

**IX. List of Practicals**

S.No.	Topic	No. of Practicals
1.	Familiarization with the remote sensing instruments and satellite imagery	1
2.	Methods of establishing ground truth survey and Comparison between ground truth and remotely sensed data	2
3.	Aerial Photograph and scale determination with stereoscope	1
4.	Interpretation of satellite imagery and aerial photograph	1
5.	Determination of Parallaxes in images	1
6.	Demonstration on GPS; Provision of Ground Control by GPS in different mode	1
7.	Introduction to digital image processing software	1
8.	Introduction to GIS software	1
9.	Data input; Data editing and Topology creation -Digitization of point, line & polygon features	
10.	SRTM & CARTO DEM download from web and Georeferencing of an image	1
11.	Delineation of Watershed, DEM generation: slope, Aspect, flow direction, Flow accumulation, Drainage, network and morphometric analysis	2
12.	LULC by supervised classification and LULC by unsupervised classification	1
13.	Application of Remote Sensing data and GIS for water quality parameters	
14.	Temporal satellite data analysis for vegetation condition, crop water requirement calculation	1
15.	Erosion mapping using aerial and satellite Data	1
	Total	17

X. Suggested Reading

- Ian HS, Cornelius and Steve C. 2002. *An Introduction to Geographical Information Systems*. Pearson Education, New Delhi.
- James BC and Randolph HW. 2011. *Introduction to Remote Sensing*. The Guilford Press.
- Lilles TM and Kiefer RW. 2008. *Remote Sensing and Image Interpretation*. John Wiley and Sons.
- Paul Curran PJ. 1985. *Principles of Remote Sensing*. ELBS Publications.
- Rees WG. 2001. *Physical Principles of Remote Sensing*. Cambridge University Press.

I. Course Title : Climate Change and Water Resources

II. Course Code : SWCE 508

III. Credit Hours : 3+0

IV. Aim of the course

To acquaint students about the concept of climate change and its impact on surface and ground water resources. To understand adaptation and mitigation strategy under climate change scenario.

V. Theory**Unit I**

The climate system: Definitions, climate, climate system, climate change. Drivers of climate change, characteristics of climate system components: Greenhouse effect,



carbon cycle, wind systems. Trade winds and the Hadley Cell, ozone hole in the stratosphere, El Nino, La Nina– ENSO, teleconnections.

Unit II

Impacts of climate change: Observed and projected, global and Indian scenario, observed changes and projected changes of IPCC: Impacts on water resources, NATCOM Report, impacts on sectoral vulnerabilities, SRES, different scenarios, climate change impacts on ET and irrigation demand.

Unit III

Tools for vulnerability assessment: Need for vulnerability assessment, steps for assessment, approaches for assessment. Models: Quantitative models, Economic models, impact matrix approach, Box models, Zero-dimensional models, Radioactive-convective models, Higher-dimension models, EMICs (Earth-system models of intermediate complexity), GCMs (global climate models or general circulation models), Sectoral models.

Unit IV

Adaptation and mitigation water: Related adaptation to climate change in the fields of ecosystems and biodiversity, agriculture and food security, land use and forestry, human health, water supply and sanitation, infrastructure and economy (insurance, tourism, industry and transportation), Adaptation, vulnerability and sustainable development.

Unit V

Sector specific mitigation: Carbon dioxide capture and storage (CCS), bio-energy crops, biomass electricity, hydropower, geothermal energy, energy use in buildings, land-use change and management, cropland management, afforestation and reforestation. Potential water resource conflicts between adaptation and mitigation. Implications for policy and sustainable development.

Case studies: Water resources assessment case studies: Ganga Damodar Project, Himalayan glacier studies, Ganga valley project. Adaptation strategies in assessment of water resources. Hydrological design practices and dam safety, operation policies for water resources projects. Flood management strategies, drought management strategies, temporal and spatial assessment of water for irrigation, land use and cropping pattern, coastal zone management strategies.

VI. Learning outcome

The students will be able to understand climate change concept particularly on surface and ground water. Students can have in depth knowledge about adaptation and mitigation strategies in respect of climate change.

VII. Lecture Schedule

S.No.	Topic	No. of Lectures
1.	Definitions- climate, climate system, climate change; Drivers of climate change	3
2.	Climate system and its components; wind systems, carbon cycle, Greenhouse effect, Trade winds and the Hadley Cell, ozone hole in the stratosphere, El Nino, La Nina– ENSO, teleconnections	3
3.	Climate scenarios- SRES, RCP, Scenario based observed and projected climate changes in Indian and global context	3



S.No.	Topic	No. of Lectures
4.	IPCC projected climate change impacts on water resources, NATCOM Report-impacts on ET and irrigation demand	3
5.	Vulnerability assessment: Need, steps for assessment, approaches for assessment	2
6.	Models: Quantitative models, Economic models, impact matrix approach, Box models, Zero-dimensional models, Radioactive-convective models, Higher-dimension models, EMICs (Earth-system models of intermediate complexity), GCMs (global climate models or general circulation models), Sectoral models	4
7.	Adaptation to climate change in the fields of ecosystems and biodiversity, agriculture and food security, land use and forestry, human health, water supply and sanitation, infrastructure and economy (insurance, tourism, industry and transportation)	4
8.	Sector specific mitigation: Carbon dioxide capture and storage (CCS)	2
9.	Sector specific mitigation: bio-energy crops, biomass electricity, hydropower, geothermal energy, energy use in buildings	2
10.	Sector specific mitigation: land-use change and management, cropland management, afforestation and reforestation	2
11.	Potential water resource conflicts between adaptation and mitigation	2
12.	Implications for policy and sustainable development.	2
13.	Case studies- Ganga Damodar Project, Himalayan glacier studies, Ganga valley project	5
14.	Adaptation strategies in assessment of water resources- Temporal and spatial assessment of water for irrigation, land use and cropping pattern	2
15.	Adaptation strategies in assessment of water resources- Hydrological design practices and dam safety, operation policies for water resources projects	3
16.	Flood management strategies, coastal zone management strategies.	3
	Total	45

VIII. Suggested Reading

- Majumdar PP and Nagesh KD. *Floods in a Changing Climate: Hydrological Modelling*. Cambridge University Press, New York.
- Pathak H, Agarwal PK and Singh SD. *Mitigation in Agriculture: Methodology for Assessment and Application*. Division of Environmental Sciences, IARI New Delhi.
- Rao YS, Zhang TC Ojha, Gurjar BR, Tyagi RD, Kao CM (eds). *Climate Change Modelling, Mitigation, and Adaptation*. American Society of Civil Engineers.
- Srinivasa RK and Nagesh KD. *Impact of Climate Change on Water Resources with Modelling Techniques and Case Studies*. Springer publications, New York.
- Tamim Y and Caitlin AG. *Climate Change and Water Resources*. Springer Publication.

I. Course Title : Numerical Methods in Hydrology

II. Course Code : SWCE 509

III. Credit Hours : 2+0

IV. Aim of the course

To acquaint students about the concept of linear space, triangular and quadrilateral shape functions, isoparametric elements and transformation of coordinates.