

**DEPARTMENT OF COMPUTER SCIENCE**

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**B.A. Curriculum**  
(Computer Science Core Papers  
Under CBCS)

Revised Curriculum  
For Academic Session 2016-17  
onwards

w.e.f. 2016

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## PROGRAMME STRUCTURE

Year : Semester	Course	Course Title	L-T-P	Credit	Max. Marks
II: Sem-III	BCA3.1	Computer Fundamentals	3-0-2	4	100
II: Sem IV	BCA4.1	Multimedia Applications	3-0-2	4	100
III: Sem-V	BCA5.1	Introduction to DBMS	3-0-2	4	100
III: Sem-VI	BCA6.1	Website Design and Management	3-0-2	4	100
			<b>Total</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>400</b>

**Note:** L-T-P stands for Lecture-Tutorial-Practical respectively and prescribes minimum contact periods /week for respective courses.

# DETAILED SYLLABI

## BCA 3.1: COMPUTER FUNDAMENTALS

### OBJECTIVES :

- *To inculcate the basic understanding of computer organization and internal operations.*
- *To apprise of the information management scenario, scope and computer utility.*
- *To equip with necessary MS-Office skills for office management practices.*

**UNIT I:** Introduction to Computer; Generations of computers; System unit - CPU, Primary and Secondary storage devices; Bus structure; I/O devices, Keyboard, Pointing Devices, Display Devices, and Printers; Number systems - Decimal, Binary, Octal, and Hexadecimal number systems, Conversion of bases, Complement notations, Binary Arithmetic, Binary Codes, Alphanumeric, and ASCII.

**UNIT II:** Programming Languages - Machine Language, Assembly Language, High Level Language, Object Oriented Language; Problem Solving approaches - Algorithm, Flow charts, Decision tables & Pseudo codes.

**UNIT III:** System Software, Assemblers, Translators, Interpreters, Compilers, Operating Systems and their functions, Operating systems for desktop PCs, servers, handheld PCs; Application software, utility programs and their tasks. Introduction to MS-Word, MS-Excel, and MS-Powerpoint and their features.

✦ *Lab Skills: MS Office (MS-Word, MS-Excel, and MS-Powerpoint)*

### \*Text Resources

- Charles S. Parker (2013) , Understanding Computers: Today and Tomorrow, Comprehensive, Cengage Publication, India
- Rajaraman (2008), Fundamentals of Computers, Prentice Hall of India

## BCA 4.1: MULTIMEDIA APPLICATIONS

### OBJECTIVES

- *To inculcate the basic understanding of digital multimedia infrastructure and building blocks.*
- *To apprise of the various effective and usage-worthy multimedia representation techniques.*
- *To equip with necessary Macromedia Flash skills for developing multimedia applications.*

**UNIT I:** Introduction to Multimedia, Font and faces, Text in Multimedia, Multimedia and Hypermedia, Multimedia Software Tools, Multimedia Authoring and related tools, Overview of Virtual Reality Modeling Language (VRML).

**UNIT II:** Graphics/Image Data Representations; Graphics/Image Data Types: Bit Images, Bit Gray-Level Images, Image Data Types, Bit Color Images, Color Lookup Tables (LUTs); File Formats: GIF, JPEG, PNG, etc., Color Science - Light and Spectra, Human Vision, Image Formation, etc.

**UNIT III:** Video, Video Signals and their types, Analog Video, Digital Video, Digital Audio, Digitization of Sound, Musical Instrument Digital Interface (MIDI), Animation.

✦ **Lab Skills:** Macromedia Flash

### \*Text Resources\*

- Vaughn (2011), Multimedia – Making it Work, Tata McGraw Hill
- Ze-Nian Li and Mark S. Drew (2011), Fundamentals of Multimedia, Indian edition, PHI

## BCA 5.1: INTRODUCTION TO DBMS

### OBJECTIVES

- *To introduce the basic database concepts, types, dimensions and applications.*
- *To apprise of the RDBMS techniques, scope, design and applications.*
- *To equip with necessary MS-ACCESS skills for designing databases and utilities.*

**UNIT I:** Data, Database, and Database Management System (DBMS); DBMS vs. Traditional File System; Three-Schema Architecture of DBMS and Data Independence; Classification of DBMS – Hierarchical, Network and Relational Database Systems; Database Languages and Interfaces; Database Users, Actors and Workers.

**UNIT II:** Database Models; Categories of Database Models; Entity Relationship (ER) Model: Basic Concepts and their representations – Entity, Entity Type and Entity Set; Attributes and their types, Keys, Relationships and their Types; Structural Constraints; Weak Entity; Naming Conventions & Design Issues in ER Model; ER Diagrams.

**UNIT III:** Relational Database Model, Structure of Relational Model; Domains, Attributes, Tuples, and Relations; Characteristics of Relations; Relational Constraints – Domain Constraints, Key Constraints, Entity Integrity, and Referential Integrity Constraints; Relational Database Schema and Views.

✦ **Lab Skills:** MS-Access

### **\*Text Resources\***

- Elmasri & Navathe (2009), Fundamentals of Database Systems, Pearson Education
- Joyce Cox and Joan Lambert (2011), Microsoft Access 2010, Step by Step, Microsoft Press, PHI.
- Ivan Bayross (2006), SQL, PL/SQL – The Programming Language of Oracle, 3rd Ed., BPB Pub.

## BCA 6.1: WEBSITE DESIGN & MANAGEMENT

### OBJECTIVES

- *To introduce the website components, architecture, design issues/patterns & Management.*
- *To introduce website design tools.*
- *To equip with necessary skills for developing and managing small websites.*

**UNIT I:** Web Basics and Overview; Networking; Introduction to Internet, Growth of Internet, Universal Resource Locator (URL), World Wide Web (WWW); Internet Applications/Services: e-mail, Telnet, FTP etc.; Domain Name System; Types of Web Content; Web Hosting; Domain Registration, Name Servers, Host Information; Web Development Process, Web Pages; HTTP and HTTPS.

**UNIT II:** Introduction to HTML/XHTML, History of HTML; Elements, Entities and Attributes of HTML/XHTML; Headings, Paragraphs, Whitespace, Line Wrapping and Inline Elements; Presentation Styles - Colors, Text Fonts; Lists and their Styles; Tables, Hyperlinks, Images and Maps.

**UNIT III:** Introduction to Forms; Form Processing - Text Input, radio buttons, check boxes, Submit Buttons, File Uploading, Other input Elements; Tabbing Order; Form Layout; CGI Overview.

✦ **Lab Skills:** Development of Website using HTML/ XHTML.

### **\*Text Resources\***

- Paul S. Wang and Sanda Katila ( 2011), An introduction to web design and programming, Cengage Learning
- Steven Holzner (2009), HTML Black Book, DreamTech Press
- Web Resource: <http://www.w3schools.com>