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#### **Department of Mathematics**

#### **Ph.D.** Mathematics

## **Ph.D Programme Specific Outcomes:**

- 1. Acquire knowledge on latest topics of mathematics
- 2. Identify and formulate research problems in the thrust areas
- 3. Expertise on writing thesis

#### **Scheme of Instruction and Examination**

# (Applicable for Ph.D Scholars admitted from 2020-2021& onwards)

Subject code	Title of the Paper	Hours of	Scheme of Examination				
		instruction					
		/ week	Duration	CIA	CE	Total	Credits
			of exam				
21PHMA01	Research Methodology	7	3	60	40	100	5
	in Mathematics						
21PHMA02	Applications of	7	3	60	40	100	6
	Algebra, Real Analysis						
	and Topology						
	Specialization Paper		3	60	40	100	5
20PHMA04	Research and	2	3	60	40	100	2
	<b>Publication Ethics</b>						
	(RPE)						
	Thesis			100	100	200	12
Total Credits							30

## Department of Mathematics Ph.D. Mathematics 21PHMA01 RESEARCH METHODOLOGY IN MATHEMATICS

Hours of instruction: 7 Hrs./week

No. of Credits: 5

#### **Objectives:**

- To provide the overview of research methodology
- To learn and apply graph theory tools in solving practical problems
- To understand the concept of fuzzy sets and their operations

## Unit I: Research Methodology

Meaning of Research – Objectives of Research – Significance of Research – Research and Scientific Method – Significance of report writing – Different steps in writing report- Layout of the Research – Mechanics of writing a Research Report – Precautions of writing Research Reports.

#### Unit II: Domination in graphs

Dominating sets in Graphs - Sets of representatives - Applications of Domination numbers.

#### Unit III: Bounds on the Domination number

Bounds on the Domination number – Bounds in terms of order, Degree, Packing, size, Diameter, Girth, Independence and Covering.

## Unit IV: Fuzzy Sets

Fuzzy Sets – Basic types – Basic Concepts -  $\alpha$  - cuts – Additional properties of  $\alpha$  - cuts – Extension principle for Fuzzy sets.

#### Unit V: Operations on Fuzzy Sets

Operations on Fuzzy sets – Types of Operations – Fuzzy complements-t-Norms-Fuzzy Unions-Combinations of operations.

Total Hrs.: 105

## **Course Outcomes:**

On completion of the course, the students will be able to

- write the thesis efficiently
- apply principles of graph theory in practical situation
- learn the concepts of fuzzy set theory
- apply the concept of fuzzy sets to real life problems

## **Text Books:**

- 1. *C.R.Kothari* (2007). "Research Methodology" New Age International (P) limited, New Delhi, second edition.
- 2. *Teresa W.Haynes, Stephen T.Hedetniemi, Peter J. Slater*, Fundamentals of Domination in Graphs, 1998 CRC Press.
- 3. *George J.Klir and B.Yuan*, Fuzzy sets and Fuzzy Logic , Prentice Hall of India, New Delhi, 2004.

## **References:**

- 1. R.Balakrishnan and K.Ranganathan, A Text Book of Graph Theory, Springer, 2012.
- 2. *H.J.Zimmermann*, Fuzzy Set theory and its Applications, Allied Publishers limited, New Delhi, 1991.

Unit	Text Book	Chapter	Sections
II	2	1	1.1 to 1.13
III	2	2	2.1 to 2.5
IV	3	1 & 2	Fully
V	3	3	Fully

## Department of Mathematics Ph.D. Mathematics 21PHMA02 APPLICATIONS OF ALGEBRA, REAL ANALYSIS AND TOPOLOGY

## Hours of instruction: 7 Hrs./week

No. of Credits: 6

#### **Objectives:**

- To establish Noetherian modules on commutative ring
- To apply lattice theory to Jordan Holder Dedekind Theorem
- To learn the conditions of metrizability of a topological space
- To understand the applications of spectral theory

## Unit I: Commutative Algebra

Free modules – Projective modules – Tensor Products – Flat modules- Ideals – Local rings – Localization - Noetherian modules – Primary decomposition – Artin in module– Length of a module

#### Unit II: Lattice

Lattices – Fundamental – Lattice Theory – Modular Lattices – Jordan Holder Dedekind Theorem.

## Unit III: Analysis

General preliminaries on Banach Algebra – The definitions and some examples, Regular and singular elements, Topological divisors of zero, the spectrum, The formula for the spectral radius, The radical and semi – simplicity

## Unit IV: Banach Algebra

The structure of commutative Banach Algebra – the Gelfand mapping, applications of the formula  $r(x) = \lim_{n \to \infty} \left\| x^n \right\|_{n}^{\frac{1}{n}}$ , Involutions in Banach Algebras, The Gelfand-Neumark theorem.

## Unit V: Topology

Local Finiteness – The Nagata-Smirnov Metrization Theorem – Paracompactness – The Smirnov Metrization Theorem.

Total Hrs.: 105

## **Course Outcomes:**

On completion of the course, the students will be able to

- access properties of ideals on local rings.
- acquire knowledge of Noetherian modules and Artinian modules.
- solve problems using lattices.
- apply the concepts of Paracompactness in topology and differential geometry
- obtain the knowledge of uniting topological sides with Algebraic structure.

## **Text Books:**

- 1. *N.S.Gopalakrishnan*, Commutative Algebra, Second Edition University press, 2016. (Unit I)
- 2. *SanndersMaclane and Garrett Birkhoffi*, Algebra, second edition Macmillan Pub Co, INC, 1999. (Unit II)
- 3. *G.F.Simmons*, Introduction to Topology and Modern Analysis, Tata McGraw-Hill Publishing Company Limited, 2009. (Unit III & IV)
- 4. *James R. Munkres*, Topology (2<sup>nd</sup> edition), Prentice Hall of India, Pvt .Ltd., New Delhi, 2004. (Unit V)

## **Reference:**

1. *I.M. Singer and J.A. Thorpe*, Lecture Notes on Elementary Topology and Geometry, Springer Verlag, 2004.