

**DSE Courses of B.A. (Prog.) Semester-VIII**  
**Category-II**

**DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC ELECTIVE COURSE – 4(i): APPLIED ALGEBRA**

**CREDIT DISTRIBUTION, ELIGIBILITY AND PRE-REQUISITES OF THE COURSE**

Course title & Code	Credits	Credit distribution of the course			Eligibility criteria	Pre-requisite of the course (if any)
		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/ Practice		
Applied Algebra	4	3	1	0	Class XII pass with Mathematics	Linear Algebra, Abstract Algebra

**Learning Objectives:** The primary objective of this course is to:

- Introduce the applications of linear algebra in the field of science and arts.
- Develop the analytical and numerical skills to apply the algebraic concepts in real-life situations.
- Understand the identification numbers and different check digit schemes that can be used to reduce the errors during their transmission.

**Learning Outcomes:** This course will enable the students to:

- Understand the system of linear equations, matrices and transformations in the fields of economics, science, engineering and computer science.
- Apply the combinatorics and graph theory in scheduling and reliability theory.
- Learn about identification numbers and using check digits to check for errors after the identification number has been transmitted.

**SYLLABUS OF DSE-4(i)**

**UNIT-I: Applications of Linear Algebra (15 hours)**

Applications of linear systems: Leontief input-output model in economics, Traffic flow, and diet problem; Applications to computer graphics, difference equations and Markov chains; Applications to linear models: Least-squares problems, and least-squares lines.

**UNIT-II: Latin Squares and Graph Models (12 hours)**

Latin squares, Table for a finite group as a Latin square, Latin squares as in design of experiments; Mathematical models for matching jobs, Spelling checker, Network reliability, Street surveillance, Scheduling meetings, Interval graph modeling and Influence model, Pitcher pouring puzzle.

**UNIT-III: Various Check Digit Schemes (18 hours)**

Developing identification numbers, Types of identification numbers, Transmission errors, Check digits, Integer division, Modular arithmetic, US postal money orders, Airline ticket identification numbers, The Universal Product Code check digit scheme, ISBN check digit

scheme, Creating Identification numbers, IBM scheme, Symmetry, Symmetry and Rigid motions, Verhoeff check digit scheme.

### Essential Readings

1. David C. Lay, Steven R. Lay and Judi J. McDonald (2016). Linear Algebra and Its Applications (5th ed.). Pearson.
2. Tucker, Alan (2012). Applied Combinatorics (6th ed.). John Wiley & Sons, Inc.
3. Kirtland, Joseph (2001). Identification Numbers and Check Digit Schemes. Mathematical Association of America.

### Suggestive Readings

- Andirilli, Stephen and Hecker, David (2016). Elementary Linear Algebra (5th ed.). Academic Press, Elsevier.
- Lidl, Rudolf and Pilz, Günter (1998). Applied Abstract Algebra (2nd ed.). Springer. Indian Reprint 2014.
- Strang, Gilbert (2016). Introduction to Linear Algebra (5th ed.). Wellesley-Cambridge.

## DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC ELECTIVE COURSE-4(ii): ELEMENTS OF PARTIAL DIFFERENTIAL EQUATIONS

### CREDIT DISTRIBUTION, ELIGIBILITY AND PRE-REQUISITES OF THE COURSE

Course title & Code	Credits	Credit distribution of the course			Eligibility criteria	Pre-requisite of the course (if any)
		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/ Practice		
Elements of Partial Differential Equations	4	3	1	0	Class XII pass with Mathematics	Differential Equations

**Learning Objectives:** The main objective of this course is to introduce:

- Basic concepts of first and second-order linear/nonlinear partial differential equations.
- Methods to solve first-order nonlinear PDEs and determine integral surfaces.
- Linear PDEs with constant coefficients, and finding their solutions using complimentary functions and particular integral.
- Modeling of wave equation, diffusion equation, traffic flow and their solutions.

**Learning Outcomes:** The course will enable the students to learn:

- Charpit's and Jacobi's methods to solve first-order nonlinear partial differential equations in two and three independent variables, respectively.
- Monge's method for integrating PDE of type  $Rr + Ss + Tt = V$ .
- The Cauchy problem and solutions of one-dimensional wave equations with initial boundary-value problems, and vibration of finite string with fixed ends.
- The macroscopic modeling of the traffic flow, where the focus will be on modeling the density of cars and their flow, rather than modeling individual cars and their velocity.

**SYLLABUS OF DSE-4(ii)****UNIT–I: First-order Partial Differential Equations (18 hours)**

Review of basic concepts: Origins of first-order PDEs, Lagrange’s method for solving linear equations of first order; Integral surfaces passing through a given curve, and surfaces orthogonal to a given system of surfaces; Nonlinear PDEs of the first order, and compatible systems of first-order PDEs; Charpit’s method for solving nonlinear PDEs, special types of first-order PDEs, and solutions satisfying given conditions; Jacobi’s method for solving nonlinear PDE with three independent variables.

