B.Com. (Banking & Insurance) Programme

Under Choice Based Credit, Grading and Semester System
Course Structure

(To be implemented from Academic Year- 2016-2017)

Semester I

No. of Courses	Semester I	Credits
1	Elective Courses (EC)	
1	Environment and Management of Financial Services.	03
2	Principles of Management	03
3	Financial Accounting-I	03
2	Ability Enhancement Courses (AEC)	
2A	Ability Enhancement Compulsory Course (AECC)	
4	Business Communication-I	03
2B	*Skill Enhancement Courses (SEC)	
5	Any one course from the following list of the courses	02
3	Core Courses (CC)	
6	Business Economics-I	03
7	Quantitative Methods-I	03
	Total Credits	20

*List of Skill Enhancement Courses (SEC) for Semester I (Any One)	
1	Foundation Course - I
2	Foundation Course in NSS - I
3	Foundation Course in NCC - I
4	Foundation Course in Physical Education - I

Elective Courses (EC)

1. Environment and Management of Financial Services

Sr. No.	Modules	No. of Lectures
1	Introduction to Financial System	15
2	Phases of Development of Banking and Insurance	15
3	Management, Regulation and Development	15
4	Regulatory and Developmental Framework of Banking & Insurance	15
	Total	60

Sr. No.	Modules / Units	
1	Introduction to Financial System	
	 Financial System Institutional set- up Marketing Structure Instruments Overview of different kinds of financial services. (e.g Leasing, Hire purchase, factoring, forfaiting, Bill financing/Bill discounting, housing finance, letter of 	
	 credit, insurance, venture capital, merchant banking, stock broking and credit rating.) Meaning, Definition and scope of Banking and Insurance. 	
2	Phases of Development of Banking and Insurance	
	 Significance and Role of Banking and Insurance in mobilizing savings, investment, accumulation and economic growth. Functions and working of banking and insurance companies 	
3	Management, Regulation and Development	
	 Risk management within the organizations of Banks and Insurance companies Asset - Liability Management in Banking and Insurance Organisational structure and management 	
4	Regulatory and Developmental Framework of Banking & Insurance	
	 Banking companies and RBI Acts and legal framework governing the insurance. Developmental Activities of RBI and IRDA Mechanism of supervision and regulation. Prudential Norms. 	

Elective Courses (EC)

2. Principles of Management

Sr. No.	Modules	No. of Lectures
1	Introduction to Management	15
2	Management Process	15
3	Organization Structure of Banking and Insurance companies	15
4	Business Leaders	15
	Total	60

Sr. No.	Modules / Units	
1	Introduction to Management	
	Definition of Management	
	Management as a Profession	
	Traditional Vs Contemporary Management (Henry Fayol, F.W. Taylor, Peter Drucker)	
	(C.K.Pralhad, Mr. Vijay Govindarajan)	
2	Management Process	
	Management Process, Practices, Functions of Management related to Banking and	
	Insurance companies	
3	Organization Structure of Banking and Insurance companies	
4	Business Leaders	
	• Leaders in the Indian Industry (J.R.D Tata, Ratan Tata, Aditya Birla, Kumar Mangalam	
	Birla, Mr Dhirubhai Ambani and Sons, Kiran Mazumdar Shaw, Verghese Kurien)	
	Leaders in the Banking and Insurance Industry	
	Indian Leaders	
	(Banking & Insurance: H.Shanbagh. Uday Kotak, K.V. Kamath Naina Kidwai,	
	Deepak Parekh, Chanda Kochhar, Hinduja, Godrej,Aziz Premzi, Narayan Murthy,	
	Anand Mahindra , Governor of RBI)	
	 International Leader 	
	President of World bank, President of Asian Development Bank, President of	
	Fed Reserve, President of International Monetary Fund	

Elective Courses (EC)

3. Financial Accounting

Sr. No.	Modules	No. of Lectures
1	Introduction to accounting	12
2	Classification of Income & Expenses & Accounting Standards	12
3	Issues of Shares, Stock Valuation & Hire purchase	20
4	Final Accounts	16
	Total	60

Sr. No.	Modules / Units		
1	Introduction to accounting		
	Meaning, scope, objectives, need, importance and limitations of accounting. Basic accounting terminology. Branches of accounting. Accounting concepts, Conventions and Principles. Double Entry System, Classifications of accounts, Rules of debit and credit. Writing of journal Entries and Ledger, Sub division of journal and Trial Balance		
2	Classification of Income & Expenses & Accounting Standards		
	Classifications of Income, Expenditure and Receipts on the basis of capital and revenue. Source documents required for practical accounting. Introduction to Bank Reconciliation Statement and Errors and their Rectification. Accounting Standard 1, 2, 6, 8, 9, 10. Understanding Fair value concept, Overview of Ind-AS vis-a-vis International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRSs).		
3	Issues of Shares, Stock Valuation & Hire purchase		
	Introduction to issue of shares. Stock valuation (FIFO and Weighted Average Method only) Hire Purchase Transactions (calculation of interest, accounting as per asset purchase method only, exclude repossession), Introduction to Depreciation: Fixed Installment method, Written Down Value Method, Change of method. Valuation of goodwill (problems based on average profit method and super profit method only)		
4	Final Accounts		
	Trading Account, Profit and Loss Account, Balance Sheet, Adjustment Entries. Introduction to Accounts of Non Profit Organizations		

