



# Course Title: PhD Coursework (Syllabus) in Mathematics (2023-24)

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## Fluid dynamics Credit 4

### **Unit 1: Hydro Dynamics: (Marks-20)**

General Orthogonal curvilinear coordinate, gradient of scalar point function, Divergent and curl of vector point function in orthogonal curvilinear coordinate system with deduction in different coordinate system, Eulerian and Lagrangian methods of describing fluid motion, Material, local and convective derivative, differential equations of stream line and path lines, Euler and Lagrange equation of continuity, Physical significant of equation of continuity.

### **Unit2: Navier Stokes Equation: (Marks-20)**

Similarity Principle and dimensional analysis, with applications, Physical importance of non-dimensional Parameters, important non-dimensional co-efficients in the dynamics of viscous fluids, Lubrication theory, Idea of singular and regular Perturbation, Method of multiple scales adopted in solving singular Perturbation problems.

### **Unit-3: Heat transfer in fluid: ( Marks-20)**

Idea of thermal boundary layer, free and forced convection energy equations, theory of similarity in heat transfer the thermal boundary layer equation in two dimensional flow, Exact

solutions for the problem of temperature distribution in a viscous flow (Coutte flow, Poiseuille flow through channel with flat walls and Poiseuille flow through circular pipe). Effect of Prandtl number free convection from a hot vertical plate, thermal energy integral equation.

**Unit-4 : Magneto-hydrodynamics: ( Marks-20)**

Introduction, Maxwell's Electromagnetic field equation. Equation of motion of a conducting fluid. Rate of flow of charge. The magnetic Reynolds number, Alfven's theorem. The magnetic body force, Laminar flow of a Viscous conducting fluid between parallel walls in transverse magnetic field. Hartmann problem, Equation of continuity of charge, Magnetic Induction Equation.

**Text Books:**

1. Laminar boundary layers . edited by I. Rosenhead.
2. Boundary layer theory by H. Schlichting, McGraw-Hill pub Co.
3. Perturbation technique, in fluid Mechanics by Milton Von Dyke, Academic press.
4. A text Book of Fluid Dynamics by F. Charlton, CBS.
5. Fluid Dynamics, 3<sup>rd</sup> edition, Schaum's Series.
6. Fluid Dynamics by M.D. Raisinghnia S. Chand.