**UNIT – II: Second-order Partial Differential Equations (15 hours)**

Origins of second-order PDEs, and solving linear PDEs with constant coefficients using methods of finding the complementary function and particular integral; Monge’s method of integrating nonlinear second-order PDE of type  $Rr + Ss + Tt = V$  with variable coefficients.

**UNIT – III: Applications of Partial Differential Equations (12 hours)**

Solution of one-dimensional diffusion equation and wave equation by method of separation of variables, d’Alembert’s solution of the Cauchy problem for the one-dimensional wave equation; Solutions of homogeneous one-dimensional wave equations with initial boundary-value problems, and vibration of finite string with fixed ends; Traffic flow model.

**Essential Readings**

- 1 Myint-U, Tyn & Debnath, Lokenath. (2007). Linear Partial Differential Equations for Scientists and Engineers (4th ed.). Birkhäuser. Indian Reprint.
- 2 Piaggio, H.T.H. (2004). Differential Equations. CBS Publishers & Distributors, Delhi.
- 3 Sneddon, Ian N. (2006). Elements of Partial Differential Equations, Dover Publications. Indian Reprint.

**Suggestive Readings**

- Amaranath T. (2023). An Elementary Course in Partial Differential Equations (3rd ed.). Narosa Publishing House.
- Arrigo, Daniel (2023). An Introduction to Partial Differential Equations (2nd ed.). Springer.
- Kapoor, N. M. (2023). A Text Book of Differential Equations. Pitambar Publishing Company.

**DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC ELECTIVE COURSE-4(iii): MATHEMATICAL STATISTICS****CREDIT DISTRIBUTION, ELIGIBILITY AND PRE-REQUISITES OF THE COURSE**

Course title & Code	Credits	Credit distribution of the course			Eligibility criteria	Pre-requisite of the course (if any)
		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/ Practice		
Mathematical Statistics	4	3	1	0	Class XII pass with Mathematics	Probability and Statistics, Multivariate Calculus

**Learning Objectives:** The main objective of this course is to introduce the:

- Joint behavior of several random variables theoretically and through illustrative practical examples.
- Theory underlying modern statistics to give the student a solid grounding in (mathematical) statistics and the principles of statistical inference.
- Application of the theory to the statistical modeling of data from real applications, including model identification, estimation, and interpretation.
- Theory and analysis of multivariate data which covers two-factor analysis of variance, multiple linear regression including models for contingency tables.

**Learning Outcomes:** The course will enable the students to:

- Understand joint distributions of random variables including the multivariate normal distribution.
- Estimate model parameters from the statistical inference based on confidence intervals and hypothesis testing.
- Understand the theory of multiple regression models and contingency tables.
- Apply principles and theory to the statistical modeling and analysis of practical problems in a variety of application areas, and to interpret results and draw conclusions in context.

## **SYLLABUS OF DSE-4(iii)**

### **UNIT–I: Joint Probability Distributions (15 hours)**

Joint probability mass function for two discrete random variables, Marginal probability mass function, Joint probability density function for two continuous random variables, Marginal probability density function, Independent random variables; Expected values, covariance, and correlation; Linear combination of random variables, Moment generating functions of linear combination of random variables; Conditional distributions and conditional expectation, The laws of total expectation and variance; Bivariate normal distribution.

### **UNIT-II: Sampling Distributions and Estimation (12 hours)**

Distribution of important statistics such as the sample totals, sample means, and sample proportions; Joint sampling distribution of sample mean and sample variance,  $t$ -statistic and  $F$ -statistic distributions based on normal random samples; Concepts and criteria for point estimation, The method of moments estimators and maximum likelihood estimation; Interval estimation and basic properties of confidence intervals, One-sample  $t$  confidence interval, Confidence intervals for a population proportion and population variance.

### **UNIT-III: Tests of Hypotheses, ANOVA and Multiple Regression Analysis (18 hours)**

Statistical hypotheses and test procedures, One-sample tests about: population mean, population proportion, and population variance;  $P$ -values for tests; Two-sample  $z$ -confidence interval and  $t$ -confidence interval tests; Single-factor ANOVA, Two-factor ANOVA without replication; Multiple linear regression model and estimating parameters; Chi-squared goodness-of-fit tests, Two-way Contingency tables.

### Essential Reading

1. Devore, Jay L., Berk, Kenneth N. & Carlton Matthew A. (2021). Modern Mathematical Statistics with Applications. Third edition, Springer.

### Suggestive Readings

- Devore, Jay L. (2016). Probability and Statistics for Engineering and the Sciences. Ninth edition, Cengage Learning India Private Limited, Delhi. Fourth impression 2022.
- Hogg, Robert V., McKean, Joseph W., & Craig, Allen T. (2019). Introduction to Mathematical Statistics. Eighth edition, Pearson. Indian Reprint 2020.
- Mood, A.M., Graybill, F.A., & Boes, D.C. (1974). Introduction the Theory of Statistics (3rd ed.). Tata McGraw Hill Pub. Co. Ltd. Reprinted 2017.
- Wackerly, Dennis D., Mendenhall III, William & Scheaffer, Richard L. (2008). Mathematical Statistics with Applications. 7th edition, Cengage Learning.

## DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC ELECTIVE COURSE-4(iv): OPTIMIZATION TECHNIQUES

### CREDIT DISTRIBUTION, ELIGIBILITY AND PRE-REQUISITES OF THE COURSE

Course title & Code	Credits	Credit distribution of the course			Eligibility criteria	Pre-requisite of the course (if any)
		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/ Practice		
Optimization Techniques	4	3	1	0	Class XII pass with Mathematics	Multivariate Calculus

**Learning Objectives:** The primary objective of this course is to introduce:

- Nonlinear optimization problems
- Transshipment and dynamic programming problems
- Integer Programming, fractional programming problems
- Convex and generalized convex functions and their properties

**Learning Outcomes:** This course will enable the students to:

- Nonlinear programming problems and their applications
- Method to solve fractional programming problems with linear constraints
- Methods to solve dynamic programming problems using recursive computations

### SYLLABUS OF DSE-4(iv)

#### UNIT-I: Transshipment and Dynamic Programming Problems (15 hours)

Transshipment problem, Shortest-route problem; Dynamic programming, Recursive forward and backward computation, Knapsack/fly-away/cargo-loading problems solution through dynamic programming.

**UNIT-II: Integer Programming Problems (15 hours)**

Integer programming problem, Gomory's cutting plane method for integer problems, Mixed integer problems, Branch and bound method.

**UNIT-III: Nonlinear Programming Problems (15 hours)**

Convex functions, Convex programming problems; Generalized convex functions; Linear fractional programming problem, Charnes and Cooper transformation, Simplex algorithm to solve linear fractional programming problem.

**Essential Readings**

1. Chandra, Suresh, Jayadeva and Mehra, Aparna (2009). Numerical Optimization with Applications. Narosa Publishing House Pvt. Ltd. Delhi. Second Reprint 2016.
2. Taha, Hamdy A. (2017). Operations Research: An Introduction (10th ed.). Pearson.

**Suggestive Reading**

- Swarup, K., Gupta, P.K., and Mohan, M. (1984). Operations Research. Sultan Chand.

**DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC ELECTIVE COURSE-4(v): RINGS AND FIELDS**
**CREDIT DISTRIBUTION, ELIGIBILITY AND PRE-REQUISITES OF THE COURSE**

Course title & Code	Credits	Credit distribution of the course			Eligibility criteria	Pre-requisite of the course (if any)
		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/ Practice		
Rings and Fields	4	3	1	0	Class XII pass with Mathematics	Abstract Algebra

**Learning Objectives:** The primary objective of this course is to:

- Understand the basic algebraic structures rings, Euclidean rings, polynomial rings and fields.
- Understand the form of ideals, maximal ideals in the quotient rings and their order preserving correspondence with the parent ring.
- Learn the concept of splitting fields of a polynomial over a field and its existence and uniqueness.
- Gain the knowledge of some geometric constructions using field extensions.

**Learning Outcomes:** This course will enable the students to:

- Have familiar with the algebraic structure rings, its maximal ideals, and quotient rings.
- Understand the polynomial rings in one variable over a field with the help of the concept of Euclidean rings.
- Learn the field extensions and the existence, uniqueness of splitting fields of any polynomial over a field.
- Gain the knowledge of structure of finite fields, constructability of numbers using straightedge and compass.

**SYLLABUS OF DSE-4(v)****UNIT-I: Ideals in the quotient rings and Euclidean rings (15 hours)**

Ring homomorphism, First Fundamental theorem of ring homomorphism, Ideals in the quotient rings, Maximal ideals, Maximal ideals of rings of all real valued continuous functions on closed unit interval, Field of quotients of an integral domain, Euclidean rings, Units in Euclidean rings, Principal ideal rings, Unique factorization theorem, Prime elements and the ideal generated by them.

**UNIT-II: Polynomial Rings and Field Extensions (15 hours)**

Ring of Gaussian integers, Polynomial rings in one variable, Division algorithm, Irreducible polynomials and the ideal generated by them, Polynomial rings over the rational field, Gauss' lemma, Eisenstein criterion, Polynomial rings in  $n$  variables.

Extension of Fields: The Fundamental Theorem of Field Theory, Splitting Fields, Zeros of an irreducible polynomial.

**UNIT-III: Algebraic Extensions (15 hours)**

Characterization of field extensions, Finite extensions, Properties of algebraic extensions;

Classification of Finite Fields, Structure of Finite Fields, Subfields of a Finite Field;

Geometric Constructions: Constructible Numbers, Angle-Trisectors and Circle-Squares.

**Essential Readings**

1. Gallian, Joseph. A. (2017). Contemporary Abstract Algebra (9th ed.). Cengage Learning India Private Limited, Delhi. Indian Reprint (2021).
2. Herstein. I. N. (1975). Topics in Algebra (2nd ed.). Wiley India. Reprint 2022.

**Suggestive Readings**

- Dummit, David S., and Foote, Richard M. (2011). Abstract Algebra (3rd ed.), Wiley.
- Garling, D. J. H. (2021). Galois Theory and Its Algebraic Background (2nd ed.). Cambridge University Press.