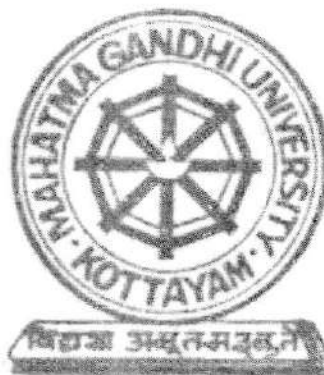# MAHATMA GANDHI UNIVERSITY & KANNUR UNIVERSITY

MGU & KU Joint

CSS Regulations

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2022 Admissions

(Applicable to all joint Postgraduate Programmes between Mahatma Gandhi University and Kannur University of all the functionally autonomous University Schools/ Centres/ Institutes of Mahatma Gandhi University and Kannur University)

Preamble

Credit and semester system (CSS) of the joint programme between Mahatma Gandhi University and Kannur University aims at flexibility in curriculum development, objectivity and critical approach in examination patterns, use of continuous evaluation for assessment in all joint programmes offered between the Universities. The CSS is also meant to provide meaningful common criteria as per the national pattern to transfer credits when students move from one institution to another within or outside the country.

The universities follow the guidelines of UGC for implementation of the Joint CSS. The joint MGU-KU-CSS is applicable to all joint academic programmes of the statutory Departments/Schools/Centres/Institutes of the Universities.

Regulation ensures functional autonomy of statutory Schools/Centers/Institutes. Functional autonomy implies academic flexibility in matters like curriculum development, course designing, course teaching, conduct of examinations, planning and organization of research activities as well as administrative and financial powers to extent the university Statute/Act/Regulations/Orders permit towards providing maximum of benefits in terms of academic growth and development.

Functional autonomy envisaged in the joint CSS is also meant to provide teachers and students with a clear understanding of the curriculum/teaching/learning/evaluation, preparation of mark lists/certificates, and in the transfer of credits towards achieving maximum academic benefits out of the system of postgraduate programmes in all the statutory Departments/Schools/Centers/Institutesof the University. Joint CSS seeks to ensure uniformity to the possible extent (taking into consideration the unique requirements of each Programme) with regard to the pattern of course design, course teaching, evaluation system, academic calendar and examination time-table for all joint postgraduate programmes. Joint CSS also ensures that while all its autonomous Schools/Centre/Institutes enjoy academic flexibility in the conduct of diverse academic programmes, they shall not conflict with the rules and regulations stipulated by the University as well as by the UGC and other concerned Regulatory Bodies in the issue of degrees/diplomas/certificates. The joint CSS Regulation can be revised from time to time in accordance with therequirements of changing curricular pattern. Revisions will be carried out with a view to ensuring accountability, transparency and flexibility.

Major components of Credit and Semester System (Joint CSS)

Joint CSS of Mahatma Gandhi University and Kannur University is designed as a comprehensive package of curriculum management that enables faculties in Schools/Centre/Institutes to enjoy autonomy and flexibility in the design of diverse programmes in a pattern as per national/international norms or rules prescribed by UGC and other Regulatory Bodies, which are mandatory. Major components of joint CSS are as follows:

- Admission to programmes
- Common Academic Calendar
- Course and Scheme design
- Course teaching patterns
- Student assessment patterns
- Examinations and evaluations
- Grading of students
- Course Reappearance, Improvement, Readmission and Repeating
- Grievance recording and redressal
- Inter-school academic collaboration

Joint CSS envisages well designed academic programmes with definite number of courses, which are rated in terms of the credits they are worth (number of hours of theory/practical/seminar/project training received) and grading of students according to their continuous and overall performance.

Outcome Based Education (OBE)

Outcome Based Education (OBE) is an educational approach and a learning philosophy, which envisages organizing the entire academic programmes (curriculum) and instructional efforts around clearly defined 'outcomes' that an institution wants all students to demonstrate when they complete the programme. The purpose of outcome-based approach is to ensure that students achieve learning expectations for the programmes in which they participate. The fundamental premise underlying the learning outcomes-based approach to curriculum planning and development is that higher education qualifications are awarded on the basis of demonstrated achievement of outcomes (expressed in terms of knowledge, understanding, skills, attitudes and values) and academic standards expected. The expected

learning outcomes are used as reference points that would help formulate graduate attributes, qualification descriptors, programme learning outcomes and course learning outcomes which in turn will help in curriculum planning and development, and in the design, delivery and review of academic programmes. They provide general guidance for articulating the essential learnings associated with programmes of study and courses with in a programme.

Key outcomes of curriculum planning and development

The learning outcomes-based curriculum framework for undergraduate education is a framework based on the expected learning outcomes and academic standards that are expected to be attained by students of a programme. The key outcomes that underpin curriculum planning and development include Graduate Attributes, Qualification Descriptors, Programme Learning Outcomes, and Course Learning Outcomes.

Graduate attributes

The graduate attributes reflect the particular quality and feature or characteristics of an individual, including the knowledge, skills, attitudes and values that are expected to be acquired by a student through studies at a higher education institution. The graduate attributes include capabilities that help strengthen one's abilities for widening current knowledge base and skills, gaining new knowledge and skills, undertaking future studies, performing well in a chosen career and playing a constructive role as a responsible citizen in the society. The graduate attributes define the characteristics of a student's university degree programme and describe a set of characteristics/competencies that are transferable beyond study of a particular subject area and programme contexts in which they have been developed.

Qualification descriptors.

A qualification descriptor indicates the generic outcomes and attributes expected for the award of a particular type of qualification. The qualification descriptors reflect both disciplinary knowledge and understanding as well as generic skills, including global competencies, that all students in different academic fields of study should acquire/attain and demonstrate.

Programme learning outcomes

Programme learning outcomes will include subject-specific skills and generic skills, including transferable global skills and competencies, the achievement of which the students of a specific programme of study should be able to demonstrate for the award of a Degree qualification.

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Course learning outcomes

The programme learning outcomes are attained by learners through the essential learnings acquired on completion of selected courses of study within a programme. Course learning outcomes are specific to the learning for a given course of study related to a disciplinary or interdisciplinary/multi-disciplinary area. Some programmes of study are highly structured, with a closely laid down progression of compulsory/core courses to be taken at particular phases/stages of learning. Some programmes allow learners much more freedom to take a combination of courses of study according to the preferences of individual student that may be very different from the courses of study pursued by another student of the same programme. Course-level learning outcomes will be aligned to programme learning outcomes. Course level learning outcomes are specific to a course of study within a given programme of study.

Definitions of terms

Course means the curricular content for teaching and learning.

Core Course means a compulsory course in a subject related to a particular programme

Course Code means a unique code attributed to each course of study with five abbreviated components.

Credit means the unit by which a course is measured. It is the measure of total number of hours of training received in a course during a week; the credit number indicates the total curricular content in terms of number of hours of teaching/learning in a course during a semester.

Credit Point means the product of number of credits of a course and grade point obtained by a student for the course

Cumulative Grade Point Average (CGPA) relates to the performance of a student for all semesters of the programme. CGPA is a weighted average based on the SGPA earned by a student in all semesters of the programme and the total number of credits required in the programme. CGPA calculated on the basis of SGPAs with the minimum required SGPAs of all semesters may not be sufficient to obtain the minimum CGPA prescribed for a pass in the programme. Students need to overcome the low SGPA of certain semesters due to low grades in courses in which they are weak, by obtaining better grades for courses in other semesters in which they are strong, so that the better SGPA scores of such semesters would enable the candidate to attain the minimum CGPA prescribed for a pass in the programme.

Department means the entity offering programmes of study which may be a School/ Centre/ Institute.

Elective Course means an optional course, which can be selected from among a group of electives in a pgmme semester wise, as per the scheme of the programme. Elective courses in related areas can also grouped together as specializations in specific areas of the subject, in accordance with the scheme of the program.

Grade indicates the performance level of the student – the level of achievement of a student in termsof the score obtained in evaluations and examinations in a course.

Grade Letter means an index of performance of a student in a particular course. Gradeletters are: O, A plus, A only, B plus, B only, C, P and F

Grade Point means the percentage of marks allotted to Grade Letter.

Improvement course is the course registered by a student for improving grades in the end semester component of that particular course

MOOC Course means Massive Open Online Course.

Open Course means a course offered by a School/Centre/Institute other than the parent department. Every regular postgraduate student is required to choose an open course of 4 credits in the third semester.

Programme means a programme of study comprising Core courses, Elective courses, Open courses and MOOC courses.

Project The compulsory project/dissertation/guided field work/block placement, to be completed in the specified semester of a postgraduate programme shall be done by the student under the guidance ofa member of the faculty or, in the case of subjects, which so demand, an external guide, to be decided by the school's faculty council/ HOD in consultation with teachers.

Repeat Course means a course that is repeated by a student in a semester for want of sufficient attendance.

Semester Grade Point Average (SGPA) refers to the performance of the student in a given semester. SGPA is a weighted average based on the total credit points earned by a student in all the courses in the semester divided by the total number of credits offered in the semester. SGPA will be computed as and when a student completes all the required courses of a semester with a minimum required grade as per the respective curriculum.

Semester means a term consisting of a minimum of 90 working days including examination days distributed over a minimum of 18 weeks with 5 working days in each week.

Features of Joint CSS

Course content of each programme is designed to meet the requirements of the society. A post graduate student has a choice of selecting elective courses offered for a programme in a particular semester. Students can choose open course, which carries minimum 4 credits in the third semester. Students get the choice of pursuing open courses offered by a department other than their parent department, depending on their interests, needs and long-term goals. Continuous evaluation of students in all the semesters is done through Internal Assessment as per the norms framed by the Department concerned. The student shall do a project work as a part of the regular programme. Each course, seminar and project work are assigned a specific number of credits and the percentage of marks secured by a student is converted into grade points and credit points. The performance of a student in a semester is expressed as semester grade point average (SGPA) and the combined performance of a student in all semesters of the programme is expressed as cumulative grade point average (CGPA).

Joint CSS Rules and Regulations
1. Student Admission

Eligibility Criteria

For M.Sc. Chemistry (Nanoscience and Nanotechnology)

B.Sc. Chemistry with any two subsidiaries (Physics/Mathematics/computer Science) with not less than 55% marks in part III.

For M.Sc. Physics (Nanoscience and Nanotechnology)

B.Sc. Physics with any two subsidiaries (Chemistry/Mathematics/Computer science) with not less than 55% marks in part III.

Admission for the joint PG programmes may be, decided by the Faculty Council of joint programmes. Admission may be based on the written test alone or written test and interview or on the basis of the marks obtained in the qualifying examinations as decided by the Faculty Council of the joint PG programmes from time to time. The Faculty Council has

to decide on the relative weightage to be given for each of the components – entrance examination, interview and percentage of marks at the qualifying degree programme - for the preparation of rank list for joint PG programmes. The Faculty Council of joint PG programmes, has to decide specific criteria for admission to a programme and shall get approval of Vice Chancellors of the partner universities, prior to public announcement of the notification for entrance examination for the joint programmes. The admission should be done following the general reservation rules for student admission. The students can be admitted to Mahatma Gandhi University and Kannur University simultaneously. The University where the students are taking initial admission will be the parental University and shall be responsible for all the academic matters of the student.

The strength of the joint master's programme can be a total of 40 students with 20 students from each university consisting of 10 students for physics stream and 10 students for chemistry stream. The first semester of the joint programme can be conducted at both centres with students admitted from respective centres. The classes can be on hybrid mode with joint online classes between MGU and KU. The second semester can be conducted at KU with total admitted students to a particular course. Third semester can be conducted at MGU with total admitted students to a particular course. Major project work will be done by students in the fourth semester which can be outside the university in India or abroad. The above-mentioned design and centres of the course can be changed according to the curriculum of respective courses and can be decided by the faculty council of the joint programme.

Faculty Advisor: A Faculty Advisor will be assigned to each student admitted to a Programme. The Faculty Advisor shall advise the student on various academic matters.

Programme Coordinator: A programme coordinator will be assigned in each university for to deal with all the programme and student matters.

Registration with joint CSS: The list of students registered for each semester programme should be forwarded to the concerned section in the respective university along with original certificates (Degree Certificate + SSLC) immediately after closing of admissions to the programme.

The first register number allotted to the student in the parent university should be treated as the Permanent Register Number of the student throughout the course.

2. Programme/Course design

The broad framework of the programme and the courses - core courses, elective courses, open course and project constituting the programme as well as the syllabi shall be designed jointly by the course committee constituted for the joint master's programme between MGU and KU. The scheme and syllabus should be forwarded to the concerned sections of the university. The duration of the joint PG programmes is two years consisting of four semesters. A common academic calendar should be followed.

Courses and Credits:

In all the programmes, three kinds of courses are offered; Core Courses (3-4 credits for theory and 2-4 credits for practical's), Elective Courses (2-4 credits), Open courses (4 credits) and an Industrial internship (2-3 credits). Core courses and Elective courses are offered by the departments. A student is required to choose one course of 4 credits offered by another Department of Mahatma Gandhi University or Kannur University in another Discipline/Subject. Such a course is called Open Course and has to be pursued in the third semester. The total credits for electives registered for one semester shall not exceed 8. Project work/dissertation work is a special course involving application of knowledge in solving/analyzing/exploring a real-life situation/problem. A project/dissertation work/guided field work/block placement up to 4 credits is called minor project and that of 8 to 20 credits is called major project.

A course offered may have different components associated with the teaching-learning process of the course, namely (i) Lecture (ii) Tutorial (iii) Practical's, where: **L** stands for Lecture session. **T** stands for Tutorial session consisting participatory discussion/ self-study/ desk work/ brief seminar presentations by students. **P** stands for Practical session and it consists of hands-on experience/ laboratory experiments/ field studies/ case studies that equip students to acquire the much-required skill of applying the theoretically learnt concepts.

In terms of credits, every one-hour session per week of a semester of L amounts to 1 credit and a minimum of two-hour session of T or P amounts to 1 credit per semester; maximum hours allotted for 1 credit practical course/tutorial course/seminar course shall not exceed 4 hours. One full semester is equivalent to 18 – 20 weeks of teaching-learning-evaluation process.

The minimum duration of a semester is 90 working days. A course may have lecture component

(L) or practical component (P) or tutorial component (T) or combination of any two or all the three components. The total credits earned by a student at the end of a semester upon successful completion of a course are L + T + P or as the case may be. The credit pattern of a course is indicated as L: T: P.

Course Code: Each course shall have a unique code number with five abbreviated components:

1. Joint Programme – MGKU
2. Master programmes – MP
3. Programme Code – Nanoscience (NS)
4. Course type (C- for core course; E- for elective course; O- for open course)
5. Course number in Arabic numerals – two-digit number.

Course Registration (Offline/Online)

A student must register for the required number of courses as per specific curriculum of a programme, after the commencement of class of that semester. Each student shall have a registration card for each semester, wherein the title of the courses and corresponding course codes are entered and signed by the student, the faculty member offering the course and countersigned by Head of the Department.

Based on this, a consolidated statement of courses to which registration is granted for the semester is to be prepared by the department. This statement must be signed by the Head of the department and has to be submitted to the concerned examination branch of the University within 20 days after the commencement of class of each semester.

Credit Requirements:

For PG programmes, there shall be a minimum of 80 and a maximum of 88 credits spread across 4 semesters, in accordance with the scheme of the programme of the department concerned, taking into consideration of credit requirements of the regulatory agencies, if applicable. Wherever Programmes are governed by Regulatory Agencies, the credit requirements of such agencies must be complied with. The 80 - 88 credits stipulated for a postgraduate programme shall be spread across core courses, electives, open courses, and a project/dissertation. A semester shall have minimum of 16 credits and maximum of 24 credits. In all two-year postgraduate programmes, there shall be a minimum of 56 credits for Core courses, a minimum of 12 for Electives and 4 for Open courses and the total minimum

credits as stipulated by the respective department (in the range 80 – 88). Minimum credits for Core/Elective courses in courses with full semester or two semester dissertations can have a different pattern as stipulated by specific curricula for the same. The maximum credits for core courses, electives and open courses in postgraduate programmes should be 64, 20 and 4 respectively. Four (4) credits shall be set apart for open courses to be offered in the third semester by the departments.

Comprehensive Viva

Departments will have the option to conduct 'Viva-Voce' with definite credits (3-4), as per the scheme formulated for the respective Programme. Viva voce should be included in Semester III/IV.

Project

The project shall generally be offered in the last semester, though the Faculty Council can decide to have it in either third or fourth semesters. The topic for the project shall be selected by the student in consultation with the guide.

