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Course Objective: To study the concepts, architecture, models of a cloud and its security issues and service management parameters.

S. No.	Course Outcomes (CO)
CO1	Understand cloud computing evolution, characteristics, and its comparison with grid and cluster computing.
CO2	Describe cloud architecture, service models (IaaS, PaaS, SaaS), and deployment models.
CO3	Explain IaaS, virtualization, and resource provisioning, including managing virtual machines and storage.
CO4	Identify PaaS components and examples like Google App Engine and Microsoft Azure.
CO5	Analyze cloud service management, SLAs, scaling economics, and data management.
CO6	Evaluate cloud security issues, including network, host, and data security, and identity management.

S. No	Contents	Contact Hours
UNIT 1	Overview of Computing Paradigm and introduction to cloud computing: Recent trends in Computing (Grid Computing, Cluster Computing, Distributed Computing, Utility Computing, Cloud Computing), Evolution of cloud computing(Business driver for adopting cloud computing), Cloud Computing (NIST Model) , Cloud service providers, Properties, Characteristics & Disadvantages, Cloud computing vs. Cluster computing vs. Grid computing,Role of Open Standards	8
UNIT 2	Cloud Computing Architecture: Cloud computing stack: Comparison with traditional computing architecture (client/server), Services provided at various levels, How Cloud Computing Works, Role of Networks in Cloud computing, protocols used, Role of Web services, Service Models (XaaS) :Infrastructure as a Service(IaaS), Platform as a Service(PaaS), Software as a Service(SaaS), Deployment Models(Public cloud, Private cloud, Hybrid cloud, Community cloud)	8
UNIT 3	Infrastructure as a Service(IaaS):Introduction to IaaS ,IaaS definition, Introduction to virtualization, Different approaches to virtualization, Hypervisors, Machine Image, Virtual Machine(VM),Resource Virtualization(Server, Storage, Network), Virtual Machine(resource) provisioning and manageability, storage as a service, Data storage in cloud computing(storage as a service).	8
UNIT 4	Platform as a Service(PaaS):Introduction to PaaS, Service Oriented Architecture (SOA), Cloud Platform and Management (Computation, Storage) Examples: Google App Engine, Microsoft Azure, SalesForce. com Software as a Service(SaaS): Introduction to SaaS, Web services, Web 2.0, Web OS,Case Study on SaaS	8

UNIT 5	Service Management in Cloud Computing: Service Level Agreements(SLAs) (Billing & Accounting, Comparing Scaling Hardware: Traditional vs. Cloud , Economics of scaling: Benefitting enormously, Managing Data, Looking at Data, Scalability & Cloud Services, Database & Data Stores in Cloud, Large Scale Data Processing	**8**
UNIT 6	Cloud Security: Infrastructure Security(Network level security, Host level security, Application level security), Data security and Storage (Data privacy and security Issues, Jurisdictional issues raised by Data location), Identity & Access Management, Access Control, Trust, Reputation, Risk, Authentication in cloud computing, Client access in cloud, Cloud contracting Model, Commercial and business considerations	**8**
	Total	**48**