Ability Enhancement Courses (AEC)

4. Business Communication - I

Sr. No.	Modules	No. of Lectures
1	Theory of Communication	15
2	Obstacles to Communication in Business World	15
3	Business Correspondence	15
4	Language and Writing Skills	15
	Total	60

Sr. No.	Modules / Units		
1	Theory of Communication		
	Concept of Communication: Meaning, Definition, Process, Need, Feedback		
	Emergence of Communication as a key concept in the Corporate and Global world		
	Impact of technological advancements on Communication		
	Channels and Objectives of Communication: Channels-		
	Formal and Informal- Vertical, Horizontal, Diagonal, Grapevine		
	Objectives of Communication: Information, Advice, Order and Instruction,		
	Persuasion, Motivation, Education, Warning, and Boosting the Morale of		
	Employees (A brief introduction to these objectives to be given)		
	Methods and Modes of Communication:		
	Methods: Verbal and Nonverbal, Characteristics of Verbal Communication		
	Characteristics of Non-verbal Communication, Business Etiquette		
	Modes: Telephone and SMS Communication 3 (General introduction to Telegram		
	to be given) Facsimile Communication [Fax]		
	Computers and E- communication Video and Satellite Conferencing		
2	Obstacles to Communication in Business World		
	Problems in Communication /Barriers to Communication:		
	Physical/ Semantic/Language / Socio-Cultural / Psychological / Barriers, Ways to		
	Overcome these Barriers		
	Listening: Importance of Listening Skills, Cultivating good Listening Skills – 4		
	Introduction to Business Ethics:		
	Concept and Interpretation, Importance of Business Ethics, Personal Integrity at		
	the workplace, Business Ethics and media, Computer Ethics, Corporate Social		
	Responsibility		
	Teachers can adopt a case study approach and address issues such as the		
	following so as to orient and sensitize the student community to actual business		
	practices:		
	Surrogate Advertising, Patents and Intellectual Property Rights, Dumping of		
	Medical/E-waste,		
	Human Rights Violations and Discrimination on the basis of gender, race, caste,		
	religion, appearance and sexual orientation at the workplace		
	Piracy, Insurance, Child Labour		
3	Business Correspondence		
	Theory of Business Letter Writing:		
	Parts, Structure, Layouts—Full Block, Modified Block, Semi - Block Principles of		
	Effective Letter Writing, Principles of effective Email Writing,		
	Personnel Correspondence:		
	Statement of Purpose, Job Application Letter and Resume, Letter of Acceptance of		
	Job Offer, Letter of Resignation		
	[Letter of Appointment, Promotion and Termination, Letter of Recommendation		
	(to be taught but not to be tested in the examination)]		

Sr. No.	Modules / Units		
4	Language and Writing Skills		
	Commercial Terms used in Business Communication		
	Paragraph Writing:		
	Developing an idea, using appropriate linking devices, etc		
	Cohesion and Coherence, self-editing, etc [Interpretation of technical data,		
	Composition on a given situation, a short informal report etc.]		
	Activities		
	Listening Comprehension		
	Remedial Teaching		
	Speaking Skills: Presenting a News Item, Dialogue and Speeches		
	 Paragraph Writing: Preparation of the first draft, Revision and Self – Editing 		
	Rules of spelling.		
	 Reading Comprehension: Analysis of texts from the fields of Commerce and 		
	Management		

Skill Enhancement Courses (SEC)

5. Foundation Course - I

Sr. No.	Modules	No. of Lectures
1	Overview of Indian Society	05
2	Concept of Disparity- 1	10
3	Concept of Disparity-2	10
4	The Indian Constitution	10
5	Significant Aspects of Political Processes	10
	Total	45

Sr. No.	Modules / Units
1	Overview of Indian Society
	Understand the multi-cultural diversity of Indian society through its demographic composition: population distribution according to religion, caste, and gender; Appreciate the concept of linguistic diversity in relation to the Indian situation; Understand regional variations according to rural, urban and tribal characteristics; Understanding the concept of diversity as difference
2	Concept of Disparity- 1
	Understand the concept of disparity as arising out of stratification and inequality; Explore the disparities arising out of gender with special reference to violence against women, female foeticide (declining sex ratio), and portrayal of women in media; Appreciate the inequalities faced by people with disabilities and understand the issues of people with physical and mental disabilities
3	Concept of Disparity-2
	Examine inequalities manifested due to the caste system and inter-group conflicts arising thereof; Understand inter-group conflicts arising out of communalism; Examine the causes and effects of conflicts arising out of regionalism and linguistic differences
4	The Indian Constitution
	Philosophy of the Constitution as set out in the Preamble; The structure of the Constitution-the Preamble, Main Body and Schedules; Fundamental Duties of the Indian Citizen; tolerance, peace and communal harmony as crucial values in strengthening the social fabric of Indian society; Basic features of the Constitution
5	Significant Aspects of Political Processes
	The party system in Indian politics; Local self-government in urban and rural areas; the 73rd and 74th Amendments and their implications for inclusive politics; Role and significance of women in politics

