

Course Specifications

Programme(s) on which the course is given: Post-Graduate (Hydro-Petroleum)
Major or Minor element of programmes: Major
Department offering the programme: Geology
Department offering the course: Geology
Academic year / Level: 00/ Post-Graduate
Date of specification approval:

a- Basic Information

Title: Advanced Hydrogeology

Code: G674

Credit Hours: 2 Credit Hours
Hours

Lecture: 2 Credit

Tutorial: 2

Practical: -

Total: 2 Credits

b- Professional Information

1 – Overall Aims of Course:

- a- Explore and develop the basic principles, concepts and ideas in groundwater mechanics and movements.
- b- Apply ideas of groundwater hydrogeology with other tenets from geology.
- c- Develop arguments to support conclusions and apply reasoning skills to scientific methods

2 – Intended Learning Outcomes of Course (ILOs)

a-Knowledge and Understanding: By the end of this course, the student should be able to:

- a1- Learn to effectively communicate orally and through written Ideas, arguments and solution in either formal and informal setting (Communication) .
- a3- Acquire the relation between groundwater resources and demands.

b-Intellectual Skills: By the end of this course, the student should be able to:

- b1- Calculate recharge and discharge rates .
- b2- Classify recharge and discharge elements.
- b3- Apply the appropriate solution technique leading groundwater problems .

d-General and Transferable Skills: By the end of this course, the student should be able to:

- d1- Interpret the results of hydrogeological studies.
- d2- Work as a part of team.
- d3- Solve hydrogeology problems.

3. Contents

Topic	Credit hours	Lecture
Review of Hydrology/ groundwater occurrences/ aquifer parameters	2	2
Fluid mechanics and groundwater movement	2	2
Well hydraulics	2	2
Pumping tests	2	2
Pumping test data analyses /Steady state/ unsteady state	2	2
Case study (Nubian sandstone in Western desert)	2	2
Project presentation	2	2
Total	28	28

4 – Teaching and Learning Methods

4.1- lectures.

5- Student Assessment Methods

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| 5.1- Regular written exam. | to assess a1, a2 |
| 5.2- Mid-term exam. | to assess a2, c1 |
| 5.3- At the end of term exam. | to assess a1-a2, b1-b2, c1-c2 |
| 5.4- Reports and discussions | to assess d1-d2 |

Assessment Schedule

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| Assessment 1: short exam (class activities) | every two weeks. |
| Assessment 2: mid-term (written) | week 7 |
| Assessment 3: final-term (written) | week 14- 15 |

Weighting of Assessments

Written

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| Mid-Term Exam: | 20% |
| Written Final-term Exam: | 60% |
| Semester Work (including reports, oral and discussion): | 20% |
| Total: | 100% |

6- List of References

- 6.1-** Course Notes: Prepared by staff members
- 6.2-** Essential Books (Text Books):
 - Fetter, C. W. (2001): Applied hydrogeology
 - Surface hydrogeology
- 6.3-** Recommended Books:
 - Geology and water
- 6.4-** Periodicals, Web Sites, ... etc
 - Journal of hydrogeology

7- Facilities Required for Teaching and Learning

Data show, lab instruments, field trip

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