



GUJARAT TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY

Bachelor of Engineering

Subject Code: 3162611

Semester – VI

Subject Name: Engineering Rubber Products

Type of course: Professional Elective course- III

Prerequisite:

Rationale:

Teaching and Examination Scheme:

Teaching Scheme			Credits C	Examination Marks				Total Marks
L	T	P		Theory Marks		Practical Marks		
				ESE (E)	PA (M)	ESE (V)	PA (I)	
3	0	2	4	70	30	30	20	150

Content

Sr. No.	Content	Total Hrs
1.	Ebonite Rubber: Introduction, Properties, applications, Manufacturing of ebonite rod.	03
2.	Sports Goods: Tennis ball, Conventional wound golf ball, Solid golf ball, simple play ball, football bladder.	04
3.	Hospital Rubber Goods: Compound design, formulations, Manufacturing process of Hot water bags and ice bags, Rubber sheets, surgical tubing.	04
4.	Rubber Gasket, Washers & Seals: Properties of seal materials, selection of Rubber for oil seals, Types of seals, Methods of manufacture, formulations.	05
5.	Rubber Rollers: Introduction, Application, Method of manufacture, Compound design, Different types of rollers.	04
6.	Rubber Lining & Electro deposition of Metals: Lining of tanks, Lining of Piper and fittings, Lining of barrels and drums, Lining of pickling tanks etc., Rubber armor, Compounding and Formulations, Electro deposition of rubber.	04
7.	Printing Blankets: Introduction, Compound design, Method of manufacture, Practical problems, Remedies, Applications etc.	04
8.	Defense Rubber Articles: Introduction, Compound design, Method of manufacture, Applications etc.	04



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9.	Rubber in Automobile Industries: Introduction, Automobile brake linings, Brake chamber diaphragm, Brake pedal pads, Formulations.	05
10.	Vibration Isolators and Mounts: Definition of Vibration & Shock, Principles of Isolation, Principles of Damping, Combination of Isolation and Damping, designing and Compounding for Vibration Isolation and Shock Absorption, Manufacturing Technology.	05
11.	Dockside Fenders: Introduction, Different types and designs of rubber fenders units: Tubular Fender, Oil Jetty Fender, Pneumatic Fender, The Rykin Fender, The Lord Fender etc.	04
12.	Bridge Bearings: Introduction, types of bridge bearings, Design considerations, Installation, Testing & Developments.	04
13.	Expansion joints: Types of Joints, The sealing of Joints in various structures, Design and performance of Rubber Water stops, Rubber Bellows.	04

Suggested Specification table with Marks (Theory): (For BE only)

Distribution of Theory Marks					
R Level	U Level	A Level	N Level	E Level	C Level
10	15	10	10	10	15

Legends: R: Remembrance; U: Understanding; A: Application, N: Analyze and E: Evaluate C: Create 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.

Reference Books:

- Rubber Products Manufacturing Technology by Anil K. Bhowmick
- Rubber Technology by C.M.Blow
- Theory and Practice of Engineering with Rubber by P.K. Freakley and A.R.Payne
- Use of Rubber in Engineering by P.W.Allen, P.B.Lindley, and A.R.Payne

Course Outcomes:

After learning this course students will be able to:

Sr. No.	CO statement	Marks % weightage
CO-1	Relate the importance of various rubber products and their properties for different engineering applications.	10
CO-2	Develop the rubber compound as per required product specifications.	15



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CO-3	Explain and interpret the manufacturing techniques of different engineering rubber products.	15
CO-4	Evaluate the performance of rubber products during service life.	15
CO-5	Analyze the structure and design of different molded rubber articles.	15

List of Experiments:

Tutorials/Presentation/Practical based on above topics.

Major Equipment:

Mixing Mill, Calender Machine, Semi Hydraulic Press, Universal Tensile testing Machine, Oscillating Disc Rheometer, Mooney Viscometer, Compression Set Tester, Durometer etc.

List of Open Source Software/learning website:

- <http://www.sciencedirect.com/>
- <http://www.warco.com/engineering/>
- <https://www.flexachem.com/pipes-fittings/expansion-joints-bellows/rubber-bellows/bellows-technology/>
- <https://www.express-journal.com/rubber-marine-fender-market-41969/>
- <https://www.essentracomponents.com/en-gb/news/guides/a-guide-to-anti-vibration-mounts>