

Department of Water Resources Engineering

College of Engineering

University of Salahaddin-Hawler

Subject: Design of Earth dams

Course Book - (Year 4)

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Course Book

1. Course name	Docian of Earth dams	
	Design of Earth dams	
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3. Department/ College	Dams & Water Resources Engineering/college of	
	Engineering	
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5. Time (in hours) per week	Theory: 2	
	Practical: 2	
6. Office hours	10	
7. Course code		
8. Teacher's academic	I am graduated in 2012 B.ScDams and water Resources	
profile	Engineering at Salahaddin University and I did my M.Sc. in	
	2016-in water Resources and Dam Engineering at	
	Salahaddin University. Since 2016 till now I used by	
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	university of Salahaddin-college of engineering. During my	
	work I taught (Fluid mechanic lab, Engineering drawing,	
	Dams engineering II). In 2017 I attended an international	
	conference holed in university of salahaddin-college of	
	engineering	
9. Keywords	Course subject, conference	

10. Course overview:

This course provides a comprehensive design of earth dam which include dam body and outlet works. In addition, a complete design of several types of spillway was taken among them Ogee spillway and side channel spillway. Also, most types of stilling basin are designed. It very important to introduce the basic principle of design of earth dams spillway components for students and major issues that may be arisen. During the course several software were utilized to check slope stability and seepage analysis.

The subject matter is arranged into the following main parts:

Earth Dam

Foundation for earth dam

Control seepage through dams

Control seepage through foundations

Drainage in earth dams

Slope stability

Selection of types of earth dams

Maintenance and treatment of common troubles in earth dams

Design of earth dams

Spillways

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Required capacity Types of spillways Design of ogee spillway

11. Course objective:

A course focuses on the design earth dam and its components including spillway, outlet works and energy dissipators. During the course several engineering programs were utilized for slope stability and seepage analysis. Students work in teams at class to solve the problems. In addition, students should do a complete design of an earth dam as homework at the end of the course.

To learn students how to:

- -Treat different types of foundation
- -lintroduce types of earth dam and selection types for the proposed location
- -Seepage analysis for different types of earth dam
- -To introduce different methods for slope stability.
- Introduces different type of spillway, design each of them separately.
- The function of energy dissipators and hydraulic design

As a result of this course, students should be able to:

- -Solve the weakness point of different types of foundation
- -Control of seepage through foundation and dam body using different techniques
- -Analysis of stability of side slopes of earth dam during different conditions
- -Complete design of earth dam with outlet works with sketches
- -Design deferent types of spillway including Ogee type, side channel spillway and free dropped spillway.

12. Student's obligation

However, under graduate education mainly stands on the teacher's role in the class to discuss the subject for student but students have a role in some situation. The responsibilities of under graduate students are: ready in the class at the specified time of the lecture and listen to the lecturer. Bring all the instruments and books that are required for the lecture. Participate in the discussion from the class and activities. Ask any question related to the subject if they don't understand or miss understand from the lecture. Some activities during the lecture should be doing with team work all students should be participated. At the end of each chapter home works is given to students including detail design of the structure or drawing of the structure or solution of a problem, each student should do them alone. Students should attend the lectures; the allowable absence during the year is 10% of total hours. Minimum four home works should be submitted during the year, Three to Four quizzes are required during the year.

13. Forms of teaching

To achieve the objectives of the course following forms and techniques will be followed during teaching process:

- 1- Power point presentation for discuss the theoretical part of the lecture.
- 2-White board will be used to explain theories, equations, solve problems and draw the structures in the class.
- 3- Real images and video films will be used to simplify the shape of structures for the students
- 4- Examples will be solved in the class through team work.

14. Student learning outcome:

At the end of the course, the students can:

- a. Treatment any problem from different type of foundation
- b. Control seepage through the foundation and dam body
- c. Analysis of side slopes during different critical condition
- d. Design of bottom outlet
- e. Design of ogee, side channel and free dropped spillway
- f. Design different types of stilling basin

15. Course Reading List and References

References

- 1. Varshney and Gupta (1983) "Theory & Design of Irrigation Structure". Fifth edition, Vol.2, India.
- 2. Khatsuria, R. M. (2005) "Hydraulics of Spillway and Energy Dissipators". Marcel Dekker, New york.
- 3. Das, M.M. and Saikia, M.D., 2009. "Irrigation and water power Engineering". PHI Learning Pvt. Ltd.
- 4. Arora, K.R., 2002. "Irrigation, water power and water resources engineering". Standard Publisher Distributors.
- 5. Reclamation, U.B.O., 1987. "Design of small dams". Water Resources Technical Publication.

16. The Topics:	Lecturer's name
Dam Engineering II	Yaseen W. Aziz
- Introduction to Earth Dams and Types of Foundation	2 weeks
- Seepage analysis and slope stability	4 weeks
- Design of earth dam	3 weeks
- Outlet works	3 week
- Spillways	2weeks
17. Practical Topics (If there is any)	
In this section The lecturer shall write titles of all practical topics	Lecturer's name
he/she is going to give during the term. This also includes a brief	ex: (3-4 hrs)
description of the objectives of each topic, date and time of the	

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lecture	ex: 14/10/2015
18. Examinations:	
No comments	
19. Extra notes:	
No comments	
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This course book has to be reviewed and signed by a peer. The peer approves the contents of your course book by writing few sentences in this section.

(A peer is person who has enough knowledge about the subject you are teaching, he/she has to be a professor, assistant professor, a lecturer or an expert in the field of your subject).

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