Module No.	Unit No.	Topics	Hrs.
1.0		**Introduction to Optical Components and Networks**	**06**
	1.1	OPTICAL Components - Couplers, Isolators and Circulators, Multiplexes and Filters Optical Amplifiers. Transmitters, Detectors, Switches, Wavelength Converters	
	1.2	OPTICAL Networks - Telecommunication networks, First generation optical networks, Multiplexing techniques, Second generation optical networks, System and network evolution	
2.0		**Optical Networks Architecture**	**08**
	2.1	SONET/SDH, Computer interconnects, MANS, Layered architecture for SONET and second generation networks.	
	2.2	Broadcast and Select Networks – Topologies for Broadcast Networks, Media-Access Control Protocols,	
	2.3	Operational principle of WDM, WDM network elements and Architectures, Introduction to DWDM, Solitons	
3.0		**Packet Switching and Access Networks**	**08**
	3.1	Photonic Packet Switching – OTDM, Multiplexing and Demultiplexing,	
	3.2	Synchronization, Broadcast OTDM networks, Switch-based networks	
	3.3	Access Networks – Network Architecture overview, Future Access Networks,	
	3.4	Optical Access Networks Architectures; and OTDM networks	
4.0		**Wavelength Routing Networks**	**10**
	4.1	Optical layer, Node design, Network design and operation, routing and wavelength assignment architectural variations	
	4.2	Optical Network Routing Principles - Impairment Aware Routing Optical Circuit Switching ,Optical Packet Switching Optical Burst Switching	
	4.3	Energy Awareness in Optical Networking ,Network Modeling Tools Network Design Guidelines	
5.0		**Design of Optical Networks**	**10**
	5.1	Core Optical Networks, Metro Optical networks, Access Optical Networks	
	5.2	Wavelength Routing and Assignment, Traffic Grooming and Protection, Multilayer Network Structure	
	5.3	Transmission system model, power penalty-transmitter, receiver optical amplifiers, crosstalk, dispersion, wavelength stabilization	
6.0		**Virtual topology, Network Control and Management**	**06**
	6.1	Virtual topology design problem, Combines SONET/WDM network design, an ILP formulation, Regular virtual topologies,	