Credit transfer

Credits earned by students in respective universities will be transferred between each university in due course. Credit transfer allows transferring of credits earned by a student from another Institution/University, under specific conditions, for the completion of credit requirements for the joint programme of Mahatma Gandhi University and Kannur University. Credits transfer is allowed for university approved online courses done in MOOC or SWAYAM. Courses of poor quality and courses that have no relevance to the program concerned will not be considered for credit transfer. All credit transfers are to be approved by an expert committee constituted by the university for this purpose. This committee shall have one senior faculty member from the department concerned and two other academic experts in addition to the chairman. The committee shall go through the details submitted by the student and assess their relevance from the perspective of Mahatma Gandhi University/Kannur university before approving the credit transfer. If the Institution/University is following the UGC grade format, the grades will be transferred directly. Otherwise, Universities will decide on the grading for the transferred programmes after verifying all relevant documents.

Credit Transfer in Joint Programme.

The first semester examination will be conducted at both center's as the students admitted in

both the universities remain in the parent universities for the theory and practical courses. Therefore, there is no need to transfer the credits awarded to students in first semester. During second semester all the students admitted in both the universities undergo theory and practical courses in Kannur University and the examinations should be held by Kannur University alone. The credits awarded in semester II to the students admitted in M. G. University will be transferred from Kannur University to M. G. University within one week after the publication of results. During third semester all the students admitted in both the universities undergo theory and practical courses in M. G. University and the examinations should be held by M. G. University alone. The credits awarded in semester III to the students admitted in Kannur University will be transferred from M. G. University to Kannur University within one week after the publication of results. In semester IV, students will be sent to major project works in India or abroad under the co-supervision of faculty members of parent universities. Final project evaluation and comprehensive viva of the students should be held by the parent universities. The credits awarded to students in semester IV should be mutually transferred within one week after the conduct of project evaluation and comprehensive viva. The parent university will be responsible for all the future correspondence including transcript details with the students admitted to them.

3. Course Committee

Corse committee should be constituted with following members.

1. Director/Joint Director of Schools (MGU & KU)

2. Two teachers each from the concerned subject (MGU & KU)

Couse committee should handle all the matters regarding the conduction of course such as preparation of syllabus, joint time table, Industrial internship, exchange of students between MGU & KU and the arrangement of major project.

4. Assessment Committee

Assessment committee should be constituted with the following members.

1. Director/Joint Director of Schools (MGU & KU)

2. Two teachers each from the concerned subject (MGU & KU)

Assessment committee should handle all the matters regarding the examination such as preparation of question bank, examination time table, evaluation and analysis of results.

5. Course Teaching

Courses shall generally be taught by the faculty member who designed the course, though the Faculty Council is authorized under these regulations to assign the teaching of a course to more than one faculty member. A detailed time table shall be prepared and approved by the faculty council and shall be published at the start of each semester. Separate faculties should be appointed and expertise of persons from industries and institutes from India and abroad can be utilized for teaching interdisciplinary subjects.

6. Attendance

The minimum requirement of aggregate attendance during a semester for appearing at the end semester-examination shall be 75%. Condonation of shortage of attendance to a maximum of 15 days in a semester, subject to a maximum of two times during the whole period of the programme may be granted by the University.

If a student represents his / her institution, University, State or Nation in Sports, NCC, or Cultural or any other officially sponsored activities such as University Union, he / she shall be eligible to claim the attendance for the actual number of days participated, subject to the attendance certificate from concerned authorities and based on the specific recommendations of the Head of the Department or teacher concerned. Those who could not register for the examination of the particular semester due to shortage of attendance may repeat the semester along with junior batches, within 20% increase of the sanctioned strength.

7. Examination, Evaluation and Grading

Question paper setting

The Assessment committee shall prepare the panel of question paper setters for each subject. Question bank should be prepared for the generation of question papers.

Evaluation

The evaluation of course shall contain two parts of internal evaluation.

(a) Continuous Evaluation [CE] (b) End Semester Evaluation [ESE]. 40% weightage shall be given to the Continuous Evaluation and the remaining 60% to End Semester Evaluation. Both CE and ESE shall be carried out using Direct Grading system.

End-Semester Examination

The end semester examination will account for 60% of the evaluation. The evaluation of examination shall be done by the faculty who taught the course.

The Head of the School/Department/Centers/Institutes will make arrangements for the evaluation of the answer scripts. An industrial internship with a credit of 2 shall be conducted during 2nd semester. The project/dissertation in the 4th semester shall be evaluated by the faculty member/s who supervised the project. The project viva-voce must be carried out along with project evaluation.

Continuous Evaluation (CE)

The student's participation and classroom performance as well as the feedback received from tests, tutorials, assignments and term papers shall form the basis for continuous assessment (CE). It accounts for 40% of the evaluation in both theory and practical. This assessment shall be based on a predetermined transparent system involving periodic written tests, assignments and seminars in respect of theory courses and based on tests, lab skill, records/viva and attendance in respect of practical courses.

The percentage of marks assigned to various components for internal evaluation is as follows:

a. For Theory - Continuous Evaluation [CE]

	Component	% Of internal marks
i.	Test papers	50%
ii.	Assignments/Book review/debates	25%
iii.	Seminars/Presentation of case study	25%

For each course there shall be at least two class tests during a semester. Average of the best of the marks obtained in the two tests (in the case of more than two tests) or the average of the tests (if there is only two tests) will be counted as the internal test component of CE.

b. For Practical - Continuous Evaluation [CE]

	Component	% of internal marks
i.	Lab skill	25%
ii.	Records	25%
iii.	Test paper	40%
iv.	Viva	10%

Test Paper:

Valued answer scripts shall be made available to the students for perusal within 10 working days from the date of the tests.

Assignments:

Each student shall be required to do 2 assignments/book reviews for each course. Assignments/book review after valuation must be returned to the students. The teacher shall define the expected quality of the above in terms of structure, content, presentation and the like, and inform the same to the students. Punctuality in submission of assignments/records is to be given a weightage in the internal evaluation.

Seminar:

Every student shall deliver one seminar as an internal component of every course and must be evaluated by the respective course teacher in terms of structure, content, presentation and interaction. The soft and hard copies of the seminar report are to be submitted to the teacher in charge.

Results of Continuous Evaluation (CE)

The results of the CE counter-signed by Head of the school shall be displayed on the notice board 5 days before the end semester examinations. The marks awarded for various components of the CE shall not be rounded off, if it has a decimal part. The total marks of the CE shall be rounded off to the nearest whole number. Relevant records of continuous Evaluation (CE) must be kept in the department and that must be made available for verification.

Project Work:

There shall be a major project/dissertation to be undertaken by all students during fourth semester. The project can be undertaken in the parent School/Centre/Institute or in collaboration with well-known industries and institutes/universities in India or abroad after getting permission from the Department Head. The dissertation entails field work, lab work, report writing, presentation and viva voce. If the project will be done outside the parent institute, one of the teachers from the schools/centers/institutes would be the co-supervisor/internal guide and an expert from the industry/research organization/university concerned shall act as supervisor/ external guide.

Process of evaluation of project work:

The evaluation of the project will be done at two stages:

i. Continuous Assessment: Supervising teacher/s will assess the project and award Marks.

ii. Final evaluation: Final evaluation will be done by faculty members based on the work done by the student and a viva voce.

Grading System

Indirect Grading: Indirect grading is employed for the evaluation of process.

The grading system followed is on a ten-point scale.

The following table indicates the performance range and the relative value of the grades (grade points) on the scale.

Letter grade	Performance	Grade point
O	Outstanding	10
A plus	Excellent	9
A only	Very Good	8
B plus	Good	7
B only	Average	6
P	Pass	5
F	Fail	Less than 5
Ab	Absent	0

A minimum P grade (Grade point 5) is required for pass in a course.

Semester Grade Point Average (SGPA) and Cumulative Grade Point Average (CGPA) Calculations.

Credit Points for the Course = Credits assigned for the Course × Grade Point secured for the Course.

The **SGPA** is the ratio of sum of the credit points of all courses taken by a student in the semester to the total credit for that semester. After the successful completion of a semester, **Semester Grade Point Average (SGPA)** of a student in that semester is calculated using

the formula given below.

$$SGPA = \frac{Total\ Credit\ points\ awarded\ in\ a\ semester}{Total\ Credits\ of\ the\ semester}$$

Cumulative Grade Point Average (CGPA) of a Programme is calculated using the formula,

$$CGPA = \frac{Total\ Credit\ Points\ awarded\ in\ all\ semester}{Total\ Credits\ of\ the\ programme}$$

This formula shall be printed on the Grade Card issued to the student with a note that it could be used to convert the grades into mark-percentages. (The details of the grading system as indicated above shall also be printed on the Grade Card).

Conversion of SGPA/CGPA to Grade

10	O
9.0 - <10	A plus
8.0 - <9	A only
7.0 - <8	B plus
6.0 - <7	B only
5.0 - <6	P
<5	F
Absent	Ab

Conversion of CGPA to percentage

$$Equivalent\ Percentage = \frac{(CGPA\ obtained)\ X\ 100}{Maximum\ CGPA\ (= 10)}$$

The equivalent percentage shall be represented in a numeric format rounded to two decimal digits accuracy ("99.99") and will not be rounded to the nearest integer.

8. Supplementary Examination

A Student who fails to secure a minimum grade for a pass in a course will be permitted to write the supplementary examination immediately after announcement of results within a

stipulated time of one month (fee for supplementary examination of any course shall be full semester examination fee irrespective of number of courses involved).

Candidates who secured the grade of 'F' or 'Ab' in the 1st, 2nd and 3rd semester examination can reappear course wise along with the junior batch; but this has to be done before the completion of the programme.

9. Improvement

A candidate has to apply for registration for improvement by paying the requisite fee. Candidates are not permitted to register for improvement of grades for Individual course.

Candidates who have secured SGPA letter grade 'P' or above in the end-semester examination can improve their grade by reappearing for all the semester courses. In such cases a candidate will be awarded a new grade only if there is an improvement in grade in the new examination; otherwise, the candidate is eligible to retain the grade already awarded.

SGPA secured in the 4th semester can be improved only for the purpose of fulfilling the minimum SGPA requirement.

10. Re-admission

No students shall be readmitted to the 1st semester. Readmission to other semesters of the programme will have to be recommended by the Head of the Department within the limit of the student strength of the course semester. The student has to apply for Readmission paying the prescribed fee. The student may be permitted to complete the programme by taking the required number of courses within a maximum period of eight continuous semesters including the period of his/her programme, provided an amount equivalent to the semester fees for all the intervening semesters have been regularly paid and provided he/she has not been removed from the rolls by issuing a Transfer Certificate.

In all cases of discontinuation and readmissions, candidates must submit applications countersigned by the HOD to the Registrar and obtain the required statutory order for the same. Candidates who are readmitted to repeat a course must follow the then existing syllabus for the said programme. They need to attend classes along with new batch of students and should obtain the required percentage of attendance as usual. Duration to complete the course for discontinued students will be 4 years.

11. Consolidation and Declaration of Results:

All work pertaining to the examinations shall be held in the Departments of the concerned university under the direct control and supervision of the Director/Joint Director of the schools. The Assessment Committee shall monitor the Continuous Assessment/End Semester Examinations and evaluations or nominate a teacher as the chief examiner who will assist him/her in the matter. Grievance of students regarding the result of End Semester Examinations should be cleared within one week.

The marks awarded for internal assessment will be displayed in the Department's notice board / published in the Department Website at the end of each semester. Complaints from students regarding the marks awarded in internal assessment should be reported to the concerned faculty member within 3 working days from the date of publication of the same on the notice board/website. The tabulated grade sheets will be forwarded after each end-semester examination to the office of the Controller of Examinations. The concerned section in the Controller's office will check the Grade card forwarded from the Department/School/Centre/Institute and MGU and KU notify the results jointly after consolidating them and issue statement of credits.

On completion of the final semester a consolidated Grade Card showing the details of all the courses taken will be prepared. The consolidated Grade Card containing the details of all the courses with their titles, credits, grades obtained, the total credits earned, the SGPA and the CGPA will be issued to students.

The MGU-KU joint certificates for the students admitted to Mahatma Gandhi University for Joint CSS programme will be issued by Mahatma Gandhi University. The MGU-KU joint certificates for the students admitted to Kannur University for Joint CSS programme will be issued by Kannur University.

12. Grade Card

Grade cards will be issued to the student after the publication of results of each End Semester Examination. The Grade Card will indicate the grades obtained for the courses as well as the semester grade point average (SGPA) which is the weighted average of the numerical value (grade point) obtained by the student in the semester. Weighted average is calculated by

dividing thesum of the product of the grade point or numerical value obtained for each course and the credits that it carries by the total number of credits earned. The Cumulative Grade Point Average (CGPA) for the whole programme will be calculated in the same way, which will also be indicated in the Grade Card issued for the Final Semester examinations of the programme.

Percentage Equivalence of Grade

Range of % of Marks	Grade Letter	Grade Point
95 - $\leq$100	O	10
85 - <95	A plus	9
75 - <85	A only	8
65 - <75	B plus	7
55 - <65	B only	6
50 - <55	P	5
<50	F	0
Absent	Ab	0

13. Award of Degree

The university under its seal shall issue to the students, a consolidated grade card on completion of the programme. The successful completion of all the courses with 'C' grade within the stipulated period shall be the minimum requirement for the award of the degree. Separate Grade card will be issued at the request of candidates and based on University Guidelines issued from time to time. Details of description of evaluation process-Grade and Grade Point as well as indicators, calculation methodology of SGPA and CGPA as well as conversion scale shall be shown on the reverse side of the grade card.

14. Position Certificate:

The University shall publish the list of top 3 candidates for each programme after the publication of the programme results. Candidates shall be ranked in the order of merit based on the CGPA secured by them. Grace grade points awarded to the students shall not be counted for fixing the rank/position. Also, Students who have completed the course by

availing the opportunity of reappearance for a course will not be eligible for Rank certificate. The position certificate shall be given for the 1st 3 positions based on the CGPA secured by the students. Rank certificate and position certificate shall be signed by the Controller of Examinations.

If Rank certificate/Position certificate in a prescribed format is demanded by institutions for awarding a specific fellowship/scholarship such as for DST Inspire Fellowship etc., the same may be given for such students as a special case in the prescribed format.

15. Joint CSS Academic Advisory Committee

There will be an Academic Advisory Committee in both streams consisting of representative Heads of Departments/Teachers from the University Departments to oversee and coordinate the conduct of the joint CSS work.

The following will be the composition of the joint CSS Academic Advisory Committee:

Ex-Officio Members

Pro-Vice-Chancellors (MGU & KU)

Dean (M. G. University & KU)
Directors/Professors of University Departments (2 persons from both MGU &KU), one of them has to act as the Convenor

Nominated Members

University Teachers (2 teachers from MGU & KU)

Registrar (MGU & KU)

Controller of Examinations (MGU & KU)

External Experts

Two external experts from pioneer institutes like IIT, IISc, IISER, IIST, NIT.

The nomination of the members of the Joint CSS Academic Advisory Committee will be made by the Vice Chancellor. The committee will be reconstituted every three years. The Academic Advisory committee, apart from coordinating and sorting out inter-school matters pertaining to the joint CSS, will handle student grievances relating to semester examinations that cannot be resolved at the Department. Only student grievances that cannot be settled by the faculty council of the Department need be forwarded to the joint CSS Academic Advisory Committee and the Vice Chancellor. Student grievances that cannot be settled by the joint

CSS Academic Advisory Committee and the Vice Chancellor should be dealt with by the Syndicate. The joint CSS Committee will also prepare a uniform examination schedule for all the programmes between the universities. A common admission schedule for both the Departments in the Universities will also be prepared by the Academic Advisory Committee. All other work pertaining to the joint CSS will be conducted at the University Departments/Schools of Teaching and Research involved.

16. Issuing of Certificates:

On completion of a semester (when results are ready) the Heads of Departments of all programmes shall forward tabulated grade sheets along with the minutes of the pass board meeting showing detailsto the concerned section; in the case of final semester, consolidated details of all semesters showing total number of candidates registered, appeared and passed in the prescribed format shall also be furnished.

The Joint M. Sc. Physics (Nanoscience and Nanotechnology) and Joint M. Sc. Chemistry (Nanoscience and Nanotechnology) will be awarded under Faculty of Science.

Grade cards to all students who have undergone the courses under the joint CSS are issued by the office of the Controller of Examinations through the Departments concerned from the respective university. Consolidated grade cards are also issued. Fee for the issue of grade cards will be announced by the respective university from time to time.

