SARDAR PATEL UNIVERSITY Programme: BCA Semester: V Syllabus with effect from: June-2013

Paper Code: US05FBCA01 Title Of Paper: Operations Research

Total Credit: 4

Unit	Description in detail	Weighting (%)
I	Introduction to Operations Research(OR):	25%
	History, meaning and scope of OR	
	Phases of OR study	
	Types of Models	
	Applications, advantages and limitations of OR	
II	Linear Programming Problem(LPP)	
	Meaning	25%
	Advantages and limitations	
	Formulation of LPP	
	Graphical solution,	
	Simplex method – Big M method	
III	Transportation Model and Assignment Model	
	Introduction	
	Mathematical model of Transportation problem	
	Initial basic feasible solution by North-west corner rule, Least-cost method,	25%
	Vogel's approximation method.	
	Optimum Solution by MODI method	
	Introduction to Traveling Salesman Problem.	
	Introduction to an Assignment Model	
	Mathematical model of Assignment problem	
	Solution by Hungarian method	
IV	Dynamic Programming, Sequencing problems and Project Scheduling in	25%
	PERT-CPM	
	Introduction to Dynamic Programming.	
	Deterministic & Probabilistic Dynamic Programming.	
	Shortest Route problem.	
	Sequencing problems and Applications.	
	Introduction to PERT and CPM	
	Advantages and Assumptions	
	Rules for Network construction	
	Critical Path calculations, Total float, Free float	

Basic Text & Reference Books :-

- Taha H. A. : Operations Research, Macmillan, New York (1987)
- Sharma S.D. : Operations Research. Kedar Nath Ram Nath & Co. Meerut , 1988-89.
- Gillett B. E.: Introduction to Operations Research a computer oriented algorithmic approach, McGraw-Hill, 1976

Books For Additional Reading :

- Bronson Richard : Operations Research, Schaum's outline Series, 1983.
- Kapoor V K : Problems and solutions in Operations Research, Sultan Chand & sons, 1996.

