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| Year & Sem:<br>E3S2   | Course Code:<br>CH5101 | Course Name: <b>Nano Technology</b> | No. of Credits: 4 | L<br>2 | T&PS<br>2 | P<br>0 |
| <p><b>Unit I: Introduction:</b> History and Scope, Can Small Things Make a Big Difference? Classification of Nanostructured Materials, Fascinating Nanostructures, Applications of Nanomaterials, Nature: The Best of Nanotechnologist, Challenges and Future Prospects.</p> <p><b>Unit II: Unique Properties of Nanomaterials: Microstructure and Defects in Nanocrystalline Materials:</b> Dislocations, Twins, stacking faults and voids, Grain Boundaries, triple and disclinations. <b>Effect of Nano-dimensions on Materials Behavior:</b> Elastic properties, Melting Point, Diffusivity, Grain growth characteristics, Enhanced solid solubility. <b>Magnetic Properties:</b> Soft magnetic nanocrystalline alloy, Permanent magnetic nanocrystalline materials, Giant Magnetic Resonance, Electrical Properties, Optical Properties, Thermal Properties and Mechanical Properties.</p> <p><b>Unit III: Synthesis Routes: Bottom up approaches:</b> Physical Vapor Deposition, Inert Gas Condensation, Laser Ablation, Chemical Vapor Deposition, Molecular Beam Epitaxy, Sol-gel method, Self assembly, <b>Top down approaches:</b> Mechanical alloying, Nano-lithography. <b>Consolidation of Nanopowders:</b> Shock wave consolidation, Hot isostatic pressing and Cold isostatic pressing Spark plasma sintering.</p> <p><b>Unit IV: Tools to Characterize nanomaterials:</b> X-Ray Diffraction (XRD), Small Angle X-ray scattering (SAXS), Scanning Electron Microscopy (SEM), Transmission Electron Microscopy (TEM), Atomic Force Microscopy (AFM), Scanning Tunneling Microscope (STM), Field Ion Microscope (FEM), Three-dimensional Atom Probe (3DAP), Nanoindentation.</p> <p><b>Unit V: Applications of Nanomaterials:</b> Nano-electronics, Micro- and Nano-electromechanical systems (MEMS/NEMS), Nanosensors, Nanocatalysts, Food and Agricultural Industry, Cosmetic and Consumer Goods, Structure and Engineering, Automotive Industry, Water-Treatment and the environment, Nano-medical applications, Textiles, Paints, Energy, Defence and Space Applications, Concerns and challenges of Nanotechnology.</p> <p><b>References/Text Books:</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Text Book of Nano Science and Nano Technology – B.S. Murthy, P. Shankar, Baldev Raj, B.B. Rath and James Munday, University Press-IIM.</li> <li>2. Introduction to Nanotechnology – Charles P. Poole, Jr., and Frank J. Owens, Wiley India Edition, 2012.</li> <li>3. Nano: The Essentials by T. Pradeep, McGraw-Hill Education.</li> <li>4. Nanomaterials, Nanotechnologies and Design by Michael F. Ashby, Paulo J. Ferreira and Daniel L. Schodek</li> <li>5. Transport in Nano structures- David Ferry, Cambridge University press 2000</li> <li>6. Nanofabrication towards biomedical application: Techniques, tools, Application and impact – Ed. Challa S., S. R. Kumar, J. H. Carola.</li> <li>7. Carbon Nanotubes: Properties and Applications- Michael J. O'Connell.</li> <li>8. Electron Transport in Mesoscopic systems - S. Dutta, Cambridge University press.</li> </ol> |                        |                                     |                   |        |           |        |