All the official matters of students starting from admission to issue of degree certificates and any further formalities should be dealt with the university in which they are admitted.

17. Model Certificates:

Certificates in the following model should be issued to students by MG University and Kannur University.

Mahatma Gandhi University

Kannur University

FACULTY OF SCIENCE

The Syndicate of the Mahatma Gandhi University in collaboration with Kannur University

hereby makes known that

Name of Student

has been admitted to the

Degree of Master of Science

He she having been certified by duly appointed examiners to be qualified to receive the same, and having been by them placed in the .... grade with a Cumulative Credit Point Average of ....in Branch .... at the examination held in ....

Permanent Register Number:

Given under the seal of the University

SEAL

Dated:

Vice Chancellor
Mahatma Gandhi University

1. Certificate issued by Mahatma Gandhi University

Kannur University

Mahatma Gandhi University

FACULTY OF SCIENCE

The Syndicate of the Kannur University in collaboration with Mahatma Gandhi University

hereby makes known that

Name of Student

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He/she having been certified by duly appointed examiners to be qualified to receive the same, and having been by them placed in the .... grade with a Cumulative Credit Point Average of ....in Branch .... at the examination held in ....

Register Number:

Given under the seal of the University

SEAL

Vice-Chancellor
Kannur University

Dated:

2. Certificate issued by Kannur University

18. Equivalency:

Joint M. Sc. Physics (Nanoscience and Nanotechnology) and Joint M. Sc. Chemistry (Nanoscience and Nanotechnology) will be equivalent to the regular M. Sc. Programme in Physics/Chemistry conducted by Mahatma Gandhi University and Kannur University.

Convenor, Joint CSS Programme
Mahatma Gandhi University

Convenor, Joint CSS Programme
Kannur University

(Abstract)

Regulations, Scheme, Syllabus & Pattern of Question paper of MSc Physics (Nanoscience and Nanotechnology) - Joint Masters Programme between Kannur University & Mahatma Gandhi University from 2022-23 Academic Year onwards -implemented - Orders issued.

ACADEMIC C SECTION

Acad/C4/2959/2021 (I)   Dated: 11.10.2022

Read:-1. Resolution of the Syndicate (vide item no 2021.544) held on 18.08.2021

2. Minutes of the meeting held on 26.08.2021

3. Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) between Registrars of Kannur University & Mahatma Gandhi University , Kottayam, signed on 23.05.2022

4. U.O Acad A1/0544/IUC in Data Science , Nano Science & IB/2021 dated 3.8.2022

5. Minutes of the meeting held on 28.07.2022

6. Regulation, Scheme Syllabus forwarded by Dr. Sudheesh S, Convenor, Joint MSc in Physics/Chemistry (Nanoscience and Nanotechnology), Kannur University dated 05.08.2022

ORDER

1. As per paper read(1) above, the Syndicate resolved to approve inter University collaboration between Kannur University & MG University to offer Masters Programmes in Data Science, Nanoscience and Industrial Biotechnology.

2. As per paper read(2) above, meeting was held between Kannur University & Mahatma Gandhi University regarding the implementation of Inter University Masters Programme and a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) was signed between the Registrar of Kannur University and his counterpart at Mahatma Gandhi University, Kottayam as per paper read (3) above, to formally express the mutual understanding to offer joint programmes in MSc Nanoscience & Nanotechnology (Physics), MSc Nanoscience & Nanotechnology (Chemistry).

3.As per paper read (4) above, the Vice Chancellor accorded sanction for starting the joint programme in MSc Nanoscience & Nanotechnology (Physics), MSc Nanoscience & Nanotechnology (Chemistry) by Kannur University & Mahatma Gandhi University, Kottayam, during the Academic Year 2022-23.

4.The meeting held on 28.07.2022 resolved to change the nomenclature of the programme as M.Sc Physics (Nanoscience & Nanotechnology) and M.Sc Chemistry (Nanoscience & Nanotechnology), respectively, as per the paper read (5) above,

5. The Convenor, Joint MSc Programme in Physics/Chemistry (Nanoscience and Nanotechnology) forwarded the CSS Regulation, Scheme, Syllabus & Pattern of Question papers of MSc Physics (Nanoscience and Nanotechnology), Kannur University as per paper read (6) above, for implementation w.e.f 2022- 23 admission onwards.

6. The Vice Chancellor, after considering the matter in detail and in exercise of the powers of the Academic Council conferred under section 11 (1) Chapter III of Kannur University Act 1996, accorded sanction to implement the CSS Regulation, Scheme, Syllabus & Pattern of Question Paper of MSc Physics (Nanoscience & Nanotechnology), a joint Masters Programme by Kannur University & Mahatma Gandhi University, Kottayam w.e.f 2022-23 admission, and to report to the Academic Council.

7.The CSS Regulations, Scheme, Syllabus & Pattern of Question Paper of

MSc Physics (Nanoscience & Nanotechnology) are appended and uploaded on the University website. (www.kannuruniversity.ac.in).

Orders are issued accordingly.

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BALACHANDRAN V K

DEPUTY REGISTRAR (ACAD)

For REGISTRAR

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To: 1. The Head, Department of Chemistry

Swami Anandatheertha Campus, Payyannur

2. Dr. Sreekala M S, Convenor, Joint MSc in Physics/Chemistry (Nanoscience and Nanotechnology), MG University, Kottayam

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JOINT MASTERS PROGRAMME IN PHYSICS (NANOSCIENCE AND NANOTECHNOLOGY)

Between

School of Nanoscience and Nanotechnology, Mahatma Gandhi University, Kottayam, Kerala

and

Department of Physics, Kannur University, Swami Ananthatheertha Campus, Payyanur, Kannur

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Payyanur Campus, Payyanur
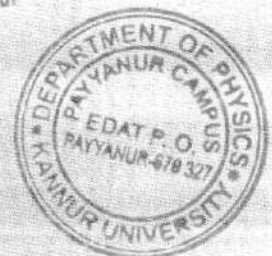
PREFACE

We are happy to present the curricula and syllabi of the following Joint M.Sc. Physics (Nanoscience and Nanotechnology) Programme according to the OBE concept for favour of approval by the Faculty and Academic Council of the University. The Board of Studies has developed the curriculum as per the Outcome Based Education (OBE) system. OBE is an educational approach that bases each part of the educational system with respect to the goals set for the students. OBE aims to equip the students (learners) with knowledge, competency orientations required for achieving their goals when they depart the institution. Further OBE empowers students to choose what they would like to study and how they would like to study it. The teaching methodologies and the evaluation system are also modified in par with the outcome-based approach. The Programme Specific Outcomes (PSOs) and the Course Outcomes (COs) for joint M.Sc. are presented in the syllabus. The PSOs and the COs are well correlated in the syllabus of each course.

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Dr. Hareesh, Principal Scientist, NIIST, Thiruvananthapuram.	

Programme Outcomes (PO) of Joint M.Sc. Programme

PO 1: Critical Thinking and Analytical Reasoning Capability to analyse, evaluate and interpret evidence, arguments, claims, beliefs on the basis of empirical evidence; reflect relevant implications to the reality; formulate logical arguments; critically evaluate practices, policies and theories to develop knowledge and understanding; able to envisage the reflective thought to the implication on the society.

PO 2: Scientific Reasoning and Problem-Solving Ability to analyse, discuss, interpret and draw conclusions from quantitative/qualitative data and experimental evidences; and critically evaluate ideas, evidence and experiences from an unprejudiced and reasoned perspective; capacity to extrapolate from what one has learned and apply their competencies to solve problems and contextualise into research and apply one's learning to real life situations.

PO 3: Multidisciplinary/Interdisciplinary/Transdisciplinary Approach Acquire interdisciplinary/multidisciplinary/transdisciplinary knowledge base as a consequence of the learning they engage with their programme of study; develop a collaborative-multidisciplinary/interdisciplinary/transdisciplinary-approach for formulate constructive arguments and rational analysis for achieving common goals and objectives.

PO 4: Communication Skills Ability to reflect and express thoughts and ideas effectively in verbal and nonverbal way; Communicate with others using appropriate channel; confidently share one's views and express herself/himself; demonstrate the ability to listen carefully, read and write analytically, and present complex information in a clear and concise manner and articulate in a specific context of communication.

PO 5: Leadership Skills Ability to work effectively and lead respectfully with diverse teams; setting direction, formulating a goal, building a team who can help achieve the goal, motivating and inspiring team members to engage with that goal, and using management skills to guide people to the right destination, in a smooth and efficient way.

PO 6: Social Consciousness and Responsibility Ability to contemplate of the impact of research findings on conventional practices, and a clear understanding of responsibility towards societal needs and reaching the targets for 12 attaining inclusive and sustainable development.

PO 7: Equity, Inclusiveness and Sustainability Appreciate equity, inclusiveness and sustainability and diversity; acquire ethical and moral reasoning and values of unity,

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secularism and national integration to enable to act as dignified citizens; able to understand and appreciate diversity, managing diversity and use of an inclusive approach to the extent possible.

PO 8: Moral and Ethical Reasoning Ability to embrace moral/ethical values in conducting one's life, formulate a position/argument about an ethical issue from multiple perspectives, and use ethical practices in all work. Capable of demonstrating the ability to identify ethical issues related to one's work and living as a dignified person in the society.

PO 9: Networking and Collaboration Acquire skills to be able to collaborate and network with scholars in an educational institution, professional organizations, research organizations and individuals in India and abroad.

PO 10: Lifelong Learning Ability to acquire knowledge and skills, including "learning how to learn", that are necessary for participating in learning activities throughout life, through self- paced and self-directed learning aimed at personal development, meeting economic, social and cultural objectives, and adapting to changing trades and demands of work place through knowledge/skill development/reskilling.

PROGRAMME   : M. Sc. Physics (Nanoscience and Nanotechnology)
DURATION   : 2 years
Credits   : Core :71   Elective:12   Open course:4

Program Specific Outcomes (PSOs): Nanoscience and Nanotechnology being an interdisciplinary subject offers knowledge, understanding and output that is integrated and cross-disciplinary in nature. The programme specific outcome (PSO) envisaged in this post graduate programme would be;

PSO No:	PSOs	MGU & KU PO No.
1	Train students in the field of physical sciences with specific emphasis on Nanoscience and Nanotechnology to cater to the present demands of miniaturization and energy economy.	1,6
2	Help empower students to acquire objective as well as analytical skills to carry out scientific enquiries, which help unveil the natural phenomena.	1,2
3	Foster innovative cross-disciplinary research by posing newer questions transcending traditional scientific fields and enable students to get interactive skills.	3,8,4,8
4	Facilitate the students to be able to familiarise and to work with advanced experimental and computational techniques at various scales.	2,6
5	Exposure of students to research taking place worldwide at the frontiers of physics especially at the nanometre scale.	3,8,10
6	Equip the students to understand the Nature at various scales spanning from quantum mechanical through continuum, which covers the subatomic to cosmological space.	1, 6,7
7	Apply principles of theoretical and applied physics, to comprehend the scientific phenomenon in nano domain.	1
8	Nurture the quality of rationality and inquisitiveness, so that the students are capable of free and critical thinking to steer clear judgemental and social biases.	2,4,5,9
9	Inspire the students to be committed to deliver good to the society by judicious application of scientific skill sets they acquire doing physics at the nanoscale.	3,7,8,9

SEMESTER	COURSE CODE	NAME OF THE COURSE	CREDIT	TOTAL CREDIT
I (M.G. University + Kannur University)	**CORE**			24
	MGKUMPNSC01	Classical Mechanics	4	
	MGKUMPNSC02	Mathematical Physics I	3	
	MGKUMPNSC03	Basic Electronics	3	
	MGKUMPNSC04	Atomic and Molecular Physics	3	
	MGKUMPNSC05	Introduction to Nanomaterials	3	
	MGKUMPNSC06	Practical I - General Physics	2	
	MGKUMPNSC07	Practical II - Electronics - Practical	2	
	ELECTIVE (Choose any one)			
	MGKUMPNSE01	Statistical Physics	4	
	MGKUMPNSE02	Nanocomposites	4	
II (Kannur University)	**CORE**			24
	MGKUMPNSC08	Mathematical Physics II	4	
	MGKUMPNSC09	Quantum Mechanics I	4	
	MGKUMPNSC10	Condensed Matter Physics I	3	
	MGKUMPNSC11	Nanomaterials and Characterization	3	
	MGKUMPNSC12	Practical III - Electronics	2	
	MGKUMPNSC13	Practical IV - Advanced Physics	2	
	ELECTIVE (Choose any one)			
	MGKUMPNSE03	Electromagnetic Theory	4	
	MGKUMPNSE04	Nanophotonics	4	
	MGKUMPNSC14	**INDUSTRIAL INTERNSHIP**	2	
III (M.G. University)	**CORE**			23
	MGKUMPNSC15	Quantum Mechanics II	4	
	MGKUMPNSC16	Condensed Matter Physics II	4	
	MGKUMPNSC17	Applications of Nanomaterials	3	
	MGKUMPNSC18	Practical V - Synthesis of Nanomaterials	2	
	MGKUMPNSC19	Practical VI - Characterization of Nanomaterials	2	
	ELECTIVE (Choose any one)			
	MGKUMPNSE05	Nuclear and Particle Physics	4	
	MGKUMPNSE06	Nanomagnetic Materials	4	
		OPEN COURSE	4	
IV	MGKUMPNSC20	Dissertation	12	16
	MGKUMPNSC21	Comprehensive Course Viva	4	
		TOTAL PROGRAMME CREDITS		87

SEMESTER I

Programme	Joint M.Sc.
Course Name	Classical Mechanics
Type of Course	Core
Course Code	MGKUMPNSC01
Semester	First Credit: 4
Course Summary & Justification	This course provides the student with accurate description of motion of macroscopic objects based on Newtonian, Lagrangian and Hamiltonian mechanics. This will include the mechanics arising out of the special theory of relativity. Moreover, this course will enable them to learn classical mechanics as a precursor to newer physical theories, such as quantum mechanics.

Total Student Learning Time (SLT)	Learning Approach	Lecture	Tutorial	Practical	Others	Total Learning Hours
	Authentic learning Collaborative learning Independent learning	60	40	-	40	140
Pre-requisite	Introductory mathematical knowledge of algebra, trigonometry, vector and tensor analysis, calculus; basic knowledge of Newtonian mechanics.					

Others- Library, field work, seminar and assignment preparations, test, journal, discussion etc.

CO No.	Expected Course Outcome *Upon completion of this course, students will be able to;*	Learning Domains	PSO No.
1	Get exposure to the Newtonian mechanics and variational formulation	U, R	4,6,7
2	Comprehend and learn more abstract Lagrangian and Hamiltonian mechanics	E	2, 6, 7
3	Identify generalized coordinates and coordinate transformations of a rigid body. Comprehend various aspects of rigid body dynamics.	An	2,6
4	Be able to solve some real-world problems using canonical transformations	A/An	2,6
5	Identify coordinates and spaces which will hold the invariance of light velocity.	U/An	5, 8, 7
6	Equip with the techniques of reconciling with speeds of objects comparable to the light velocity.	A/E	5, 8, 7

Remember (R), Understand (U), Apply (A), Analyse (An), Evaluate (E), Create (C), Skill (S), Interest (I) and Appreciation (Ap)

Module No.		CO No.
1	**Module 1** **Newtonian, Lagrangian and Hamiltonian mechanics** Mechanics of a system of particles in vector form. Conservation of linear momentum, energy and angular momentum. Degrees of freedom, generalised coordinates and velocities, Lagrangian, action principle, external action, Euler-Lagrange equations, Constraints, Applications of the Lagrangian formalism, Generalised momenta, Hamiltonian, Hamilton's equations of motion, Legendre transform, relation to Lagrangian formalism, Phase space, Phase trajectories, Applications to systems with one and two degrees of freedom, Central force problem, Kepler problem, bound and scattering motions, Scattering in a central potential, Rutherford formula, scattering cross section	1,2
2	**Module 2** **Non-inertial frames of reference and pseudoforces** Elements of rigid-body dynamics, Orthogonal transformations, Euler angles, Rigid body equations of motion, The symmetric top, Small oscillations, Normal mode analysis, Normal modes of a harmonic chain, centrifugal and Coriolis forces.	3
3	**Module 3** **Elementary ideas on general dynamical systems** Conservative versus dissipative systems, Hamiltonian systems and Liouville's theorem, Canonical transformations, Poisson brackets, Action-angle variables, non-integrable systems and elements of chaotic motion	4
4	**Module 4** **Special relativity** Internal frames, Principle and postulate of relativity, Lorentz transformations, Length contraction, time dilation and the Doppler effect, Velocity addition formula, Four- vector notation, Energy-momentum four-vector for a particle, Relativistic invariance of physical laws	5,6

Teaching and Learning Approach	Classroom Procedure (Mode of transaction) Direct Instruction, Explicit Teaching, E-learning, interactive Instruction: Active co-operative learning, Seminar, Group Assignments, Authentic learning, Library work and Group discussion, Presentation by individual student/ Group representative
Assessment Types	Mode of Assessment 1. Continuous Internal Assessment (CIA) *Internal Test* -20 marks *Assignment* – Every student needs to write an assignment on a given topic based on the available published literature – 10 marks *Seminar Presentation* – A topic needs to be presented and discussed with the class- 10 marks 2. Semester End Examination – 60 marks

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Programme	Joint M.Sc.
Course Name	Mathematical Physics I
Type of Course	Core
Course Code	MGKUMPNSC02
Semester	First Credit: 4
Course Summary & Justification	This course allows the students to assimilate mathematical foundations of physics. A considerable body of background knowledge of mathematical techniques is essential for understanding and learning the theory behind every physical phenomenon. This course would equip the students with standard techniques of solving physical problems as well.

