# GUJARAT TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY, AHMEDABAD, GUJARAT

Course Code: 3350901

# COURSE CURRICULUM COURSE TITLE: WIRING ESTIMATING, COSTING AND CONTRACTING (COURSE CODE: 3350901)

Diploma Programme in which this course is offered	Semester in which offered
Electrical Engineering	5 <sup>th</sup> Semester

#### 1. RATIONALE

Electrical wiring plays a major role in distributing the electrical energy from electric utilities to consumer. Electrical diploma holders have to work as Technicians and Supervisors for planning, installing and testing various electrical wiring Installations such as residential, commercial and Industrial electrification schemes. They should be able to prepare costing and estimates for these schemes with a thorough understanding of the methods/procedure of estimating, tendering/ contracting is desired. Knowledge of IE rules for different types of electrical Installation, their planning considerations equips the students with the capability to plan and prepare different Installation projects. Essential efforts are made in this course to develop above skills in the students.

#### 2. LIST OF COMPETENCY

The course content should be taught and implemented with the aim to develop required skills so that students are able to acquire following competency:

 Carry out wiring estimating, costing and contract of various types of installations.

#### 3. COURSE OUTCOMES

The theory should be taught and practical should be undertaken in such a manner that students are able to acquire different learning outcomes in cognitive, psychomotor and affective domains to demonstrate the following course outcomes:

- i. Prepare an estimate of quantity and cost of the material for a electrical project following IE Act-2003.
- ii. Prepare detail estimate and costing of Residential and commercial Electrical Installations following IE Act-2003.
- iii. Test Residential, commercial and Industrial Electrical Installation following IE Act-2003.
- iv. Prepare detail estimate and costing of a transmission line/Overhead and underground distribution project following IE Act-2003.
- v. Prepare estimates for repairs and maintenance of electrical devices and equipment.

# 4. TEACHING AND EXAMINATION SCHEME

Teac	ching Scl	heme	Total	Examination Scheme										
(	(In Hours)		Credits	Theory Marks		Theory Marks		Theory Marks		Theory Marks		Prac	ctical	Total
			(L+T+P)			Ma	rks	Marks						
L	T	P	C	ESE	PA	ESE	PA							
3	0	2	5	70	30	20	30	150						

**Legends:** L-Lecture; T – Tutorial/Teacher Guided Theory Practice; P - Practical; C – Credit, ESE - End Semester Examination; PA - Progressive Assessment.

# 5. COURSE CONTENT DETAILS

Unit	<b>Major Learning Outcomes</b>	Topics and Sub-topics		
	(outcomes in Cognitive Domain)			
Unit – I	1a. Differentiate between	1.1 Types of wires, wiring system.		
Electrical	different types of wiring	1.2 Specifications of Different types		
Wiring and	system	of wiring materials, Accessories		
IE Rules	1b. List the applications of	1.3 Wiring tools.		
	different types of wiring tools	1.4 Wiring circuits.		
	1c. Troubleshoot different	1.5 Domestic and industrial panel		
	types of wiring circuits	wiring.		
	1d. Explain the IE rules of	1.6 I.E. rules for wiring, IE Act-2003.		
	wiring			
Unit– II	2a Classify types of	2.1 Estimation and estimation tools.		
Estimating,	estimation and estimation	2.2 Electrical Schedule of rates,		
Costing and	tools	catalogues, Survey and source selection,		
Contracting	2b Describe Purchase	Recording estimates		
Contracting	procedure	2.3 Quantity and cost of material		
	2c Explain the types of	required.		
	contracts and contractors.	2.4 Purchase system, Purchase		
	2d Explain the concept of			
	contracts and Tenders	purchase mode, Comparative statement,		
	2e Explain the procedure	Purchase orders, Payment of bills		
	for submission and opening	2.5 Types of contract system.		
	of tenders.	2.6 Tendering procedure and		
	2f Explain the principles	preparation of simple tender, Earnest		
	of Execution of works	Money Deposit, Security Deposit		
	2g Explain the procedure	2.7 Schedule of rates (S.O.R.)		
	for Billing of executed work			
Unit- III	3a. Prepare Layout and	3.1 Layout for domestic Wiring,		
Estimating	wiring diagram for domestic	3.2 Load calculation		
and Costing	wiring.	3.3 Cable selection		
of Domestic	3b. Calculate the Load,	3.4 Earthing		
and Industrial	quantity and cost of material	3.5 Selection of switchgear.		
Wiring	required for domestic wiring.	3.6 Overall Estimating and costing		

