

NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY, TIRUCHIRAPPALLI

Dept MME (Meta)

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(Important details already conveyed to the class and to the Class Committee)

<b>COURSE OUTLINE TEMPLATE</b>			
Course Title	<b>IRON MAKING AND STEEL MAKING</b> (AY 2023 2024)		
Course Code	<b>MT PC 18 (old 21)</b>	No. of Credits	<b>Four</b> (3 1 0 4)
Department	<b>MME</b> (Meta)	Faculty	Prof SankaraRaman Sankaranarayanan (SRS)
Pre-requisites Course Code	(MTPC old 13) Metallurgical Thermodynamics and (MTPC old 17) Transport Phenomena		
Course Coordinator(s) (if, applicable)	SRS (Raman)		
Other Course Teacher(s)/Tutor(s) E-mail	(others: Nil) <b>raman@nitt.edu</b>	Telephone No.	<b>98947 02353</b> X 3450 (MME office) WA: <b>9385612153</b>
Course Type	<b>Core course</b> (BTech MME Programme Core)		
<b>COURSE OVERVIEW</b>			
A <b>first course</b> in iron making and steel making (IMSM); awareness about steel industry			
<b>COURSE OBJECTIVES</b>			
<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Become familiar with iron making and steel making</li><li>2. Understand how principles of thermodynamics and metallurgical transport phenomena are used in iron making and steel making</li><li>3. Become aware of the steel industry</li></ol>			
<b>COURSE OUTCOMES (CO)</b>			

Course Outcomes	Aligned Programme Outcomes (PO)
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1. Classify furnaces and equipment used for IMSM	[10, 11, 5]
2. Analyze factors influencing the quality of product	[10, 11, 5]
3. Analyze irregularities and causes of failures	[2, 1]
4. Compare the traditional steel making to modern day manufacturing routes for the improvement of quality and productivity	[11, 1, 2]

**COURSE TEACHING AND LEARNING ACTIVITIES**

**Indicative sequence:**

- (Details already available in the NITT web page of cited teacher)
- Initial: Introduction to the steel industry and sequence of operations in the steel plants
- Blast furnace iron making and alternate routes of iron making
- Oxygen steel making
- Electric steel making
- Refining of liquid steel
- Continuous casting of steels
- (Input on aspects related to energy, environment, quality, productivity)
- (Appropriate numerical problems on selected topics in IMSM)**
- (Mode of delivery: predominantly **chalk and talk**)

**COURSE ASSESSMENT METHODS**

S.No.	Mode of Assessment	Week/Date	Duration	% Weightage
1.	THREE SURPRISE TESTS in the class room	Hints about imminent surprise test will be given to the class, few days in advance	One hour, each	20% each, adding to 60%
2.	End semester / final exam on full syllabus	(Common schedule)	Three hours	40%

**ESSENTIAL READINGS:** Textbooks, reference books, Websites, journals, etc

Primary text:

**Ahindra Ghosh and Amit Chatterjee, Iron making and steel making:** Theory and practice, PHI EEE, New Delhi, 2008 (listed price Rs375/-) (**students advised to have a personal copy** – for usage during the course and for subsequent reference)

**COURSE EXIT SURVEY** (mention the ways in which the feedback about the course is assessed and indicate the attainment also)

**Feedback encouraged;** (will use input from dept MME for format)

**COURSE POLICY (including plagiarism, academic honesty, attendance, etc.)**

Students expected to participate in earnest and honest manner

**Active discussion encouraged in the class room**

Students will be **mentored** towards challenges in / competitions organized by the steel industry

**Students expected to attend all classes**

Attendance requirement – vide **prevailing policy**

**ADDITIONAL COURSE INFORMATION**

Contents of this IMSM course will also be useful if the student opts to attend an **elective in process modeling** OR an **elective in ladle metallurgy and continuous casting**;

Subject to Institute guidelines, effort will be made towards guest lectures by external experts.

Subject to Institute guidelines, effort will be made towards visiting a steel plant (has materialized only for some batches).

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**FOR SENATE'S CONSIDERATION**

Course Faculty \_\_SRS\_\_      CC-Chairperson \_\_\_\_\_      HOD \_\_\_\_\_