III Year II Semester L T P C
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METROLOGY & INSTRUMENTATION AND CONTROL SYSTEMS

Course Objectives:

The Students will acquire the knowledge

- 1. To interpret the principles of different types of limits and fits and explain the operating principles of linear measurements. (BL-2)
- 2. To illustrate the measurement of surface roughness.
- 3. To illustrate the concepts of gear, screw thread and flatness measurements and alignment of machine tools.
- 4. To illustrate the basic concepts of instrumentation and working of various sensors and transducers.
- 5. To illustrate measurement methods of various quantities.

UNIT-I SYSTEMS OF LIMITS AND FITS

Introduction, nominal size, tolerance, limits, deviations, fits -Unilateral and bilateral tolerance system, hole and shaft basis systems- interchangeability, determistic & statistical tolerances, selective assembly. International standard system of tolerances, selection of limits and tolerances for correct functioning.

LINEAR MEASUREMENT: Length standards, end standards, slip gauges- calibration of the slip gauges, dial indicators, micro metres.

MEASUREMENT OF ANGLES AND TAPERS: Different methods-bevel protractor, angle slip gauges - angle dekkor – spirit levels – sine bar - sine table, rollers and spheres used to measure angles and tapers. LIMIT GAUGES:Taylor's principle – design of go and no go gauges; plug, ring, snap, gap, taper, profile and position gauges.

UNIT-II SURFACE ROUGHNESS MEASUREMENT

Differences between surface roughness and surface waviness -Numerical assessment of surface finish - CLA, Rt., R.M.S. Rz,R10 values, Method of measurement of surface finish - Profilograph, Talysurf, ISI symbols for indication of surface finish.

COMPARATORS: Types -mechanical, optical, electrical and electronic, pneumatic comparators and their uses.

UNIT-III GEAR MEASUREMENT:

Nomenclature of gear tooth, tooth thickness measurement with gear tooth vernier &flange micro meter, pitch measurement, total composite error and tooth to tooth composite errors, rolling gear tester, in volute profile checking.

SCREW THREAD MEASUREMENT: Elements of measurement - errors in screw threads-concept of virtual effective diameter, measurement of effective diameter, angle of thread and thread pitch, and profile thread gauges.

FLATNESS MEASUREMENT:

Measurement of flatness of surfaces- instruments used- straight edges- surface plates - auto collimator.

MACHINE TOOL ALIGNMENT TESTS: Principles of machine tool alignment testing on lathe, drilling and milling machines.

UNIT-IV MECHANICAL INSTRUMENTATION AND INSTRUMENTS

Generalized measurement system and its functional elements, primary, secondary and working standards. Instrument characteristics, static and dynamic characteristics classification – zero, first and second order instruments and responses, problems. Sensors and transducers – mechanical detector – transducer elements, electrical transducers – Thermo electric transducer – variable inductance transducers – capacitor transducers – preamplifiers – charge amplifiers – Piezo electric transducers – strain gauges – bridge circuits (quarter, half and full activated)

UNIT-V MEASUREMENT SYSTEMS

Force measurement – Torque measurement – Pressure measurement – Flow measurement – Temperature measurement – Vibration Measurement.

TEXT BOOKS:

- 1. Engineering Metrology / R.K. Jain / Khanna Publishers
- 2. Manufacturing Processes / JP Kaushish / PHI Publishers-2ndEdition
- 3. Manufacturing Technology Vol-II / P.N Rao / Tata McGraw Hill
- 4. Mechanical Measurement and Control Metropolitan Book company Pvt.Ltd. 1989

Reference Books:

- 1. Engineering Metrology / Mahajan / Dhanpat Rai Publishers
- 2. Engineering Metrology / I.C.Gupta / Dhanpat Rai Publishers

Course Outcomes:

Upon successful completion of this course, the students will be able to:

- 1. To illustrate the principles of different types of limits and fits and explain the operating principles of linear measurements. (BL-2)
- 2. To demonstrate the measurement of surface roughness.
- 3. To explain the concepts of gear, screw thread and flatness measurements and alignment of machine tools.
- 4. To explain the basic concepts of instrumentation and working of various sensors and transducers.
- 5. To choose the right measurement method for various quantities.