COURSE OBJECTIVES

- > Demonstrate the unique characteristics of various rocks
- > It will help in physical understanding of the petroleum engineering problems and phenomena
- > Develop skill to identify petroleum potential of an area
- To introduce the concepts that will enable the transition from science to petrochemical engineering
- Understand and significant role of petrochemical engineers in everyday life and the importance of petrochemical engineering in consideration of environmental and safety aspects in process industries
- To learn the basic knowledge of common unit operations and unit process in major petrochemical industries

UNIT I OIL & GAS EXPLORATION METHODS

Nature of Petroleum- composition & properties; Overview of Petroleum geology & basic rock properties: Source, migration and accumulation of petroleum, Seal and trap; Overview of Petro physical properties of rock and fluid; Overview of drilling operation: Rig Components, Drill String, Casing policy, Drilling fluid and Cementing.

UNIT II RESERVOIR DRIVES & OIL RECOVERY

Fundamentals of reservoir engineering; classification of reservoir flow systems; Darcy's law of fluid flow; Pressure distribution and pressure gradient for linear, radial, compressible, steady state flow; Average permeability calculations for beds in series and beds in parallel for linear and radial reservoir geometry; Brief study of fluid flow through porous media. Production system of crude oil from reservoir to storage and refining; Concept of oil production, gathering, treatment & storage and transportation.

UNIT III INTRODUCTION TO PETROCHEMICAL ENGINEERING

History and Overview of petrochemical industry, Role of Petrochemical Engineer. Major companies in India & abroad. Prospects & Future. Composition of crude oil, Physical properties of oil. Petroleum Materials – Native Materials, Manufactured Materials, Derived Materials.

UNIT IV ROLE OF PETROCHEMICAL ENGINEERS

Introduction, petrochemical engineering in everyday life, Lab scale to plant scale, Versatility of a Chemical/Petrochemical Engineer, Role of petrochemical Engineers in Petroleum refinery, Chemical, Petrochemical, Nanotechnology, Energy and environment. Introduction & Basic concepts of analysis of processes, unit operations, basic laws, units and dimensions. Batch Processing, Transition from batch to continuous processing, Case study: Any chemical industry, Role of basic sciences in petrochemical Engineering (Introduction).

COURSE OUTCOMES

On completion of the course, student will be able to

- CO1: Understand petroleum system and storage in rocks
- CO2: Apply the knowledge for efficient exploration and exploitation of petroleum
- CO3: Analyse the behaviour of crude oil from reservoir to storage and in refinery system
- CO4: Demonstrate the role of petrochemical engineers in everyday life and the importance of petrochemical engineering
- CO5: Describe various unit operations and unit processes in petrochemical industries
- CO6: Analyse the role of petrochemical engineers in environmental and safety aspects in process industries

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Max. Marks: 100

Part A: 10 Questions each carrying 5 marks Part B: 5 Questions each carrying 10 marks **Exam Duration: 3 Hrs.** 50 Marks 50 Marks