MCA 201 Data Structure using C

Module 1 (10 hours)

Fundamentals: Introduction to Data Structures, Classification of Data Structures, Algorithms, Measuring Space and Time Complexities, Asymptotic Notations, Abstract Data Types.

Arrays: Storage Structures for Arrays, Sparse Matrixes, Strings, Pattern Matching.

Linked Lists: Dynamic Memory Management, Single Linked Lists, Double Linked Lists, Circular Linked Lists, Operations on Polynomials.

Stacks and Queues: Representation, Linked Stacks and Queues, Operations on Stacks and Queues, Applications of Stack and Queues.

Module 2 (10 hours)

Trees: Terminology, Representation, Binary Trees, Binary Search Trees, Searching, Insertion and Deletions Operations in a Binary Search Tree, Height Balanced Trees, M-way Search Trees, B-Trees, B+ Trees, General Trees, Representation of General Trees and Binary Trees, Forests, Application of Trees.

Module 3 (10 hours)

Graphs: Terminology, Representation, Path Matrix, Graph Traversal, Shortest Path Problems, Topological Sort.

Searching and Sorting Techniques: Linear and Binary Search, Bubble Sort, Insertion Sort, Selection Sort, Quick Sort, Merge Sort, Heap and Heap Sort, Radix Sort, Comparison of Sorting Techniques.

Module 4 (10 Hours)

Hashing: Hash Functions and Hashing Techniques. External sorting, Implementation using programming in C.

Module 5 (06 Hours) (as per choice of faculty)

Portion covered can be tested through Internal evaluation only not to be included in University examination)

Text Book

1. Data Structures Using C - Aaron M. Tenenbaum

2. Tremblay, Jean-Paul, and Paul G. Sorenson, "An introduction to data structures with applications", McGraw-Hill, Inc., 1984.

Reference Books

1. Ellis Horowitz, SartajSahni, Susan Anderson-Freed, "Fundamentals of Data Structures in C", Second Edition, 2008, Universities Press Pvt. Ltd. Hyderabad.

2. Seymour, Lipchitz. "Data Structures with C."TMH (2010).