SARDAR PATEL UNIVERSITY

Programme: MSC (Integrated Biotechnology)

Semester: I Syllabus with effect from: June 2010

Paper Code: PS01CIGB03
Title Of Paper: Introduction To Computers
Total Credits: 3

Unit	Description in detail	Weightage (%)
1	INTRODUCTION	
	Overview of computer organization and historical perspective computer	
	applications in various fields of science and management.	
	Data representation : Number systems, character representation codes, Binary,	
	hex, octal codes and their inter conversions. Binary arithmetic, floating point	
	arithmetic, signed and unsigned numbers.	
2	DATA STORAGE Primary and secondary storage. Introduction to various computer devices such as keyboard, mouse, printers, disk files, floppies etc. Concept of computing, contemporary, operating system such as DOS, Windows 95, UNIX etc. (only brief user level description). Introduction to organization and architecture of mainframe, mini and micro systems. Introduction to E-mail, ftp, login and other network services, worldwide web.	
3	MS-OFFICE & HTML	
	Applications of Word processors and Spread sheets. MS Word : Working with	
	Paragraphs, Working with Documents, Using Tables, Working with Pictures	
	and Charts and using Mail Merge, Advanced Features to create and modify forms, form control (drop-down list), Use advanced text alignment features	
	with graphics, Customize toolbars, Insert comments, Protect documents and	
	Track changes to a document. MS-Excel : Formatting Numbers, Working with	
	Named Ranges, Working with Toolbars, Auditing a Worksheet, Displaying and	
	Formatting Data, Applying number formats, Applying formulae, Creating	
	charts and using Macros. HTML: Basics of HTML: How to write it. Basic text: Paragraphs, line breaks,	
	headings, strong and emphasized text. More text: Quotations, pre-formatted	
	text, and rule lines.	
	Typography: Changing the font size, family, and color. Plus information about	
	using color in Web Design and adding in special characters to your pages.	
	Lists: Numbered lists, bulleted lists, and definition lists.	
4	ADVANCE HTML AND MACROMEDIA FLASH	
	Images: Using graphics on Web pages, uploading graphics, adding photos,	
	making them small. Links: Creating and using links, both internal (bookmarks)	
	and external. Plus image maps and how to create them.	
	Tables: The basics of HTML tables and how to create them on your Web site.	
	Frames: What they are and how to build a framed Web page. Forms: Adding interactivity to your Web pages.	
	MACROMEDIA FLASH	
	Exploring the Flash Environment	
	Drawing and Painting: Basic Drawing and Painting Tools, Applying Strokes	
	and Fills to Existing Shapes, Creating Custom Colors, Gradients and Line	
	Styles.	
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Manipulating Objects: Manipulating Vector Shapes, Single Layer Vector Shape	
Interaction, Transforming and Grouping Vector Shapes, Importing Artwork and	
Working with Bitmaps.	
Working with Text: Creating Text Blocks and Text Fields, Converting Text into	
Shapes.	
Multiple Layers in a Movie: Working with Layers, Mask Layers and Aligning	
Vector Shapes.	
Creating Animation: Creating Animation, Motion Tweening, Using a	
Guide Layer, Mask Animations and Publishing Flash Movie.	
Practical:	
As per theory.	

Basic Text & Reference Books:

- ➤ Introduction to Computers Leon and Alexis, Leon Tech world, Chennai-1999.
- Fundamentals of Computer Rajaraman V., PHI Limited, New Delhi, 4th Edition-2003.

 Internet: An introduction Cistems, TMH Publishing, New Delhi, 7th reprint-2002.
- ➤ Office 2007 Bible Walkenbach John, Wiley India (P) Ltd, New Delhi, 1st edition-2007.
- > Teach yourself Web publishing with HTML in 21 days by Lemey, BPB publication
- Macromedia Flash 8 by Amstrong, Tech Media Publishers.
- > Macromedia Flash Unleashed.

