NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY, TIRUCHIRAPPALLI

Department of Instrumentation and Control Engineering

Course Plan

SENSORS AND TRA	NSDUCERS LABO	DRATORY
ICLR12	No. of Credits	2
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	Requirement (ELR)	
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COURSE OVERVIEW

This is a basic fundamental laboratory course on instrumentation. The instruments are used in industry for the measurement of many parameters and then they are controlled and analyed to achive desired outcomes. Hence the instrumentation and control engineer must be familiar with the fundamentals of sensors and transducers. This course introduces the students to the fundamental characteristics of instruments. The students should work out both theoretical and practical problems themselves to get better understanding of the Instruments.

COURSE OBJECTIVES

The aim of this lab is to fortify the students with an adequate work experience in the measurement of different quantities and also then expertise in handling the instruments involved.

COURSE OUTCOMES (CO)

Course Outcomes	Aligned Programme Outcomes(PO)
At the end of the course student will be able to	
Analyze characteristics of different sensors and transducers.	1
Review, prepare and present technological developments	1

At the end of 4th Week: The student has to finish minimum of three experiments

At the end of 8th Week: The student has to finish minimum of six experiments

At the end of 12th Week: The student has to finish ten experiments

At the end of 15th week: The student has to demonstrate mini project based

application/technological development with proper report.

COURSE ASSESSMENT METHODS

The students are expected to complete minimum of 10 experiments. Each experiments will carry 8 marks (6 marks on successful completion of experiment on-time with proper record + 2 marks on viva-voce of respective experiment). Final assessment is based on mini project based experiment which carries 20 marks.

ESSENTIAL READINGS:

Reference Books:

- 1. John P. Bentley, Principles of Measurement Systems, Pearson Education, 4 th Edition, 2005.
- 2. Ernest Doebelin, Measurement Systems, McGraw-Hill Science, 5 th Edition, 2003.

COURSE EXIT SURVEY

Feedback from the students during the class committee meeting or through email will be considered.

At the end of 15th week, the student should submit the feedback form.

COURSE POLICY

All students are expected to do their own experiments and expected to put their best effort in assessments within stipulated time. The taking of information by means of copying readings during experiment session is considered dishonest. They will be awarded zero for that experiments.

The minimum attendance requirement is 85%. In case if the student is absent/On-duty or any other reason, they have to come for extra Lab and they should maintain minimum 85% attendance. Otherwise the student has to redo the lab. The relative grading will be followed for awarding grade. The failure student can opt for Formative assessment during summer/winter vacation.

ADDITIONAL COURSE INFORMATION

Students are expected to complete the experiment in their respective lab session itself.

FOR SENATE'S CONSIDERATION

Course Faculty

CC-Chairperson

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