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Semester-I

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DSC-I
ALGEBRA

Unit-I Theory of Equations and Complex Numbers

- ◆ General properties of polynomials and equations ◆ Fundamental theorem of algebra
- ◆ Relations between the roots and the coefficients ◆ Upper bounds for the real roots
- ◆ Theorems on imaginary, integral and rational roots ◆ Newton's method for integral roots
- ◆ Descartes' rule of signs ◆ DeMoivre's theorem for integer and rational indices and their applications
- ◆ The n^{th} roots of unity ◆ Cardan's solution of the cubic
- ◆ Descartes' solution of the quartic equation

Unit-II Basic Number Theory

- ◆ Division algorithm in \mathbb{Z} ◆ Divisibility and the Euclidean algorithm
- ◆ Fundamental theorem of arithmetic ◆ Modular arithmetic and basic properties of congruences

Unit-III Basics of Group Theory

- ◆ Groups, Basic properties ◆ Symmetries of a square, Dihedral group
- ◆ Order of a group, Order of an element ◆ Subgroups ◆ Center of a group
- ◆ Centralizer of an element ◆ Cyclic groups and properties ◆ Generators of a cyclic group
- ◆ Classification of subgroups of cyclic groups

Essential Readings

1. Andreescu, Titu & Andrica, D. (2014) - Complex Numbers from A to ...Z (2nd Edition) - Birkhäuser
[View/Download](#) (3.27 MB)
2. Dickson, Leonard Eugene (2009) - First Course in the Theory of Equations - John Wiley & Sons, Inc.
- The Project Gutenberg
[View/Download](#) (1.36 MB)
3. Gallian, Joseph. A. (2017) - Contemporary Abstract Algebra (9th Edition) - Cengage Learning India Private Limited, Delhi (Indian Reprint 2021)
[View/Download](#) (11.4 MB)

4. Goodaire, Edgar G. & Parmenter, Michael M. (2006) - Discrete Mathematics with Graph Theory (3rd Edition) - Pearson Education Pvt. Ltd. (Indian Reprint 2018)
[View/Download \(12.9 MB\)](#)

Suggestive Readings

- Burnside, W.S. & Panton, A.W. (1979) - The Theory of Equations, Vol. 1 (11th Edition) - S. Chand & Co. New Delhi, Dover Publications Inc. (Fourth Indian Reprint)
[Not Available](#)
- Burton, David M. (2011) - Elementary Number Theory (7th Edition) - McGraw-Hill Education Pvt. Ltd. (Indian Reprint)
[View/Download \(6.38 MB\)](#)
- Rotman, Joseph J. (1995) - An Introduction to The Theory of Groups (4th Edition) - Springer-Verlag, New York
[View/Download \(38.7 MB\)](#)

DSC-II ELEMENTARY REAL ANALYSIS

Unit-I Real Number System

- ◆ Algebraic and order properties of \mathbb{R} ◆ Absolute value of a real number
- ◆ Bounded above and bounded below sets ◆ Supremum and infimum of a non-empty subset of \mathbb{R}
- ◆ The completeness property of \mathbb{R} ◆ Archimedean property ◆ Density of rational numbers in \mathbb{R}

Unit-II Sequence

- ◆ Sequences and their limits ◆ Convergent sequence ◆ Limit theorems ◆ Monotone sequences
- ◆ Monotone convergence theorem ◆ Subsequences ◆ Bolzano–Weierstrass theorem for sequences
- ◆ Limit superior and limit inferior for bounded sequence ◆ Cauchy sequence
- ◆ Cauchy’s convergence criterion

Unit-III Infinite Series

- ◆ Convergence and divergence of infinite series of real numbers ◆ Necessary condition for convergence
- ◆ Cauchy criterion for convergence ◆ Tests for convergence of positive term series, Integral test, Basic comparison test, Limit comparison test, D’Alembert’s ratio test, Cauchy’s n^{th} root test, Raabe’s test
- ◆ Alternating series ◆ Leibniz test ◆ Absolute and conditional convergence

Essential Readings

1. Bartle, Robert G. & Sherbert, Donald R. (2011) - Introduction to Real Analysis (4th Edition) - John Wiley & Sons. Wiley India (Edition 2015)
[View/Download \(9.18 MB\)](#)
2. Bilodeau, Gerald G., Thie, Paul R. & Keough, G. E. (2010) - An Introduction to Analysis (2nd Edition) - Jones and Bartlett India Pvt. Ltd. Student Edition (Reprinted 2015)
[View/Download \(150.1 MB\)](#)
3. Denlinger, Charles G. (2011) - Elements of Real Analysis - Jones and Bartlett India Pvt. Ltd. Student Edition (Reprinted 2015)
[View/Download \(180.9 MB\)](#)

Suggestive Readings

- Aliprantis C. D. & Burkinshaw, O. (1998) - Principles of Real Analysis (3rd Edition) - Academic Press
[View/Download](#) (10.6 MB)
- Ross, Kenneth A. (2013) - Elementary Analysis: The Theory of Calculus (2nd Edition) - Undergraduate Texts in Mathematics, Springer (Indian Reprint)
[View/Download](#) (3.28 MB)
- Thomson, B. S., Bruckner, A. M., & Bruckner, J. B. (2001) - Elementary Real Analysis - Prentice Hall
[View/Download](#) (5.56 MB)

DSC-III PROBABILITY AND STATISTICS

Unit-I Descriptive Statistics, Probability, and Discrete Probability Distributions

- ◆ Descriptive statistics: Populations, Samples, Stem-and-leaf displays, Dotplots, Histograms, Qualitative data, Measures of location, Measures of variability, Boxplots
- ◆ Sample spaces and events
- ◆ Probability axioms and properties
- ◆ Conditional probability, Bayes' theorem and independent events
- ◆ Discrete random variables and probability distributions
- ◆ Expected values
- ◆ Probability distributions: Binomial, geometric, hypergeometric, negative binomial, Poisson, and Poisson distribution as a limit

Unit-II Continuous Probability Distributions

- ◆ Continuous random variables
- ◆ Probability density functions
- ◆ Uniform distribution
- ◆ Cumulative distribution functions and expected values
- ◆ The normal, exponential and lognormal distributions

Unit-III Central Limit Theorem and Regression Analysis

- ◆ Sampling distribution and standard error of the sample mean
- ◆ Central Limit Theorem and applications
- ◆ Scatterplot of bivariate data
- ◆ Regression line using principle of least squares
- ◆ Estimation using the regression lines
- ◆ Sample correlation coefficient and properties

Practical

Software labs using Microsoft Excel or any other spreadsheet.

- 1) Presentation and analysis of data (univariate and bivariate) by frequency tables, descriptive statistics, stem-and-leaf plots, dotplots, histograms, boxplots, comparative boxplots, and probability plots.
- 2) Fitting of binomial, Poisson and normal distributions.
- 3) Illustrating the Central Limit Theorem through Excel.
- 4) Fitting of regression line using the principle of least squares.
- 5) Computation of sample correlation coefficient.

Essential Reading

1. Devore, Jay L. (2016) - Probability and Statistics for Engineering and the Sciences (9th Edition) - Cengage Learning India Private Limited, Delhi (Indian Reprint 2020)
[View/Download](#) (5.88 MB)

Suggestive Reading

- Mood, A. M., Graybill, F. A., & Boes, D. C. (1974) - Introduction to the Theory of Statistics (3rd Edition) - Tata McGraw-Hill Pub. Co. Ltd. (Reprinted 2017)
[View/Download \(23.6 MB\)](#)