Core Courses (CC)

6. Business Economics I

Sr.	Modules	No. of
No.		Lectures
1	Introduction	10
2	Demand Analysis	10
3	Supply and Production Decisions and Cost of	15
	Production	15
4	Market structure: Perfect competition and Monopoly	
	and Pricing and Output Decisions under Imperfect	15
	Competition	
5	Pricing Practices	10
	Total	60

Sr. No.	Modules / Units
1	Introduction
	Scope and Importance of Business Economics - basic tools- Opportunity Cost principle- Incremental and Marginal Concepts. Basic economic relations - functional relations: equations- Total, Average and Marginal relations- use of Marginal analysis in decision making, The basics of market demand, market supply and equilibrium price- shifts in the demand and supply curves and equilibrium
2	Demand Analysis
	Demand Function - nature of demand curve under different markets Meaning, significance, types and measurement of elasticity of demand (Price, income cross and promotional)- relationship between elasticity of demand and revenue concepts Demand estimation and forecasting: Meaning and significance - methods of demand estimation: survey and statistical methods
2	(numerical illustrations on trend analysis and simple linear regression)
3	Supply and Production Decisions and Cost of Production
	Production function: short run analysis with Law of Variable Proportions- Production function with two variable inputs- isoquants, ridge lines and least cost combination of inputs- Long run production function and Laws of Returns to Scale - expansion path - Economies and diseconomies of Scale. Cost concepts: Accounting cost and economic cost, implicit and explicit cost, fixed and
	Run and Long Run (hypothetical numerical problems to be discussed),
	LAC and Learning curve - Break even analysis (with business applications) Market structure: Perfect competition and Monopoly and Pricing and Output
4	Decisions under Imperfect Competition
	Short run and long run equilibrium of a competitive firm and of industry - monopoly - short run and long- run equilibrium of a firm under Monopoly Monopolistic competition: Equilibrium of a firm under monopolistic competition, debate over role of advertising. (topics to be taught using case studies from real life examples) Oligopolistic markets: key attributes of oligopoly - Collusive and non-collusive oligopoly market - Price rigidity - Cartels and price leadership models (with practical examples)
5	Pricing Practices
	Cost oriented pricing methods: cost – plus (full cost) pricing, marginal cost pricing, Mark up pricing, discriminating pricing, multiple – product pricing - transfer pricing (case studies on how pricing methods are used in business world)

Core Courses (CC)

7. Quantitative Methods -I

Sr. No.	Modules	No. of Lectures
1	Introduction, Organising, Data, Frequency Distribution, Data Representation	10
2	Measures of Central Tendencies	10
3	Measures of Dispersion	08
4	Co-variance, Correlation and Regression	10
5	Probability, Probability Distribution and decision Theory	10
6	Index Nos.	06
7	Insurance	06
	Total	60

Sr. No.	Modules / Units
1	Introduction, Organising, Data, Frequency Distribution, Data Representation
	Organizing Data, Frequency Distribution, Measure of Central tendency, Org Data, preparation of frequency distribution graphical and diagrammatic representation histogram, frequency polygon and gives. Definition of averages and objective of averages types of average. Arithmetic mean, Geometric, harmonic mean and its usages, mode and medium (using graph also) for both) for grouped as well as ungrouped data
2	Measures of Central Tendencies
	Definition of Averages and objective of Averages Types of Averages. Arithmetic mean, Geometric Mean, Harmonic Mean and its advantages, Disadvantages and usages, mode, median, quartiles, deciles and percentiles for both grouped as well as ungrouped data.
3	Measures of Dispersion
	Concept and idea of dispersion. Various measures Range, quartile deviation, Mean Deviation, Standard Deviation and corresponding relative measure of dispersion. Geographical representation and utility of various is measure of Dispersions
4	Co-variance, Correlation and Regression
	Meaning, definition and Application of covariance, concept of correlation. Rank correlation, regression concept, relationship with correlation, Assumptions in simple Regression, Estimation using Simple Regression: Fitting of straight line, method of least square, construction of characteristic line/estimation line
5	Probability, Probability Distribution and decision Theory
	Concept of probability yen diagrams, Rules of Probality conditional & unconditional probality, Baye theorem. Discrete and continuous variable. Expected value of the variable, Decision theory normal distribution
6	Index Nos.
	Concept and usage of index nos. Construction of index nos. Types of index nos. Aggregate and Relative method of constructing index nos. Chain base index nos. Test of consistency: Time reversal factor reversal and circular test. Quantity and Value index nos for agricultural, industrial production, Retail Prices, Consumer price index nos. for security prices, etc.
7	Insurance
	Meaning, Objective, Purpose and need for Insurance. Fundamentals of Insurance Calculation of age, Premiums, Bonuses, Paid up value of a policy, Maturity Value of the Policy. Claim Calculation and Surrender Value.