Total Student Learning Time (SLT)	Learning Approach	Lecture	Tutorial	Practical	Others	Total Learning Hours
	Authentic learning Collaborative learning Independent learning	60	40	-	40	140
Pre-requisite	Introductory mathematical knowledge of algebra, trigonometry, calculus; basic knowledge of problem solving.					

Others- Library, field work, seminar and assignment preparations, test, journal, discussion etc.

CO No.	Expected Course Outcome *Upon completion of this course, students will be able to;*	Learning Domains	PSO No.
1	Categorize physical properties according to the medium of their occurrence	U, R	2, 3
2	Comprehend the linear algebra underlying many of the numerical simulation algorithms	E	1, 8
3	Customize differential equations to depict various real-world problems	A	1, 8
4	Identify the applicability of special functions and polynomials	A/An	6, 2
5	Develop skills for describing uncertainty in terms of probabilistic models and for probabilistic reasoning	E,S	9, 4

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Module No.		CO No.
1	**Vector and Tensor analysis:** Vectors and Tensors, Vector calculus and tensors in index notation	1
2	**Linear Algebra:** Linear vector spaces, Dirac notation, Basis sets, Inner Products, Orthonormality and completeness, Gram-Schmidt orthonormalization process, Linear operators, Matrix algebra, Determinants, similarity transforms, diagonalization, orthogonal, Hermitian and unitary matrices, Spaces of square summable sequences and square integrable functions, generalized functions, Dirac delta function and its representations, Differential operators, Fourier series.	2
3	**Ordinary Differential Equations:** Ordinary Differential Equations, Superposition principle, Power series solutions for second-order ordinary differential equations, singular points of ODEs, Sturm-Liouville problems, Hermite, Legendre, Laugerre and Bessel functions, Recurrence relations and generating functions, Spherical harmonics, Addition theorem, Gamma, beta and error functions.	3
4	**Probabilistic Systems Analysis** Probability theory and Random variables Probability distributions and probability densities, Standard discrete and continuous probability distributions, Moments and generating functions, Central Limit Theorem (Statement and applications).	4,5

Teaching and Learning Approach	Classroom Procedure (Mode of transaction)
	Direct Instruction, Explicit Teaching, E-learning, interactive Instruction: Active co-operative learning, Seminar, Group Assignments, Authentic learning, Library work and Group discussion, Presentation by individual student/ Group representative
Assessment Types	Mode of Assessment
	1. Continuous Internal Assessment (CIA)
	Internal Test
	Assignment – Every student needs to write an assignment on a given topic based on the available published literature
	2. Seminar Presentation – A topic needs to be presented and discussed with the class
	3. Semester End Examination

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School Name	Joint M.Sc.
Programme	M.Sc. Nanoscience and Nanotechnology (Physics)
Course Name	Basic Electronics
Type of Course	Core
Course Code	MGKUMPNSC03
Course Summary & Justification	This course aims to impart the basic knowledge of logic circuits and enable students to apply it to design a digital system. Students are expected to develop the skill to design circuits using operational amplifiers and other linear ICs for various applications. It also enables the learners capable of understanding the fundamental architecture of micro controllers. This course also enables the students to understand the basic concepts of analog and digital communication.

Semester	1				Credit		3	
Total Student Learning Time (SLT)	Learning Approach	Lecture	Tutorial	Practical	Others		Total Learning Hours	
	Authentic learning Collaborative learning Case based learning	40	40	-	40		120	
Pre-requisite	Solid state devices, Semiconducting nanostructures, VLSI							

Others- Library, seminar and assignment preparations, test, journal, discussion etc.

CO No.	Expected Course Outcome	Learning Domains	PSO No.
	Upon completion of this course, students will be able to;		
1	Explain the working of different combinational and sequential logic circuits. Students will be able to design the combinational and sequential circuits.	U, A	1, 4
2	Understand the primary applications of the operational amplifier as an adder, subtractor, differentiator, integrator, comparator, and waveform generator etc.	U	1, 4
3	Explain the working principle and instrumentation of analog and digital communications.	U	4, 7, 9
4	Explain the architecture of 8051 microcontroller, instructions, and it's working.	U	4, 5

Remember (R), Understand (U), Apply (A), Analyse (An), Evaluate (E), Create (C), Skill (S), Interest (I) and Appreciation (Ap)

Module No.		CO No.
1	**Logic gates and Combinational systems** Boolean postulates and laws – Logic Functions and Gates De-Morgan's Theorems. Principle of Duality, Minimization of Boolean expressions, Sum of Products (SOP), Product of Sums (POS), Karnaugh map Minimization. Combinatorial Logic Systems - Comparators, Multiplexers, Demultiplexers, Encoder, Decoder. Half and Full Adders, Subtractors, Serial and Parallel Adders, BCD Adder.	1
2	**Sequential systems** Building blocks like S-R, JK and Master-Slave JK FF, Edge triggered FF, Conversion of Flipflops, Excitation table and characteristic equation. Ripple and Synchronous counters, Shift registers-SIPO, SISO, PISO, PIPO. Shift Registers with parallel Load/Shift, Ring counter and Johnson's counter. Asynchronous and Synchronous counter design, Mod N counter	2
3	**8051 microcontrollers** 8051 Architecture- Register Organization- Memory and I/O addressing-Interrupts and Stack- 8051 Addressing Modes- Instruction Set- data transfer instructions, arithmetic instructions, logical instructions, Boolean instructions, control transfer instructions, Simple programs	3
4	**Analog modulation and digital modulation** Amplitude Modulation – Double and Single sideband techniques – Frequency modulation and Demodulation techniques – Bandwidth requirements – Pulse communication – Pulse width, Pulse position and Pulse amplitude modulation, Digital modulation- Pulse Code Modulation (PCM): Pulse Modulation, Sampling process, Performance comparison of various sampling techniques, Aliasing, Reconstruction, PAM, Quantization, Noise in PCM system, Modifications of PCM: Delta modulation, DPCM, ADPCM, ADM	4
5	**Operational amplifiers** Operational amplifiers (Op Amps): The 741 Op Amp, Block diagram, Ideal op-amp parameters, typical parameter values for 741, Equivalent circuit, Open loop configurations, Voltage transfer curve, Frequency response curve. Op-amp with negative feedback: General concept of Voltage Series, Voltage Shunt, current series and current shunt negative feedback, Virtual ground Concept; Op-amp applications: Summer, Voltage Follower-Differential and Instrumentation Amplifiers, Voltage to current and Current to voltage converters, Integrator, Differentiator, Precision rectifiers, Comparators, Schmitt Triggers, Log and antilog amplifiers. Op-amp Oscillators and Multivibrators: Phase Shift and Wien-bridge Oscillators, Triangular and Sawtooth waveform generators, A stable and monostable multivibrators	4

Teaching and Learning Approach	Classroom Procedure (Mode of transaction)
	Authentic learning, case-based learning, collaborative learning, seminar, group activities.
Assessment Types	Mode of Assessment
	1 Continuous Internal Assessment (CIA)
	2. Seminar Presentation – a theme is to be discussed and identified to prepare a paper and present in the seminar
	3. Assignments
	A. Semester End examination

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Programme	Joint M.Sc.
Course Name	**Atomic and Molecular Physics**
Type of Course	Core
Course Code	MGKUMPNSC04
Course Summary & Justification	This course provides an introduction to the field of atomic and molecular physics. This will include a description of classic historical experiments and results and theoretical concepts from quantum mechanics. The first half of this course deals principally with atomic structure and the interaction between atoms and fields. It covers electronic transitions, atomic spectra, excited states, hydrogenic and multi-electron atoms. The second half of the course deals with the binding of atoms into molecules, molecular degrees of freedom (electronic, vibrational, and rotational), elementary group theory considerations and molecular spectroscopy.

Semester	I			Credit		3	

Total Student Learning Time (SLT)	Learning Approach	Lecture	Tutorial	Practical	Others	Total Learning Hours
	Authentic learning Collaborative learning Case based learning	40	40	-	40	120
Pre-requisite	Basics of Atomic stucture and Quantujm mechanics (Undergraduate)					

Others- Library, seminar and assignment preparations, test, journal, discussion etc.

CO No.	Expected Course Outcome	Learning Domains	PSO No.
	Upon completion of this course, students will be able to;		
1	The module encompasses a detailed exposure to Hydrogen atom and time independent perturbation	U, A	2, 3, 6

	theory. Also discuss the relativistic corrections for the energy levels of the hydrogen atom and their effect on optical spectra and derivation of the energy shifts due to these corrections using first order perturbation theory. (Module 1)		
2	This module discusses different interactions associated with Hydrogen atom and review of time dependent perturbation theory. (Module 2)	U, A	2, 3, 6
3	The student will get knowledge about Quantization of the electromagnetic field and Raman effect. (Module 3).	An, E	2, 3, 5
4	The student will get theoretical understandings of Hartree Fock SCF method, proof of Koopmans theorem, Slater's approximation to exchange, Total Hamiltonian of a molecule, Born -Oppenheimer approximation, Rotational and Vibrational Spectra of molecules etc. (Module 4)	E	2, 3, 5

Remember (R), Understand (U), Apply (A), Analyse (An), Evaluate (E), Create (C), Skill (S), Interest (I) and Appreciation (Ap)

Module No.		CO No.
1	**Hydrogen atom:** Review of the Bohr atom model, solution of the Schrodinger equation, spectra of hydrogen and hydrogen-like atoms, Review of time-independent perturbation theory, Fine structure of the hydrogen atom: spin-orbit coupling and relativistic correction to the kinetic energy, Review of the Dirac equation, Dirac equation in the non-relativistic limit	1
2	**Time Dependent Perturbation Theory** Zeeman and Stark Spectroscopy Hyperfine interaction in atomic Hydrogen, Spectroscopy with the 21 cm emission line, Review of time-dependent perturbation theory, Interaction of electromagnetic radiation with a two-level atom, Rabi flopping, The dipole approximation, electric dipole, magnetic dipole and electric quadrupole transitions, Selection rules, Transition probabilities and intensity of spectral lines	2

| 3 | **Electromagnetic Field and Raman Effect**
Line broadening mechanisms, Spontaneous and stimulated emissions and Einstein coefficients, masers and lasers, Lamb shift, Quantization of the electromagnetic field, The Raman effect, Introduction to NMR and ESR, Review of Pauli's exclusion principle, The spin-statistics theorem, The Helium spectrum, Many electron systems: Electron configurations and spectroscopic notation, equivalent and non-equivalent electrons and Hund's rules | 3 |
| 4 | **Approximation Methods**
Hartree Fock SCF method, proof of Koopmans theorem, Slater's approximation to exchange, Total Hamiltonian of a molecule, Born - Oppenheimer approximation, Rotational and Vibrational Spectra of molecules, Anharmonicity, Franck-Condon principle, Electronic, Infrared and Raman Spectra analysis, Symmetry of atomic and molecular systems, Group theoretical treatment, proof of the Great Orthogonality Theorem.
Optional Advanced Topics: Saturation absorption spectroscopy, atomic clocks, Laser-cooling and Bose-Einstein Condensation, Synchrotron radiation spectroscopy, Photofragmentation of molecules. | 4 |

Teaching and Learning Approach	Classroom Procedure (Mode of transaction) Authentic learning, case-based learning, collaborative learning, seminar, group activities.

Assessment Types	Mode of Assessment
	  Continuous Internal Assessment (CIA)
	  1. *Internal Test* -20 marks
	  2- *Assignment* – Every student needs to write an assignment on a given topic based on the available published literature – 10 marks
	  3. *Seminar Presentation* – A topic needs to be presented and discussed with the class- 10 marks
	  A. Semester End Examination – 60 marks

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Programme	Joint M.Sc.
Course Name	Introduction to Nanomaterials
Type of Course	Core
Course Code	MGKUMPNSC05
Course Summary & Justification	The emphasis of the course is to understand the physics of nanomaterials in detail and to explore its wide application. This course provides research-focused teaching and training for post-graduates wishing to develop a career in nano and functional materials. Students will gain profound understanding of the principles governing nano and functional materials' properties, behaviour and interactions as well as their characterisation.

Semester	I		Credit		3	

Total Student Learning Time (SLT)	Learning Approach	Lecture	Tutorial	Practical	Others	Total Learning Hours
	Authentic learning Collaborative learning Case based learning	40	40	-	40	120
Pre-requisite	Strong mathematical background in graduation level is desirable.					

Others- Library, seminar and assignment preparations, test, journal, discussion etc.

CO No.	Expected Course Outcome	Learning Domains	PSO No.
1	Understand and use the properties of Nano-materials in diverse fields.	U	1,5
2	Gain knowledge about the Nanomaterials, their properties, behaviour, interaction and use of them over many disciplines of science.	U, A	1,5

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3	Understand the chemistry of Nanomaterials in detail and to explore the wide application.	U, R	1,5
4	Understand the constituents of matter, nanomaterials, properties and usefulness.	U	1,5
5	Able to learn how to understand the basic behaviour of Nanomaterials.	U	1,5
6	Understand size and shape dependent properties of Nanomaterials.	U, A	1,5
7	Gain knowledge about classification of Nanomaterials	U, An	1,5
8	Deep understanding on surface characteristics of Nanomaterials	U, A, An	1,5
9	Able to understand different surface energy minimization techniques.	U, A	1,5

Remember (R), Understand (U), Apply (A), Analyse (An), Evaluate (E), Create (C), Skill (S), Interest (I) and Appreciation (Ap)

Module No.		CO No.
1	**Fundamentals of Nanomaterials** History of Nanotechnology, Feynman's vision on Nano Science & technology, bulk vs nanomaterials. Central importance of nanoscale morphology - small things making big differences, nanotechnology as natures technology, clusters and magic numbers, nanoscale architecture. Recent developments, challenges and future prospects of nanomaterials.	1,2,3,4,5
2	**Size and shape dependent properties of nanomaterials** Size and shape dependent properties, Melting points and lattice constants, Surface Tension, density of states, Wettability - Specific Surface Area and Pore – Composite Structure - Mechanical properties, Optical properties: Basic principles of nanomaterials- Increase in surface area to volume ratio and quantum confinement effect. Surface plasmon resonance in metal nanoparticles and quantum size effect in in Semiconductors, Electrical conductivity: Surface scattering, change of electronic structure, quantum transport, effect of microstructure.	6

3	**Classification of nanomaterials** Classification based on the dimensionality, Zero-dimensional nanostructures: metal, semiconductor and oxide nanoparticles. One-dimensional nanostructures: nanowires and nanorods, Two-dimensional nanostructures: thin films, Three-dimensional nanomaterials, Special Nanomaterials: Carbon fullerenes and carbon nanotubes, micro and mesoporous materials, core-shell structures, organic-inorganic hybrids.	7
4	**Surface characteristics of Nanomaterials** Surface science for nanomaterials, surface energy, Surface Energy minimization: Sintering Ostwald ripening and agglomeration, Energy minimization by Isotropic and anisotropic surfaces, Wulff plot, Surface energy, surface curvature and chemical potential, Surface energy stabilization mechanisms, Electrostatic stabilization – Point zero charge (p.z.c), Nernst Equation, Electric double layer, Electric potential at the proximity of a solid surface - Debye-Huckel Screening strength, Interaction between nanoparticles – Van der Waals attraction potential, DLVO Theory, steric stabilization and electro steric stabilization. Nucleation and growth of nuclei, critical radius, homogenous and heterogeneous nucleation.	8,9

Teaching and Learning Approach	Classroom Procedure (Mode of transaction) Authentic learning, case-based learning, collaborative learning, seminar, group activities.
Assessment Types	Mode of Assessment 1. Continuous Internal Assessment (CIA) 2. Seminar Presentation – a theme is to be discussed and identified to prepare a paper and present in the seminar 3. Assignments A. Semester End examination

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Programme	Joint M.Sc.
Course Name	Practical I – General Physics
Type of Course	Practical -Core
Course Code	MGKUMPNSC06
Course Summary & Justification	At the end of this course students should acquire skills in doing experiments in physics as well as advanced physics.

