

## ST.JOSEPH'S COLLEGE FOR WOMEN (AUTONOMOUS), VISAKHAPATNAM

VIII SEMESTER  
PH8405(4)  
w.e.f. 20AH Batch

**PHYSICS**  
**MODERN OPTICS (Skill Oriented)**  
**SYLLABUS**

TIME:3Hrs/week  
Max.Marks:100

### Course Objectives:

- ❖ *To provide students with the knowledge of the interaction of radiation with matter, working principles of lasers and their applications, non-linear optics, holography, Fourier optics, fiber optics, and their applications in modern optics.*

### Course Outcomes:

- ❖ *Upon the successful completion of the course, students will be able to:*
- ❖ *C01: Explain the interaction of radiation with matter through time-dependent perturbation theory, Quantum electrodynamics, and creation and annihilation operators.*
- ❖ *C02: Describe various concepts of lasers, threshold conditions for laser oscillation, working of various lasers and applications.*
- ❖ *C03: Outline basic principles of non-linear optics, optical mixing, and self-focusing of light guided wave optics and pulse compression.*
- ❖ *C04: Discuss recording and reconstruction of holograms, basics of Fourier optics, and Fraunhofer diffraction.*
- ❖ *C05: Summarize the principles, modes and configuration of optical fibers, fiber materials and fabrication, properties, and applications of optical fibers in communication and medicine.*

## SYLLABUS

### UNIT– I: Interaction of Radiation with Matter

8Hrs

Time dependent Perturbation Theory, Electric Dipole interaction-Quantum electrodynamics, - creation and annihilation operators- Fock states-Quantation of the field-Zero Point Energy- Coherent-state description of the electromagnetic field-interaction of radiation with matter.

### UNIT–II: Lasers

7 Hrs

Introduction to lasers – Spontaneous and stimulated emission – Laser beam properties – Einstein coefficients – Population inversion – Pumping schemes – Losses in laser radiation – Threshold condition for laser oscillation – Laser cavity - Q factor– different experimental methods – Ruby laser- He-Ne laser– Argon ion laser– CO<sub>2</sub> laser–Laser applications.

### **UNIT-III: Non-Linear Optics**

**7 Hrs**

Basic Principles – Origin of optical nonlinearity - Harmonic generation – Second harmonic generation–Phase matching condition–Third harmonic generation– Optical mixing–Parametric generation of light – Parametric light oscillator – Frequency up conversion – Self focusing of light–Guided wave optics-Pulse compression -Optical solutions.

### **UNIT-IV: Holography and Fourier Optics**

**8Hrs**

Introduction to Holography- Recording and reconstruction of Hologram– Speckle pattern–Frenel and Fourier transform Holography– Applications of Holography- Introduction to Fourier optics – Two-dimensional Fourier transforms – Transforms of Dirac-delta function- Fraunhouffer diffraction

### **UNIT-V: Fiber Optics**

**8 Hrs**

Total internal reflection - Optical fiber modes and configuration – Single mode fibers – Graded index fiber structure – Fiber materials and fabrication – Mechanical properties of fibers – Attenuation - Erbium doped fiber amplifiers – Solitons in optical fibers - Block diagram of fiber optic communication system –Applications of optical fibers in communication and medicine.

### **List of Activities:**

1. Assignments
2. Student Seminars
3. Applications related to theory

### **Recommended Books**

1. Lasers and Non-Linear Optics, B. B. Laud, Wiley Eastern Ltd.,1983
2. Optics,E.Hecht,AddisonWiley,1974

3. Laser Fundamentals –By William T. Silfvast. , Cambridge University Press

**Reference Books**

1. Introduction to Modern Optics, G.R. Fowels,2012

2. LasersandtheirApplications,M.J.Beesly,TaylorandFrancis,1976

3. Optical Fiber Communications,G.Keiser,McGrawHillBook,2000

4. Optical Physics by Stephen G Lipson, Ariel Lipson, Henry Lipson, Cambridge University Press