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	3c. Prepare Layout and	3.7 Layout for domestic Wiring,		
	wiring diagram for industrial	3.8 Load calculation		
	wiring.	3.9 Cable selection		
	3d. Calculate the Load,	3.10 Earthing		
	quantity and cost of material	3.11 Selection of switchgear.		
	required for industrial wiring.	3.12 Overall Estimating and costing		
Unit- IV	4a. Sketch layout of	4.1 Transmission lines, Line supports,		
<b>Estimation of</b>	transmission line with	Factors governing height of pole,		
Overhead	specifications	4.2 Conductor materials, size of		
Transmission	4b. Prepare plan of	conductor for overhead		
Line, and	transmission line project	4.3 Transmission line: cross arms,		
Underground	work.	pole brackets and clamps, guys and stays,		
Distribution	4c. Determine main	conductors configuration spacing and		
System	components and specification	clearances, span lengths, overhead line		
·	of transmission line.	insulators, insulator materials lightning		
	4d. Estimate quantity of	arrestors, erection of supports, setting of		
	material and cost required for	stays,		
	a transmission line project	4.4 Earthing of lines, Guarding of		
	work.	overhead lines, Clearances of conductor		
		from ground, Spacing between supports		
		conductors,		
		4.5 I.E. rules pertaining to LV		
		Transmission lines		
	4e. Draw layout of	4.6 Describe Method of installation of		
	overhead distribution line.	service connection(1-phase and 3-phase),		
	4f. Prepare plan of	observing I.E. rules		
	overhead distribution project	4.7 Overhead distribution system.		
	work.	4.8 Materials and accessories required		
	4g. Determine main	for the overhead distribution system.		
	components and specification	4.9 Estimate for 440 V, 3-phase, 4		
	of overhead distribution	wires or 3 wires overhead distribution		
	system.	system.		
	4h. Estimate quantity of	4.10 Types of service connections		
	material and cost required for	4.11 Method of installation of service		
	a overhead distribution	connection(1-phase and 3-phase),		
	project work.	4.12 I.E. rules pertaining to overhead		
	4i.List Types of service	lines and service connection		
	connections			
	4j. Draw layout of	4.13 Underground distribution system.		
	underground distribution	4.14 Materials and accessories required		
	system.	for underground distribution system.		
	4k. Prepare plan of	4.15 Estimate for 440 V, 3-phase, 4		
	underground distribution	wires or 3 wires underground distribution		
	project work.	system.		
	41. Determine main	4.16 I.E. rules pertaining to		
	components and specification	underground system and service		

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	(outcomes in Cognitive Domain)		
	of underground distribution	connection.	
	system.		
	4m. Estimate quantity of		
	material and cost required for		
	a overhead distribution		
	project work.		
Unit-V	5a Survey market for	5.1 D.O.L. starter, small motor, mono	
Estimating	cost of products and parts.	block pump, automatic electric iron,	
and Costing	5b Prepare drawing of	table/ceiling fan, ICDP/ICTP Switch, etc.	
of Repairs	products	5.2 Preparation of detailed drawing	
and	5c Prepare cost table for	work of the product.	
Maintenance	new product	5.3 Preparation of material quantity	
of Electrical	5d Prepare cost table for	sheet for the product.	
Devices and	repair and maintenance of	5.4 Materials and cost required for	
Equipment	electric fan, automatic	maintenance work.	
	electric iron, single phase	5.5 Estimation of repairing cost and	
	transformer, mixer grinder,	overall cost.	
	D.O.L. Starter.	5.6 Tools used for repairs &	
	5e List Tools used for repairs	maintenance work Preparation of cost	
	& maintenance work	schedule for repair and maintenance of	
		electric fan, automatic electric iron,	
		single phase transformer, mixer grinder,	
		D.O.L. Starter.	

## 6. SUGGESTED SPECIFICATION TABLE WITH HOURS AND MARKS (THEORY)

Unit	Unit Title	Teaching	Distribution of Theory Marks			Marks
No.		Hours	R	U	A	Total
			Level	Level	Level	Marks
I	Electrical Wiring	6	04	04	02	10
II	Elements of Estimating and concepts of contracting.	6	04	04	02	10
III	Estimating and Costing of Domestic and Industrial Wiring	8	04	05	06	15
IV	Estimation of Transmission line, Overhead and Underground Distribution System	14	05	10	10	25
V	Estimating and Costing of Repairs and Maintenance of Electrical Devices and Equipment	8	02	04	04	10
	Total	42	19	27	24	70

**Legends:** R = Remembrance; U = Understanding; A = Application and above levels (Revised Bloom's taxonomy)

**Note:** This specification table shall be treated as a general guideline for students and teachers. The actual distribution of marks in the question paper may vary slightly from above table.

