WAVES AND OPTICS

I Semester: AE / ECE / ME | II Semester: EEE / CE

Course Code	Category	Hours / Week			Credits	Maximum Marks		
		L	T	P	C	CIA	SEE	Total
AHSB04	Foundation	3	1	-	4	30	70	100
Contact Classes:45	Tutorial Classes: 15	Practical Classes: Nil				Total Classes: 60		

I. COURSE OVERVIEW:

This course is structured specifically to make the students understand some of the core topics in physicsessential for further studies in engineering. It focuses on illustrating and developing an understanding of the interplay between problem solving and their practical applications which include experimental techniques and modern equipment. The topics include quantum mechanics, semiconductors, LASER and fiber optics,light and optics, harmonic oscillations and waves in one dimension. At the end, this course helps students to appreciate the diverse real-time applications in technological fields in respective branches.

II. OBJECTIVES:

The course should enable the students to:

I	Basic formulations in wave mechanics for the evolution of energy levels and quantization of energies for a particle in a potential box with the help of mathematical description.
II	Fundamental properties of semiconductors including the band gap, charge carrier concentration, doping and charge carrier transport mechanisms.
III	Simple optical setups and experimental approaches of light and LASER using itsinteraction with matter.
IV	Basic comparative studies between different harmonic oscillators and different waves using such relationships on practical problems. .

III. COURSE OUTCOMES:

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

CO 1	**Apply** the concepts of dual nature of matter and Schrodinger wave equation to a particle enclosed in simple systems.	Apply
CO 2	**Demonstrate** the classification of solids and important aspects of semi-conductors in terms of carrier concentration and Fermi level.	Understand
CO 3	**Compare** the concepts of LASER and normal light in terms of mecha- nism and working principles for applications in various fields and scien- tific practices.	Understand
CO 4	**Explain** functionality of components in optical fiber communication system by using the basics of signal propagation, attenuation and dis- persion.	Understand
CO 5	**Interpret** the phenomenon of interference and diffraction by using the principles of wave motion and superposition.	Understand
CO 6	**Make use of** the concept of simple harmonic motion and arrive at expressions for damped, forced harmonic oscillators and wave equations by using necessary mathematical formulations.	Apply

IV. SYLLABUS:

MODULE - I	QUANTUM MECHANICS	Classes: 08

Introduction to quantum physics, Black body radiation, Planck's law, Photoelectric effect, Compton effect, De-Broglie's hypothesis, Wave-particle duality, Davisson and Germer experiment, Time-independent Schrodinger equation for wave function, Born interpretation of the wave function, Schrodinger equation for one dimensional problems–particle in a box.

MODULE - II	INTRODUCTION TO SOLIDS AND SEMICONDUCTORS	Classes: 10
Bloch's theorem for particles in a periodic potential, Kronig-Penney model (Qualitative treatment), Origin of energy bands. Types of electronic materials: metals, semiconductors, and insulators; Intrinsic and extrinsic semiconductors, Carrier concentration, Dependence of Fermi level on carrier-concentration and temperature, Carrier generation and recombination, Hall effect.		
MODULE - III	**LASERS AND FIBER OPTICS**	**Classes: 10**
Characteristics of lasers, Spontaneous and stimulated emission of radiation, Metastable state, Population inversion, Lasing action, Ruby laser, He-Ne laser and applications of lasers. Principle and construction of an optical fiber, Acceptance angle, Numerical aperture, Types of optical fibers (Single mode, multimode, step index, graded index), Attenuation in optical fibers, Optical fiber communication system with block diagram.		
MODULE - IV	**LIGHT AND OPTICS**	**Classes: 07**
Huygens' principle, Superposition of waves and interference of light by wavefront splitting and amplitude splitting; Young's double slit experiment, Newton's rings, Michelson interferometer; Fraunhofer diffraction from a single slit, circular aperture and diffraction grating.		
MODULE - V	**HARMONIC OSCILLATIONS AND WAVES IN ONE DIMENSION**	**Classes: 10**
Mechanical and electrical simple harmonic oscillators, Damped harmonic oscillator, Forced mechanical and electrical oscillators, Impedance, Steady state motion of forced damped harmonic oscillator; Transverse wave on a string, the wave equation on a string, Harmonic waves, Reflection and transmission of waves at a boundary, Longitudinal waves and the wave equation for them, acoustics waves.		

Text Books:

1. Dr. K Vijay Kumar and Dr. S Chandralingam, "Modern Engineering Physics" Volume-1&2, S Chand.Co, 2018.
2. I. G. Main, "Vibrations and Waves in Physics", Cambridge University Press, 1993.
3. R. K. Gaur, S. L. Gupta, "Engineering Physics", Dhanpat Rai Publications, 8th Edition, 2001.

Reference Books:

1. H.J. Pain, "The Physics of Vibrations and Waves", Wiley, 2006.
2. A. Ghatak, "Optics", McGraw Hill Education, 2012.
3. O. Svelto, "Principles of Lasers", Springer Science & Business Media, 2010.

Web References:

1. http://link.springer.com/book
2. http://www.thphys.physics.ox.ac.uk
3. http://www.sciencedirect.com/science
4. http://www.e-booksdirectory.com

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1. http://www.peaceone.net/basic/Feynman/
2. http://physicsdatabase.com/free-physics-books/
3. http://www.damtp.cam.ac.uk/user/tong/statphys/sp.pdf
4. http://www.freebookcentre.net/Physics/Solid-State-Physics-Books.html