

M.SC. SYLLABUS

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***School of Mathematics, Statistics and Computational
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Scheme and Detailed Syllabus (2020-21)***

Scheme of M.Sc. Computer Science (Artificial Intelligence)

The details of the courses with code, title and the credits assign are as given below.

Course Category: CC: Compulsory Course, EC: Elective Course, AECC: Ability Enhancement Compulsory Course

Course Code: First 3 Characters (Departmental Code), First digit (Course level), Next 2 digits (Serial of the course).

First Semester

S.No.	Course Code	Course Title	Course Category	Credit	Contact Hours		
					L	T	P
1	CSC-401	Introduction to Artificial Intelligence	CC	3	3	0	0
2	CSC-402	Logic in AI	CC	4	4	0	0
3	CSC-403	Probability & Statistics	CC	4	4	0	0
4	CSC-404	Advanced Algorithms	CC	3	3	0	0
5	CSC-405	Professional Communication	CC	2	2	0	0
6	CSC-406	Artificial Intelligence Lab	CC	1	0	0	2
7	CSC-407	Advanced Algorithms Lab	CC	1	0	0	2
8	CSC-408	Programming Language Lab	CC	2	0	0	4
9	CSC-481	Society	AECC	1	0	0	2
			Total Credits	21			

Second Semester

S.No.	Course Code	Course Title	Course Category	Credit	Contact Hours		
					L	T	P
1	CSC-409	Neural Networks	CC	3	3	0	0
2	CSC-410	Machine Learning	CC	3	3	0	0
3	CSC-411	Combinatorial Optimization	CC	4	4	0	0
4		Elective-1	EC	4	4	0	0
5		Elective-2	EC	3	3	0	0
6	CSC-412	Research Seminar	CC	1	0	2	0
7	CSC-413	Neural Networks Lab	CC	1	0	0	2
8	CSC-414	Machine Learning Lab	CC	1	0	0	2
9	CSC-482	Fitness	AECC	1	0	0	2
			Total Credits	21			

Third Semester

S.No	Course Code	Course Title	Course Category	Credit	Contact Hours		
					L	T	P
1	CSC-501	Data Mining	CC	3	3	0	0
2	CSC-502	Information Retrieval and Web search	CC	4	4	0	0
3	CSC-503	Soft Computing	CC	3	3	0	0
4		Elective-3	EC	3	3	0	0
5		Elective-4	EC	3	3	0	0
6	CSC-504	Mini Project	CC	2	0	0	4
7	CSC-505	Data Mining Lab	CC	1	0	0	2
8	CSC-506	Soft Computing Lab	CC	1	0	0	2
			Total Credits	20			

Fourth Semester

S.No	Course Code	Course Title	Course Category	Credit	Contact Hours		
					L	T	P
1.	CSC-507	Project Work in Industry or Institution (16 week)	CC	20	0	20	20
			Total Credits	20			

List of Electives

First Year		Second Year	
Course Code	Subject Title	Subject Code	Subject Title
CSC-431	Web Technologies	CSC-531	Programming in Java
CSC-432	Cloud Computing	CSC-532	Dot Net Technologies
CSC-433	Grid Computing	CSC-533	Compiler Design
CSC-434	Ad-hoc Networks	CSC-534	Computing for Data Science
CSC-435	Digital Image Processing	CSC-535	Software Defined Networks
CSC-436	Parallel Processing	CSC-536	Mobile Computing
CSC-437	Natural Language Processing	CSC-537	Human Computer Interaction
CSC-438	High Performance Computing	CSC-538	Fractal Theory
CSC-439	Game Theory	CSC-539	Software Agents and Swarm Intelligence
CSC-440	Internet of Things		

Semester I

CSC-401: INTRODUCTION TO ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE

Prerequisites to course:

Discrete Mathematics, Software Engineering

Objectives & Outline of the course: -

The objective of the course is to present an overview of artificial intelligence (AI) principles and approaches. Develop a basic understanding of the building blocks of AI as presented in terms of intelligent agents: Search, Knowledge representation, inference, logic, and learning. Students will implement a small AI system in a team environment. The knowledge of artificial intelligence plays a considerable role in some applications students develop for courses in the program.

1. To have a basic proficiency in a traditional AI language including an ability to write simple to intermediate programs and an ability to understand code written in that language.
2. To have an understanding of the basic issues of knowledge representation and blind and heuristic search, as well as an understanding of other topics such as minimax, resolution, etc. that play an important role in AI programs.
3. To have a basic understanding of some of the more advanced topics of AI such as learning, natural language processing, agents and robotics, expert systems, and planning.

UNIT 1: Introduction: Introduction to AI, Historical Development, Turing Test. Problem Solving, Search Algorithms, State-space and Solution Space Search, State space as graph- state v/s node; Evaluating Search Strategies- Time, Space, Completeness, Optimality.

Uninformed search: Breadth First Search, Depth First Search, Iterative Deepening Search, Bi-directional Search, Uniform Cost Search.

UNIT 2: Informed search: Best First Search, Heuristic Search, A* Search, Admissible heuristic, Consistent heuristic, optimality and admissibility, IDA* search, Weighted A* search and inconsistency. Hill Climbing, Local Search, Simulated Annealing, local beam search and Genetic Algorithm.

Adversarial search: Adversarial Search and Game Playing, Min-max Algorithm, Alpha-beta pruning, partially observable games, stochastic games.

UNIT 3: Constraint satisfaction problems: Introduction to CSPs, Constraint Networks, Binary and non-binary constraints, qualitative and quantitative CSPs, Consistencies- Local and global consistencies; Constraint propagation and

generalizations – Related Methods: backtracking search; dynamic programming; variable elimination; Handling Spatial and Temporal constraints.

AI planning: Introduction, complexity, PDDL, Domain Independent Planning, Domain Description, PDDL (syntax), forward vs. backward search, planning graph. Graph Plan,

UNIT 4: Probabilistic reasoning: Uncertainties in AI; Markov random fields; Markov networks; Baye's Theorem; Bayesian networks – Concepts, Representation and Inference; Hidden Markov Model and Dynamic Bayesian Network. Dempster-Shaffer Framework of Evidential Reasoning

BOOKS

1. Artificial Intelligence: A Modern Approach (third Edition): S. Russel and P. Norvig.
2. Artificial Intelligence: Foundation of Computational Agents: D Poole and AMckworth.

Outcomes:-

Upon successful completion of the course, the student will be able to:

- Design a knowledge based system.
- Explain what constitutes "Artificial" Intelligence and how to identify systems with Artificial Intelligence.
- Ability to apply Artificial Intelligence techniques for problem solving.
- Use classical Artificial Intelligence techniques, such as search algorithms, minimax algorithm, and neural networks.
- Have read and analyzed important historical and current trends addressing artificial intelligence.

CSC-402 LOGIC IN ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE

Objectives & Outline of the Course:

After completion of this course students will be able to model a statement mathematically. The purpose of this course is to prepare strong mathematical foundation for the courses of Artificial Intelligence,

UNIT 1: Introduction to Logic; Classical logic: review of FOL and Propositional Logic; Logical agents. Propositional Logic: Wumpus World, Syntax and Semantic of Propositional Logic, Propositional Inference, Entailments, Truth Table Method, Normal Forms, Soundness, and Completeness. Implicates/implicates, Knowledge Compilation; Refutation Completeness SAT-Boolean Satisfiability; different approaches to SAT problems and its variants .

UNIT 2: First-Order Logic – inferences in First Order logic – forward chaining – backward chaining – unification – resolution. Knowledge representation concepts; entailment, inference, monotonicity, etc. Other Knowledge Representation Schemes.

UNIT 3 : Non-monotonic Logic and application of Non-monotonic Reasoning. Default Logic Modal Logic. Verification and Model Checking, Linear-Temporal Logic, Program verification.

UNIT 4: Modal logics & application. Uncertainties in logic.

BOOKS:

1. Arindama Singh, Logic for Computer Science.

Learning Outcomes:

- Propositional Logic
- Semantic entailment, Normal form, completeness, soundness, satisfiability
- First Order Logic
- Chaining-unification-resolution
- Non-monotonic logic
- Verification and model checking
- Modal logics & Applications

CSC-403: PROBABILITY AND STATISTICS

Objectives & Outline of the Course:

- To provide students with a formal treatment of probability theory.
- To equip students with essential tools for statistical analyses.
- To foster understanding through real-world statistical applications.

UNIT 1: Probability Theory: Axioms of Probability theory, Probability Spaces, Conditional Probability, random variables

UNIT 2: Probability densities, joint densities, marginal densities, conditional densities Expectation and covariances, Bayesian probabilities, Gaussian distribution.

UNIT 3: Decision theory, Introduction to information theory, Exponential family of distribution Nonparametric methods .

UNIT 4: Descriptive statistics, presentation of data, averages, measures of variation. Elementary probability, binomial and normal distributions. Sampling distributions. Statistical inference, estimation, confidence intervals, testing hypotheses, linear regression, and correlation.

BOOKS

1. Probability and Computing, by Michael Mitzenmacher and Eli Upfal, Cambridge University Press
2. Christopher M. Bishop. Pattern Recognition and Machine Learning, Springer, 2006. (For first two chapters)
3. Artificial Intelligence: A Modern Approach (third Edition): S. Russel and P. Norvig.

Learning Outcomes: At the end of the course students can be able to

- Develop problem-solving techniques needed to accurately calculate probabilities.
- Apply problem-solving techniques to solving real-world events.
- Apply selected probability distributions to solve problems.
- Present the analysis of derived statistics to all audiences.

CSC-404: ADVANCED ALGORITHMS

Course Outline:-

Advanced Algorithm is seen as an empirical thoughts of design and analysis course which is a fundamental and important part of computer science. This course introduces students to advanced techniques for the design and analysis of algorithms, and explores a variety of applications which cover several advanced topics like P,NP Complete problems, Btree, Fibonacci heaps, Disjoint sets, hashing, network design, algorithms in machine learning, internet algorithms, and nearest neighbor algorithms. It also boost various useful ideas, including randomization, probabilistic analysis, amortized analysis, competitive analysis, eigenvalues, high dimensional geometry, and random walks etc.

Course objectives:

The course is designed to train the graduates in:

- Advanced topics in algorithm.
- To develop concept, ideas for any problem.
- To be enable to formalize with theoretical computer algorithms.

Course Contents:

Unit-I: Design Paradigms Overview: Overview of complexity notations, Divide and Conquer method, Greedy and Dynamic Programming, Backtracking, Branch and Bound, Max Flow Problem, String Matching etc.

Unit-II: Randomized Algorithms and Parallel Algorithms: Randomized Algorithms: Las Vegas and Monte Carlo algorithms, Applications on graph problems, Finger Printing, Pattern Matching, Primality testing algorithm. Parallel Algorithms: Introduction, Models, speedup and efficiency, sorting, merging, and searching etc. in parallel, parallel sorting networks, Odd-Even, Bitonic etc.

Unit-III: Approximation Algorithms: Introduction, Combinatorial optimization, approximation factor, PTAS, FPTAS, Approximation algorithms for vertex cover, set cover, TSP, subset-sum problem etc., Analysis of the expected time complexity of the algorithms.

UNIT-IV: Theory of NP- Hard and NP-Complete Problems:

Definitions of P, NP, NP-Hard and NP-Complete Problems, Optimization and Decision Problems, Reducibility, Cook's Theorem, Satisfiability problem, NP completeness reductions examples.

Text/References:

1. Introduction to Algorithms: T.H. Cormen, C.E.Leiserson and R.L. Rivest
2. Fundamentals of Algorithmics : G.Brassard and P.Bratley
3. Approximation Algorithms: Vijay V.Vazirani
4. Randomized Algorithms: R. Motwani and P.Raghavan
5. Parallel Computing: Theory and Practice: M. J. Quinn
6. Introduction to Parallel Computing: T. G. Lewis and H. El-Rewini

Course Outcomes:

Graduates after completing the course shall gain:

- Ability to understand algorithms.
- Ability to develop concepts, logics towards solving a unknown problem in IT and research.
- Ability to get formalizes theoretical concepts of computer algorithms.

CSC-405 -PROFESSIONAL COMMUNICATION

Outline

The course has been designed keeping in mind the communicative needs of the students as lack of proficiency and fluency of students is one of the major barriers in getting employment in the job market.

Objectives

The objectives of the course are:

- to make the student proficient and fluent in speaking
- to enable the student to comprehend what is spoken and written
- to ensure that they become fast readers
- to make them handle basic correspondence effectively
- to enhance their vocabulary base

Course Content:-

Grammar and Vocabulary:Tenses, subject–verb agreement.Sentence Analysis: Simple, Compound and Complex sentences.Phrases: Adjective, Adverb and Noun Phrase, Clauses: Adjective, Adverb and Noun Phrase. Voice, Narration, Gerund, Participle.

Oral Communication:

Listening Skill – Active listening, Barriers to active listening. Speaking Skill-Stress patterns in English, Questioning skills, Barriers in Speaking. Reading Skill-Skimming, Scanning, Intensive reading, linking devices in a text, Different versions of a story/ incident.

Written communication:

Writing process, paragraph organization, writing styles.Types of Writing - Technical vs. creative; Types of technical writing, Scientific Writing:Writing a Scientific Report Soft Skills: Body Language– Gesture, posture, facial expression. Group Discussion– Giving up of PREP, REP Technique.

Presentation Skills:

(i) How to make power point presentation (ii) Body language during presentation (iii) Resume writing:Cover letter, career objective, Resume writing (tailor made) Interview Skills:Stress Management, Answering skills.

BOOKS:

1. Advanced English Usage: Quirk & Greenbaum; Pearson Education.
2. Developing Communication Skills: Banerjee Meera & Mohan Krishna; Macmillan Publications, 1990.
3. Business Communication: Chaturvedi, P.D.; Pearson Publications.
4. Business Communication; Mathew, M.J.; RBSA Publications, 2005.
5. Communication of Business; Taylor, Shirley; Pearson Publications.
6. Soft Skills: ICFAI Publication
7. Collins English Dictionary and Thesaurus, Harper Collins Publishers and Times
8. Longman Language Activator, Longman Group Pvt Ltd
9. Longman Dictionary of contemporary English, Longman

10. The new Penguin Dictionary – a set of dictionaries of abbreviations, spelling, punctuation, plain English, grammar, idioms, thesaurus, 2000.
11. New Oxford Dictionary.
12. Wren & Martin: High School English Grammar and Composition
13. Raymond Murphy: English Grammar in Use (4th edition)
14. Martin Hewings: Advanced Grammar in Use
15. Betty Schramper: Understanding and Using English Grammar

Learning Outcomes:

After completion of the course student will become fluent speakers. Not only this, they will be able to comprehend the spoken and the written word in a better way. With enhanced vocabulary they will become confident users of English and be more market-ready to get a job.

CSC-408: Programming Language (Credits 02)

Any One of the following Language may be Chosen by the availability of the faculty.

Python/Java/.NET Frame work /MATLAB/ any other programming Language.

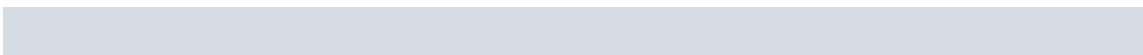
Outline of the Course: - Course Instructor can introduce any programming language based on interest of students and Instructor can design set of programs to cover the fundamentals the language chosen by the instructor and students. The set of lab assignments may be extend to meet IT industry need based on the standard of the students.

Objective:

The basic objective of the course to learn programming fundamentals and language constructor in the selected language during the course.

Outcome:

The outcome of the course is to develop source code to solve practical assignment to cover basics and also to perform real world applications to meet the industry needs.



Semester II

CSC-409: Neural Networks

Neural Networks is an emerging paradigm that tries to simulate human brain. Different learning algorithms like Error correction learning, hebbian learning, Boltzmann and Competitive learning allow the networks to learn and adapt. Networks like Multilayer perceptron using back propagation and Self-organizing maps allow neural networks to solve real life problems. Concepts related to deep learning aide to the emerging trends.

Course Objectives

- To introduce some of the fundamental techniques and principles of neural networks.
- To investigate some common models and their applications.
- Discuss concepts related to Deep Learning.
- Laboratory exercises to cover in Lab sessions.

UNIT 1: Introduction: What is a neural network? Human Brain, Models of a Neuron, Neural networks viewed as Directed Graphs, Network Architectures, Knowledge Representation, Artificial Intelligence and Neural Networks

Learning process: Error Correction learning, Memory based learning, Hebbian learning, Competitive, Boltzmann learning, Credit Assignment Problem, Memory, Adaption, Statistical nature of the learning process,

UNIT 2: Adaptive filtering problem, Unconstrained Organization Techniques, Linear least square filters, least mean square algorithm, learning curves, Learning rate annealing techniques, perception –convergence theorem, Relation between perception and Baye’s classifier for a Gaussian Environment; Multilayer Perceptron- Back propagation algorithm XOR problem, Heuristics, Output representation and decision rule, Computer experiment, feature detection, Back propagation and differentiation, Hessian matrix, Generalization, Cross validation, Network pruning Techniques, Virtues and limitations of back propagation learning, Accelerated convergence, supervised learning.

UNIT 3: Self-organization maps: Two basic feature mapping models, Self-organization map, SOM algorithm, properties of feature map, computer simulations, learning vector quantization, Adaptive pattern classification, Hierarchal Vector quantizer, contextual Maps Hopfield models

UNIT 4: Introduction to Deep Learning

BOOKS

1. Neural networks A comprehensive foundations, Simon Haykin, Pearson Education 2nd Edition 2004.
2. Artificial neural networks - B.Vegnannarayana Prentice Halll of India P Ltd 2005
3. Neural networks in Computer intelligence, Li Min Fu TMH 2003.

Outcomes:-

- Able to understand the learning concepts in neural networks.
- Able to understand the basic ideas behind most common learning algorithms for multilayer perceptrons, Kohonen self-organizing maps and other types of networks.
- Ability to implement common learning algorithms using an existing package.
- Able to apply neural networks to classification and recognition problems

CSC-410: MACHINE LEARNING

Machine Learning Course Outline: Machine learning is the science of getting computers to act without being explicitly programmed. In the past decade, machine learning has given us self-driving cars, practical speech recognition, effective web search, and a vastly improved understanding of the human genome and a lot of other applications. In this course, you will learn about the most effective machine learning techniques, and gain practice implementing them and getting them to work for yourself. More importantly, you'll learn about not only the theoretical underpinnings of learning, but also gain the practical know-how needed to quickly and powerfully apply these techniques to new problems. The course will also draw from numerous case studies and applications, so that you'll also learn how to apply learning algorithms to building smart systems, text, computer vision, medical informatics, audio, database mining, and other areas.

Objective of the Machine Learning Course:

- The objective is to familiarize the audience with some basic learning algorithms and techniques and their applications, as well as general questions related to analyzing and handling large data sets.
- Several libraries and data sets are publicly available, that will be used to illustrate the application of machine learning algorithms.
- The emphasis will be on machine learning algorithms and applications, with some broad explanation of the underlying principles.
- To develop the basic skills necessary to pursue research in machine learning.
- To develop the design and programming skills that will help you to build intelligent, adaptive artifacts.

UNIT 1: Basics: Introduction to Machine Learning - Different Forms of Learning, Basics of Probability Theory, Linear Algebra and Optimization. Regression Analysis: Linear Regression, Ridge Regression, Lasso, Bayesian Regression, Regression with Basis Functions.

UNIT 2: Classification Methods: Instance-Based Classification, Linear Discriminant Analysis, Logistic Regression, Large Margin Classification, Kernel Methods, Support Vector Machines, Multi-class Classification, Classification and Regression Trees.

Neural Networks: Non-linear Hypotheses, Neurons and the Brain, Model Representation, Multi-layer Networks, Back-propagation, Multi-class Discrimination, Training Procedures, Localized Network Structure, Deep Learning.

UNIT 3: Graphical Models: Hidden Markov Models, Bayesian Networks, Markov Random Fields, Conditional Random Fields. Ensemble Methods: Boosting - Adaboost, Gradient Boosting, Bagging - Simple Methods, Random Forest. Clustering: Partitional Clustering - K-Means, K-Medoids, Hierarchical Clustering - Agglomerative, Divisive, Distance Measures, Density Based Clustering – DBscan, Spectral Clustering.

UNIT 4: Dimensionality Reduction: Principal Component Analysis, Independent Component Analysis, Multidimensional Scaling, and Manifold Learning.
Reinforcement Learning: Q-Learning, Temporal Difference Learning

BOOKS

Recommended Textbooks:

Pattern Recognition and Machine Learning. Christopher Bishop.

Machine Learning. Tom Mitchell.

Additional Textbooks:

Pattern Classification. R.O. Duda, P.E. Hart and D.G. Stork.

Data Mining: Tools and Techniques. Jiawei Han and Micheline Kamber.

Elements of Statistical Learning. Hastie, Tibshirani and Friedman. Springer.

Learning outcomes:

After completing the study of the discipline “**Machine Learning**”, the student are expected to:

- Able to understand complexity of Machine Learning algorithms and their limitations;
- Able to understand modern notions in data analysis oriented computing;
- Capable of confidently applying common Machine Learning algorithms in practice and implementing their own;
- Capable of performing experiments in Machine Learning using real-world data.

CSC-411: COMBINATORIAL OPTIMIZATION

Objectives:

- General understanding of optimization under constraints
- Develop knowledge and skills in linear and integer programming (LP&IP) and their applications
- Knowledge and skills in the area of general nonlinear and convex optimization
- Knowledge and implementation of discrete optimization problems and their algorithms
- Application of optimization tools in different domains of computing and data science

UNIT 1

Linear Programming: Linear programming problem, Simplex method, Revised Simplex method, Duality, Dual Simplex, Interior Point Method.

UNIT 2

Combinatorial Optimization Problems: Transportation problem, Assignment problem, Shortest path problem, Knapsack problem, Local search, Max-Flow and Min-cost problem.

UNIT 3

Non-Linear Unconstrained Optimization.

UNIT 4

Queuing Models: Characteristics of Queuing Process, Poisson Process, Birth-Death Process, Single Server Queues, Multi-Server Queues, Queues with Truncation, Finite-source Queues, Numerical Techniques & simulation.

SUGGESTED BOOKS:

1. Combinatorial Optimization -Theory and Algorithms, Bernhard Korte, Jens Vygen.
2. Combinatorial Optimization, W.J. Cook, W.H. Cunningham, W.R. Pulleyblank, A. Schrijver

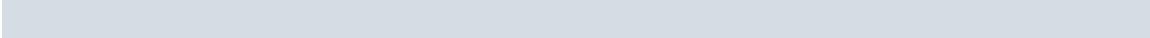
Outcomes:-

- Demonstrably understand the general formulation of optimization problems and identify special case
- Be able to distinguish between continuous and discrete cases. Further, should be able to understand integer and 0/1 programming formulations.
- Be able to mathematically formulate some “real” problems as continuous and discrete optimization problems.
- Demonstrable understanding of different variations of LP and their equivalence.
- Demonstrate understanding of the geometric interpretation of LP and duality
- Show knowledge of the LP algorithms (simplex and IP)

- Be able to formulate Transportation/Assignment problems as LP problems and solve them using LP solvers.
- Demonstrate knowledge of Unconstrained and constrained optimization problems and basic necessary conditions for local solutions.
- Show ability to solve simple 2-d and 3-d problems.
- Demonstrate knowledge of convex optimization and understanding of the role of convex functions.
- Demonstrate knowledge and skills in quadratic programming (QP). Show ability to use convex optimization solvers for QP.
- Demonstrate understanding of strategies for discrete optimization: local search and greedy algorithms.
- Implement greedy algorithms for minimum spanning tree and shortest paths in a graph (Python/Java/C++).
- Demonstrate the understanding of divide-conquer principle. Show understanding and ability to solve problems set up as dynamic programs.
- Demonstrate knowledge of hard (NP) problems and the use of branch-and-bound techniques to solve them.
- Demonstrate understanding of max-flow and min-cut duality.
- Demonstrate ability to apply max-flow min-cut theorem to the problem of image segmentation.
- Demonstrate knowledge of modeling of online social networks (OSN) as weighted graphs: independent cascade and linear threshold model.
- Demonstrate knowledge of applications of optimization tools in cyber security and big data analytics.

CSC-412: Research Seminar of Credit: 01

Outline: The students will be select a supervisor, as per the suggestion of student will select a research field, in that field student will be instructed to read 2-3 base papers from reputed journals form IEEE and Elsevier or any other peer reviewed journals



Semester III

CSC-501: DATA MINING

Learning Objectives & Outcomes

The student will learn to approach data mining as a process, by demonstrating competency in the use of data mining to the decision-support level of organizations

- The students will learn to categorize and carefully differentiate between situations for applying different data-mining techniques
- Identify appropriate methods to address a given problems with data mining methods such as frequent pattern mining, association, correlation, classification, prediction, and cluster and outlier analysis
- Able to design and implement data-mining solutions for different applications
- Proficiency in evaluating and comparing different models used for Data Mining

UNIT 1: Introduction: Knowledge discovery from databases, scalability issues Data Preparation: Pre- Processing, sub- sampling, feature selection.

UNIT 2 : Classification and Prediction: Bayes learning, decision trees, CART, neural learning, support vector machines, associations, dependence analysis, rule generation.

UNIT 3: Deviation Detection: Cluster Analysis and Deviation Detection: Portioning algorithms, Density bases algorithm, Grid based algorithm, Graph theoretic clustering.

UNIT 4: Temporal and spatial data mining.

BOOKS

1. Data Mining Concepts & techniques: Jai wei Han and Micheline Kamber, Morgan Kaufman.
2. Data Mining Techniques : Arun K. Pujari, Universities Press, Fourth Edition, ck and ps2016.
3. Mastering Data Mining: M. Berry and G. Linoff, John Wiley & Sons., 2000.

CSC-502: INFORMATION RETRIEVAL AND WEB SEARCH

COURSE OUTLINE

Information retrieval is the process through which a computer system can respond to a user's query for text-based information on a specific topic. IR was one of the first and remains one of the most important problems in the domain of natural language processing. Web search is the application of information retrieval techniques to the largest corpus of text anywhere. The course focuses on IR methods for the processing, indexing, querying, organisation, and classification of textual documents, including hypertext documents available on the world-wide-web.

Prerequisites

- Students must know Data Base Management Systems.
- They must also have the concept of different types of algorithms used for searching data.
- They must also have minimal knowledge of natural language such as thesaurus, synonyms, etc.

Objectives:

- To provide the foundation knowledge in information retrieval.
- To present scientific support in the field of information search and retrieval.
- Demonstrate the usage of different data/file structures in building computational search engines.
- Students will be able to learn different indexing techniques to apply database systems.

Unit 1: Boolean Retrieval, The term vocabulary and postings lists: Document delineation and character sequence decoding, determining the vocabulary of terms.

Unit 2: Dictionaries and tolerant retrieval: Search structures for dictionaries, spelling correction. Scoring, term weighting and vector space model, the vector space model for scoring, variant tf-idf functions.

Unit 3: Computing scores in a complete search system: Efficient scoring and ranking, components of an information retrieval system. Evaluation in information retrieval. Relevance feedback and query expansion: Relevance feedback and pseudo relevance feedback, global methods for query reformulation.

Unit 4: Text classification and Naive Bayes: Naive Bayes text classification, The Bernoulli model, Feature selection, Evaluation of text classification

Vector space classification: Document representations and measures of relatedness in vector spaces, Rocchio classification, k nearest neighbor, Web search.

BOOKS

- Christopher D. Manning, Prabhakar Raghavan, Hinrich Schutze, Introduction to Information Retrieval, Cambridge University Press
- Somen Chakrabarti, Web mining, Elsevier Publication
- Grossman, Information Retrieval : Algorithm and Heuristics, Springer

Learning Outcomes

After the completion of the course, the students will be able to:

- Understand basic concepts and techniques in Information Retrieval.
- Understand how statistical models of text can be used for other IR applications, for example, clustering.
- Use data structures and indexing methods in information retrieval systems.
- Understand the measures to evaluate the performance of algorithms.

CSC-503: SOFT COMPUTING

Pre-requisites: Basic understanding of Neural Networks

Soft computing is an emerging approach to computing which can parallel the remarkable ability of the human mind to reason and learn in an environment of uncertainty and imprecision. Soft computing is based on some biologically inspired computing paradigms such as Genetic Algorithms, Evolutionary computing, Particle Swarm Optimization, human nervous system, etc. Applying Soft Computing can help in solving real-time problems that cannot be solved using mathematical modeling. Varied applications of Soft Computing include Computer Vision, medical diagnosis, pattern recognition, network optimization etc.

Course Objectives

This course will uncover the fundamental concepts used in Soft computing. The concepts of fuzzy logic, Neuro-fuzzy computing, genetic algorithms will be discussed. Applications of Soft Computing techniques to solve a number of real life problems will be covered to have hands on practices. In summary, this course will provide exposure to theory as well as practical systems and software used in soft computing. Broad Objectives of the course are:

- To develop understanding of Fuzzy logic and its applications.
- Solve problems using Neuro-fuzzy computing and its applications.
- In-depth study and discussion on Genetic Algorithms and Evolutionary computing.
- Apply Particle Swarm optimization, ant colony optimization and other algorithms to real life problems.
- Laboratory exercises to covered in Lab sessions.

Unit 1: Foundations: Stochastic processes; Principal Component Analysis; Learning theory; Generalization and Regularization; Simulated Annealing.

Unit 2: Fuzzy Sets; Chaos theory; Evolutionary algorithms and genetic programming

Unit 3: Methodologies : Neural networks architectures for complex pattern recognition tasks - Fuzzy neural networks and chaos in neural networks

Unit 4: Particle search optimization, Artificial Bee colony search, Ant colony algorithm and similar algorithms.

Books

- 1.Neuro Fuzzy & Soft Computing - J.-S.R.Jang, C.-T.Sun, E.mizutani, Pearson Education
- 2.Digital Neural Network - S.Y.Kung, Prentice Hall International Inc.
- 3.Spiking Neural Networks - Wulfram Gerstner, Wenner Kristler, Cambridge University Press.
- 4.Neural Networks and Fuzzy Systems: Dynamical Systems Application to Machine Intelligence - Bart Kosko, Prentice Hall.

Outcomes:-

After completing this course, you will be able to learn:

- Understand the basic concepts of Soft Computing.
- Solve real life problems using fuzzy logic.
- Implement genetic and evolutionary computing in different scenarios.
- Analyze the applicability of Particle swarm optimization and other swarm optimization techniques in practical situations.

Semester-IV

CSC-507:- Project Work in Industry or Institution (16 Weeks)

Objective:-

Before starting internship, the student will gain prerequisite knowledge of working in an industry or academic research. Major projects should encourage students to solve real-life problems.

Outcome:-

Students should be able to discover existing literature and devise new methodologies and mechanisms to solve unsolved problems.

Electives

CSC-431 WEB TECHNOLOGY

Course Description: This course is an overview of the modern Web technologies used for the Web development. The purpose of this course is to give students the basic understanding of how things work in the Web world from the technology point of view as well as to give the basic overview of the different technologies. The topics include (although in some cases briefly): History of the Web, Hypertext Markup Language (HTML), Extensible HTML (XHTML), Cascading Style Sheets (CSS), JavaScript, and Extensible Markup Language (XML).

We will follow the guidance of the World Wide Web Consortium (W3C) to create interoperable and functional websites.

Overall Course Objectives:

Upon completion of this course the student will be able to:

1. Describe and explain the relationship among HTML, XHTML, CSS, JavaScript, XML and other web technologies;
2. Get familiar with W3C standards and recommendations;
3. To create and publish a basic web page using HTML and its many tags;
4. To describe limitations of creating interactivity including browser support and differences;
5. To describe the difference between Java and JavaScript;
6. To understand and use JavaScript variables, control structures, functions, arrays, and objects;
7. To learn and modify CSS properties using JavaScript;
8. To find out what are XML syntax, elements, attributes, validation etc.;
9. To utilize HTML, XHTML, CSS, XML, and JavaScript to develop an interactive web site.

CSC-432: CLOUD COMPUTING

Pre-requests to the course: -

- Computer Networks.
- Operating System.

COURSE OUTLINE: - Cloud computing is service-oriented paradigm for internet users to avail the services. It is a model enables for ubiquitous and on-demand accesses to share a pool of resources, which are minimal efforts required for users as well as service providers. This course will give details about various cloud-computing services such as software as a service, platform as a service and Infrastructure as service to the service providers to run applications without any interruption and to save the IT Infrastructure cost while hosting applications over the Internet.

Objectives:-

- Demonstrate the various Distributed technologies to perform the complex task in highly distributed environment.
- Demonstrate the service oriented architecture to provide on-demand services to Internet users.
- Design service level agreements (SLA) to meet the guaranty services in Cloud Environment.
- Design Energy efficient Scheduling techniques to balance the Workload in a distributed environment.
- Design Energy Efficient model for sustainable cloud platform for next decade various novel service integration paradigm.

Unit 1: Introduction Introduction to Cloud Computing, Roots of Cloud Computing: Fundamental concepts of Distributed Systems, Cluster Computing, Grid Computing, and Mobile Computing.

Unit 2: Cloud Models Basics of Cloud Computing Concepts, Characteristics of Cloud Computing, Need for Cloud, Cloud Deployment models: private, public, hybrid and community cloud, Cloud Services: Resource-as-a-Service (RaaS), Infrastructure-as-a-Service (IaaS), Platform-as-a-Service (PaaS) and Software-as-a-Service (SaaS), Examples of each service.

Unit 3: Cloud Services RaaS: Usage of Physical resources like servers, networks, data center etc, IaaS: Virtualization,. PaaS: Integrated lifecycle platform: Google App Engine, Microsoft Azure, Anchored life cycle platform: Salesforce platform, SaaS: Characterizing SaaS, Salesforce's software environment.

Unit 4: Resource Scheduling for Cloud Computing: - Introduction, Virtual Machine provisioning and Migration Services, Scheduling techniques of Virtual machines for resource reservation, Cloud Service Scheduling hierarchy, Economic models for Resource-allocation scheduling , Heuristic Models for task –execution scheduling : Static Strategies , Dynamic Strategies , Heuristic Schedulers. Cloud Applications Cloud Applications, Cloud challenges, Cloud Security and privacy issues, Mobile Cloud Computing, Integration of Cloud with Wireless Sensor Network and its application.

Text Books:

1. Cloud Computing Bible by Barrie Sosinsky, Wiley Publication, 2011.
2. Cloud Computing: A Practical Approach by Anthony T. Velte Toby J. Velte, Robert Elsenpeter, The McGraw-Hill Publication, 2010.
3. Cloud Computing: Concepts, Technology and Architecture by Thomas Erl, Zaigham Mahmood, and Ricardo Puttini, 1st Edition, Prentice Hall.
4. Cloud Computing: Data-Intensive Computing and Scheduling by Frederic Magoules , Jie Pan, and Fei Teng. CRC Press. Taylors & Francis Group.

Reference Books:

1. Cloud Computing for Dummies, Judith Hurwitz, Robin Bloor, Marcia Kaufman and Fern Halper, Wiley Publication.
2. New frontiers in information and software as a service, Divyakant Agrawal, K. SelcukCandan, WenSyao Li (Eds.), Springer Proceedings.
3. Cloud Computing Theory and Practice Danc. Marinercus, Elsevier, 2013.

Outcomes:-

- 1) Student will able to understand basic concepts required to develop cloud computing applications.
- 2) Student will able to develop applications for cloud computing to provide on-demand services required for users.
- 3) Student will able to understand the service oriented architecture such as IaaS, PaaS and SaaS.
- 4) Student will able to design and implement a novel cloud computing application in simulation environment.
- 5) Student will able to do comparative study and analysis of different economic cloud computing models with existing conventional software developing methodologies.

CSC-433 GRID COMPUTING

Prerequisites:

- Computer Networks
- Distributed Computing

Outline of the Course: -

The proposed course work illustrates the infrastructure framework for distributed and Cluster computing. Course work describes the protocol frame work for open source grid frame work to proper utilization of infrastructure based on the load availability. Resource utilization and task execution time should be minimizing while executing the workflows in highly distributed heterogeneous environment.

Objectives:

- 1) Demonstrate the Infrastructure required performing group of similar task together to solve a particular problem.
- 2) Grid Architecture and standards to establish IT Infrastructure to solve particular tasks.
- 3) To understand various Grid Service models to provide effective IT Infrastructure for IT needs.
- 4) To learn virtualization of Hardware, Software and Networking for effective services and resource utilization based on the need and demand.
- 5) To learn programming methodology and Simulators to demonstrate and validate the proposed protocols in grid service architecture.

UNIT I: INTRODUCTION

Evolution of Distributed computing: Scalable computing over the Internet – Technologies for network based systems – clusters of cooperative computers – Grid computing Infrastructures – cloud computing – service oriented architecture – Introduction to Grid architecture and standards – Elements of Grid – Overview of Grid architecture.

UNIT II: GRID SERVICES

Introduction to Open Grid Services Architecture (OGSA) – Motivation – Functionality Requirements – Practical & Detailed view of OGSA/OGSI – Data intensive grid service models – OGSA services.

UNIT III: VIRTUALIZATION

Cloud deployment models: public, private, hybrid, community – Categories of cloud computing: Everything as a service: Infrastructure, platform, software – Pros and Cons of cloud computing – Implementation levels of virtualization – virtualization structure – virtualization of CPU, Memory and I/O devices – Virtual clusters and Resource Management – Virtual for data center automation.

UNIT IV: PROGRAMMING MODEL

Open source grid middleware packages – Globus Toolkit (GT4) Architecture, Configuration – Usage of Globus – Main components and Programming model –

Introduction to Hadoop Framework – Mapreduce, Input splitting, map and reduce functions, specifying input and output parameters, configuring and running a job – Design of Hadoop file system, HDFS concepts, command line and java interface, dataflow of File read & File write.

TEXTBOOK

1. Ahmar Abbas, “Grid Computing: A Practical Guide to Technology and Application”, Charles River Media, 2005.
2. Kai Hwang, Geoffery C. Fox and Jack J. Dongarra, “Distributed and Cloud Computing: Clusters, Grids, Clouds and the Future of Internet”, First Edition, Morgan Kaufman Publisher, an Imprint of Elsevier, 2012.

REFERENCES

1. Bart Jacob, “Introduction to Grid Computing”, IBM Red Books, Vervante, 2005.
2. Tom White, “Hadoop the Definitive Guide”, First Edition. O”Reilly, 2009.
3. Joshy Joseph and Craig Fellenstein, “G rid Com puting”, Pearson Education, 2003.
4. Ian Foster and Carl Kesselman, “The Grid2: Blueprint for a New Computing Infrastructure”, Morgan Kaufman, 2004.

Outcomes:

- Understand the concept of various distributed platforms such as cluster computing, Distributed Computing and Cloud Computing.
- Know the basic concepts of Grid Infrastructure and practical and overall view of OGSA/OGSI.
- Understanding of Research Challenges and issues in Data Grid and Computational Grid.
- Understanding of Virtualization and its practical impact on Grid Infrastructure to enhance the performance of infrastructure.
- Hands on practice on Gridsim and CloudSim Simulator to know the performance of proposed protocols in Grid Environment.

CSC-434 Adhoc Networks

Outline of the Course: -

The proposed course covers a special class of Wireless Networks which are Ad-Hoc Networks in which structure of networks varying with respect to time. In real life these networks play vital role in advanced communication system. The best practical examples of Ad-Hoc Networks is VANETs, it is practical implementation of Ad-Hoc networks to serve various on-demand application of internet users. Now-a-Days most of the applications require ad-hoc networks because of on-demand day-to-day needs. The proposed course covers research issues in various layers. One of the major concerns is energy management in Wireless Ad-Hoc Networks to design adaptive protocols.

Objectives: -

- Demonstration of available spectrum for Wireless Communication for various operations.
- Allocation details of spectrum to various applications.
- The need of Ad-Hoc Networks for various applications.
- Channel allocation mechanism for various on-demand applications using Ad-Hoc Networks.
- Various Network Layer protocol operations for routing the packets.
- Energy Management scheme while transmitting the data.

UNIT I: INTRODUCTION

Fundamentals of Wireless Communication Technology – The Electromagnetic Spectrum, Radio propagation Mechanisms, Characteristics of the Wireless Channel, Mobile ad hoc networks (MANETs) and Vehicular ad hoc networks (VANETs): concepts and architectures. Applications and Design Challenges of MANETs and VANETs.

UNIT II: MAC PROTOCOLS

Issues in designing a MAC Protocol, Classification of MAC Protocols: Contention based protocols- Contention based protocols with Reservation Mechanisms- Contention based protocols with Scheduling Mechanisms – Multi channel MAC-IEEE 802.11. IEEE Standards: 802.11a, 802.11b etc., 802.15, HIPERLAN

UNIT III: ROUTING PROTOCOLS

Issues in Designing a Routing Protocol for Ad Hoc Wireless Networks, Classifications of Routing Protocols, Power Aware Routing Protocols. Multi cast routing in Ad Hoc Wireless Networks: Issues in Designing a Multicast Routing Protocol, Classifications of Multicast Routing Protocols. Energy Efficient Multicasting, Multicasting with Quality of Service Guarantees, Application Dependent Multicast Routing.

UNIT IV: ENERGY MANAGEMENT

Energy Management in AdHoc Wireless Networks: Classification of Energy Management Schemes, Transmission Power Management Schemes, System Power Management Schemes. Special topics in Ad Hoc and wireless networks.

TEXTBOOKS

1. C S. Ram Murthy, B. S. Manoj, Ad Hoc Wireless Networks: Architectures and Protocols, Prentice Hall of India, 2nd ed. 2005.
2. R. Hekmat, Ad hoc Networks: Fundamental Properties and Network Topologies, Springer, 1st ed. 2006.

REFERENCES

1. B. Tavli and W. Heinzelman, Mobile Ad Hoc Networks: Energy Efficient Real Time Data Communications, Springer, 1st ed. 2006.
2. Carlos De MoraesCordeiro, Dharma Prakash Agrawal “Ad Hoc & Sensor Networks: Theory and Applications”, World Scientific Publishing Company, 2006.
3. G. Anastasi, E. Ancillotti, R. Bernasconi, and E. S.Biagioni, Multi Hop Ad Hoc Networks from Theory to Reality, Nova Science Publishers, 2008.

Outcomes:-

1. The proposed course improves the connectivity to share information for various applications.
2. Basic understanding of signals and physical layer medium for transmitting the data in the form of analog signal.
3. Understating of channel allocation strategy to improve the connectivity in Ad-Hoc Networks.
4. Able to design and develop new routing protocol for MANETs.
5. Detail study of various kind routing protocol such as proactive, reactive and hybrid kind to improve the performance of Ad-Hoc Networks.
6. Able to introduce various energy efficient routing protocol schemes for ad-hoc networks.

CSC-435 DIGITAL IMAGE PROCESSING

COURSE OUTLINE: The course focuses on basic and essential topics in Digital Image Processing, including Pixels, Pre-Processing of images, Image Restoration, Segmentation, Morphological Properties and Pattern Recognition.

Objectives:-

- Learn about the basics of images
- Design various kinds of mathematical models to perform Imaging operations.
- Demonstrate the various kinds of operations on different images for various applications.
- Work on real time applications like segmentation, restoration, object detections, bio-metric application.
- To identify the limitation of the proposed model and try to find the models overcome the limitations.

The Digitized Image and its Properties: Applications of image processing, image function, image representation, sampling, quantization, color images, metrics and topological properties of digital images, histograms, image quality, noise image.

Image Pre-processing: Pixel brightness transformation, geometric transformation, local pre-processing- image smoothening, scale in image processing, spatial operation, intensity transformation and spatial filtering, color models, gray scale transformation.

Image Restoration: Image degradation and re-storage process.

Segmentation: Point, line and edge detection, Threshold detection methods, parametric edge models, edges in multi spectral images, thresholding, Region based segmentation.

Morphological properties of image: Erosion and Dilation, opening and closing, basic morphological algorithms.

Image representation and description: Representation, border following and chain codes, boundary descriptors, regional descriptors.

Pattern Recognition Fundamentals: Basic concepts of pattern recognition, fundamental problems in pattern recognition system, design concepts and methodologies, example of automatic pattern recognition systems, a simple automatic pattern recognition model.

Text/References:

1. Digital Image Processing: Rafael C. Gonzalez Richard E. Woods, Second edition, Addison-Wisley.
2. Digital Image Processing: A K Jain, PHI

3. R. M. Haralick, L. G. Shapiro. Computer and Robot Vision. Addison-Wesley, 1993.
4. A. Rosenfeld, A. C. Kak. Digital Picture Processing. Addison-Wesley, 1983
5. D. A. Forsyth, J. Ponce. Computer Vision: A Modern Approach. Prentice-Hall, 2003.
6. C. R. Giardina, E. R. Dougherty. Morphological Methods in Image and Signal Processing. Prentice-Hall, Englewood Cliffs, New Jersey, 1988. 37
7. Pattern Recognition and Image Analysis: Earl Gose, Richard Johnsonbaugh, Prentice Hall of India Private Limited, 1999.
8. Pattern Recognition principles: Julius T. Tou and Rafael C. Gonzalez, Addison –Wesley publishing company.

Course Outcomes:

Graduates after completing the course shall gain:

- Ability to enhance student skill in digital image processing, emphasizing problem solving techniques such as doing experiments, collecting data, find out features, recognizing patterns, segmentations, and numeric computations exercises.
- Ability to understand the thought-provoking applications spread throughout, establishing a strong and meaningful bridge with Images, Signals and computer science.
- To be able to have understanding of the topics and enable students to develop their problem-solving skills, hands-on experience with concepts and enhance the opportunity for computational exploration and experimentation.

CSC-436 PARALLEL PROCESSING

Objective: After completion of this course students will be able to understand architectural design that provides the parallel computational power to the computer.

Unit-I: Pipeline and Vector Processing: Nonlinear and linear pipelining, Multiprocessor, Multicomputer, Super computer. Array Processors. Scope and Application of Parallel approach.

Unit-II: Paradigms of parallel computing: SIMD, Systolic; Asynchronous - MIMD, reduction paradigm. Hardware taxonomy: Flynn's classifications, Handler's classifications. PRAM model and its variants: EREW, ERCW, CRCW, PRAM algorithms, Sorting network, Interconnection RAMs. Parallelism approaches - data parallelism, control parallelism.

Unit-III: Parallel Processors: Taxonomy and topology - shared memory multiprocessors, distributed memory networks. Processor organization - Static and dynamic interconnections. Embeddings and simulations.

Unit-IV: Performance Metrics: Laws governing performance measurements. Metrics - speedup, efficiency, utilization, cost, communication overheads, single/multiple program performances, bench marks.

Scheduling and Parallelization: Scheduling parallel programs. Loop scheduling. Parallelization of sequential programs. Parallel programming support environments.

BOOKS:

1. M. J. Quinn. Parallel Computing: Theory and Practice, McGraw Hill, New York, 1994.
2. T. G. Lewis and H. El-Rewini. Introduction to Parallel Computing, Prentice Hall, New Jersey, 1992.
3. T. G. Lewis. Parallel Programming: A Machine-Independent Approach, IEEE Computer Society Press, Los Alamitos.
4. Sima and Fountain, Advanced Computer Architectures, Pearson Education.
5. Mehdi R. Zargham, Computer Architectures single and parallel systems, PHI.
6. Ghosh, Moona and Gupta, Foundations of parallel processing, Narosa publishing.
7. Ed. Afonso Ferreira and Jose' D. P. Rolin, Parallel Algorithms for irregular problems - State of the art, Kluwer Academic Publishers.
8. Selim G. Akl, The Design and Analysis of Parallel Algorithms, PH International.

Learning Outcomes:

At the end of this course, the student will be able to:

- Understand uniprocessor computer architecture
- Understand the computer architecture (i.e., pipelining and superscalar processor design and memory hierarchy)
- Understand parallel hardware and parallel software
- Understand shared-memory management
- Understand distributed-memory with MPI
- Understand general-purpose GPU

CSC-437_NATURAL LANGUAGE PROCESSING

Objectives:

- To understand Levels of Language Analysis, Organization of Natural language Systems
- To learn Linguistic Background: An outline of English syntax.
- To learn Grammars and Parsing, Morphological Analysis, Parsing with Features, Various Lexicon Resource & Knowledge Source
- To understand Grammars for Natural Language, Ambiguity Resolution

UNIT I : Introduction to Natural Language Understanding: The study of Language, Evaluating Language Understanding Systems, Different levels of Language Analysis, Representations and Understanding, Organization of Natural language Understanding Systems, Linguistic Background: An outline of English syntax.

UNIT II : Grammars and Parsing: Grammars and sentence Structure, Top-Down and Bottom-Up Parsers, Transition Network Grammars, Top-Down Chart Parsing. 33. Morphological Analysis and the Lexicon, Parsing with Features, Augmented Transition Networks, Various Lexicon Resource & Knowledge Source, Study of Word Net and Indo Net

UNIT III: Grammars for Natural Language: Auxiliary Verbs and Verb Phrases, Movement Phenomenon in Language, Handling questions in Context-Free Grammars, Hold mechanisms in ATNs. Human preferences in Parsing, Encoding uncertainty, Deterministic Parser, Study of POS Tagger, Stemmer

UNIT IV

Ambiguity Resolution: Statistical Methods, Estimating Probabilities, Part-of-Speech tagging, Obtaining Lexical Probabilities, Probabilistic Context-Free Grammars, Best First Parsing. Semantics and Logical Form: Word senses and Ambiguity, Encoding Ambiguity in Logical Form. Discourse Analysis and Pragmatic Analysis

Books Recommended:

1. JAMES ALLEN, Natural Language Understanding, 2/e, Pearson Education, 2003.
2. D. JURAFSKY, J. H. MARTIN, Speech and Language Processing, Pearson Education, 2002.
3. CHRISTOPHER D. MANNING, HINRICH SCHÜTZE, Foundations of Statistical Natural Language Processing, The MIT Press, Cambridge, Massachusetts.1999.
4. U. S. TIWARY, TANVEER SIDDIQUI, Natural Language Processing and Information Retrieval, Oxford University Press (2008).
5. AKSHAR BHARATI, VINEET CHAITANYA, RAJEEV SANGAL, Natural Language Processing: A Paninian Perspective

Outcome: After completion of this course students will be able to design a model of a prototype language.

CSC-438 HIGH PERFORMANCE COMPUTING

Prerequisites:

- Computer Networks.
- Operating Systems.

Outline of the Course:

The proposed course describes computer architecture which can support for parallel processing to improve the processing speed. The designed course will give an overall description to design parallel algorithms to solve mathematical problems like matrix factorization, linear programming and solving system of equations. The designed course illustrates the design of parallel algorithms for mathematical problems.

Objectives:-

- Demonstrate the scientific application execution methodology in Highly Distributed Computing Environment.
- To study Processor Architecture and Memory Hierarchies which support for HPC.
- To learn Programming strategies for parallel computing to solve highly complex scientific problems.
- To understand the parallel computer concepts different types of parallel architecture, hardware design and compilers principles.
- Illustration of well-known mathematical examples to understand the basic concepts of parallel computation which are highly required to solve scientific applications.
- Detail study of various kinds of mathematical examples where parallel computations are involved, for example in linear algebra solving system of equations and matrix decomposition, Fourier transforms.

UNIT-I: Single-processor Computing, The Von Neumann architecture, Modern processors, Memory Hierarchies, Multi core architectures, Locality and data reuse, Programming strategies for high performance, Power consumption, Review questions.

UNIT-II: Parallel Computing, Introduction, Quantifying parallelism, Parallel Computers Architectures, Different types of memory access, Granularity of parallelism, Parallel programming, Topologies, Multi-threaded architectures, Co-processors, Remaining topics, Computer Arithmetic, Integers, Real numbers, Round-off error analysis, Compilers and round-off, More about floating point arithmetic, Conclusions. Numerical treatment of differential equations, Initial value problems, Boundary value problems, Initial boundary value problem, Numerical linear algebra, Elimination of unknowns, Linear algebra in computer arithmetic, LU factorization, Sparse matrices, Iterative methods, Further Reading .

UNIT-III: High performance linear algebra, Collective operations, Parallel dense matrix-vector product, LU factorization in parallel, Matrix-matrix product, Sparse matrix-vector product, Parallelism in solving linear systems from Partial Differential Equations (PDEs), Computational aspects of iterative methods, Parallel preconditions, Ordering strategies and parallelism, Operator splitting, Parallelism and implicit operations, Grid updates, Block algorithms on multi core architectures.

UNIT-IV: Applications, Molecular dynamics, Force Computation, Parallel Decompositions, Parallel Fast Fourier Transform, Integration for Molecular Dynamics, Sorting, Brief introduction to sorting Odd-even transposition sort, Quicksort, Bitonic sort, Graph analytics, Traditional graph algorithms, Real world' graphs, Hypertext algorithms, Large-scale computational graph theory, N-body problems, The Barnes-Hut algorithm, The Fast Multipole Method, Full computation, Implementation Monte Carlo Methods, Parallel Random Number Generation, Examples, Computational biology Dynamic programming approaches, Suffix tree.

Text Book:

- 1) Introduction to High Performance Scientific Computing Evolving Copy - open for comments Victor Eijkhout, Edmond Chow, Robert van de Geijn.
- 2) High Performance Computing (RISC Architectures, Optimization & Benchmarks), Charles Severance, Kevin Dowd, Oreilly.

Reference Books:

- 1) High Performance Computing (RISC Architectures, Optimization & Benchmarks), Georg Hager, Gerhard Wellein, CRC Press.
- 2) Introduction to High-Performance Scientific Computing (Scientific and Engineering Computation), Lloyd D. Fosdick, Elizabeth R. Jessup

CSC-439 GAME THEORY

Course Outline:

This course provides an introduction to Game Theory. Game Theory is a mathematical framework that studies strategic interactions amongst self-interested decision makers. It has applications in a wide variety of areas, including statistical decision theory, artificial intelligence (online learning, multi-agent systems), economics and business (auctions, pricing, bargaining), political science (stability of government, military strategy), philosophy (ethics, morality and social norms) and biology (evolution, signaling behavior, fighting behavior).

Course Overview:

The novel concepts of game theory and how to find different equilibrium solutions to different types of games will be extensively covered in this course. These will be explained and elucidated with relevant examples.

This course provides a rigorous treatment of solution concepts for games with perfect and imperfect information including rationalizability, Nash and subgame perfect Nash equilibria. It covers topics such as auction, VNM utility function, bargaining game etc. It also discusses cooperative game solution concepts-core, Shapley value and bayesian game with Cournot's duopoly.

UNIT 1- Games with Perfect Information-Strategic Games; Nash Equilibrium and Existence Properties; Some Games in Normal Form, Nash Equilibria in Zero-Sum Games, Bräss' Paradox, and more on Mixed Strategies, Games in Extensive Form, Market Equilibrium and Pricing.

UNIT 2- Electoral Competition: Median Voter Theorem; Auctions: Definitions and The role of Knowledge; Decision Making and Utility Theory; Mixed Strategy Equilibrium; The Paretian System Equilibrium, and Walrasian General Equilibrium Theory, Von Neumann and Morgenstern Utility Function, Theory of Risk Aversion, Equilibrium Theory.

UNIT 3- Sealed Bid Auctions, VCG Procedures, Generalized Vickrey Auctions, VCG Procedures, Cournot Competition and Stackelberg Equilibrium; Arrow's Impossibility Theorem, Gibbard-Satterthwaite Theorem, Bargaining Game with Alternating Offers; Bargaining Game with Alternating Offers (General Utilities); Nash Bargaining Solution; Stable Marriages; Multi-Item Auctions; Cooperative Game Theory: Cores; Stable Sets and Shapley Value.

UNIT 4- Strategic Games with Imperfect Information-Bayesian Games; Cournot's Duopoly with Imperfect Information; Radio Spectrum, With Arbitrary Distribution of Valuations

BOOKS:

1. "Fun and Games: A Text on Game Theory", Ken Binmore, A.I.T.B.S Publishers.
2. "A Course in Game Theory", Martin J. Osborne and Ariel Rubinstein, MIT Press.
3. Prajit Dutta, Strategies and Games, MIT Press

Learning Outcomes:

On successful completion of this course, students will be able to model competitive real world phenomena using concepts from game theory and identify optimal strategy and equilibrium solution for such models. They will be ready to explain the potential or proven relevance of game theory and its impact in various fields of human interaction which involve conflict of interest between two or more participants.

CSC-440: INTERNET OF THINGS (IoT)

Course Outline:

Internet of Things (IoT) is presently a hot technology worldwide. Government, academia, and industry are involved in different aspects of research, implementation, and business with IoT. IoT cuts across different application domain verticals ranging from civilian to defense sectors. These domains include agriculture, space, healthcare, manufacturing, construction, water, and mining, which are presently transitioning their legacy infrastructure to support IoT. Today it is possible to envision pervasive connectivity, storage, and computation, which, in turn, gives rise to building different IoT solutions. IoT-based applications such as innovative shopping system, infrastructure management in both urban and rural areas, remote health monitoring and emergency notification systems, and transportation systems, are gradually relying on IoT based systems.

Course Objectives

To teach state of art of wireless sensor networks

- To discuss importance of communication protocols.
- To teach challenges in routing protocol and overview of transport layer protocols.
- To teach basics of Internet of Things.

Unit I: Introduction: Overview of Wireless Sensor Networks – Characteristics, Applications, Design objectives, challenges. Technological Background – MEMS Technology, Hardware and Software Platforms, Wireless Sensor Network Standards. Sensor network architectures and protocol stack.

Unit II: Medium Access Control: Fundamental MAC protocols, Objectives of MAC design, Energy efficiency in MAC design, MAC protocols for wireless sensor networks – Contention based protocols, Contention free protocols, Hybrid protocols.

Unit III: Network and Transport Layer: Fundamentals and Challenges of Routing protocol, Overview of Routing protocols: Location-aided protocols, Layered and In-network processing based protocols, Data centric and multipath Protocols. Data aggregation mechanisms. Traditional transport protocols, Transport protocols for sensor networks.

Unit IV: Basics on Internet of Things: Introduction, Reference Model and architecture, IoT reference Model. IoT Reference Architecture Introduction, Functional View, Information View, Deployment and Operational View, Other Relevant architectural views.

Text/References:

1. Jun Zheng, Abbas, “ Wireless sensor networks A networking perspective”, WILEY, 2009.
2. Kazem Sohraby, Daniel Minoli, & Taieb Znati, –Wireless Sensor Networks-Technology, Protocols, And Applications, John Wiley, 2007
3. Thomas Haenselmann, –Wireless Sensor Networks: Design Principles for Scattered Systems, Oldenbourg Verlag, 2011
4. Vijay Madisetti and Arshdeep Bahga, “Internet of Things (A Hands-on-Approach)”, 1st 9 Edition, VPT, 2014.
5. E. H. Callaway, Jr. E. H. Callaway, Wireless Sensor Networks Architecture and Protocols: CRC Press

6. F. Zhao and L. Guibas, Wireless Sensor Network: Information Processing Approach, Elsevier.
7. A. Hac, Wireless Sensor Network Designs, John Wiley & Sons
8. Francis daCosta, “Rethinking the Internet of Things: A Scalable Approach to Connecting Everything”, 1st Edition, Apress Publications, 2013

Learning Outcomes

- At the end of the course students can be able to:
- Understand technological background of sensor networks.
- Able to design applications using Raspberry Pi.
- Design and apply various existing routing protocols of sensor networks.
- Design the architecture and reference model of IoT.

CSC-531 Programming in Java

Course Objectives

- To introduce concepts of core java systematically.
- To demonstrate the principles underlying the design of high-level programming languages.

Learning Outcome

- The students will have competence in the use of the Java Programming language.
- The development of small to medium-sized application programs that demonstrate professionally acceptable coding.

Unit 1- Fundamentals of object-oriented programming, Java evolution, Features of Java, Java Development Kit (JDK), Java basics, keywords, constants, variables, and data types, operators and expressions, compiling and executing java Programs, operators, control flow Statements, Switch Statement, Looping statements, break and continue.

Unit 2- Classes, objects, and methods, declaring methods in java, constructors, static members, nesting of methods, inheritance, abstract methods and classes, array, String, and vectors.

Unit 3- Interfaces, defining interfaces, extending interfaces, implementing interfaces, Packages, creating packages, managing errors, and exception. Multithreaded programming.

Unit 4- Applets programming, Applet class, Applet and HTML, the Life cycle of an applet, graphics programming using AWT, colors, font, Event handling, Components of an event, event classes, event listener.

Textbooks

- Schildt Herbert, Java: The Complete Reference, 8th Edition, Tata McGraw- Hill, 2011.
- E. Balagurusamy, Programming with JAVA, a Primer, 4th Edition, 2010, Tata McGraw-Hill Publishing Company Limited, Delhi.
- Dr.Rao, Nageswara. Core Java: An Integrated Approach, New Edition Kongent Solutions Inc, 2009.

CSC 532-Dot Net Technologies

Course Objectives

- Identify the Basics of .Net Framework, Architecture, and programming
- Build GUI applications using .NET Framework and Visual Basics/C#.

Learning Outcome

- Design and Develop GUI based Applications using Vb.Net and C#.
- Integrate different components of the .net framework, including the database.

UNIT 1- Introduction to .Net, .Net Framework Features & Architecture, CLR, Common Type System, MSIL, Types of Assemblies, Class Libraries. Event Drive Programming, Methods and Events, Related with Mouse and Keyboard. Programming into Visual Studio, Toolbox, Properties Window, Form Designer, Form Layout, Immediate Window.

UNIT 2- VB.Net language, Variables, Data Types, Scope & Lifetime of a Variable, Arrays, Types of Array, Control Array, Subroutine, Functions, Passing Argument to Functions, Optional Argument, Returning Value from Function. Conditional and Loop Statement. Loading, Showing and Hiding Forms, Working with Multiple Forms, Controlling one Form within Another, Overview of C#, Structure of C# Program, C# in .Net.

UNIT 3- GUI Programming, Windows Form and Properties, Methods, Events, Text Box Control, Label Control, Button Control, List box, Combo Box, Checked Box, Picture Box, Radio Button, Scroll Bar, Timer Control, Common Dialog Control, Designing Menus, MDI Forms.

UNIT 4- ADO .Net Architecture, Create Connection, Accessing Data Using Data Adapters and Datasets, Using Command & Data Reader, Data Bind Controls, Displaying Data in Data Grid. Data Form Wizard, SQL queries, Database Using Ado.Net Object Model, Connection Object, Command Object, Add, Delete, Move & Update Records to Dataset, Executing Queries.

Textbooks

- Steven Holzner, Visual Basic .NET Programming Black Book, Dreamtech Publications
- Jeffrey R. Shapiro, Visual Basic.NET: The Complete Reference, McGraw Hill Education
- E. Balagurusamy, Programming in C# A primer, Tata McGraw-Hill Publishing Company Limited, Delhi.

CSC-533 COMPILER DESIGN

Course Outline: - The proposed course covers various phases of Compiler which are lexical phase, syntax phase, semantic phase, code generation and code optimization. Course also covers various parsing techniques such as LEX and YACC.

Course Objectives:-

- 1) To understand various models to produce tokens which are inputs syntax phase.
- 2) Try to understand various parsing techniques such as top-down and bottom-up parsing techniques.
- 3) Symbol Table generation and mechanisms to store information while scanning source code from various phases of the compiler.
- 4) Semantic analysis to check the meaning of the sentences in a particular sentence.

UNIT – I

Overview of Compilation: Phases of Compilation – Lexical Analysis, Regular Grammar and regular expression for common programming language features, pass and Phases of translation, interpretation, bootstrapping, data structures in compilation – LEX lexical analyzer generator.

Top down Parsing: Context-free grammars, Top down parsing – Backtracking, LL (1), recursive descent parsing, Predictive parsing, Preprocessing steps required for predictive parsing.

UNIT – II

Bottom up parsing: Shift Reduce parsing, LR and LALR parsing, Error recovery in parsing, handling ambiguous grammar, YACC – automatic parser generator.

UNIT – III

Semantic analysis: Intermediate forms of source Programs – abstract syntax tree, polish notation and three address codes. Attributed grammars, Syntax directed translation, Conversion of popular Programming languages language Constructs into Intermediate code forms, Type checker.

Symbol Tables: Symbol table format, organization for block structures languages, hashing, and tree structures representation of scope information. Block structures and non-block structure storage allocation: static, Runtime stack and heap storage allocation, storage allocation for arrays, strings and records.

UNIT – IV

Code optimization: Consideration for Optimization, Scope of Optimization, local optimization, loop optimization, frequency reduction, folding, DAG representation.

Data flow analysis: Flow graph, data flow equation, global optimization, redundant sub expression elimination, Induction variable elements, Live variable analysis, Copy propagation.

Object code generation: Object code forms, machine dependent code optimization, register allocation and assignment generic code generation algorithms, DAG for register allocation.

TEXT BOOKS:-

1. Principles of compiler design -A.V. Aho . J.D.Ullman; Pearson Education.
2. Modern Compiler Implementation in C- Andrew N. Appel, Cambridge University Press.

REFERENCES:

1. lex & yacc – John R. Levine, Tony Mason, Doug Brown, O'reilly
2. Modern Compiler Design- Dick Grune, Henry E. BAL, Caryl T. H. Jacobs, Wiley dreamtech.
3. Engineering a Compiler-Cooper & Linda, Elsevier.
4. Compiler Construction, Loudon, Thomson.

Outcomes: -

- Students are able to understand the functionality of compiler design various phases.
- Able to learn functionalities of various phases.
- Able to design phases of compiler as a programming exercise.
- Able Design various parsing techniques such as SLR, LALR and CLR.

CSC-534 COMPUTING FOR DATA SCIENCE

UNIT-I

Computer Package

Installation of RStudio and understanding the basic framework, Basic computational structures – Iterations and Recursions, Sequences and Arrays in R – Search and Sort Algorithms, Vectors and Matrices in R – Solving systems of linear equations, Functions in R – Plotting (2D, Contour, 3D), Differentiation, Root finding, Linear Models in R – Gradient descent, linear regression, Eigenvalue/vector computation and SVD in R ,Handling sparse matrices in R – Basic operations on sparse matrices, Probability Distributions and Random Sampling in R, Monte-Carlo Simulation in R – Implementation of case studies

UNIT-II

Concept of Computations

Algorithms – Search and Sort, Divide and Conquer, Greedy Algorithms - motivating example from setcover for large data sets. Computational Complexity – Growth of functions, Order notation, Computational Complexity -- Convergence, Error Estimation, Sparse Matrix – Store, Search and Basic operations, Binary Trees and Graphs as Computational Models.

UNIT-III

Numerical Methods

Solving system of linear equations – Gauss-Jordan (concept of pivoting), Solving non-linear equations – Newton-Raphson, Steepest Descent, Optimizing cost functions – Gradient descent, least square regression, Iterative methods in Linear Algebra – Power iteration, Eigenvalues, SVD.

UNIT-IV

Computing Methodologies

Monte-Carlo Simulation – Case studies, Sparse Matrix – Store, Search and Basic operations, Pruning and Sampling algorithms, streaming data, External sorting.

SUGGESTED BOOKS:

1. Software for Data Analysis – Programming with R : John M. Chambers, Springer.
2. Elementary Numerical Analysis – An Algorithmic Approach: Samuel Conte and Carl de Boor (McGraw-Hill Education).
3. Introduction to Algorithms, Cormen, Leiserson, Rivest and Stein, The MIT Press (Third Edition).

CSC-535 SOFTWARE DEFINED NETWORKS

Prerequisites:

- 1) Computer Networks.
- 2) High Speed Networks.

Outline of the Course:-

The proposed course outline is to describe advanced technology in communication based on requirement and need for industry and academia. The designed course covers protocol frame work which can support Software oriented networking protocol architecture which supports virtualization. Now-a-Days network virtualization play key role in creating virtual local area networks (VLAN) to control the traffic generated by enterprise networks. The proposed course covers to design a state of art technology which can support Software Defined Networking.

Objectives: -

- To design protocol architecture which can meet the challenges of current user demands and needs data transmission.
- To demonstrate the performance of proposed SDN supportive protocols with Open Flow enabled networks.
- To learn simulator basics this can support SDN Functionalities.
- To design and detail study of security attacks which are going to occur in SDN supportive enterprise networks.

UNIT-I: Introduction, Centralized and Distributed Control and Data Planes, Introduction What Do They Do? Distributed Control Planes Centralized Control Planes Conclusions.

Open Flow: Introduction, Hybrid Approaches Conclusions SDN Controllers Introduction General Concepts Layer 3 Centric Plexxi Cisco One PK Conclusions.

UNIT-II: Network Programmability: Introduction, the Management Interface the Application-Network Divide Modern Programmatic Interfaces, I2RS Modern Orchestration Data Center Concepts and Constructs

Introduction: The Multitenant Data Center the Virtualized Multitenant Data Center SDN Solutions for the Data Center Network VLANs EVPN, VxLan, NVGRE, Conclusions, Network Function Virtualization Introduction Virtualization and Data Plane I/O Services Engineered Path, Service Locations and Chaining, NFV at ETSI, Non-ETSI NFV Work, Conclusions.

UNIT-III: Network Topology and Topological Information Abstraction Introduction, Network Topology, Traditional Methods, LLDP, BGP-TE/LS, ALTO, I2RS Topology Building an SDN Framework, Introduction, Build Code First; Ask Questions Later, The Juniper SDN Framework, IETF SDN Framework(s), Open Daylight Controller/Framework, Policy, Conclusions.

UNIT-IV: Use Cases for Bandwidth Scheduling, Manipulation, and Calendaring, Introduction, Bandwidth Calendaring, Big Data and Application Hyper-Virtualization for Instant CSPF, Expanding Topology, Conclusion, Use Cases for Data Center Overlays, Big Data, and Network Function Virtualization, Introduction, Data Center

Orchestration, Puppet (DevOps Solution), Network Function Virtualization (NFV), Optimized Big Data, Conclusions

Text Books:

1. SDN: Software Defined Networks An Authoritative Review of Network Programmability Technologies By [Thomas D. Nadeau](#), [Ken Gray](#)
Publisher: O'Reilly Media Final Release Date: August 2013 Pages: 384.
2. Software Defined Networks: A Comprehensive Approach Paperback – Import, 30 Jun 2014by [Paul Goransson](#) (Author), [Chuck Black](#) (Author)
3. Software Defined Networking with Open Flow by [SiamakAzodolmolky](#) (Author).

Outcomes:

- Understanding between conventional networks and SDN Supportive networks to provide high throughput based on user needs.
- Understanding of Network Virtualization and requirements and changes in hardware design point of view.
- Virtual LAN supportive protocols and its operations to enhance the Quality of Service parameters.
- Understand and identify security vulnerabilities in open flow based networks.
- Understand prevention mechanism for well-known security attacks in conventional networks.
- Adaptive machine learning techniques to prevent security attacks in SDN.

CSC-536 MOBILE COMPUTING

Pre-requests to the Course:

- Computer Networks.
- Data Communication.

Course Outline: - The proposed course introduces the fundamentals of Wireless Communication, issues challenges in wireless communication. The course detail explanation of various generation of Wireless Networks generation those are 2G, 3G and 4G. The proposed course covers technical details layer wise, which are Physical layer parameters such as modulation, demodulation and multiplexing techniques. MAC Layer issues such as various channel accessing schemes those are pure aloha, slotted aloha and p-persistent. The course covers in detail technical details such as packet formats of IEEE-802.11 standards for Medium access control to avoid collisions. Network Layer issues and challenges and details of various routing algorithms such as AODV, DSR and TORA protocols. Various TCP Enhancements for existing TCP Version which are TCP-RENO, Tahoe and SACK protocols for reliable and end-to-end communication for improving the performance.

Objectives:

- The objective is to understand various generations of Mobile Communication such as 2G, 3G and 4G.
- To study various issues and challenges in Physical layer such as analog to digital conversion and various modulation and demodulation techniques.
- Illustration of various physical layer issues like inter symbol interference, ISI Mitigation. Physical layer parameter such as refraction, reflection and signal to noise ratio to improve the quality.
- Demonstrate the Various MAC Layer challenges in Wireless Networks when compared to structured Networks.
- Study of various Routing Layer Protocols suitable for Wireless Ad-Hoc Networks and Protocol operations.
- Study of various TCP Layer issues and challenges for Wireless Networks.

UNIT-I

Introduction, Applications, A short history of wireless Communication, A market for Mobile Communications, Some open research topics, A Simple Reference Model. Overview, Wireless Transmission, Frequency for radio transmission, Regulations, Signals, Antennas, Signal Propagation, Path Loss of radio Signals, Additional signal Propagation effects, Multi-path Propagation. Multiplexing, Modulation, Spread Spectrum.

UNIT-II

Medium Accesses Control, Motivation for Specialization MAC, Hidden and exposed terminals, near and Far Terminals, SDMA, FDMA, TDMA, CDMA.

UNIT-III

Wireless LAN, IEEE 802.11: System Architecture, Protocol architecture, Physical Layer, MAC Control Layer, MAC Management, 802.11b, 802.11a, HIPERLAN: , Bluetooth : User Scenario, Architecture, Radio Layer, Link Manager Protocol, L2CAP, SDP, IEEE 802.15.

UNIT-IV

Mobile Network Layer, Mobile IP, Dynamic Host Configuration Protocol, Mobile Ad-Hoc Networks, Mobile Transport Layer, Classical TCP Improvements.

Text Books:

- 1) Mobile Communications by JochenH.Schiller.
- 2) Mobile Computing, Technology Applications and Service Creation by Asoke K Talukder and Roopa R Yavagal.

Reference Books:

- 1) Stojmenovic and Cacute, "Handbook of Wireless Networks and Mobile Computing", *Wiley*, 2002, ISBN0471419028.
- 2) Reza Behravanfar, "Mobile Computing Principles: Designing and Developing Mobile Applications with UML and XML", ISBN: 0521817331, Cambridge University Press, October 2004,
- 3) Adelstein, Frank, Gupta, Sandeep KS, Richard III, Golden , Schwiebert, Loren, "Fundamentals of Mobile and Pervasive Computing", ISBN: 0071412379, McGraw-Hill Professional, 2005.

Outcomes:-

- Able to understand the difference between sequential architecture and parallel architecture to execute the scientific applications.
- Understand the way to develop parallel algorithm and way of execution on parallel computing environment.
- Analysis of time and space complexity for a particular mathematical problem in sequential as well as parallel.
- Writing programs for to solve Partial differential equations (PDE) and Matrix decomposition.
- Solve some Computational biology applications using Dynamic programming approaches.

CSC-537 HUMAN COMPUTER INTERACTION

Human Computer Interaction deals with how humans interact with the Computer System. The course will uncover how designs are aesthetically done, details of ergonomics and evaluation techniques

Course Objectives

- Demonstrate how input-output channels work.
- To introduce the details of interaction and design.
- To discuss different evaluation techniques and cognitive methods.
- Laboratory exercises to be covered in Lab sessions.

The Human: input-output channels, Human memory, thinking, emotions, individual differences, psychology and the design of interactive systems.

The Computer: Text entry devices with focus on the design of key boards, positioning, pointing and drawing, display devices.

The Interaction: Models of interaction, ergonomics, interaction styles, elements of WIMP interfaces, interactivity, experience, engagement and fun. Paradigms for Interaction.

Design Process: The process of design, user focus, scenarios, navigation design screen design and layout, iteration & prototyping. Usability Engineering

Design rules: Principles to support usability, standards, guidelines, rules and heuristics, HCI patterns.

Evaluation Techniques: Definition and goals of evaluation, evaluation through expert analysis and user participation, choosing an evaluation method.

Cognitive methods: Goals and task hierarchies, linguistic models, challenges of display based systems, physical and device models, cognitive architectures.

Communications and collaborations models: Face to Face communication, conversations, Text based communication, group working.

BOOK:

Human Computer Interaction; Alan Dix et.al, 3rd ed., Pearson.

Outcomes:

At the end of this course, the student will be able to:

- Develop better interfaces that are more usable.
- Demonstrate understanding of design guidelines, principles and standards.

CSC-538 FRACTAL THEORY

Objective: After completion of this course students will be able to draw fractals and develop understanding of chaos.

Unit 1: The basic concepts of geometric iteration, principle of feedback processes Fundamentals of Fractals, Types of fractal (mathematical and nature), self-similarity, fractal dimension, multiple reduction copy machines, the chaos game, fractals in nature, and decoding fractals. Chaos wipes out every computer. Chaos in (nature and Math).

Unit 2: Standard mathematical fractals (Seirpinski carpet ,gasket, cantor dust , koch curve etc), limits and self similarity, Fractal dimension, Types of fractal dimension, implementation of standard fractal and calculating their dimensions. Affine transformation, Transformations, composing simple transformations, classical fractals by IFS, drawing the classical fractals using IFS.

Unit 3: Deterministic Chaos, analysis of chaos, periodic points, sensitivity, fixed points, logistic map, sensitivity dependence of initial condition, implementation and detailed analysis of logistic map (mathematically and in real life). L-systems, turtle graphics (graphical interpretation of L-Systems), Networked MRCMs, L-Systems tree and bushes, Growing classical fractals with L-Systems and their implementation.

Unit 4: Julia set (Fractal basin boundaries), complex numbers, escape and prisoners set, filled Julia set, Quaternion Julia set, exploring Julia sets by varying complex numbers.

Mandelbrot set, geometric features and properties , study structure of Mandelbrot set. Implementation of Julia set and Mandelbrot set.

Project: Students will complete a final creative project that involves researching an application to fractals and chaos. Students will create something to go along with the project, like artwork, a short story, or a computer generated image.

Learning Outcomes:

- Iterated Function System
- Escape-time Fractals
- Behavior of Chaotic logistic map
- L-system

CSC-539 SOFTWARE AGENTS AND SWAM INTELLIGENCE

- Brief Introduction to S/W agent Technology
- Agent & AI
- Practical design of intelligent agent System
- Intelligent Agent application Area
- Biological Foundations of Swarm Intelligence
- Swarm Intelligence in Optimization
- Routing protocols for next-generation network Inspired by collective Behaviours of insects societies: An overview
- An Agent based approach to self-organised production
- Organic Computing and Swarm Intelligence

BOOKS:

1. Intelligent software agents: foundations and applications by Walter Brenner, Rudiger Zarnekow, Hartmut Witting Springer, 1998.
2. Swarm intelligence: introduction and applications By Christian Blum, Daniel Merkle., Springer 2008