

Diploma in Automobile Engineering



Course Code: 025010303

Automobile Powertrain

Programme / B	Branch Name		Diploma in Automobile Engineering			
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Course Type	HSSC	BSC	ESC	PCC	OEC	PEC

Legends: HSSC: Humanities and Social Sciences Courses BSC: Basic Science Courses

ESC: Engineering Science Courses
OEC: Open Elective Courses
PCC: Program Core Courses
PEC: Program Elective Courses

1. Teaching and Evaluation Scheme

Teaching Hours / Week			Evaluation Scheme						
L	Т	P	Total Teaching Hours	Total Credit	CA CCE SEE SEE (PR)				Total
3	0	2	5	4	10	40	50	50	150

Legends: L: Lectures T: Tutorial P: Practical

CA: Continuous Assessment (Attendance + Activity)

CCE: Continuous & Comprehensive Evaluation

SEE (Th): Semester End Evaluation (Theory)
SEE (Pr): Semester End Evaluation (Practical)

2. Prerequisite

✓ Physics

3. Rationale

The course aims to impart basic skills for understanding of different types of transmission layouts, components of transmission system along with its working principle and recent advancements in Automobile Powertrain.

4. Objectives

- ✓ Penetrate deep into classification of different types of powertrain layouts.
- ✓ Grasp the importance of clutch and its actuating mechanisms.
- ✓ Understand the working and types of gear box and Transaxle used in Automobile
- ✓ Understand the necessity of Propeller shaft assembly in Rear-wheel-drive vehicles.
- ✓ Understand the Rear Axle Assembly.



5. Contents

Unit No.	Unit Name	Topics	Learning Outcome	% Weightage	Hours
1.	Introduction to Automobile Powertrain	 1.1 Power flow layout from engine to wheels in front wheel drive, rear wheel drive and four-wheel drive. 1.2 Different types of chassis layout. 1.3 Different types of frames. 1.4 Constructional details of frameless chassis. 1.5 Lubrication of chassis. 	Grasp the basics of Powertrain layouts and types of chassis used in Automobile.	15	5
2.	Clutch	 2.1 Necessity of Clutch. 2.2 Principle of Clutch. 2.3 Different types of clutches used in Automobile. 2.4 Different types of clutch actuating mechanisms used in Automobile. 2.5 Construction and functions of fluid coupling. 	Understanding necessity, types, construction and working of Clutch used in Automobile	20	10
3.	Transmission	 3.1 Necessity of Gearbox in Automobile. 3.2 Construction of different types of Gears used in Automobile Gearbox. 3.3 Construction and working of Sliding mesh, Constant mesh and Synchromesh Gearbox 3.4 Gear Shifting mechanism. 3.5 Introduction and basics of Automatic Transmission. 3.6 Construction and Working of Torque Converter used in Automatic Transmission. 3.7 Construction and Working of Overdrive. 	Describe the construction and working of different types of gearboxes used in Automobile	25	15
4.	Propeller Shaft and Universal Joints	4.1 Necessity of Propeller Shafts, Universal Joints and Slip Joints.	Describe construction and working of propeller shaft assembly.	20	4

		 4.2 Construction & working of various types of propeller shafts. 4.3 Construction & working of various types of universal joints. 4.4 Construction & working of slip joints. 			
5.	Rear Axle Assembly	 5.1 Necessity of final drive 5.2 Types of final drive. 5.3 Construction & working of final drive. 5.4 Necessity of differential 5.5 Construction & working of differential. 5.6 Differential Lock Mechanism. 5.7 Function of axle housing 5.8 Types of axle housing 5.9 Types of axle mounting. 	Understanding rear axle assembly and its constructional as well as functional details.	20	8

Total Hours 42

6. Suggested Specification Table for Evaluation Scheme

Unit	Linit Nama		Distribution of Topics According to Bloom's Taxonomy						
No.	Unit Name	R %	U %	App %	C %	E %	An %		
1.	Introduction to Automobile Powertrain	40	40	20	0	0	0		
2.	Clutch	25	50	25	0	0	0		
3.	Transmission	30	70	0	0	0	0		
4.	Propeller Shaft and Universal Joint	40	40	20	0	0	0		
5.	Rear Axle Assembly	30	50	20	0	0	0		

