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Paper Code: PH02EFRM02	Total Credit: 4
Title Of Paper: Ergonomic Work Place Analysis	Total Credit: 4

Unit	Description in detail	Weightage (%)
I	Introduction to Ergonomics	
	Definition, History and Applications of Ergonomics.	
	Biomechanics - definition, scope and application	
	Anthropometry- definition, scope and application.	
II	Environmental Risk Factors at Workplace	
	Heat and Cold Stress	
	Lighting and Noise	
	Psychosocial	
III	Controlling Risk Factors at Workplace	
	Engineering Controls	
	Administrative Controls	
	Personal Protective Equipments	
	System Improvements	
IV	Identifying Risk Factors at Workplace	
	Screening for Risk Factors	
	Describing Task	
	Collecting Information	
	Setting Priorities	
V	Work Place Analysis (EWA)	
	Nordic Musculoskeletal Questionnaire (NMQ)	
	Dutch Musculoskeletal Questionnaire (DMQ)	
	Ovaku Working Posture Analyzing System.(OWAS)	
	Postural Evaluation Tools: Rapid Upper Limb Assessment (RULA) and Rapid	
	Entire Body Assessment (REBA).	
	Measurement of Work Effort and Fatigue: Borg Ratings of Perceived Exertion	
	Scale and Muscle Fatigue Assessment method.	
	Ergonomic Consideration for the Physically Challenged.	

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