# ACS COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING

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# DEPARTMENT OF AEROSPACE **ENGINEERING**

**NEWSLETTER – (2021-22)** 



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# **ABOUT AEROSPACE DEPARTMENT**

The Department of Aerospace Engineering was established in year 2017 under VTU, Belagavi. The course is approved by AICTE, New Delhi. Our Department aims to provide talented, motivated and competent students with Aerospace engineering curriculum of the highest quality, that will enable them to reach the global standard.

# **VISION**

The Aerospace Department seeks to nurture creativity among the students for shaping the next generation of aerospace systems.

# **MISSION**

**M1**.To provide capable, motivated, and high quality aerospace engineering students, that will enable them to reach their maximum potential in the technological world.

**M2**.To significantly advance the knowledge of the students and integrate them in aerospace related disciplines.

M3.To perform research that is timely and of importance to society, which coincide with relevant interests in the engineering community and the community at large.





# **FACULTY DETAILS**

PARTICULARS	QUANTITY
TEACHING FACULTY	11
NON TEACHING FACULTY	03
COMPLETED Ph. D	04
PURSUING Ph. D	01
M.E/M.TECH/M.S	0 <b>6</b>

# **STUDENT DETAILS**

PARTICULARS	QUANTITY
I –YEAR	46
II – YEAR	<b>3</b> 8
III – YEAR	49
IV –YEAR	38
Total	<b>1</b> 71

#### **DEPARTMENT LABORATORIES**

- Aerodynamics Laboratory
- Propulsion Laboratory
- Structures Laboratory
- Energy Conversion Laboratory
- Mechanical Measurements and Metrology Laboratory
- Machine shop laboratory
- Design, Modeling and Analysis Laboratory
- Simulation Laboratory
- Foundry and Forging Laboratory
- Metallography and Material Testing Laboratory
- Avionics and Instrumentation Laboratory
- IRNSS Laboratory
- Navigation and Space research lab

# **DEPARTMENT LABORATORIES**



#### **AERODYNAMICS LABORATORY**

This lab is having a Low Speed Subsonic Wind Tunnel with maximum velocity of 20 m/sec in the rectangular test section. It is used for measurement of pressure distribution over airfoils, determination of boundary layer over flat plate, flow visualization over delta wing model etc.

#### **PROPULSION LABORATORY**

The laboratory facilitates various experiments related to heat transfer, combustion, multiphase flow, propulsion and thermal engineering. The students can work with many flow, pressure and temperature measuring sensors/ associated data acquisition systems of industrial standards for their experiments.



### **STRUCTURES LABORATORY**

Objective of this lab is to reinforce the concepts of aerospace structures/mechanics of structures, which pose significant application in Aerospace Engineering. Wide range of experimental options using Column buckling apparatus, Unsymmetrical bending / shear Centre and cantilever beam apparatus etc., are made available in this lab.

#### **ENERGY CONVERSION LABORATORY**

This lab will help students to see how energy can be converted from one form to another. Students will observe the loss in useful energy as a result of such a conversion and measure the efficiency for such conversions.



#### **DEPARTMENT LABORATORIES**



#### **MEASUREMENTS & METROLOGY LAB**

The purpose of this laboratory is; to familiarize students with laboratory measuring devices, to study the measurements methods, to learn proper measuring techniques through simple measurements and to learn to express the results of calculations

#### **MACHINE SHOP LAB**

Students learn how to use different machines and are trained on developing various models. Understand integral parts of lathe, shaping and milling machines and various accessories and attachments used.



#### **DESIGN, MODELING & ANALYSIS LAB**

This is a lab where the students get opportunity to familiarize various modelling, drafting and analysis software packages such as AutoCAD, CATIA, SOLIDWORKS, Autodesk Hypermesh, etc. The design and analysis experience gained through CAD lab mould our students capable of contributing meaningfully in the design/analysis of payload/satellite structures in various space projects at institute level.

#### **SIMULATION LABORATORY**

This laboratory deals with simulation and Estimation of the aircraft performance for various flight maneuvering conditions and atmospheric condition. The aircraft performance analysis is carried out with the MATLAB code, developed based on flight mechanics analytical expressions. This lab will provide a hands on experience for the students to work on various design features of aircraft for achieving and enhancing specific flight mission requirements.



#### **DEPARTMENT LABORATORIES**



#### **FOUNDRY & FORGING LAB**

To provide an insight into different sand preparation and foundry equipment. To provide an insight into different forging tools and equipment and arc welding tools and equipment. To provide training to students to enhance their practical skills in welding, forging and hand moulding.

#### **MATERIAL TESTING LAB**

Material testing lab is used to perform destructive testing of different kind of materials and make the students to get the experience the mechanical characteristics of sample materials on first-hand basis.



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#### **AVIONICS & INSTRUMENTATION LAB**

Flight simulator is an advanced training platform focuses on general aviation which forms the basic building block for students/trainees. Learn & practice the concept of manoeuvring, navigation under visual or instrument flight conditions. Digital Avionics Radio stack gives the best training environment to practice radio and Flight navigation procedures

#### **IRNSS LABORATORY**

IRNSS lab is having two multi-constellation receivers used for monitoring GPS and IRNSS signals round the clock. The received signal is used for IRNSS Navigation Receiver Field Trail and Data Collection.



#### **CUT SECTIONAL AIRCRAFT ENGINES**

# Tumansky R – 25 – 300 Series Supersonic Jet Engine



The Russian Tumansky R-25-300 Series Engine was built under license by HAL in India for MIG 21 BIS fleet aircraft. It is a supersonic jet engine with straight flow. The engine is having a feature of axial flow turbo jet engine with increased overall pressure ratio and airflow. It has a twin spool axial flow 8 stage compressor which comprises of 3 stage low pressure compressor and 5 stage high pressure compressors. The engine is having 10 can annular type combustion chambers.

# 14 Cylinder Radial Aircraft Engine



The **Pratt & Whitney R-1830 Twin Wasp** is an American air-cooled radial aircraft engine. Twin WASP 2 Row 14 Cylinder Radial Engine is air cooled with Turbo Super Charger. Power Rating is 1350 HP at 2800 RPM at 2000 ft height. Engine is driven with a 3 Bladed Hamilton Standard Propellers through a 16:9 reduction gear. The engine was fitted on B-24 Bomber Aircraft used by US Navy for patrolling, anti-shipping and anti-submarine bombing mission.

#### **RESEARCH EQUIPMENTS DETAILS**

#### **Multi View GNSS Receiver**



# **UPCOMING FACILITY DETAILS**

# **Supersonic Wind Tunnel**



- Nozzles with Mach numbers 2 & 2.5
- Test Section Size 100mm (H) 100mm (W) 300mm(L)
- Schlieren setup with 6inch diameter parabolic mirrors and DSLR camera
- Computerised DAQ with Lab view analysis software, 8 channel data acquisition
- Steady state run time = 30 seconds (maximum)

# MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING SIGNED BY THE DEPARTMENT

S.No	Company/Organization/ Institution Name	Signed on	Validity
1.	Memorandum of Understanding with "SS Technologies, Bangalore"	12th July 2019	3 Years
2.	Memorandum of understanding with "Accord Software and Systems, Bangalore"	17th October 2019	5 Years
3.	Memorandum of understanding with "SANDI, Bangalore"	24th January 2020.	5 Years
4.	Memorandum of Understanding with "BridgeNow Academy, Bangalore"	08th June 2020	5 Years
5.	Memorandum of Understanding with "Ray Dynamics, Coimbatore"	29th December 2020	5 Years
6.	Memorandum of understanding with "Shanlax Journals, Madurai"	5th February 2021	5 Years
7.	Memorandum of understanding with "Unique Lab Equipment's, Chennai"	22nd September 2021	5 Years
8.	Memorandum of understanding with "Barathi Enterprises, Chennai"	12th October 2021	5 Years
9.	Memorandum of understanding with "EdgeOpt, Thanjavur"	04th February 2020	5 Years
10.	Memorandum of understanding with "Aerolance, Marathahalli"	22nd June 2021	5 Years

# MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING SIGNED BY THE DEPARTMENT



**MOU with Accord Software and Systems** 

# PROGRAMME ORGANIZED IN THE DEPARTMENT

S.No	PROGRAMME
1	Quiz competition on "Basic Engineering and its Sciences" in association with COSMOS Explorer for First year Students – 16.11.2021
2	Guest Lecture on Integrated Avionic System – 16.12.2021
3	Technical Seminar on Applications of Drones and HAPS and Possible role of AI / Robotics – 17.12.2021
4	Hands on Training in Flight Simulator – 17.12.2021
5	Industrial Visit to Exhibition of Defence Products for General Public & Students to Commemorate AZADI KAAMRIT MAHOTSAV, Bengaluru – 18.12.2021
6	Math Quiz event on National Mathematics Day – 22.12.2021
7	Technical Seminar on Practical aspects of Gas Turbine Design Process – 23.12.2021
8	Webinar on Internship. Project and Job Opportunities for Aerospace and Aeronautical Students – 12.01.2022

# PROGRAMME ORGANIZED IN THE DEPARTMENT

S.No	PROGRAMME
9	Webinar on Awareness on Designing Software in Aerospace Engineering – 19.01.2022
10	Inaugural ceremony of Flight Simulator and Technical talk on Infrastructure and Sustainability focus areas at Airport – 16.02.2022
11	Motivational Speech – 26.02.2022
12	Innovative Projects Contest – National Science Day Celebration – 08.03.2022
13	Awareness session on Healthy Youth – Healthy Planet – World Health Day Celebration – 07.04.2022
14	Career Guidance Program on Aerospace Design – 12.04.2022
15	Seminar on Accomplishments in Space research and Applications – Global and Indian Scenario – 19.04.2022
16	Webinar on Career Prospects and Challenges in Airlines –International Pilot Day Celebration – 26.04.2022

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S.No	PROGRAMME
17	Technical talk on Career Prospects and Hands on training in UAV Design – 13.05.2022
18	Technical training on Aerospace Vehicle Design Tools – 27.05.2022
19	Technical talk on Jet Engines – 01.06.2022
20	Seminar on "Space Communication – A Practical Perspective" – 10-06-2022
21	Study Overseas – Options for Aerospace and Aeronautical Engineering – 8.7.2022
22	Mini Project Exhibition and Presentation - 28.7.2022







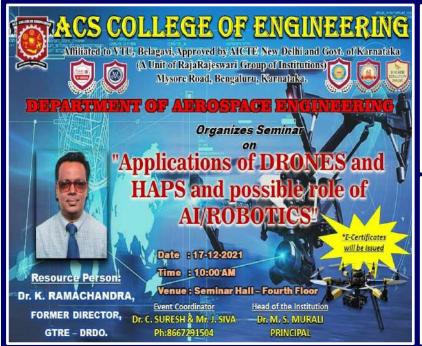
Quiz on "Basic Engineering and its Sciences" – 16-11-2021







Guest Lecture on "Integrated Avionics System" – 16-12-2021



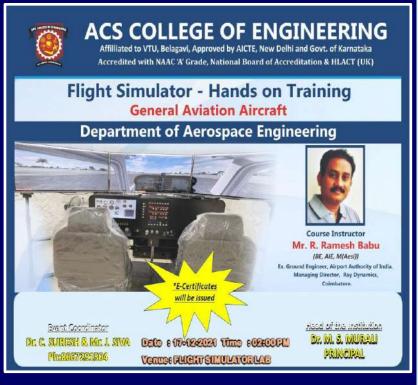




Seminar on "Applications of Drones and HAPS and possible role of AI/Robotics" – 17-12-2021







Hands on Training in "Flight Simulator" - 17-12-2021



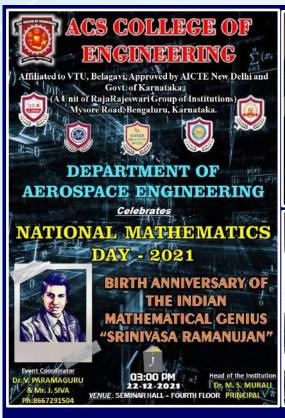
Industrial Visit to "Exhibition of Defense Products for General Public & Students to Commemorate AZADI KA AMRIT MAHOTSAV" at Bengaluru – 18-12-2021











