

GUJARAT TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY

B.E. Semester : IV Chemical Technology

Subject Code: 143603

Subject Name: Introduction to Glass & Ceramic Technology - II(Department Elective – II)

(Institute Subject Code: GC - 02 : Glass & Ceramic Technology)

Sr. No.	Course contents
01.	Natural raw materials: Structure & properties of silicates, different clays, mica, talc, sillimanite. Properties of non – plastic materials, Polymorphic forms of SiO ₂ & their transformation. Properties, composition, thermal effects, uses of natural materials such as pyrophyllite, talc, sillimanite minerals, zircon etc.
02.	Plastic raw materials: Classification of clay, composition, particle size & shape of clays, flocculation & deflocculation, plasticity etc. Major deposits of clays for ceramic industry.
03.	Refractory materials: Properties & deposits of materials such as Bauxite, Magnesite, Dolomite, Limestone, Graphite etc.
04.	Fluxing agents: Composition, availability & properties of different fluxing agents such as Nepheline, Syenite, Bone ash, Wollastonite etc.
05.	Synthetic raw materials: Properties , characteristics, importance & synthesis of important raw materials such as Al ₂ O ₃ , TiO ₂ , Barium titanate, Sodium aluminum silicate, ZrO ₂ , Fumed silica etc.
06.	Importance of particle shape, size, porosity, density & other physical properties.

Reference Books:

- 1) Elements of Ceramics ,Norton F.H, Longman Higher Education, 2nd Ed, 2001
- 2) Introduction to Ceramics, Barsoum, Institute Of Physics Publishing (gb) 2002
- 3) Introduction to Ceramics ,Kingery W.D,. Wiley New York :, 2nd Ed, 1976
- 4) Material Science ,Smith, Mcgraw Hill Higher Education, 4th Ed,2005
- 5) Industrial Ceramics ,Singer & Singer, , Oxford & Ibh (From Technip), 1st Ed.,2008
- 6) Textbook of Physical Geology ,Mukherjee, , CBS Publishers & Distributors-New Delhi
1st Ed.,2011
- 7) Textbook of Mineralogy, Tyrrel,W, , CBS Publishers & Distributors, 4th Ed.,2006
- 8) Textbook of Geology, J B Mahapatra, CBS Publishers & Distributors, 2nd Ed. ,2008