speed-time curves for different services – trapezoidal and quadrilateral speed time curves.

Calculations of tractive effort, power, specific energy consumption for given run, effect of varying acceleration and braking retardation, adhesive weight and braking retardation adhesive weight and coefficient of adhesion.

TEXT BOOKS:


REFERENCES:
