

**Maulana Abul Kalam Azad University of Technology, West Bengal***(Formerly West Bengal University of Technology)***Syllabus for B. Tech in Civil Engineering**

(Applicable from the academic session 2018-2019)

<b>CE(PC)597</b>	<b>Computer Applications in Civil Engineering</b>	<b>2P</b>	<b>1 Credits</b>		
<b>Course Outcome</b>	On successful completion of this course, student should be able to: <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Use the computer as a problem-solving tool.</li><li>2. Identify and formulate Civil Engineering problems solvable by computers.</li><li>3. Perform linear algebra and matrix operations and their application to solve Civil Engineering problems</li><li>4. Solve sets of linear equations and determine roots and nonlinear equations</li></ol> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>5. Construct, interpret and solve simple optimization problems</li><li>6. Develop programs for Civil Engineering analysis and design problems.</li><li>7. Use various software used in industries for analysis and design.</li></ol>				
<b>Prerequisite</b>	ES-CS291 Programming for Problem Solving, CE(ES)392 Computer-aided Civil Engineering Drawing.				
<b>Module 1</b>	<b>Introduction:</b> Concept of problem-solving using computer, use of programming language and software for problem solving; Identification of various design and analysis problems in different fields of Civil Engineering to be solved using computers; Procedure, formulae and data related to the analysis and design of such problems.				
<b>Module 2</b>	<b>Use of spreadsheets:</b> Learning spreadsheets like MS Excel, matrix analysis, use of Goal Seek and Solver, Optimization Tools; Plotting. Applications to problems involving tabular data, CE estimation, surveying, and design problems.				
<b>Module 3</b>	<b>Programming Languages:</b> Learning at least one language: Fortran 2003/2008/2018, C++11/C++14, Python 3, VBA 7.0; Computing platforms like Matlab/Scilab/MathCAD; Solving analysis and design problems in areas like surveying, hydraulics, structural analysis, RCC design, soil mechanics and foundation, transportation, water resources, etc.				
<b>Module 4</b>	<b>Use of Software:</b> Familiarity with widely used Civil Engineering software like STAAD Pro, HEC-RAS, HEC-HMS, SWMM, Mx Roads, etc.; Solving at least two such analysis/design problems.				