# RAILWAYS, AIRWAYS, PORTS & HARBORS

# **Course Learning Objectives**

The objectives of this course are:

- 1. To know various components and their functions in a railway track
- 2. To acquire design principles of geometrics in a railway track.
- 3. To know various techniques for the effective movement of trains.
- 4. To acquired sign principles of airport geometrics and pavements.
- 5. To know the planning, construction and maintenance of Docks and Harbours.

### **Course Outcomes**

At the end of course, Student will be able to

- 1. Identify various components of railway track
- 2. Design geometrics in a railway track.
- 3. Design Turnouts
- 4. Know about basics of airport designing elements
- 5. Gain the knowledge of design of runways.
- 6. Plan, construct and maintain Docks and Harbours.

### **SYLLABUS**

### A.RAILWAY ENGINEERING

## **UNIT-I**

**Components of Railway Engineering:** Permanent way components-Railway TrackGauge-CrossSectionofPermanentWay-FunctionsofvariousComponentslike Rails, Sleepers and Ballast-Rail Fastenings-Creep of Rails-Theoriesrelatedtocreep-AdzingofSleepers-Sleeperdensity-Rail joints.

#### **UNIT-II**

**Geometric Design of Railway Track:** Alignment — Engineering Surveys - Gradients-GradeCompensation-CantandNegativeSuperelevation-CantDeficiency — Degree of Curve-safe Speed on curves—Transition curve -Compound curves—Reverse curves—Extra clearance on curves—widening of gauge on curves—vertical curves—cheek rails on curves.

### **UNIT-III**

**Turnouts & Controllers:** Track lay outs-Switches-DesignofTongueRails-Crossings-Turnouts-LayoutofTurnout-DoubleTurnout-Diamondcrossing-Scissors crossing. Signal Objectives-Classification—Fixed signals- Stop signals-Signaling systems-Mechanical signaling system—Electrical signaling system—System for Controlling Train Movement —Interlocking— Modern signaling Installations.

#### **B.AIRPORT ENGINEERING**

#### **UNIT-IV**

**Airport Planning & Design:** Airport Master plan–Airportsite selection–Air craft characteristics–Zoning laws–Airport classification–Runway orientation–Windrose diagram–Runway length–Taxiway design–Terminal area and Airport layout–Visualaids and Airtraffic control.

### UNIT -V

**Runway Design:** Various Design factors – Design methods for Flexible pavements–Design methods for Rigid pavements–LCN system of Pavement Design– Airfield Pavement Failures–Maintenance and Rehabilitation of Airfield pavements–Evaluation&StrengtheningofAirfieldpavements–AirportDrainage–Designofsurface and subsurface drainage.

### C.DOCKS&HARBOURS

#### **UNIT-VI**

Planning, Layout, Construction & Maintenance Of Docks & Harbors: Classification of ports—Requirement of a goodport—classification of Harbors—Docks-Dry & wetdocks—Transition shed sand work houses—Layouts; Quays—construction of Quaywalls—Wharves—Jetties—Tides—Tidaldata and Analysis—Breakwaters—Dredging — Maintenance of Ports and Harbors — Navigational aids.

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