Semester	I			Credit		2	

Total Student Learning Time (SLT)	Learning Approach	Lecture	Tutorial	Practical	Others	Total Learning Hours
	Authentic learning Collaborative learning Case based learning	0	40	40		80
Pre-requisite	Strong theoretical knowledge in					

Others- Library, seminar and assignment preparations, test, journal, discussion etc.

CO No.	Expected Course Outcome	Learning Domains	PSO No.
	Upon completion of this course, students will be able to;		
1	To determine the carrier concentration, carrier mobility etc of semiconductors	A, An, S	1, 4
2	To determine the magnetic susceptibility, curie temperature, retentivity, coercivity etc	A, An, S	1, 4
3	To determine the Planks constant	A, An, S	1, 4
4	To determine the diffraction pattern and wavelengths by various methods	A, An, S	1, 4

*Remember (R), Understand (U), Apply (A), Analyse (An), Evaluate (E), Create (C), Skill (S), Interest (I) and Appreciation (Ap)

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	No.
1. Hall Effect in Semiconductor. Determine the Hall coefficient, carrier concentration and carrier mobility.	
2. Ultrasonic- acoustic optic technique-elastic property of a liquid.	
3. Magnetic susceptibility of a paramagnetic solution using Quinck's tube method.	
4. Curie temperature of a magnetic material.	
5. Dielectric Constant and Curie temperature of ferroelectric Ceramics.	
6. Draw the hysteresis curve (B – H Curve) of a ferromagnetic material and determination of retentivity and coercivity.	
7. Cornu's method- Determination of elastic constant of a transparent material	
8. Determination of e/m by Thomson 's method.	
9. Determination of e/k of Silicon.	
10. Determination of Planck 's constant (Photoelectric effect).	
11. Measurement of resistivity of a semiconductor by four-probe method at different temperature and determination of band gap.	
12. Determination of magnetic susceptibility of a solid by Guoy's method.	
13. Measurement of wavelength of laser using reflection grating.	
14. Fraunhoffer diffraction pattern of a single slit, determination of wavelength/slit width.	
15. Fraunhoffer diffraction pattern of wire mesh, determination of wavelength/slit width.	
16. Fraunhoffer diffraction pattern of double slit, determination of wavelength/slit width.	
17. Diffraction pattern of light with circular aperture using Diode/He-Ne laser.	
18. Fresnel diffraction pattern of a single slit.	

Teaching and Learning Approach	Classroom Procedure (Mode of transaction)
	Authentic learning, case-based learning, collaborative learning, seminar, group activities.
Assessment Types	Mode of Assessment
	Continuous Internal Assessment (CIA)
	1. Seminar Presentation – a theme is to be discussed and identified to prepare a paper and present in the seminar
	2. Assignments
	A. Semester End examination

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Programme	Joint M.Sc.
Course Name	Practical II - Basic Electronics
Type of Course	Practical -Core
Course Code	MGKUMPNSC07
Course Summary & Justification	At the end of this course students should acquire skills in designing and testing analog and digital integrated circuits.

Semester	1			Credit		2	

Total Student Learning Time (SLT)	Learning Approach	Lecture	Tutorial	Practical	Others	Total Learning Hours
	Authentic learning Collaborative learning Case based learning	0	40	40		80

Pre-requisite	Strong mathematical background in graduation level is desirable.

Others- Library, seminar and assignment preparations, test, journal, discussion etc.

CO No.	Expected Course Outcome	Learning Domains	PSO No.
	Upon completion of this course, students will be able to;		
1	To recognize various digital gates and ICs	A, An, S	1, 4
2	To design and implement combinational circuits using basic gates and ICs	A, An, S	1, 4
3	To design and implement sequential circuits using basic gates and ICs.	A, An, S	1, 4
4	Design and demonstrate functioning of various analog circuits	A, An, S	1, 4

Remember (R), Understand (U), Apply (A), Analyse (An), Evaluate (E), Create (C), Skill (S), Interest (I) and Appreciation (Ap)

	CO No.
1. Op-Amp parameters (i) Open loop gain (ii) input offset voltage (iii) input bias current (iv)) CMRR (v) slew rate (vi) Band width	
2. Design and construct an integrator using Op-Amp (μA741), draw the input output curve and study the frequency response.	
3. Design and construct a differentiator using Op-Amp (μA741) for sin wave and square wave input and study the output wave for different frequencies.	
4. Design and construct a logarithmic amplifier using Op-Amp (μA741) and study the output wave form.	
5. Design and construct a square wave generator using Op-Amp (μA741) for a frequency f0.	
6. Design and construct a triangular wave generator using (μA741) for a frequency f0.	
7. Design and construct a saw tooth wave generator using Op-Amp (μA741) generator.	
8. Design and construct an Op-Amp Wien bridge oscillator with amplitude stabilization and study the output wave form.	
9. Design and construct a Schmidt trigger using Op-Amp μA741, plot of the hysteresis curve.	
10. Design and construct an astable multivibrator using μA741 with duty cycle other than 50%	
11. Design and construct a RC phase shift oscillator using μA741for a frequency f0.	
12. Design and construct a first and second order low pass Butterworth filter using μA741 and plot the frequency response curve.	
13. Design and construct a first and second order high pass Butterworth filter using μA741 and study the frequency response.	

Teaching and Learning Approach	Classroom Procedure (Mode of transaction)
	Authentic learning, case-based learning, collaborative learning, seminar, group activities.
Assessment Types	Mode of Assessment
	1. Continuous Internal Assessment (CIA)
	2. Seminar Presentation – a theme is to be discussed and identified to prepare a paper and present in the seminar
	3. Assignments
	A. Semester End examination

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Programme	Joint M.Sc.
Course Name	**Statistical Physics**
Type of Course	Elective
Course Code	MGKUMPNSE01
Course Summary & Justification	Statistical mechanics provides a theoretical bridge that takes you from the micro world to the macro world. This makes an attempt to derive the macroscopic properties of an object from the properties of its microscopic constituents and the interactions amongst them. It tries to provide a theoretical basis for the empirical thermodynamics. This course is designed at providing students with basic concepts of calculating properties of an energetically isolated system in equilibrium by imposing probability distribution over the set of microscopic states compatible with the external constraints imposed on the system. Using this probability distribution, average values of specified functions of the microscopic conditions of the gas can be calculated. Students will be able to understand what probability distribution really means, why average values for macroscopic conditions, and how do phase averages related to measured features of the macroscopic system etc. And helps the students to analyses how changing quantum mechanical basis leads to wholesale changes within statistical mechanics. Bose-Einstein statistics, Fermi Dirac statistics and Maxwell Boltzmann statistics will be discussed.

Semester	I				Credit		4	

Total Student Learning Time (SLT)	Learning Approach	Lecture	Tutorial	Practical	Others	Total Learning Hours
	Authentic learning Collaborative learning Case based learning	60	40	-	40	140

Pre-requisite	Basics of Thermodynamics, Quantum dynamics and Probability theory. This is based on statistical methods, probability theory and the microscopic physical laws. It can be used to explain the thermodynamic behaviour of large systems

Others- Library, seminar and assignment preparations, test, journal, discussion etc.

CO No.	Expected Course Outcome	Learning Domains	PSO No.
	Upon completion of this course, students will be able to;		
1	Knowledge of Thermodynamics and probability theory (Module 1)	U, A	2, 9
2	Understand the inadequacy of Quantum dynamics and Probability theory (Module 2)	U, A	2, 6
3	Identify the statistical methods and microscopic physical laws. (Module 3).	An, E	2, 6
4	Apply the principles of statistical thermodynamics that can explain the thermodynamic behaviour of large systems (Module 4)	E	2, 5

Remember (R), Understand (U), Apply (A), Analyse (An), Evaluate (E), Create (C), Skill (S), Interest (I) and Appreciation (Ap)

Module No.		CO No.
1	**Thermodynamics and probability theory** Systems with a very large number of degrees of freedom: the need for statistical mechanics, Macrostates, microstates and accessible microstates, Fundamental postulate of equilibrium statistical mechanics, Probability distributions, Microcanonical ensemble, Boltzmann's formula for entropy	1
2	**Quantum dynamics and Probability theory** Canonical ensemble, partition function, free energy, calculation of thermodynamic quantities, Classical ideal gas, Maxwell-Boltzmann distribution, equipartition theorem, Paramagnetism, Langevin and Brillouin functions, Curie's law.	2

3	**Statistical methods and microscopic physical laws**	3
	Quantum statistics: systems of identical, indistinguishable particles, spin, symmetry of wavefunctions, bosons, Pauli's exclusion principle, fermions, Grand canonical ensemble, Bose-Einstein and Fermi-Dirac distributions, Degeneracy, Free electron gas, Pauli paramagnetism, Blackbody radiation, Bose-Einstein condensation, Einstein model of lattice vibrations, phonons, Debye's theory of the specific heat of crystals.	
4	**Principles of statistical thermodynamics**	4
	Phase diagrams, phase equilibria and phase transitions, Mean-field theory of liquid-gas transition (Van der Waals model) and ferromagnet-paramagnet transition (Weiss' molecular field theory), Heisenberg exchange interaction and the origin of ferromagnetism, Elementary ideas on Ising and Heisenberg models of ferromagnetism	

Teaching and Learning Approach	Classroom Procedure (Mode of transaction) Authentic learning, case-based learning, collaborative learning, seminar, group activities.
Assessment Types	Mode of Assessment 1. Continuous Internal Assessment (CIA) 2. Seminar Presentation – a theme is to be discussed and identified to prepare a paper and present in the seminar 3. Assignments A. Semester End examination

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Programme	Joint M.Sc.
Course Name	Nanocomposites
Type of Course	Elective
Course Code	MGKUMPNSE02
Course Summary & Justification	Students will gain knowledge of the main types of nanocomposite materials and their specific physical and chemical properties required in applications. Graduates will become familiar with the methods of preparation and characterization of specific physical properties of nanocomposite materials. The current state of theory and modelling of nanocomposites will be presented. At the end of the course, students will have enough understanding of the main concepts in nanocomposites physics to allow them read and understand the most important research papers in this field.

Semester	I				Credit	4	

Total Student Learning Time (SLT)	Learning Approach	Lecture	Tutorial	Practical	Others	Total Learning Hours
	Authentic learning Collaborative learning Case based learning	60	40	-	40	140
Pre-requisite	Basics of solid-state physics (Undergraduate)					

Others- Library, seminar and assignment preparations, test, journal, discussion etc.

CO No.	Expected Course Outcome	Learning Domains	PSO No.
	Upon completion of this course, students will be able to;		
1	Understand Metal based nanocomposite: preparation techniques and their final properties and functionality (Module 1)	U, A	1
2	Study of Ceramic based nanocomposites: some preparation techniques, properties and applications. (Module 2)	U, A	1,7

3	Introduction of Polymer based nanocomposites, Diblock Copolymer based nanocomposites: preparation, properties and applications. Carbon nanotubes-based nanocomposites: functionalization of CNTs will also be discussed. (Module 3).	An, E	7
4	Introduction of new kind of nanocomposites, Design of super hard materials, Super hard nanocomposites, its designing and improvements of mechanical properties will also be discussed. (Module 4)	E	7, 9

Remember (R), Understand (U), Apply (A), Analyse (An), Evaluate (E), Create (C), Skill (S), Interest (I) and Appreciation (Ap)

Module No.		CO No.
1	**Metal based nanocomposites:** Metal- oxide or metal-ceramic composites: different aspects of their preparation techniques and their final properties and functionality. Metal - metal nanocomposites: some simple preparation techniques and their new electrical and magnetic properties	1
2	**Ceramic based nanocomposites:** some preparation techniques, properties and applications	2
3	**Polymer based nanocomposites:** Diblock Copolymer based nanocomposites: preparation, properties and applications. Polymer- carbon nanotubes-based nanocomposites: functionalization of CNTs, preparation, properties and applications.	3
4	**New kind of nanocomposites** Fractal based glass- metal nanocomposites, its designing and fractal dimension analysis, Electrical property of fractal-based nanocomposites, Core-shell structured nanocomposites, Design of super hard materials, Super hard nanocomposite: s, its designing and improvements of mechanical properties	4

Teaching and Learning Approach	Classroom Procedure (Mode of transaction) Authentic learning, case-based learning, collaborative learning, seminar, group activities.
Assessment Types	Mode of Assessment
	1. Continuous Internal Assessment (CIA)
	2. Seminar Presentation – a theme is to be discussed and identified to prepare a paper and present in the seminar
	3. Assignments
	A. Semester End examination

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SEMESTER II

Programme	Joint M.Sc.
Course Name	Mathematical Physics II
Type of Course	Core
Course Code	MGKUMPNSC08
Semester	II Credit: 4
Course ISummary & Justification	The use of mathematical techniques in physics contexts is inevitable though the physical understanding is inexact and imprecise. This course provides some advanced topics in applied mathematics relevant to express physical reality and the governing laws. Partial differential equations and complex analysis encompass estimation, approximation and limiting process.

Total Student Learning Time (SLT)	Learning Approach	Lecture	Tutorial	Practical	Others	Total Learning Hours
	Authentic learning Collaborative learning Independent learning	60	40	-	40	140
Pre-requisite	Basic mathematical knowledge of complex variables, group theory and differential equations					

Others- Library, field work, seminar and assignment preparations, test, journal, discussion etc.

CO No.	Expected Course Outcome *Upon completion of this course, students will be able to;*	Learning Domains	PSO No.
1	Grasp the Cauchy-Riemann equations, which give the conditions a function must satisfy in order for a complex generalization of the derivative.	U	1, 4
2	Identify the general qualitative features of solutions such as existence and smoothness of solutions of various partial differential equations appearing in physics	E	1, 8, 9

3	Use calculus of variations which seeks to find the path, curve, surface, etc., for which a given function has a stationary value (usually a minimum or maximum).	U, A	7, 9
4	Apply approximation methods such as Rayleigh-Ritz to reduce the number of degrees of freedom (DOF)	A	7, 9
5	Emphasize the role of group theory as the mathematical framework for labelling symmetry properties of classical and quantum mechanical systems.	U, An	7, 9

Remember (R), Understand (U), Apply (A), Analyse (An), Evaluate (E), Create (C), Skill (S), Interest (I) and Appreciation (Ap)

Module No.		CO No.
1	**Complex Variables**: Analytic functions of a complex variable. Cauchy-Riemann conditions, Power series, Cauchy's integral theorem, Conformal mapping, Singularities: poles, essential singularities, Residue theorem, Contour integration and examples, Analytic continuation, Multiple-valued functions, branch points and branch cut integration.	1
2	**Partial Differential Equations**: Partial differential equations in Physics: Laplace, Poisson and Helmholtz equations; diffusion and wave equations, Applications	2,3
3	**Integral transforms**: Laplace transforms and Fourier transforms, Parseval's theorem, Convolution theorem, Applications, Calculus of Variations Functionals, Natural boundary conditions, Lagrange multipliers, Rayleigh-Ritz method	4
4	**Group theory**: Elements of group theory. Discrete groups with examples, Continuous groups (Lie groups) [rotation group in 2 and 3 dimensions, U (1) and SU (2)], Generators, Representations, Character tables for some point groups and the orthogonality theorem.	5

Teaching and Learning Approach	Classroom Procedure (Mode of transaction) Direct Instruction, Explicit Teaching, E-learning, interactive Instruction: Active co-operative learning, Seminar, Group Assignments, Authentic learning, Library work and Group discussion, Presentation by individual student/ Group representative
Assessment Types	Mode of Assessment Continuous Internal Assessment (CIA) 1. *Internal Test* -20 marks 2- *Assignment* – Every student needs to write an assignment on a given topic based on the available published literature – 10 marks 3. *Seminar Presentation* – A topic needs to be presented and discussed with the class- 10 marks Semester End Examination – 60 marks

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Programme	Joint M.Sc.
Course Name	Quantum mechanics I
Type of Course	Core
Course Code	MGKUMPNSC09
Course Summary & Justification	This course provides a substantive introduction to the mathematical setting to the formulation of quantum mechanics and explains the basic concepts and elementary theory. It discusses the most important 1D and 3D quantum mechanical problems which helps to analyse the concept of quantum mechanics in potential practical applications. It also discusses Schrodinger and Heisenberg formulations of quantum mechanics.

