



# INSTITUTE OF AERONAUTICAL ENGINEERING

(Autonomous)

Dundigal - 500 043, Hyderabad, Telangana

## COURSE CONTENT

CRYOGENIC SYSTEMS								
II Semester: AE								
Course Code	Category	Hours / Week			Credits	Maximum Marks		
BAEE16	Elective	L	T	P	C	CIA	SEE	Total
		3	-	-	3	40	60	100
Contact Classes: 45	Tutorial Classes: Nil	Practical Classes: Nil			Total Classes: 45			
Prerequisite: Aircraft Propulsion								

### I. COURSE OVERVIEW:

A cryogenic engineering course overview covers the fundamentals of low-temperature science, including the properties of cryogenic fluids and materials, and the design of systems for liquefaction, refrigeration, and storage. This course provides a consolidated overview of cryogenic hydrogen production, storage, transportation, and its end use. The safety aspects of handling cryo-hydrogen and the necessary precautions will also be discussed.

### II. COURSE OBJECTIVES:

**The students will try to learn:**

- I. Behavior of both cryogenic fluids and materials at very low temperatures.
- II. Principles and design of gas liquefaction and refrigeration systems, including efficiency analysis and the use of various cycles.
- III. Comprehend the role of insulation, vacuum technology, and instrumentation.

### III. COURSE OUTCOMES:

**After successful completion of the course, students will be able to:**

- CO 1 Apply the knowledge of combustion systems and feed systems of rockets for selecting the suitable component based on the mission requirement.
- CO 2 Utilize the knowledge of aerodynamic forces and moments of Rockets and missiles for designing with optimum performance.
- CO 3 Apply the concepts of 1-D, 2-D rocket motions in free space and gravitational fields for solving the problems in space.
- CO 4 Analyze the combinations of trajectories, range, altitude and velocity of rockets and missiles for specific application.
- CO 5 Categorize the staging and controls of planned rocket and missiles for providing sufficient capability such as speed, range, and maneuverability.
- CO 6 Make use of the selection criteria of materials properties for designing new components under adverse conditions.

#### **IV. COURSE CONTENT:**

##### **MODULE-I: CRYOGENIC FLUIDS AND THEIR APPLICATIONS (09)**

Insight on Cryogenics, Properties of Cryogenic fluids, Material properties at Cryogenic Temperatures. Applications of Cryogenics in Space Programs, Superconductivity, Cryo Metallurgy, Medical applications.

##### **MODULE-II: LIQUEFACTION CYCLES (09)**

Carnot Liquefaction Cycle, F.O.M. and Yield of Liquefaction Cycles. Inversion Curve - Joule Thomson Effect. Linde Hampson Cycle, Precooled Linde Hampson Cycle, Claudes Cycle Dual Cycle, Ortho-Para hydrogen conversion, Eollins cycle, Simpson cycle, Critical Components in Liquefaction systems.

##### **MODULE-III: SEPARATION OF CRYOGENIC GASES (09)**

Cryocoolers- Introduction, Classification of Cryocoolers, Stirling Cryocooler, Gifford-McMahon Cryocooler, Gas Cycle Refrigeration system- Classification of gas cycle refrigeration, Pulse tube refrigerator, Solvay cycle refrigerator, Vuilleumier refrigerator.

Cryogenic regenerators, Regenerators used in Cryogenic Refrigerators, Dilution refrigerators, Magnetic Refrigerators

##### **MODULE-IV: CRYOGENIC REFRIGERATORS (09)**

Binary Mixtures, T-C and H-C Diagrams, Principle of Rectification, Rectification Column Analysis - McCabe Thiele Method. Adsorption Systems for purification

##### **MODULE-V: HANDLING OF CRYOGENS (09)**

Cryogenic Dewar, Cryogenic Transfer Lines. Insulations used in Cryogenic Systems, Instrumentation to measure Flow, Level and Temperature.

#### **V. TEXT BOOKS:**

1. Klaus D. Timmerhaus and Thomas M. Flynn, "Cryogenic Process Engineering, Plenum Press, New York, 1989.
2. Randall F. Barron, "Cryogenic Systems", McGraw-Hill, 1985.
3. Scott R.B., "Cryogenic Engineering", Van Nostrand and Co., 1962.

#### **VI. REFERENCE BOOKS:**

1. Robert W. Vance, Cryogenic Technology, John Wiley & Sons, Inc., New York, London
2. E.R. Parket, "Materials for Missiles and Space craft", McGraw Hill Book Co., 2<sup>nd</sup> edition, 1982.
3. Gordon C. Oates, "Aerothermodynamics of Gas Turbine Rocket Propulsion" American Institute of Aeronautics and Astronautics, Inc. 3<sup>rd</sup> edition, 1997.

#### **VII. ELECTRONICS RESOURCES:**

1. <http://as.wiley.com/WileyCDA/WileyTitle/productCd-0470080248.html>
2. <https://archive.org/details/RocketPropulsionAndSpaceflightDynamics>
3. [http://rapidshare.com/files/163497637/The\\_Jet\\_Engine.rar](http://rapidshare.com/files/163497637/The_Jet_Engine.rar)
4. <http://www.personal.utulsa.edu/~kenneth-weston/chapter5.pdf>

#### **VIII. MATERIALS ONLINE**

1. Course template.
  2. Assignments.
  3. Tutorial question bank.
  4. Model question paper – I.
  5. Model question paper – II.
  6. Lecture notes.
  7. Power point presentations.
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