

Syllabus for Master of Technology

Civil Engineering (Geotechnical)

Soil-Structure Interaction 01GT0401 (PC)

Objective of the Course: Objectives of introducing this subject at first year level in Masters of civil engineering are:

- **1.** Explain the effects of soil flexibility in the response of the structure
- **2.** Analyse the structure with soil structure interaction effects to obtain the realistic response

Credits Earned: 5

Students learning outcomes:

After the successful completion of the course student will be able to..

- 1. Evaluate the soil stiffness and damping ratio
- 2. Analyze the cases when to consider or neglect the soil-structure interaction effects
- 3. Analyze the structure with soil-structure interaction effects by lumped mass model

Teaching and Examination Scheme

Teaching Scheme (Hours)			Carlina	Theory Marks			Tutorial/ Practical Marks		Total
Theory	Tutorial	Practical	credits	ESE (E)	CSE (M)	Internal (I)	Viva (V)	Term Work (TW)	Marks
4	0	2	5	50	20	30	25	25	150



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Detailed Syllabus

Sr	Title of the unit	
No.		of hours
1	Introduction	
	Introduction to Soil-structure interaction(SSI) problems, history	2
	Static SSI,	1
	Dynamic SSI	2
	liquefaction	2
	Problems associated with SSI, Case studies	3
2	Static SSI problems	
	Contact pressure and its estimation	2
	Estimation of the settlement from the constitutive laws	3
3	Dynamic SSI problems	
	Free-field response	2
	Kinetic interaction	3
	Inertial interaction	4
4	SSI Models	
	Winkler model	3
	Elastic continum	2
	Mulit parameter models	2
	Codal provisions of India and others	3
5	Structural analysis with SSI	
	Shallow foundation & Raft foundation problems	3
	Analysis of highrise building with fixed base and flexible base	2
	SSI consideration in pile foundation	3
	Laterally loaded piles	4

Suggested lists of experiments

- 1. Estimation of soil shear wave velocity
- 2. Estimation of the soil damping
- 3. Estimation of the modulus of subgrade reaction of the soil
- 4. Evaluate the soil stiffness in lateral and longitudinal directions
- 5. Demonstration of effect of SSI thorugh models on vibration table
- 6. Demonstration of liquefaction phenomena



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Suggested Theory Distribution

The suggested theory distribution as per Bloom's taxonomy is as per follows. This distribution serves as guidelines for teachers and students to achieve effective teaching-learning process

Distribution of Theory for course delivery and evaluation								
Remember	Understand	Apply	Analyze	Evaluate	Create			
5%	10%	15%	30%	25%	15%			

Instructional Method and Pedagogy:

- 1. Use of Learning Management system like canvas
- 2. Demonstration through ppt and videos and lectures
- 3. Brainstorming and group discussion sessions
- 4. Collaborative learning

Recommended Study Material:

Reference Books:

- 1. John P. Wolf, Soil-structure interaction
- 2. Bowels, J.E., "Analytical and Computer methods in Foundation" McGraw Hill Book Co., New York.
- 3. Desai C.S. and Christian J.T., "Numerical Methods in Geotechnical Engineering" McGraw Hill Book Co. New York.
- 4. Soil Structure Interaction, the real behaviour of structures, Institution of Structural Engineers, 1989.
- 5. Elastic Analysis of Soil Foundation Interaction, Developments in Geotechnical Engg.vol-17, Elsevier Scientific Publishing Co.
- 6. Prakash, S., and Sharma, H. D., "Pile Foundations in Engineering Practice." John Wiley & Sons, New York, 1990.

Web Resources:

- 1. nptel.ac.in/courses/105101004/6
- 2. nptel.ac.in/courses/105106142/15
- 3. nptel.ac.in/courses/114106025/31
- 4. nptel.ac.in/courses/105104136/Module%204/Lecture%2022.pdf
- 5. http://nptel.ac.in/courses/105101005/
