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COURSE OUTLINE

Course Title! WOOD HANDLING S PREPARATION

Code- No • J PPE 100-2

Program: PULP % PAPER TECHNOLOGY

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Wood Handling % Preparation is the first pulp and paper course tak by students entering the Pulp % Paper Technology Program. The course is designed to provide the student with a theoretical background of the flo; and process steps of woody raw materials leaving the forest or sawmill ai entering the pulping process.

The course explores f orest harvesting » log and chiP transPort ? economics of transportation, wood yard measurements, pulp wood identification and the effects of wood defects on wood yard procedures arl pulping processes. The course topics will provide background material fJ specialized Pulp and Paper courses in subseauent semesters.

METHOD QE ASSESSMENT 1GRADING MEIHQDlt

Student will be graded on the basis of their performance on four (^ tests to be held at appropriate intervals during the semester. Each te will be worth 25% of the final mark on the course. The test on PUIP WOOL identification will rectuire 75% as a passing mark* Grades will be assist as follows!

- A -• 80+ %
- B - 70-79%
- c -• 55-69%
- n •- 55%

Students with an R grade and who have at least an average of i0% will be permitted to write a supplemental test.

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There is no sui.table textbook for the course A short list o l reading references will be provided.

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OBJECTIVES

Upon completion of the course the student will*

- 1, Be able to trace the flow of woody raw materials (logs chips and ho fuel) from the forest to the beginning of the pulping process.
2. Obtain an understanding of the importance of transportation networks methods and their costs to the economics of the pulping Process.
- 3* Be familiar with wood handling and preparation equipment and process used in the North American PULP industry*
4. Will know the theory of volumetric and weight scaling of woody raw materials*
- 5* Be able to identify selected Ontario pulpwood species on the basis a-gross wood and bark features*

NATURE OF EXPERIMENTATION

Each meeting is designed to last 2 hours. In most cases this time w. spent as 3 lecture or demonstration using visual aids. Some field trip appropriate locations will be held to allow students to observe wood han. and preparation equipment in use. Brief reports on the field trips will required.

COURSE TOPICS

Week	topics. Covered
1	INTRODUCTION TO WOOD HANDLING AND PREPARATION
	- Course outline
	- Grading and evaluation
	- Field trips
	- Historical background
& 3	FOREST HARVESTING
	- Manual methods
	• - Mechanical methods
	• - Limitations
	- Forest processing

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Week	OBJECTIVES Covered
4 S 5	LOG TRANSPORTATION <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Road transport - Rail transport - Water transport WOOD RESIDUE TRANSPORT <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Chips - Hog fuel ECONOMICS OF TRANSPORT <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Effect of distance - Effect of topography - Effect of transport mode
8 X 9	WOOD YARD MEASUREMENT <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •- Quantity of wood - Volume and weight scaling
10	WOOD IDENTIFICATION <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Selected Ontario pulpwoods - Gross wood features - Gross bark features
11	DEFECTS AND THEIR EFFECT ON PROCESSES <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Decay - Crook and sweep - Dirt
12-16	WOOD YARD PROCEDURES <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Skidding to bolts - Debarking - Chipping - Screening - Hog fuel - Storage and reclamation - Transport in the mill yard

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- Reference 1 • Brill? K * W. ed. ? Handbook of P. ul E & Ea Eei ^ I e e h n o l o g a ? 2nd Edition? Van Nostrand? New York? 1970.
- Reference 2. Macdonald? R.6. % Franklin? J.N* eds. » Ibe Euleing Qf Wood Pulp % Paper Manufacture series? Vol. 1? McGraw-Hill? New York? 1969.

SEECIEIC IQE'ICS AS INDICATED*

Pulpwood harvesting		9 1 ...
Pulpwood measurement		12 5-
		76-
Pulpwood handling		109-
Preparation of pulpwood	9	"7 '7 _.
Wood yard layout	9	80-
Wood preparation plant	2	84-
Pulpwood storage % conveying	2	101-
Fire protection* logs		108-
		143-
Chipping chips		109-
Chip handling % conveying	2	121-
Chip storage	0	139-

NOTEt This is not an exhaustive list of reference reading Other inster
 may be assigned or made available es appropriate.