Legends: R: Remembering U: Understanding

App: Applying C: Creating E: Evaluating An: Analyzing



7. List of Practicals / Exercises

Sr. No	Practical / Exercises	Key Competency	Hours
1	Demonstrate construction and working of Powertrain layout of Vehicle driveline.	Draw the different layouts of powertrain for front wheel drive, rear wheel drive and four-wheel drive along with understandability of power flow from Engine to Wheels.	2
2	Demonstrate construction and working of Single plate clutch and multi-plate clutch.	Identify different parts of Single Plate Clutch and Multi-plate Clutch. Understanding of Engaging and Disengaging process of Single Plate Clutch and Multi-Plate Clutch. Different components responsible for engaging and disengaging clutch.	2
3	Demonstrate construction and working of different clutch actuating mechanisms.	Identify different parts of Clutch actuating mechanism. Understanding of Clutch actuating mechanism for two wheelers and four wheelers. Understanding Clutch pedal free play and adjustments.	2
4	Demonstrate construction and working of Sliding mesh and Constant mesh gear box	Identify different components of Sliding Mesh Gearbox and Constant Mesh Gearbox. Understanding Power flow in Sliding mesh and Constant mesh gearbox. Different types of gears used in different transmission.	2
5	Demonstrate construction and working of Synchromesh gear box	Identify different components of Synchromesh Gearbox. Understanding speed synchronization of two gears. Materials used for manufacturing synchronizing ring, synchronizing sleeve and Gears.	2
6	Demonstrate construction and working of Automatic Gearbox.	List out and identify different components used in Automatic Transmission. Role of Torque Converter in Automatic Transmission. Integral components of Torque Converter. Understanding Epicyclic Gear train of Automatic Gearbox.	2
7	Demonstrate functions of propeller shaft and universal joint.	Understanding the construction and working of propeller shaft. Role of Universal Joint and Slip Joint in Propeller shaft assembly. Understanding different types of universal joints as per its constructional details.	2
8	Demonstrate construction and working of Conventional Differential	Understanding the construction and working of Conventional Differential. Understanding role of differential when vehicle is moving on straight path. Role of differential to attain speed difference of inner and outer wheels while taking turn.	2
9	Demonstrate construction and working of Limited Slip Differential and Differential Lock.	Understanding the construction and working of Limited Slip Differential. Techniques used for Differential Lock and different types of mechanisms used for differential lock.	2
10	Demonstrate construction and working of types of Axle Housing and Axle Mountings.	Understanding the construction and working of different types of axle housing and axle mounting used in passenger as well as commercial vehicles.	2

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Total Hours

8. Reference Books

- 1) Automobile Engineering Vol. I by Dr. Kirpal Singh, Standard Publishers (Text Book)
- 2) Automobile Engineering by R.B Gupta, Satya Prakashan
- 3) Automobile Engineering Vol II by Anil Chhikara, Satya Prakashan
- 4) Transmission and Power Train by William Crouse and Donald Anglin, Tata McGraw Hill
- 5) Automobile Technology by N.K Giri, Khanna Publishers
- 6) Automotive Mechanics by S. Srinivasan, Tata McGraw Hill
- 7) Automotive Power Transmission Systems by YI Zhang and Chris MI, Wiley Publications

9. Open Sources (Website, Video, Movie)

- 1) https://www.youtube.com/c/TheAutomotives
- 2) https://theautomobileengineers.blogspot.com/
- 3) http://nptel.ac.in/
- 4) https://www.youtube.com/c/LearnEngineering
- 5) http://www.learnerstv.com/
- 6) http://auto.howstuffworks.com/
- 7) https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=rb3_suXXbxY
- 8) https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=WeLm7wHvdxQ
- 9) https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=yYAw79386WI
- 10) https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=6DL0j0eKD8Y
- 11) https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=u_y1S8C0Hmc
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- 13) https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=WwMYGF2avrs
- 14) https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mWtFkEwF61I
- 15) https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ZN6xHc7Nz-E
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- 19) https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=FTiJAdJjsqA
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