SCHEME OF COURSE WORK

Course Details:

| Course Title | : Optimization Methods in Engineering | | | | | |
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| Course Code | :19ME2105 | L | Р | С | 3 - 0 - 3 | |
| Program: | : M.Tech. | | | | | |
| Specialization: | : CAD/CAM | | | | | |
| Semester | · 1 st | | | | | |
| Prerequisites | : | | | | | |
| Courses to which it is a prerequisite : | | | | | | |

Course Outcomes (COs): The student will be able to

| CO-1 | Solve optimization problems using classical optimization techniques |
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| CO-2 | Solve simple non-linear multivariable optimization problems |
| CO-3 | Solve optimization problems using geometric programming |
| CO-4 | Explain the working of different operators used in genetic algorithms for optimization |
| CO-5 | Explain the basic concepts of stochastic programming; formulate and outline a suitable optimization |
| | technique in basic engineering applications. |

Program Outcomes (POs)

At the end of the program, the students in CAD/CAM will be able to

- 1. acquire fundamentals in the areas of computer aided design and manufacturing
- 2. apply innovative skills and analyze computer aided design and manufacturing problems critically
- 3. identify, formulate and solve design and manufacturing problems
- 4. carry out research related to design and manufacturing
- 5. use existing and recent CAD/CAM software
- collaborate with educational institutions, industry and R&D organizations in multidisciplinary teams
- 7. apply project and finance management principles in engineering projects
- 8. prepare technical reports and communicate effectively
- 9. engage in independent and life-long learning and pursue professional practice in their specialized areas of CAD/CAM
- 10. exhibit accountability to society while adhering to ethical practices
- 11. act independently and take corrective measures where necessary

| COs | PO1 | PO2 | PO3 | PO4 | PO5 | PO6 | PO7 | PO8 | PO9 | PO10 | PO11 |
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| CO-2 | | | Μ | Μ | | | | | | | |
| CO-3 | М | | | | | | М | | | | |
| CO-4 | М | | | | | | М | | | | |
| CO-5 | | | S | М | | | | | | | |

Course Outcome Versus Program Outcomes:

S - Strongly correlated, M - Moderately correlated, Blank - No correlation

Teaching-Learning and Evaluation

| Week | Topic / Contents | Course Outcomes | Sample questions | Teaching-Learning Strategy | Assessment and Schedule |
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| 1 | Basic principles of optimization Classification of optimization methods, Classical optimization techniques -Single variable optimization methods | CO-1 | Explain the following terms: Design Vector, Design constraint Find the maxima and minima of given function f(x) | Lecture/ Discussion Problem solving | Assignment (Week5-12) |
| 2 | One dimensional unconstrained optimization: Unimodal function, Bisection method, Quadratic search, | CO-1 | Minimize the given function f(x) by bisection method | Lecture/ Discussion Problem solving | Assignment (Week5-12) Test 1 (Week 9) |
| 3 | One dimensional unconstrained optimization: Cubic search, unrestricted search, Dichotomous search | CO-1 | Minimize the given function f(x) by Quadratic search, Cubic search | Lecture/ Discussion Problem solving | Assignment (Week5-12) |
| 4 | Fibonacci method, Golden Section method, Newtons method, Modified Newtons method | CO-1 | Minimize the given function f(x) by Fibonacci method/Golden section method / Newtons method | Lecture/ Discussion Problem solving | Assignment (Week5-12) Test 1 (Week 9) |
| 5 | Non- linear multivariable optimization without constraints – Univariate method, Pattern search method, Rosenbrock's rotating coordinates method | CO-2 | Outline of Univariate method, Pattern search method, Rosenbrock's rotating coordinates method | Lecture/ Discussion Problem solving | Q&A session (Week 6) |
| 6 | Non- linear multivariable optimization without constraints – Hooke & Jeeves method and Powells method, Newtons method and steepest descent method | CO-2 | Minimize f(X) by Newtons method Minimize f(X) by steepest descent method | Lecture/ Discussion Problem solving | Test 1 (Week 9) |
| 7 | Multivariable with equality constraints, direct substitution method, method of Lagrange multipliers | CO-2 | Minimize f(X) subject to constraint h(X)=0 by direct substitution method Minimize f(X) subject to constraint h(X)=0 by method of Lagrange multipliers | Lecture/ Discussion Problem solving | Assignment (Week5-12) Test 1 (Week 9) |
| 8 | Non-linear multivariable optimization with constraints: Penalty approach- Interior and exterior penalty function methods | CO-2 | Compare the exterior and interior penalty function methods Minimize given f(X) subject to constraints using interior penalty function approach | Lecture/ Discussion Problem solving | Assignment (Week5-12) Test 2 (Week 18) |
| 9 | Test 1 | | | | |
| 10 | Geometric programming (GP): Solution by differential calculus; GP: Arithmetic-geometric inequality; Optimization of zero degree difficulty problems without constraints | CO-3 | Give examples of polynomial functions Derive orthogonality and normality conditions in solving GP problem | Lecture/ Discussion Problem solving | Assignment (Week5-12) |
| 11 | Optimization of zero degree difficulty problems with constraints | CO-3 | Minimize the given function f(X) subject to the given constraints using GP | Lecture Problem solving | Assignment (Week5-12) Test 2 (Week 18) |
| 12 | Optimization of single degree difficulty problems without constraints | CO-3 | Minimize the given function f(X) subject to the given constraints using GP | Problems solving Seminars | Assignment (Week5-12) |
| 13 | Genetic algorithms (GA): Principle, reproduction & crossover operators, mutation, termination criteria | CO-4 | Discuss the basic operations used in GAs | Lecture Power Point Presentation | Test 2 (Week 18) |
| 14 | GA for constrained optimization, drawbacks of GA | CO-4 | Discuss in detail how the operations are performed for constrained optimization | Lecture Power Point Presentation | Report (Week 14 - 18) |
| 15 | Basic concepts of stochastic programming | CO-5 | Demonstrate stochastic dynamic programming | Lecture/Discussion Power Point Presentation | Report (Week 14 - 18) |
| 16 | Basic concepts of Multi-stage optimization and Multi-objective optimization | CO-5 | Outline the basic concepts of Multi-stage optimization and Multi-objective optimization | Discussion Problems solving Seminars | Report (Week 14 - 18) |
| 17 | Engineering applications: Minimization of weight of a cantilever beam, truss, shaft; optimal design of springs | CO-5 | Design optimization of springs Design of a truss for minimum weight Design of a beam/shaft for minimum weight | Discussion Problems solving Seminars | Report (Week 14 - 18) Test 2 (Week 18) |
| 18 | Test 2 | | | | |
| 19/20 | END EXAM | | | | |