Semester	II				Credit		3	

Total Student Learning Time (SLT)	Learning Approach	Lecture	Tutorial	Practical	Others	Total Learning Hours
	Authentic learning Collaborative learning Case based learning	40	40	-	40	120
Pre-requisite	Strong mathematical background in graduation level is desirable.					

Others- Library, seminar and assignment preparations, test, journal, discussion etc.

CO No.	Expected Course Outcome	Learning Domains	PSO No.
	Upon completion of this course, students will be able to;		
1	Students will get an understanding of linear vector spaces that are fundamental to quantum mechanics. They will also learn concepts and properties of inner-product, basis, linear operators and Hermitian operators etc. (Module 1)	U, A	6,8
2	Students will be able to understand the postulates of quantum mechanics	U, A	2
3	Students will solve various 1-dimensional time independent problems in quantum physics. This will help them to formulate such problems and understand	U, A	2,7

	the general properties of solutions. (Module 3)		
4	The student will learn to solve various 3-dimensional time independent problems like Hydrogen atom in Quantum Mechanics. Study of angular momentum and atomic structure will be crucial to understand other subjects like spectroscopy (Module 4).	An, E	2,7

Remember (R), Understand (U), Apply (A), Analyse (An), Evaluate (E), Create (C), Skill (S), Interest (I) and Appreciation (Ap)

Module No.		CO No.
1	**Module 1** **Linear Vector Spaces** de Broglie's hypothesis: matter waves and experimental confirmation, wave packets; Linear vector spaces: inner product, Hilbert space, Wave Functions; Linear operators: Hermitian operators, Projection operators, Commutator algebra, Unitary operators, Eigenvalues and Eigen vectors of a Hermitian operator; Basis: Representation in discrete bases, Matrix representation of kets, bras, and operators, Change of bases and unitary transformations, Matrix representation of the eigenvalue problem, Representation in position bases.	1
2	**Module 2** **Postulates of Quantum Mechanics** Postulates of Quantum Mechanics: State of a System, Probability Density, Superposition Principle, Observables as Operators, Position and Momentum operators, Position and Momentum representation of state vector, Connecting the position and momentum representations, Measurement in quantum mechanics, Expectation values, Commuting operators and Uncertainty relations; Time evolution of the state: Time-independent potentials and Stationary States, Time evolution operator, infinitesimal and finite Unitary Transformations; Conservation of probability; Time evolution of expectation values: Ehrenfest theorem; Poisson's brackets and commutators; Matrix and Wave mechanics	2
3	**Module 3** **Time independent 1D problems** Discrete, continuous and mixed spectrum; symmetric potentials and parity; Infinite square well potential; Symmetric potential well; Finite square well potential: Scattering and bound state solutions; Free particle; Delta function potential; Harmonic oscillator.	3

4	**Module 4**	4
	Time independent 3D problems	
	Free particle in 3-dimensions: spherically symmetric solution; Particle in a 3D box; Schrodinger equation in presence of central Potential; Orbital angular momentum: eigen values and eigen functions of L^2 and L_z; Hydrogen Atom; Scattering: Cross Section, Amplitude and Differential Cross Section,	
	Scattering of Spin-less Particles. The Born Approximation, Validity of the Born Approximation	

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Teaching and Learning Approach	Classroom Procedure (Mode of transaction)
	Authentic learning, case-based learning, collaborative learning, seminar, group activities.
Assessment Types	Mode of Assessment
	1. Continuous Internal Assessment (CIA)
	2. Seminar Presentation – a theme is to be discussed and identified to prepare a paper and present in the seminar
	3. Assignments
	A. Semester End examination

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Programme	Joint M.Sc.
Course Name	Condensed Matter Physics I
Type of Course	Core
Course Code	MGKUMPNSC10
Course Summary & Justification	The course aims to make the learner understand the physics of solids, which forms the foundation for the study of other fields inside and outside the condensed matter physics. The course provides a clear picture about the solids and their properties used to change our society.

Semester	II		Credit		3	

Total Student Learning Time (SLT)	Learning Approach	Lecture	Tutorial	Practical	Others	Total Learning Hours
	Authentic learning Collaborative learning Case based learning	40	40	-	40	120
Pre-requisite	Basic understanding of graduate level quantum mechanics and solid-state physics.					

Others- Library, seminar and assignment preparations, test, journal, discussion etc.

CO No.	Expected Course Outcome	Learning Domains	PSO No.
	Upon completion of this course, students will be able to;		
1	Students will understand the underlying physics of solid-state materials. (Modules 1-4)	U, A	1, 6
2	Students will get an opportunity to revisit the fundamentals of solid state physics- crystal structure and space groups (Module 1)	R, U	1, 5
3	Students will learn the crystal symmetry and the macroscopic physical properties and diffraction of waves by crystals. (Module 2)	U, A	1, 5
4	The student will learn about different bindings in crystals, lattice dynamics and the thermal properties of crystals. (Module 3).	A, E	1,5, 9

5	Students will learn the details of band theory and the developments of semiconductor physics and bandgap engineering. (Module 4)	A, E	1, 5, 8

Remember (R), Understand (U), Apply (A), Analyse (An), Evaluate (E), Create (C), Skill (S), Interest (I) and Appreciation (Ap)

Module No.		CO No.
1	**Module 1** **Classification of condensed matter:** crystalline, non-crystalline, nanophase solids, liquids, Crystalline solids: Bravais lattices, crystal systems, point groups, space groups and typical structures	1,2
2	**Module 2** **Crystal symmetry and macroscopic physical properties** tensors of various ranks: pyroelectricity, ferroelectricity, electrical conductivity, piezoelectricity and elasticity tensors, Propagation of elastic waves in crystals and measurement of elastic constants, Diffraction of waves by crystals: X-rays, neutrons, electrons, Bragg's law in direct and reciprocal lattice, Structure factor, Principles of diffraction techniques, Brillouin zones.	3
3	**Module 3** **Types of binding, Ionic crystals** Born Mayer potential, Thermochemical Bom-Haber cycle, Van der Waals binding: rare gas crystals and binding energies, Covalent and metallic binding: characteristic features and examples, Lattice dynamics: monoatomic and diatomic lattices, Born-von Karman method, Phonon frequencies and density of states, Dispersion curves, inelastic neutron scattering, Reststrahlen Specific heat, Thermal expansion, Thermal conductivity, Normal and Umklapp processes.	4
4	**Module 4** **Band Theory and Semiconductor Physics** Free electron theory of metals, Thermal and transport properties, Hall effect Electronic specific heat, Bloch functions, Nearly free electron approximation, Formation of energy bands, Gaps at Brillouin zone boundaries, Electron states and classification into insulators, conductors and semimetals, Effective mass and concept of holes, Fermi surface, Cyclotron resonance, Semiconductors: carrier statistics in intrinsic and extrinsic crystals, electrical conductivity, Liquid crystal: thermotropic and lyotropic, Nematics and sematics: applications, Amorphous/glassy states.	5

Teaching and Learning Approach	Classroom Procedure (Mode of transaction) Authentic learning, case-based learning, collaborative learning, seminar, group activities.
Assessment Types	Mode of Assessment 3. Continuous Internal Assessment (CIA) 4. Seminar Presentation – a theme is to be discussed and identified to prepare a paper and present in the seminar 5. Assignments B. Semester End examination

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Programme	Joint M.Sc.
Course Name	Nanomaterials and characterizations
Type of Course	Core
Course Code	MGKUMPNSC11
Course Summary & Justification	This course provides research-focused teaching and training for post-graduates wishing to develop a career in nano and functional materials. Students will gain an in-depth understanding of the various nanofabrication techniques, synthesis strategies, and different characterization techniques.

Semester	II				Credit		3	

Total Student Learning Time (SLT)	Learning Approach	Lecture	Tutorial	Practical	Others	Total Learning Hours
	Authentic learning Collaborative learning Case based learning	40	40	-	40	120
Pre-requisite	Strong mathematical background in graduation level is desirable.					

Others- Library, seminar and assignment preparations, test, journal, discussion etc.

CO No.	Expected Course Outcome	Learning Domains	PSO No.
	Upon completion of this course, students will be able to;		
1	Students will get an understanding of different Synthesis strategies; Bottom up and Top-down approaches. (Module 1)	U, A	1, 3, 7
2	Students will learn physical, chemical and biological characterization methods (Module 2)	U, A	1, 2, 7
3	Students will learn AFM, SEM, Deep UV and X-ray based lithography techniques (Module 3).	An, E	1, 2, 4
4	Students will learn in detail about X-ray diffractometry, Scanning probe microscopy and scanning tunnelling microscopy , Optical microscopy– SEM, TEM, AFM, UV-Vis-NIR spectrometry and FTIR (Module 4)	E	1, 9

Remember (R), Understand (U), Apply (A), Analyse (An), Evaluate (E), Create (C), Skill (S), Interest (I) and Appreciation (Ap)

Module No.		CO No.
1	**Synthesis strategies** bottom-up approaches- sol- gel technique-co-precipitation hydrolysis: sonochemical method- combustion technique- colloidal precipitation- template process Top-down approach: solid state sintering- grain growth-electric arc method-ion beam induced nanostructures- grinding-ball milling-control of grain size	1
2	**Physical, chemical and biological methods** Types of Nanomaterials: Carbon Nanotubes, Fullerene, Quantum dots, nanowire, nanocones, graphene and metal nanoparticles Inert gas condensation -RF plasma-Ion sputtering- laser ablation- laser pyrolysis-molecular beam epitaxy -chemical vapour deposition – electrode deposition- solvothermal synthesis -metal nanocrystals by reduction-arrested precipitation - photochemical synthesis-liquid -liqid interface-cluster compounds. Biological methods: use of bacterial fungi actinomycetes for nanoparticle synthesis, magneto tactic bacteria for natural synthesis of magnetic nanoparticles- mechanism of formation – role of plants in nanoparticle synthesis	2
3	**Lithographic techniques** AFM based nanolithography and nano manipulation, E beam lithography and SEM based nanolithography and nano manipulation, ion beam lithography, oxidation and metallization. Mask and its application. Deep UV lithography, X-ray based lithography	3
4	**Characterization Techniques** X-ray diffractometry- fundamental of X-ray diffraction, powder diffraction method, small angle x-ray scattering and wide-angle x-ray scattering, quantitative determination of phase, strain and particle size, Scanning probe microscopy and scanning tunnelling microscopy- basic principle and instrumentation and application, Optical microscopy– SEM, TEM, AFM: operation principle, instrumentation and application, UV-Vis-NIR spectrometry and FTIR – basic principle	4

Teaching and Learning Approach	Classroom Procedure (Mode of transaction) Authentic learning, case-based learning, collaborative learning, seminar, group activities.
Assessment Types	Mode of Assessment 1. Continuous Internal Assessment (CIA) 2. Seminar Presentation – a theme is to be discussed and identified to prepare a paper and present in the seminar 3. Assignments A. Semester End examination

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Programme	Joint M.Sc.
Course Name	**Practical III - Electronics**
Type of Course	**Practical -Core**
Course Code	MGKUMPNSC12
Course Summary & Justification	At the end of this course students should acquire skills in designing and testing analog and digital integrated circuits.

Semester	II			Credit		2	

Total Student Learning Time (SLT)	Learning Approach	Lecture	Tutorial	Practical	Others	Total Learning Hours
	Authentic learning Collaborative learning Case based learning	0	40	40		80

Pre-requisite	Strong mathematical background in graduation level is desirable.

Others- Library, seminar and assignment preparations, test, journal, discussion etc.

CO No.	Expected Course Outcome	Learning Domains	PSO No.
	Upon completion of this course, students will be able to;		
1	To recognize various digital gates and ICs	A, An, S	1, 4
2	To design and implement combinational circuits using basic gates and ICs	A, An, S	1, 4
3	To design and implement sequential circuits using basic gates and ICs.	A, An, S	1, 4
4	Design and demonstrate functioning of various analog circuits	A, An, S	1, 4

Remember (R), Understand (U), Apply (A), Analyse (An), Evaluate (E), Create (C), Skill (S), Interest (I) and Appreciation (Ap)

	CO No.
1. Design and construct a first order narrow band pass Butterworth filter using μA741.	
2. Solving differential equation using μA741	
3. Design and construct ccurrent to voltage and voltage to current converter (μA741)	
4. Astable multivibrator using 555 timer, study the positive and negative pulse width and free running frequency.	
5. Monostable multivibrator using 555 timers and study the input output waveform.	
6. Voltage controlled Oscillator using 555 timer	
7. Design and construct a Schmitt Trigger circuit using IC 555.	
8. Design and test a two stage RC coupled common emitter transistor amplifier and find the bandwidth, mid-frequency gain, input and output impedance.	
9. Design and test a RC phase shift oscillator using transistor for a given operating frequency.	
10. Voltage controlled Oscillator using transistor	
11. Study the function of (i) analog to digital converter using IC 0800 (ii) digital to analog converter DAC 0808	
12. Study the application of op-Amp (μA741) as a differential amplifier.	
13. Solving simultaneous equation using op-Amp (μA741).	

Teaching and Learning Approach	Classroom Procedure (Mode of transaction) Authentic learning, case-based learning, collaborative learning, seminar, group activities.
Assessment Types	Mode of Assessment 4. Continuous Internal Assessment (CIA) 5. Seminar Presentation – a theme is to be discussed and identified to prepare a paper and present in the seminar 6. Assignments B. Semester End examination

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Programme	Joint M.Sc.
Course Name	Physics IV – Advanced Physics
Type of Course	Practical -Core
Course Code	MGKUMPNSC13
Course Summary & Justification	At the end of this course students should acquire skills in doing experiments in physics as well as advanced physics.

Semester	II		Credit		2	

Total Student Learning Time (SLT)	Learning Approach	Lecture	Tutorial	Practical	Others	Total Learning Hours
	Authentic learning Collaborative learning Case based learning	0	40	40		80
Pre-requisite	Strong theoretical knowledge in general physics					

Others- Library, seminar and assignment preparations, test, journal, discussion etc.

CO No.	Expected Course Outcome	Learning Domains	PSO No.
	Upon completion of this course, students will be able to;		
1	To determine the intensity profile, beam divergence etc of Diodes/Lasers	A, An, S	1, 4
2	To determine the refractive index of various materials	A, An, S	1, 4
3	To determine the coefficient of viscosity of given liquids	A, An, S	1, 4
4	To determine the young's modulus of materials	A, An, S	1, 4
5	To determine the dielectric constants as well as the dipole moment of various molecules	A, An, S	1, 4

*Remember (R), Understand (U), Apply (A), Analyse (An), Evaluate (E), Create (C), Skill (S), Interest (I) and Appreciation (Ap)

	CO No.
1. Study the beam divergence, spot size and intensity profile of Diode/He-Ne laser.	
2. Determine the numerical aperture of optical fibre and propagation of light through it.	
3. Determine the refractive index of the material using Brewster angle setup.	
4. Absorption bands of $KMnO_4$ using incandescent lamp. Determine the wave lengths of the absorption bands. Determine the wave lengths of the absorption bands by evaluating Hartman's constants.	
5. Determine the co-efficient of viscosity of the given liquid by oscillating disc method.	
6. Measure the thermos emf of a thermocouple as function of temperature. Also prove that Seebeck effect is reversible.	
7. Determine the Young's modulus of the material of a bar by flexural vibrations.	
8. Using Michelson interferometer determine the wavelength of light.	
9. Study the temperature dependence of dielectric constant of a ceramic capacitor and verify Curie-Wiess law	
10. Study the dipole moment of an organic molecule (acetone).	
11. Determine the dielectric constant of a non-polar liquid.	
12. Photograph/Record the absorption spectrum of iodine vapour and a standard spectrum. Analyze the given absorption spectrum of iodine vapour and determine the convergence limit. Also estimate the dissociation energy of iodine (wave number corresponding to the electronic energy gap = 759800 m-1)	
13. Determine the dielectric constant of a non-polar liquid.	
14. Determine the charge of an electron using Millikan oil drop experiment.	
15. Linear electro optic effect (Pockel effect), Frank Hertz experiment.	
16. Frank Hertz experiment determination of ionization potential.	
17. Koening's method, Poisson's ratio of the given material of bar.	
18. Determination of Stefan's constant of radiation from hot body	

Teaching and Learning Approach	Classroom Procedure (Mode of transaction) Authentic learning, case-based learning, collaborative learning, seminar, group activities.
Assessment Types	Mode of Assessment Continuous Internal Assessment (CIA) 1. Seminar Presentation – a theme is to be discussed and identified to prepare a paper and present in the seminar 2. Assignments A. Semester End examination

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Programme	Joint M.Sc.
Course Name	**Electromagnetic Theory**
Type of Course	Elective
Course Code	MGKUMPNSC03
Course Summary & Justification	The course aims to develop the fundamental concepts in classical electrodynamics for students who are already familiar with the basics of electromagnetism. Maxwell's equations, the grand theory that unifies electricity, magnetism and light will be introduced and they will be equipped with advanced mathematical methods to tackle various boundary value problems in electrodynamics.