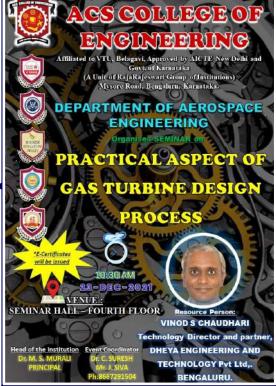




Quiz Program in the event of National Mathematics Day – 22-12-2021







Technical Seminar on "Practical Aspects of Gas Turbine Design Process" – 23-12-2021







Webinar on "Internship, Project and Job Opportunities for Aerospace and Aeronautical Students" – 12-01-2022



Webinar on "Awareness on Designing Software in Aerospace Engineering" – 19-01-2022











# Inaugural ceremony of Flight Simulator and Technical Talk on "Infrastructure & Sustainability Focus areas at Airport" – 16-02-2022







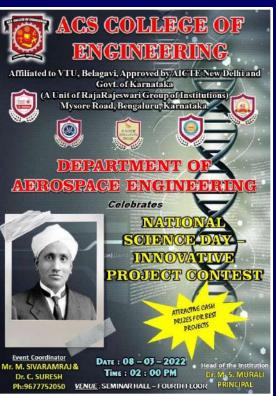


















# Webinar on "Innovative Project Contest in the event of National Science Day" – 08-03-2022





First Prize won by the project
"Spark Induced Missile Launcher"
done by Lakshmi, Megha and
Poorvi M



Second Prize won by the project "Chandrayan II - PRAGYAN ROVER" done by Prajwal K, Parikshith, Darshan R and Amith Balakrishna.



Second Prize won by the project "Ingenuity Helicopter" done by Sujith Kumar V, Kuntaiah Raghavendra Krishna, Sanjay C and Athish Jeevan Yadav.



Motivational Speech given by Mr. O. R. AshwinChandar, Scientist F, ASL, Hyderabad – 26-02-2022







Webinar on "Healthy Youth-Healthy Planet" in view of world Health Day celebration" – 07-04-2022

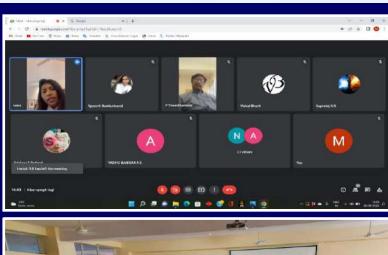


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Webinar on "Career Prospects and Challenges in Airlines – Commercial Pilot License" – 26-04-2022







Technical Talk on "Career aspects and Hands on training in UAV design" – 13-05-2022







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Seminar on "Space Communication – A Practical Perspective" – 10-06-2022











Inaugural ceremony of "Tumansky Supersonic Jet engine and Pratt & Whitney Radial Engine Cut Sections" and Technical Talk on "Jet Engines" – 01-06-2022













Seminar on "Study Overseas – Options for Aerospace and Aeronautical Engineering" – 08-07-2022









MINI PROJECT EXHIBITION AND PRESENTATION - 28.7.2022





# STUDENT'S CO- CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES





**Students participated in Airship Regatta & Competition 2022** 

# **NSS ACTIVITIES**







# **AICTE ACTIVITIES**









# **AICTE ACTIVITIES**







# STUDENT PROJECT WORK

S.No	PROJECT DETAILS
1	Ice accretion analysis and De-icing on a Aircraft/UAV
2	Ice accretion analysis and De-icing on a Helicopter
3	Calculation of calorific values for different solid shapes and combination of propellants.
4	Small UAV design and development
5	Airfoil / wing shape optimization for Defence UAV
6	Ionospheric Studies using GNSS data
7	Prediction of ice accretion in aircraft by using surrogate model.
8	Preparation of composite materials for aerospace applications.

# **Funded Projects**

S.No	PROGRAMME	Duration	Amount Sanctioned
1	Conceptual Aerodynamic Design of Expendable attack UAV	2021-2022	9,58,990/-
2	Design and Optimization of Air Intake for 155mm Ramjet Projectile	2021-2022	9,63,470/-
3	Estimation of Aerodynamic Parameters from Telemeter Flight Data of Flight Vehicle in Matlab Environment	2021-2022	9,64,390/-
4	Estimation of Aerodynamic parameters from Telemeter Flight Data of UAV	2021-2022	9,67,493/-
5	AI and ML based forecasting model for prediction of Ionospheric TEC and EQ using GNSS data	2022-2024	7,25,000/-
6	Aerodynamic prediction code for canard controlled missile	2022-2024	14,81,726/-
7	Computational Identification and prediction of Covid-19 using AI and ML	2019-2020	90,000/-
8	Surrogate Model for Ionospheric Studies using IRNSS/GPS data	2017-2019	11,12,000/-