## 7. SUGGESTED LIST OF EXERCISES/PRACTICALS

The practical/exercises should be properly designed and implemented with an attempt to develop different types of skills (*outcomes in psychomotor and affective domain*) so that students are able to acquire the competencies/course outcomes. Following is the list of practical exercises for guidance.

Note: outcomes in psychomotor domain are listed here as practical/exercises. However, if these practical/exercises are completed appropriately, they would also lead to development of certain outcomes in affective domain which would in turn lead to development of Course Outcomes related to affective domain. Thus over all development of Programme Outcomes (as given in a common list at the beginning of curriculum document for this programme) would be assured.

Faculty members should refer to that common list and should ensure that students also acquire outcomes in affective domain which are required for overall achievement of Programme Outcomes/Course Outcomes.

S.	Unit	Practical/Exercises			
No.	No.	(outcomes in psychomotor domain)	Hrs.		
1	I	Undertake following wirings	4		
		a. Tube light wiring			
		b. Stair case wiring			
		c. Go down wiring			
		d. Parallel loop wiring.			
2	I	Select appropriate wiring and list materials and accessories	2		
		for given project			
3	II	Prepare a tender notice for given project work	2		
4	III	Prepare cost estimate of a domestic installation cost	4		
		(Residential building, laboratory room or Drawing hall etc).			
5	III	Prepare cost estimate of an industrial installation. (workshop,	4		
		agriculture, flour mill, etc.)			
6	IV	Prepare cost estimate of an overhead service connection.	4		
		(single phase and three phase).			
7	IV	Prepare cost estimate of an underground service connection	4		
		(single phase and three phase).			
8	IV	Estimate of material and specifications required for	4		
		220kV/110kV Transmission line.			
9	IV	Estimate of material and specifications required for overhead,	4		
		440 V, 3-phase, 4 wire or 3 wire distribution line.			
10	V	Estimate of material and specifications of any one Electrical	4		
		Product			
11	V	Estimate of material and specifications of repairs and	4		
	maintenance of any one domestic appliance				
	-	perform any practical worth 28 hours from above depending	40		
upon t	he availa	bility of resources so that most units are covered)			

### 8. SUGGESTED LIST OF STUDENT ACTIVITIES

- Following is the list of proposed student activities like:
- i. Prepare journals based on practical performed in laboratory.
- ii. Assignments on solving numericals
- iii. Reads drawing of electrical installation and calculates quantity of material required for various electric installation and power projects
- iv. Writes specifications and selection of the material required for various electric projects.
- v. Checks bills of contractor (s) for payment by referring schedule of rates described by electricity authorities.
- vi. Survey and collect rates for various items of works.
- vii. Gather Electrical work tender notices from news paper and read and interpret it.

# 9. SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONAL STRATEGIES (if any)

Field / industrial visit

#### 10. SUGGESTED LEARNING RESOURCES

#### A) List of Books

S.	Title of Book	Author	Publication
No.			
1.	Electrical Design,	Raina, K. B. and	New Age International (p)
	estimating & Costing	Bhattacharya,S.K.	Limited, New Delhi
2.	Electrical Estimating & costing	Uppal, S L	New Age International (p)
			Limited, New Delhi
3.	Electrical Installation Estimating	Gupta, J.B.	S. K. Kataria & Sons, New
	& Costing		Delhi
4.	Relevant IS Code for-service line	NBC	National Building Code-
	connection, laying of cable, wiring		Vol. IV
	installation		
5.	I.E. rules for wiring, Electricity	Bureau of Indian	Electricity supply act-1948.
	supply act-1948.	Standards	

### B) List of Major Equipment/ Instrument with Broad Specifications

- i. Different wiring Tools and wiring material 1 Set
- ii. DOL starter 1 No.
- iii. Star delta starter 1 No.
- iv. Auto transformer starter -1 No.
- v. Monoblock pump 1 No.
- vi. Automatic electric iron 1 No.
- vii. Table/ceiling fan 1 No.
- viii. ICDP/ICTP 1 No.
  - ix. Automatic electric iron, -1 No.
  - x. Single phase transformer -1 No.
  - xi. Mixer grinder 1 No.

#### C) List of Software/Learning Websites

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- i. www.vlab.com
- ii. www.nptel.iitm.ac.in

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