Semester	II			**Credit**		4	

Total Student Learning Time (SLT)	Learning Approach	Lecture	Tutorial	Practical	Others	Total Learning Hours
	Authentic learning Collaborative learning Case based learning	60	40	-	40	140
Pre-requisite	Basic knowledge in classical electrodynamics.					

Others- Library, seminar and assignment preparations, test, journal, discussion etc.

CO No.	Expected Course Outcome	Learning Domains	PSO No.
	Upon completion of this course, students will be able to;		
1	To understand the concepts of boundary value problems to be able to use various techniques for solving the boundary value problems	U, A	2, 6
2	Apply Maxwell's Equations in Various situations (Module 2).	U, A	2, 8

	The introduction of conservation laws and investigation of the propagation of electromagnetic waves in various media leads to a clear understanding and applications of Maxwell's equations (Module 3)		
3		An, E	2, 9
4	Analyze the electromagnetic radiation phenomena (Module 4).	E	8

Remember (R), Understand (U), Apply (A), Analyse (An), Evaluate (E), Create (C), Skill (S), Interest (I) and Appreciation (Ap)

Module No.		CO No.
1	**Electrostatics:** Laplace and Poisson equations, Boundary value problems, Dirichlet and Neumann boundary conditions, Method of images, Concept of the Green function and its use in boundary value problems	1
2	**Module 2** **Magnetostatics:** Ampere's law and Biot-Savart's law, Concept of a vector potential, Maxwell equations and electromagnetic waves, Maxwell equations (both differential and integral formulations), Boundary conditions on field vectors D, E, B and H, Vector and scalar potentials	2
3	**Module 3** **Gauge transformations:** Lorentz and Coulomb gauge, Green function for the wave equation, Poynting's theorem, Conservation laws for macroscopic media, Propagation of plane waves and spherical waves in free space, dielectrics and conducting media, Reflection and refraction of electromagnetic waves, Superposition of waves, Radiation from an oscillating dipole and radiation from an accelerating charge.	3
4	**Module 4** **Electromagnetic stress tensor, Wave Guides:** Modes in rectangular and cylindrical wave guides (conducting and dielectric), Resonant cavities, Evanescent waves, Energy dissipation, Q of a cavity	4

Teaching and Learning Approach	Classroom Procedure (Mode of transaction) Authentic learning, case-based learning, collaborative learning, seminar, group activities.
Assessment Types	**Mode of Assessment** 1. Continuous Internal Assessment (CIA) 2. Seminar Presentation – a theme is to be discussed and identified to prepare a paper and present in the seminar 3. Assignments A. Semester End examination

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Programme	Joint M.Sc.
Course Name	Nanophotonics
Type of Course	Elective
Course Code	MGKUMPNSE04
Course Summary & Justification	This course aims to impart knowledge about the physics of photonics. This course also aims to provide knowledge about photonic crystals and applications of photonic crystal devices.

Semester	II				Credit	4	

Total Student Learning Time (SLT)	Learning Approach	Lecture	Tutorial	Practical	Others	Total Learning Hours	
	Authentic learning Collaborative learning Case based learning	60	40	-	40	140	
Pre-requisite	Solid state devices, Semiconducting nanostructures, VLSI						

Others- Library, seminar and assignment preparations, test, journal, discussion etc.

CO No.	Expected Course Outcome	Learning Domains	PSO No.
	Upon completion of this course, students will be able to;		
1	understand the basic and advance concepts of nanophotonics.	U,R	1
2	Understand the concepts of near- field optics and near- field scanning optical microscopy.	U	3, 4
3	understand the basic concepts of plasmonics	U	4
4	understand the concepts of photonic crystals	U	3, 4
5	understand the applications of photonic crystals	U	3, 4

Remember (R), Understand (U), Apply (A), Analyse (An), Evaluate (E), Create (C), Skill (S), Interest (I) and Appreciation (Ap)

Module No.		CO No.
1	**Fundamentals of photonics and photonic devices:** lasers, LEDs, optical modulators (acoustic -optic and electro- optic), optical fibers and fiber optic components, frequency conversion, propagation and confinement of photons and electrons, tunneling, band gap, Quantum confinement effects, interaction dynamics, electronic energy transfer and emission	1
2	**Near- field optics and Near- field scanning optical microscopy:** Quantum Dots, Single molecular spectroscopy, and Nonlinear Optical processes, Time resolved studies, Heterostructures, Metallic Nanoparticles and Nanorods, Metallic Nanoshells, Local Field Enhancement, Subwavelength Aperture Plasmonics, Plasmonic Wave Guiding, Applications of Metallic Nanostructure, Radiative Decay Engineering	2
3	**Introduction to plasmonics:** Metallic nanoparticles and nanorods, metallic nanoshells, local field enhancement, sub-wavelength aperture plasmonics, plasmonic waveguiding, applications of metallic nanostructures, Evanescent wave excitation, dielectric sensitivity, radioactive decay engineering, metal dipole interaction	3
4	**Photonic crystals:** Introduction to photonic crystals, Modelling of photonic crystals, Photonic crystal optical circuitry, Non-linear photonic crystals, Photonic crystal fibres, photonic band gap materials	4
5	**Applications of Photonic crystals:** Applications in communication and sensing, Near field imaging of biological systems, Nanoparticles for optical diagnosis, upconverting nanopores for bioimaging	5

Teaching and Learning Approach	Classroom Procedure (Mode of transaction) Authentic learning, case-based learning, collaborative learning, seminar, group activities.
Assessment Types	Mode of Assessment 1. Continuous Internal Assessment (CIA) 2. Seminar Presentation – a theme is to be discussed and identified to prepare a paper and present in the seminar 3. Assignments A. Semester End examination

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Programme	Joint MSc
Course Name	**Industrial Internship**
Course Credit	2
Type of Course	**CORE**
Course Code	MGKUMPNSC14
Course Summary & Justification	The candidate shall do an industrial visit in any of the research institute.
Semester	4

Total Student Learning Time (SLT)	Learning Approach	Lecture	Tutorial	Practical	Others	Total Learning Hours
	Library work, lab work, Team work, independent learning	-	-	-	-	-
Pre-requisite						

CO No.	Expected Course Outcome	Learning Domains	PSO No.
	At the end of the course the students are expected to		
	To clearly present and discuss the research objectives, methodology, analysis, results and conclusions effectively.	A	2, 3, 4, 5
2	Acquire a comprehensive knowledge of the area subject of study	Ap	1, 7
3	Gain deeper knowledge of methods in the topic of study.	A	6
4	Able to contribute to research and development work.	U	3
5	Undertake independent, original and critical research on a relevant topic.	U	5
6	Able to plan and use adequate methods to conduct specific tasks in given frameworks and to evaluate this work.	U	6
7	Create, analyse and critically evaluate different problems and their solutions.	C	7
8	Gain a consciousness of the ethical aspects of research.	E	6

Teaching and Learning Approach	**Classroom Procedure (Mode of transaction)** E-learning, interactive Instruction: Seminar, Authentic learning, , Library work, laboratory work, Team work, independent learning and Group discussion, Presentation of research work.
Assessment Types	**Mode of Assessment** Evaluation of the presentation by both internal and external examiners.

SEMESTER III

Programme	Joint M.Sc.				
Course Name	Quantum mechanics II				
Type of Course	Core				
Course Code	MGKUMPNSC15				
Course Summary & Justification	The course aims to provide an introduction to advanced level topics in quantum mechanics. These include quantum theory of angular momentum, quantum concept of identical particles and an introduction to relativistic and multi-particle quantum mechanics. This includes the formulation of quantum theorem of spin and orbital angular momentum. This course also formulates the non-relativistic scattering theory and relativistic quantum mechanics.				
Semester	III		Credit		4
Total Student Learning Time (SLT)	Learning Approach	Lecture	Tutorial	Practical	Others	Total Learning Hours
	Authentic learning Collaborative learning Case based learning	60	40	-	40	140
Pre-requisite					
Others- Library, seminar and assignment preparations, test, journal, discussion etc.					

CO No.	Expected Course Outcome *Upon completion of this course, students will be able to;*	Learning Domains	PSO No.
1	Get a complete understanding of total angular momenta and spin angular momenta of particles. They will be able to understand the quantum mechanical techniques	U, A	4, 6

	to find the total angular momenta of combined system. This is very important to understand further studies of spectroscopic methods and techniques (Module 1)		
2	Understand the quantum mechanical problems by approximation techniques. They will be able to study the time independent perturbation theory for understanding the quantum mechanical problems. (Module 2)	U, A	4,6
3	The student will be able to understand the quantum mechanical theories of time dependent perturbation theory. They can solve the quantum mechanical problems more accurately using this perturbation method (Module 3).	An, E	6, 9
4	Students will be able to understand the concept of identical particles. They will study the symmetric and antisymmetric wavefunctions and can understand the profound physics of bosons and fermions. Students will be able to understand the elements of relativistic quantum mechanics (Module 4).	E	6, 8, 9

Remember (R), Understand (U), Apply (A), Analyse (An), Evaluate (E), Create (C), Skill (S), Interest (I) and Appreciation (Ap)

Module No.		CO No.
1	**Module 1** **Quantum Theory of Angular Momentum** Review of Orbital angular momentum; Total angular momentum: Commutation relations, eigenvalues, Matrix representation of angular momentum; Spin angular momentum: Pauli spin matrices and their properties, Two component wave function, Pauli's equation; Addition of Angular momentum and Clebsch-Gordan coefficients.	1

2	**Module 2** **Time Independent Perturbation theory** Time-independent perturbation theory: Non degenerate perturbation theory. The Stark effect, Degenerate perturbation theory: Spin Orbit Coupling, Fine structure; Variational method; WKB method. Bound states for potential wells with no rigid walls, Tunnelling through a potential barrier	2
3	**Module 3** **Time Dependent Perturbation theory** Schrodinger and Heisenberg Pictures of Quantum Mechanics; The interaction Picture and Time- dependent perturbation theory: Transition probability; Constant perturbation; Harmonic perturbation; Adiabatic and sudden approximations; Interaction of atoms with radiation: Transition rates for absorption and stimulated emission of radiation, Dipole approximation, Electric dipole selection rules	3
4	**Module 4** **Relativistic and Multi Particle Quantum Mechanics** Klein-Gordon equation: Free particle solutions, Probability density; Dirac equation: Dirac matrices, Probability density, Solution of free Dirac equation and positrons; Many-particle systems: Interchange symmetry; Systems of distinguishable non-interacting particle; Systems of identical particles: Exchange degeneracy, Symmetrization postulate; Constructing symmetric and anti-symmetric wave functions, Pauli's exclusion principle	4

Teaching and Learning Approach	Classroom Procedure (Mode of transaction) Authentic learning, case-based learning, collaborative learning, seminar, group activities.
Assessment Types	Mode of Assessment 1. Continuous Internal Assessment (CIA) 2. Seminar Presentation – a theme is to be discussed and identified to prepare a paper and present in the seminar 3. Assignments A. Semester End examination

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Programme	Joint M.Sc.
Course Name	**Condensed Matter Physics II**
Type of Course	Core
Course Code	MGKUMPNSC16
Course Summary & Justification	This course aims to make the learner understand the physics of solids, mostly concerned with their properties that are of great utility, and result from the distribution of electrons in metals, semiconductors and insulators. The course discusses important advances in condensed matter physics which would facilitate better understanding of the material behaviour at the nanometre scale.

Semester	III		Credit		4	

Total Student Learning Time (SLT)	Learning Approach	Lecture	Tutorial	Practical	Others	Total Learning Hours
	Authentic learning Collaborative learning Case based learning	60	40	-	40	140
Pre-requisite	Strong background in basic quantum mechanics and condensed matter physics.					

Others- Library, seminar and assignment preparations, test, journal, discussion etc.

CO No.	Expected Course Outcome	Learning Domains	PSO No.
	Upon completion of this course, students will be able to;		
1	Students will learn about dielectrics and ferroelectrics (Module 1)	U, A	2, 5
2	Students will learn about the magnetic properties of materials and perform mathematical derivations of different quantities. (Module 2)	U, A	2, 5
3	The student will learn about optical properties of solids and also superconductivity found in solids. This will help in understanding the different facets of solids. (Module 3).	A, E	5, 7

| 4 | Students will learn to identify the types of point and extended defects in solids. (Module 4) | A, E | 5, 7 |

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Module No.		CO No.
1	**Module 1** **Dielectrics and Ferroelectrics** Internal electric field in a dielectric, Clausius-Mossotti and Lorentz-Lorenz equations, Point dipole, deformation dipole and shell models, Dielectric dispersion and loss, Ferroelectrics: types and models of ferroelectric transition.	1
2	**Module 2** **Magnetic Properties of Materials** Diamagnetic susceptibility, Quantum theory of paramagnetism, Transition metal ions and rare earth ions in solids, Crystal field effect and orbital quenching, Ferromagnetic and antiferromagnetic ordering, Curie-Weiss theory, Heisenberg theory, Curie and Neel temperatures, Domain walls, Spin waves and magnon dispersion.	2
3	**Module 3** **Optical properties of solids:** Band to band absorption, excitons, polarons, Colour centres, Luminescence, Photoconductivity. Superconductivity, experimental and theoretical aspects, new materials and models	3
4	**Module 4** **Defects in Solids** Point defects: Thermodynamics of point defects, Frenkel and Schottky defects, Formation enthalpies, Diffusion and ionic conductivity, Superionic materials. Extended defects: dislocations, models of screw and edge dislocations, Burgers vector, Stress field around dislocations, interaction between dislocations with point defects, Work hardening.	4

Teaching and Learning Approach	Classroom Procedure (Mode of transaction) Authentic learning, case-based learning, collaborative learning, seminar, group activities.
Assessment Types	Mode of Assessment 4. Continuous Internal Assessment (CIA) 5. Seminar Presentation – a theme is to be discussed and identified to prepare a paper and present in the seminar 6. Assignments B. Semester End examination

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Programme	Joint M.Sc.
Course Name	Application of Nanomaterials
Type of Course	Core
Course Code	MGKUMPNSC17
Course Summary & Justification	This course provides research-focused teaching and training for post-graduates wishing to develop a career in nano and functional materials. Students will gain an in-depth understanding of the various application of nanomaterials in the field of medicine, agriculture, food, textile, defence, aerospace etc.

Semester	III		Credit	3

Total Student Learning Time (SLT)	Learning Approach	Lecture	Tutorial	Practical	Others	Total Learning Hours
	Authentic learning Collaborative learning Case based learning	40	40	-	40	120
Pre-requisite	Strong background in basic quantum mechanics and condensed matter physics.					

Others- Library, seminar and assignment preparations, test, journal, discussion etc.