# STAFF ACHIEVEMENT

S.No	PUBLICATIONS
1	R. Mukesh, M. Vijay and D. Venkata Ratnam "Analysis of TEC values predicted by OKSM amongst low, mid and high latitude stations during X 9.3 Solar Flare", Astrophysics and Space Science, <b>Springer</b> , 80-2021, https://doi.org/10.1007/s10509-021-03986-8. <b>ISSN: 1572-946X. (IF: 1.830).</b>
2	<b>R. Mukesh</b> and M. Vijay "Analysis of Ionospheric TEC variations due to X, M & C Class Solar Flares during the years 2003 to 2018 and comparison with IRI models", Geomagnetism and Aeronomy, <b>Springer</b> , Accepted on 31.5.2022. <b>ISSN: 1555-645X. (IF: 0.701).</b>
3	<b>R. Mukesh</b> and M. Vijay "Influence of input parameters for prediction of GPS and IRNSS TEC by using OKRSM at Hyderabad Stations during solar flare event", Acta Geophysica, <b>Springer</b> , 70-2022, https://doi.org/10.1007/s11600-021-00712-4. <b>ISSN</b> : 1895-7455. ( <b>IF: 2.058</b> )
4	C. Suresh, "Study and Characteristics of Ordinary concrete structure with granite dust" Materials Today, 2022.
5	J. Siva, C. Suresh and V. Paramaguru, "Aerodynamic Investigation of Double Surface Airfoil" ACS Journal for Science and Engineering, 2021.
S.No	PROGRAMME/PRESENTATIONS
1	Mr. M Sivaramraj participated in 5 days FDP in Internet of things on Aerospace Engineering conducted by AICTE.
2	Dr V Paramaguru participated in National Level Webinar & Quiz on "World Environment Day 2021" - 28 July 2021" organised by Department of Production Engineering, AISSMS College of Engineering, Pune.
3	Mr. M. Vijay participated in 5 days FDP in Applications of Machine Learning Algorithms in Aerospace Engineering conducted by RV College of Engineering.
4	Dr V Paramaguru participated in IP Awareness/Training program under NATIONAL INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY AWARENESS MISSION.
5	Dr V Paramaguru participated in 5 days virtual workshop on "Design and Development of Aero Propulsive Components using AxSTREAM Software" Organized by the Department of Aeronautical Engineering, Bannari Amman Institute of Technology, Tamilnadu.
6	Dr V Paramaguru completed a 30 days course in Master Class on Artificial Intelligence at Pantech Prolabs India Pvt. Ltd.

#### **PLACEMENT DETAILS - 2021**



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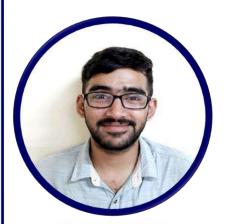
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**SNEHA SINGH** 1AH18AS029 **INFOSYS** 







**SWETHA SHREE S** 1AH18AS032 **FACE** 





**PRAJWAL P N** 1AH19AS400 **BYJU'S** 





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#### **MEMBERSHIP OF PROFESSIONAL BODIES**

S.No	PROFESSIONAL BODIES
1.	Dr. R. Mukesh, Professor is a member of IEEE, SAE and RAS
2.	Dr. C. Suresh, Associate Professor is a member of ISTE and IEI.
3.	Dr. V. Paramaguru, Associate Professor is a member of ISTE and IEI.

#### **CLASS TOPPERS**

**BATCH I RANK II RANK III RANK** 

# **II YEAR**

2019 - 2023



**POORVI M U** 1AH20AS022



PRATHEEKSHA M 1AH20AS024



**SRUJANA C** 1AH20AS032

# **III YEAR**

2018 - 2022



**DSRIYA** 1AH19AS011



**VEETHASMI A KUMAR** 1AH19AS047



1AH19AS034

# **IV YEAR**

2018 - 2022





