Course	Course Name	L-T-P-	Year of
Code		Credits	Introduction
CE374	AIR QUALITY MANAGEMENT	3-0-0-3	2016

**Pre-requisites: Nil** 

## **Course objectives:**

- To understand the various forms of air pollutants and their effects on human and environment
- To know the various methods of controlling air pollutants

**Syllabus**: Air pollution-sources, effects on human, vegetation, environment, air pollutants. Indoor pollution. Meteorology, factors affecting dispersion of pollutants, Plume behaviour. Modelling of air pollutants, Dispersion modelling. Monitoring of pollutants-Particulate and gaseous, Control of air pollutants-Methods for particulate and gaseous pollutants, Air quality legislations

## **Course Outcomes:**

- Create an awareness among students regarding air pollution problems
- To understand the various techniques that can be adopted for managing air pollution related problems.

#### Text Books

- 1. C.S.Rao, "Environmental Pollution Control Engineering", New Age International Pub., 2006
- 2. M.N. Rao & H.V.N Rao, Air Pollution, Tata McGraw Hill Co. Ltd, Delhi, 1990.
- **3.** Peavy H S, Rowe, D.R. Tchobanaglous "Environmental Engineering" McGraw Hill Education, 1985

### **References:**

- 1. Chhatwal G.R, Encyclopedia of Environmental Pollution and Control, Volumes 1,2,3, Anmol Publications, 1996
- 2. J. R. Mudakavi, Principles and Practices of Air Pollution Control and Analysis, IK International Pvt Ltd. 2012
- 3. Perkins H.C, "Air Pollution" McGraw Hill Publications, 2004
- 4. S C Bhatia, Textbook of Air Pollution and Its Control, Atlantic publishers, 2007
- 5. S P Mahajan, Air Pollution Control, Common Wealth of Learning, Canada, Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore, 2006
- 6. Stern.A, "Air Pollution" (Volume I, II & III) , Academic Press New York, 1962

#### **COURSE PLAN** Sem. Exam Module Contents Hours Marks % Components of Environment-Introduction-Definition –Air Pollution- History of air pollution episodes-Various Sources of Air I 6 15 pollution – Air Pollutants- Types of Air Pollutants Effect of air pollutants on health, vegetation, animals and materials and environment, Green house effect - Indoor Air Pollution, sources Ħ 6 15 of indoor air pollutants

FIRST INTERNAL EXAMINATION				
III	Meteorological aspects of Air Pollutant Dispersion - Temperature and Pressure relationships-Atmospheric Stability- Temperature Lapse Rate- Inversions- Types, Plume behavior	7	15	
IV	Dispersion of Air pollutants-Plume dispersion theory- Gaussian plume model (Derivation not required)- Assumptions-Advantages and Disadvantages- Pasquill's stability curves, Dispersion problems involving point source and line source - Estimation of plume rise.	7	15	
SECOND INTERNAL EXAMINATION				
V	Air Quality monitoring - Ambient air sampling - Collection of gaseous air pollutants-Collection of particulate Pollutants- Ambient Air Quality standards	8	20	
VI	Control of Air Pollutants- Particulate emission control-methods, Scrubbing-Cyclones- Filtration- Electrostatic Precipitation-Gaseous emission control- adsorption, absorption, thermal methods	8	20	
END SEMESTER EXAMINATION				

# **QUESTION PAPER PATTERN (End semester examination)**

Maximum Marks: 100 Exam Duration: 3 Hrs

Part A -Module I & II : 2 questions out of 3 questions carrying 15 marks each

Part B - Module III & IV: 2 questions out of 3 questions carrying 15 marks each

Part C - Module V & VI: 2 questions out of 3 questions carrying 20 marks each

**Note**: 1.Each part should have at least one question from each module

**2** Each question can have a maximum of 4 subdivisions (a, b, c, d)