Maulana Abul Kalam Azad University of Technology, West Bengal
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Syllabus for B. Tech in Electronics & Communication Engineering
(Applicable from the academic session 2018-2019)

PE-EC505B	Speech and Audio Processing	3L:0T:0P	3 credits

Introduction- Speech production and modeling - Human Auditory System;General structure of speech coders; Classification of speech coding techniques - parametric, waveform and hybrid ; Requirements of speech codecs -quality, coding delays, robustness.

Speech Signal Processing- Pitch-period estimation, all-pole and all-zero filters,convolution; Power spectral density, periodogram, autoregressive model, autocorrelation estimation.

Linear Prediction of Speech- Basic concepts of linear prediction; LinearPrediction Analysis of nonstationary signals -prediction gain, examples; Levinson-Durbin algorithm; Long term and short-term linear prediction models; Moving average prediction.

Speech Quantization- Scalar quantization-uniform quantizer, optimum quantizer,logarithmic quantizer, adaptive quantizer, differential quantizers; Vector quantization - distortion measures, codebook design, codebook types.

Scalar Quantization of LPC- Spectral distortion measures, Quantization based onreflection coefficient and log area ratio, bit allocation; Line spectral frequency - LPC to LSF conversions, quantization based on LSF.

Linear Prediction Coding- LPC model of speech production; Structures of LPCencoders and decoders; Voicing detection; Limitations of the LPC model.

Code Excited Linear Prediction-CELP speech production model; Analysis-by-synthesis; Generic CELP encoders and decoders; Excitation codebook search - state-save method, zero-input zero-state method; CELP based on adaptive codebook, Adaptive Codebook search; Low Delay CELP and algebraic CELP.

Speech Coding Standards-An overview of ITU-T G.726, G.728 and G.729standards

Text/Reference Books:
1. "Digital Speech" by A.M.Kondoz, Second Edition (Wiley Students" Edition), 2004.
2. "Speech Coding Algorithms: Foundation and Evolution of Standardized Coders", W.C. Chu, WileyInter science, 2003.