

Course Code	18PDH101T	Course Name	GENERAL APTITUDE	Course Category	H	Humanities and Social Sciences including Management	L	T	P	C
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Pre-requisite Courses	Nil	Co-requisite Courses	Nil	Progressive Courses	Nil
Course Offering Department	Career Development Centre	Data Book / Codes/Standards	Nil		

Course Learning Rationale (CLR):	The purpose of learning this course is to:	Learning	Program Learning Outcomes (PLO)
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CLR-1 :	Recapitulate fundamental mathematical concepts and skills		1	2	3		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
CLR-2 :	Hone critical thinking skills by analyzing the arguments with explicit and implicit premises																				
CLR-3 :	Sharpen logical reasoning through skillful conceptualization,																				
CLR-4 :	identification of relationships between words based on their function, usage and characteristics																				
CLR-5 :	nurture passion for enriching vocabulary																				
CLR-6 :	Acquire the right knowledge, skill and aptitude to face any competitive examination																				
Course Learning Outcomes (CLO):	At the end of this course, learners will be able to:		Level of Thinking	Expected Proficiency	Expected Attainment		Engineering Knowledge	Problem Analysis	Design & Development	Analysis, Design, Modern Tool Usage	Society & Culture	Environment & Ethics	Individual & Team Work	Communication	Project Mgt. & Finance	Life Long Learning	PSO - 1	PSO - 2	PSO - 3		
CLO-1 :	Build a strong base in the fundamental mathematical concepts		2	80	75		L	H	-	H	M	-	-	-	H	H	L	H	-	-	-
CLO-2 :	Identify the approaches and strategies to solve problems with speed and accuracy		2	75	70		-	H	-	H	M	-	-	-	H	H	-	H	-	-	-
CLO-3 :	Gain appropriate skills to succeed in preliminary selection process for recruitment		2	80	75		-	H	-	H	M	-	-	-	H	H	L	H	-	-	-
CLO-4 :	Collectively solve problems in teams and groups		3	75	70		L	H	-	H	M	-	-	-	H	H	-	H	-	-	-
CLO-5 :	Build vocabulary through methodical approaches		3	85	80		-	H	-	H	M	-	-	-	H	H	L	H	-	-	-
CLO-6 :	Enhance lexical skills through systematic application of concepts and careful analysis of style, syntax, semantics and logic		2	85	80		-	H	-	H	M	-	-	-	H	H	-	H	-	-	-

Duration (hour)		6	6	6	6	6
S-1	SLO-1	Types of numbers, Divisibility tests	Square root, Cube roots, Remainder	Percentage Introduction	Discount	Logarithms Intro
	SLO-2	Solving Problems	Solving Problems	Solving Problems	Solving Problems	Solving Problems
S-2	SLO-1	Introduction to Significance of Verbal Aptitude in Competitive Examinations	Contextual Vocabulary Exercise – Synonyms	Sentence Completion Basic Level Exercises – Single Blank	Reading Comprehension – Introduction	Grammar Rules – A comprehensive Introduction
	SLO-2	Solving Problems	Solving Problems	Solving Problems	Solving Problems	Solving Problems
S-3	SLO-1	LCM and GCD	Identities	Percentage Problems	Simple Interest	Logarithms Rules
	SLO-2	Solving Problems	Solving Problems	Solving Problems	Solving Problems	Solving Problems

S-4	SLO-1	Vocabulary enrichment techniques	Contextual Vocabulary Exercise - Synonyms	Sentence Completion Basic Level Exercises – Double Blank	Reading Comprehension – Summary & Main Idea	Sentence Completion - Grammar
	SLO-2	Solving Problems	Solving Problems	Solving Problems	Solving Problems	Solving Problems
S-5	SLO-1	Unit digit, Number of zeroes, Factorial notation	Fractions and Decimals, surds	Profit and Loss	Compound Interest, Installments	Linear Equations
	SLO-2	Solving Problems	Solving Problems	Solving Problems	Solving Problems	Solving Problems
S-6	SLO-1	Vocabulary enrichment Techniques	Contextual Vocabulary Exercise - Antonyms	Cloze Test	Reading Comprehension – Summary & Main Idea	Spotting Errors
	SLO-2	Solving Problems	Solving Problems	Solving Problems	Solving Problems	Solving Problems

Learning Resources	1. Nishit K. Sinha, <i>The Pearson Guide to Quantitative Aptitude and Data Interpretation for the CAT</i> 2. Dinesh Khattar- <i>The Pearson Guide to QUANTITATIVE APTITUDE for competitive examinations</i> 3. Charles Harrington Elster, <i>Verbal Advantage: Ten Easy Steps to a Powerful Vocabulary</i> , Random House Reference, 2002 4. Merriam Webster's <i>Vocabulary Builder</i> , Merriam Webster Mass Market, 2010	5. Norman Lewis, <i>How to Read Better and Faster</i> , Goyal, 4 th Edition 6. Franklin GRE Word List, 3861 GRE Words, Franklin Vocab System, 2014 Wiley's GMAT Reading Comprehension Grail, Wiley, 2016 7. Manhattan Prep GRE : <i>Reading Comprehension and Essays</i> , 5th Edition 8. Martin Hewings, <i>Advanced Grammar in Use</i> . Cambridge University Press, 2013

Learning Assessment											
	Bloom's Level of Thinking	Continuous Learning Assessment (50% weightage)								Final Examination (50% weightage)	
		CLA – 1 (10%)		CLA – 2 (15%)		CLA – 3 (15%)		CLA – 4 (10%)#			
		Theory	Practice	Theory	Practice	Theory	Practice	Theory	Practice	Theory	Practice
Level 1	Remember	-	40%	-	30%	-	30%	-	30%	-	30%
	Understand										
Level 2	Apply	-	40%	-	40%	-	40%	-	40%	-	40%
	Analyze										
Level 3	Evaluate	-	20%	-	30%	-	30%	-	30%	-	30%
	Create										
	Total	100 %		100 %		100 %		100 %		100 %	

CLA – 4 can be from any combination of these: Assignments, Seminars, Tech Talks, Mini-Projects, Case-Studies, Self-Study, MOOCs, Certifications, Conf. Paper etc.,

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