PRGR 666 Water infrastructure Systems

Catalog description:

PRGR 666 Water Infrastructure systems (2 cr.)

Analysis and design using commercially available software: water distribution systems including pipes, reservoir, pumps and losses. Results visualizations and assessment: pressure, velocity, head losses. Analysis and design using commercially available software: wastewater collection systems including pipes, manholes, drop manholes, wet wells, and other appurtenances. Results visualizations and assessment. Maintenance & Safety; Sampling, Sampling Methods and Parameters; Analysis & Data Handling; Management & Supervision.

Pre-requisite: Hydraulics

Course Objectives:

The course aims to enable its participants to design municipal water and wastewater systems. The first part of the course covers the water supply systems where emphasis will be placed on the distribution network including the transport pipelines, the pumping stations, the balancing tanks, valves, and hydrants. The level of design will be “design development”, and an appropriate analysis software will be introduced and used.

The second part of the course deals with wastewater collection systems and covers the following topics: Wastewaters in urban areas: sources, design discharges. Wastewater collection systems: types, components, layouts. Sewers: hydraulic analysis and design, slopes, materials. Sewer networks: hydraulic analysis under steady and unsteady conditions using commercially available software. Pumping stations and forcemains: hydraulic analysis and design of wet well, pumping system, and forece-main. Manholes: types, spacing, drop.

Course Modules:

- WM-1: Municipal water supply systems
- WM-2: Estimates of water demands
- WM-3: Hydraulic analysis of pipe systems (steady state and unsteady state)
- WM-4: Hydraulic design of pipe systems
- WM-5: Water quality modeling
- WWM-1: Types of WW systems
- WWM-2: Estimates of design discharges
- WWM-3: Sewer hydraulics (state and unsteady state)
- WWM-4: Sewer design
- WWM-5: Design of pumping stations
- WWM-6: Storm water systems
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|      | WM-1: Municipal water supply systems | • Course introduction  
• Methods of supply  
• Elements of the municipal water supply system. |
| WK#2 | L3      | WM-2: Estimates of water demands | • Estimation of water demands.  
• Time variability of wastewater discharges; peaking factors; water-use patterns  
• Layout and preliminary sizing of networks |
|      | L4      |        |       | Assignment #1       |
| WK#3 | L5      | WM-3: Hydraulic analysis of pipe systems (steady state and unsteady state) | • Hydraulic analysis of pipe networks (theory)  
• Using simulation models (EPANet)-Steady state |
|      | L6      |        |       | Assignment #2  
Project #1 |
| WK#4 | L7      | WM-4: Hydraulic design of pipe systems | • Design of pipe networks (Design criteria)  
• Unsteady state analysis of water networks |
|      | L8      |        |       |                     |
| WK#5 | L9      | WM-5: Water quality modeling | • Analysis of results and design revision  
• Hydraulic design of elevated tanks and pumping stations  
• Water quality modeling  
• Sustainability of municipal water supply systems |
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- Types of collection systems  
- Elements of collection system |
|      | L12     | WWM-2: Estimates of design discharges | - Estimation of wastewater from:  
  - Domestic sources  
  - Educational facilities  
  - Commercial  
  - Industrial sources  
  - Storm water  
  - Seepage water |
|      | L13     | WWM-3: Sewer hydraulics (state and unsteady state) | - Hydraulic analysis of sewers: degree of filling; velocity; pressurization |
|      | L14     | WWM-4: Sewer design | - Hydraulic design of sewers: selection of slope; preliminary sizing, sewer material |
| Wk#7 | L15     | | - Assignment #3 |
|      | L16     | | - Project #2 |
| Wk#8 | L17     | | |
|      | L18     | | |
| Wk#10 | L19   | WWM-5: Design of pumping stations | - Wastewater pumping stations: components; types; hydraulic design of sump, pumping system, and force main  
- EPS analysis |
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**Learning Outcomes:**

At the conclusion of this course, each participant will be able to do the following:

- Being able to layout the main grid and water distribution pipes, and locate treatment plant(s), and storage facilities.
- Being able to estimate the design demands of municipal, industrial, institutional water uses.
- Ability to design hydraulically the pipe network.
- Simulate, and design the pipe network using computer simulation models and check firefighting capability.
- Ability to carry out the hydraulic design of transmission pipelines and pumping stations.
- Ability to perform the hydraulic design of elevated tanks.
- Understand water quality changes and risk of contamination in the water supply system
- Understand the various types of urban drainage sewerage systems, and their selection.
- Being able to layout the sewers and locate pumping stations and treatment plant(s)
- Ability to design hydraulically the sewers, and design their profile.
- Simulate, and design the sewer network using computer simulation/design models.
- Ability to design hydraulically the pumping stations and forcemains

**Textbook:**

2. User's manual of the EPAnet Software.

**Instructor:**

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Assessment and grades:

Assignments: 50 %
Design Projects: 50 %
Total: 100 %

Course Management:

- Lecture notes will be timely posted on Moodle (Both presentations and printable files).
- Required weekly activities will be posted on Moodle (Assignments and Design Projects).
- Assignments are to be done individually.
- Projects can be done in groups of two (if desired). You form your own groups and coordinate the activities yourself. Generally a common grade will be given to the group members.
- Queries on assignments and projects can be posted on respective forums. You may respond to a query raised by your colleague. I’ll respond to your query as well.
- You submit your answer to an assignment or a design project through Moodle. Please observe the due dates as late submittals beyond one week will not be accepted. A 15 % penalty shall apply to late submittals.