CO No.	Expected Course Outcome	Learning Domains	PSO No.
	Upon completion of this course, students will be able to;		
1	Understand the applications of nanotechnology in medical field	U, A	2, 5
2	Student will learn about the applications of nanotechnology in the field of agriculture and food sector	U, A	2, 5
3	Understand the importance of nanotechnology in textile and cosmetics sector	A, E	5, 7
4	Understand the applications of nanotechnology in defence and aerospace field.	A, E	5, 7

*Remember (R), Understand (U), Apply (A), Analyse (An), Evaluate (E), Create (C), Skill (S), Interest (I) and Appreciation (Ap)

Module No.		CO No.
1	**Biomedical Applications** Nanoparticles and Micro–organism- Biosensors- Bioreceptors and their properties - Biochips- Integrated nanosensor networks for detection and response- DNA based biosensors and diagnostics- Natural nanocomposite systems; spider silk, bones, shells - Nanomaterials in bone substitutes and dentistry – Implants and Prosthesis –Tissue Engineering – Neuroscience -Neuro-electronic Interfaces -Nanorobotics– Photodynamic Therapy - Protein Engineering – Nanosensors in Diagnosis–Drug delivery – Cancer therapy and other therapeutic applications.	1
2	**Agricultural and Food Sector Applications** Nanotechnology in Agriculture -Precision farming, Smart delivery systems – Insecticides using nanotechnology – Potential of nano-fertilizers – Potential benefits in Nanotechnology in Food industry – Global Challenges- Product innovation and Process improvement- Consumer benefits- Food processing - Packaging- - Packing materials; physical properties- Improvements of mechanical and barrier properties- Antimicrobial functionality- Active packaging materials- -Information and communication technology- Sensors- RF identification- Food safety- Nanomaterial based Food diagnostics – Contaminant detection – Intelligent packaging- Nanoengineered Food ingredients- Potential risks to Nanofood to consumers	2

3	**Applications in Textile and Cosmetics Sector**	3
	Nanofibre production – Electrospinning and charge injectionmethod – morphological control-	
	yarns and polymide nanofibers- Carbon Nanotube and Nanofibre Reinforced Polymer Fibres-	
	multifunctional polymer nanocomposites- Improvement of polymer functionality- Nylon-6	
	nanocomposites from polymerization- Dyeable Polypropylene - nanocoatings and surface	
	modifications - Nano-filled polypropylene fibers - UV resistant, antibacterial, self-cleaning,	
	flame retardant textiles – Lightweight bulletproof vests and shirts, Colour changing property,	
	Waterproof and Germ proof, Cleaner kids clothes, Wired and Ready to Wear textiles-	
	Cosmetics; Formulation of Gels, Shampoos, Hair-conditioners– Nanomaterials in Sun-screen	
	UV protection – Color cosmetics	
4	**Defence and Aerospace Applications**	4
	Pathways to Physical protection- Detection and diagnostics of chemical and biological	
	agents, methods- Chemical and Biological counter measures- Decontamination- Post	
	exposure and pre exposure protection and decontamination- Nanotechnology enabled bio	
	chemical weapons- Influence operations- Evasion of medical countermeasures-	
	Nanotechnology based satellite communication system- Guidance, Navigation and control-	
	Spacecraft thermal control- mini, micro, nanosatellite concepts- Fiber optic and Chemical	
	microsensors for space craft and launch support- Micro/Nano pressure and temperature	
	sensors for space missions.	

Teaching and Learning Approach	Classroom Procedure (Mode of transaction) Authentic learning, case-based learning, collaborative learning, seminar, group activities.
Assessment Types	Mode of Assessment 7. Continuous Internal Assessment (CIA)

	8. Seminar Presentation – a theme is to be discussed and identified to prepare a paper and present in the seminar
	9. Assignments
	C. Semester End examination

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Programme	Joint M.Sc.
Course Name	Synthesis of Nanomaterials
Type of Course	Practical
Credit Value	2
Course Code	MGKUMPNSC18

Course Name	Synthesis of different Nanomaterials.					
Semester	III					
Total Student Learning Time (SLT)	Learning Approach	Lecture	Tutorial	Practical	Others	Total Learning Hours
		0	40	40		80
Pre-requisite	Basic knowledge in practical chemistry (Undergraduate level).					

CO No.	Expected Course Outcome	Learning Domains	PSO No.
1	To Acquire sound knowledge about the fundamentals and importance of Nanomaterials.	R, U, An	3,4,5
2	To compare and correlate various Nanomaterials synthesis techniques.	U, A, An	1,3,4,5,6,7
3	To learn the handling of different chemicals (for nanomaterial synthesis), glassware, and precautions to be taken for safety in a chemistry lab	R, U, A	3,4,5
4	To learn the synthesis of different nanomaterials (bio-based nanomaterials, green synthesis of nanomaterials, etc.)	U, A, An, S	4,5
5	To perform experiments individually and to gain knowledge about principles and techniques involved in various experiments (nanomaterial synthesis)	An, A, S, I	5,6,7

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Module No.		CO No.
1	Extraction of Nanocellulose, Extraction of Nanochitin, Synthesis of different sized Ag nanoparticles by aqueous method, Synthesis of different sized Au nanoparticles by aqueous method, Chemical synthesis of CdSe Quantum dots with different sizes.	1,2,3,4,5
2	Sol-gel synthesis of ZnO nanoparticles, green synthesis of ZnO nanoparticles, Coprecipitation synthesis of magnetic (iron oxide) nanoparticles, Synthesis of metal oxide nanotubes, Hydro/Solvothermal synthesis of metal oxide nanostructures of different morphology by varying parameters, Synthesis of SnO_2 nanostructures, Hydrothermal synthesis of TiO2 nanoparticles, Synthesis of Graphene and Graphene Oxide, Synthesis of nanosilica.	1,2,3,4,5

Teaching and Learning Approach	Classroom Procedure (Mode of transaction) Contact classes, Library work, Tutorials, Demonstrations, Workshops, Virtual laboratory videos
Assessment Types	**Mode of Assessment** **A.** Lab/Experiment skills **B.** Lab record/Report **C.** Viva-voce **D.** Lab Discipline (participation, punctuality, accuracy) **E. Semester End examination**

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Programme	**Joint M.Sc.**
Course Name	**Characterization of Nanomaterials**
Type of Course	Practical
Credit Value	2
Course Code	MGKUMPNSC19

Course Summary & Justification	Characterization of different nanomaterials					
Semester	III					
Total Student Learning Time (SLT)	Learning Approach	Lecture	Tutorial	Practical	Others	Total Learning Hours
		0	40	40		80
Pre-requisite	Basic knowledge in practical chemistry (Undergraduate level).					

CO No.	Expected Course Outcome	Learning Domains	PSO No.
1	To acquire sound knowledge about the fundamentals and importance of different characterization techniques (chemical, morphological, thermal, electrical etc.) for nanomaterials.	R, U, An	
2	To compare and correlate various characterization techniques for nanomaterials.	U, A, An	
3	To learn the handling of different characterization techniques for nanomaterials and precautions to be taken for safety.	R, U, A	
4	To learn the basic/ working principle of different characterization techniques for nanomaterials.	U, A, An, S	
5	To perform experiments (characterizations) individually and to gain knowledge about instrument operation and analysing of data.	An, A, S, I, Ap	

*Remember (R), Understand (U), Apply (A), Analyse (An), Evaluate (E), Create (C), Skill (S), Interest (I) and Appreciation (Ap)

Module No.		CO No.
1	Studies of (synthesized) different nanomaterials using: Optical microscope, Scanning electron microscope, transmission electron microscope, confocal laser scanning microscopy, and atomic force microscope. Studies of different nanomaterials using X-ray diffraction, UV-visible spectroscopy, FT-IR spectroscopy, Nuclear Magnetic Resonance Spectroscopy, Raman spectroscopy, Absorption and emission Spectroscopy.	1,2,3,4,5
2	Characterization of different nanomaterials using: Thermogravimetric analyser (TGA), Differential Scanning Calorimetry (DSC), and Vibrating sample magnetometer.	1,2,3,4,5

Teaching and Learning Approach	**Classroom Procedure (Mode of transaction)** Contact classes, Library work, Tutorials, Demonstrations, Workshops, Virtual laboratory videos
Assessment Types	**Mode of Assessment** A. Lab/Experiment skills B. Lab record/Report C. Viva-voce D. Lab Discipline (participation, punctuality, accuracy) E. Semester End examination

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Programme	Joint M.Sc.
Course Name	**Nuclear and Particle Physics**
Type of Course	Elective Credit: 4
Course Code	MGKUMPNSE05
Course Summary & Justification	This course looks at physics within the nucleus, exploring the consequences of quantum physics at the high energies, and short distances, explored by nuclear and particle physics. It begins with a review of relativistic and quantum mechanics, the symmetries of fermions and bosons, and the forces of nature. Further, it goes on to explore the nature of these forces in the nuclear and particle physics domain, and see how they are related to decays and scattering processes. This course will introduce the fundamental particles and composite states, including nuclei, which appear on subatomic scales and investigate the quantum numbers and symmetries associated with the interactions of these particles. We will discuss the models used to describe the phenomena observed on the subatomic scale, and explore both their many successes and their shortcomings. Also discuss the experimental methods used to explore the subatomic world.

Semester	III			Credit		4	

Total Student Learning Time (SLT)	Learning Approach	Lecture	Tutorial	Practical	Others	Total Learning Hours
	Authentic learning Collaborative learning Case based learning	60	40	-	40	140

Pre-requisite	Basics of Atomic stucture, Nuclear physics, Quantum mechanics (Undergraduate)

Others- Library, seminar and assignment preparations, test, journal, discussion etc.

CO No.	Expected Course Outcome	Learning Domains	PSO No.
	Upon completion of this course, students will be able to;		
1	The module encompasses a detailed exposure to nuclear structure and models. A qualitative study on estimation of transition rates also be discussed (Module 1)	U, A	1, 6
2	This module discusses different nuclear interaction problems (Module 2)	U, A	1, 6
3	The student will get knowledge about nuclear reactions and decay (Module 3).	An, E	1, 6
4	The student will get theoretical understandings of elementary particles and its interactions (Module 4)	E	1, 4

Remember (R), Understand (U), Apply (A), Analyse (An), Evaluate (E), Create (C), Skill (S), Interest (I) and Appreciation (Ap)

Module No.		CO No.
1	**Module 1** **Nuclear Structure and Models** Basic properties of nuclei: Masses and relative abundances, mass defect, size and shape, binding energy, magnetic dipole moments and electric quadrupole moments, Liquid drop model - Semi-empirical mass formula of Weizsacker - Nuclear stability Mass parabolas - Bohr-Wheeler theory of fission — Fermi gas model Shell model - Spin-orbit coupling - Magic numbers - Angular momenta and parities of nuclear ground state - qualitative discussion and estimates of transition rates - Magnetic moments and Schmidt lines - Collective model of Bohr and Mottelson - Nilsson Model - oblate and Prolate.	1

2	**Module 2**	2
	Nuclear Interactions	
	Nuclear forces - Two body problem - Ground state of deuteron - Magnetic moment - Quadruple moment - Tensor forces - Meson theory of nuclear forces - Yukawa potential - Nucleon-nucleon scattering, scattering cross section - Low energy n-p scattering-phase shift - proton-proton scattering - Effective range theory - Characteristics of nuclear force - Spin dependence, charge independence and charge symmetry - Isospin formalism.	
3	**Module 3**	3
	Nuclear Reactions and Nuclear Decay	
	Reaction dynamics, the Q value of Nuclear reaction, Scattering and reaction cross sections Compound nucleus formation and breakup, nuclear fission and heavy ion induced reactions, fusion reactions, types of nuclear reactors, Beta decay - Fermi's theory - Fermi-Curie Plot - Fermi and Gamow - Teller selection rules - Allowed and forbidden decays - Decay rates - Theory of Neutrino - Helicity of neutrino - Helicity measurement - Theory of electron capture - Non-conservation of parity - Gamma decay - Internal conversion - Multipole transitions in nuclei - Nuclear isomerism - Angular correlation in successive gamma emissions.	
4	**Module 4**	4
	Particle Physics	
	Types of interactions between elementary particles - Hadrons and leptons, their masses, spin parity decay structure, the quark model, the confined quarks, colored quarks, Experimental evidence for quark model, The quark-gluon interaction, Gellmann- Nishijima formula, Symmetries and conservation laws, C, P and CPT invariance and applications of symmetry arguments to particle reactions, parity non conservation in weak interactions, Exchange Bosons of the weak interaction, electroweak unification.	

Teaching and Learning Approach	Classroom Procedure (Mode of transaction) Authentic learning, case-based learning, collaborative learning, seminar, group activities.
Assessment Types	Mode of Assessment Continuous Internal Assessment (CIA) 1. *Internal Test* -20 marks 2- *Assignment* – Every student needs to write an assignment on a given topic based on the available published literature – 10 marks 3. *Seminar Presentation* – A topic needs to be presented and discussed with the class- 10 marks A. Semester End Examination – 60 marks

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Programme	Joint M.Sc.
Course Name	Nanomagnetic Materials
Type of Course	Elective
Course Code	MGKUMPNSE06
Course Summary & Justification	This course provides research-focused teaching and training for post-graduates wishing to develop a career in nano and functional materials. Students will gain an in-depth understanding of nanomagnetic materials including the size dependence, fabrication, characterization and application of nanomagnetic materials

Semester	III		Credit		4	

Total Student Learning Time (SLT)	Learning Approach	Lecture	Tutorial	Practical	Others	Total Learning Hours
	Authentic learning Collaborative learning Case based learning	60	40	-	40	140
Pre-requisite	Strong background in basic quantum mechanics and condensed matter physics.					

Others- Library, seminar and assignment preparations, test, journal, discussion etc.

CO No.	Expected Course Outcome	Learning Domains	PSO No.
	Upon completion of this course, students will be able to;		
1	Student will learn about the basics of nanomagnetic materials including ferromagnetism, magnetic susceptibilities, magneto resistance etc	U, A	1, 6
2	Understand the size dependence of magnetic materials and magneto electronics	U, A	1, 6
3	Understand the different methods of fabrication and characterization of nanomagnetic materials	An, E	1, 6
4	Understand the applications of nanomagnetic materials	E	1, 4

Remember (R), Understand (U), Apply (A), Analyse (An), Evaluate (E), Create (C), Skill (S), Interest (I) and Appreciation (Ap)

Module No.		CO No.
1	**Module 1** **Ferromagnetism and Magneto Resistance** Basics of ferromagnetism, Effect of bulk structuring of Magnetic properties, Dynamics of Nanomagnets, Nanopore containment of magnetic properties, Nanocarbon ferromagnets Giant Magneto resistance, GMR, Applications in data storage, Ferro fluids, Band structure in magnetic fields, Parallel and perpendicular field Magnetic susceptibilities, Disorder–order transformations. Spintronics	1
2	**Module 2** **Size dependence of Magnetic Materials and Magneto-electronics** Super paramagnetism, Effect of grain-size, Magneto-transport, Fermi's golden rule and mean free path, Ballistic vs. diffusive regimes, Persistent currents, Magnetization, Ferroelectrics. Electronic Properties and Quantum Effects, Magneto-electronics: Magnetism and Magnetotransport in Layered Structures, Magneto optics, magnetoelectrics.	2
3	**Module 3** **Fabrication and Characterization of Nanomagnetic materials** Particulate Nanomagnets – Geometrical Nanomagnets – Fabrication Techniques Scaling – Characterization using Various Techniques – Imaging Magnetic Micro spectroscopy – Study of Ferromagnetic & and Antiferromagnetic Interfaces – Optical Imaging – Lorentz Microscopy – Electron Holography of Magnetic Nanostructures –Magnetic Force Microscopy	3

4	**Module 4**	4
	Applications and Devices	
	Magnetic Data Storage – Introduction – Magnetic Media – Properties – Materials Used – Write Heads – Read Heads – Magnetoresistance – General – in Normal Metals and in Ferromagnetic Materials – Future of Magnetic Data Storage - Magneto-Optics and Magnetooptic recording – Kerr Effect – Faraday Effect. Magnetic Semiconductors. Spintronics devices, noise reduction.	

Teaching and Learning Approach	Classroom Procedure (Mode of transaction) Authentic learning, case-based learning, collaborative learning, seminar, group activities.
Assessment Types	Mode of Assessment Continuous Internal Assessment (CIA) 1. *Internal Test* -20 marks 2- *Assignment* – Every student needs to write an assignment on a given topic based on the available published literature – 10 marks 3. *Seminar Presentation* – A topic needs to be presented and discussed with the class- 10 marks A. Semester End Examination – 60 marks

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SEMESTER 4

Programme	Joint M.Sc.
Course Name	Dissertation
Course Credit	12
Type of Course	CORE
Course Code	MGKUMPNSC20
Course Summary & Justification	The candidate shall do a research project in any of the research institute. This follows discussion with the Examination Board consisting of the Chairman, the Internal Examiner and the External Examiner.
Semester	IV

Total Student Learning Time (SLT)	Learning Approach	Lecture	Tutorial	Practical	Others	Total Learning Hours
	Library work, lab work, Team work, independent learning	-	-	-	-	-
Pre-requisite	Should complete semester I, II and III. Aptitude for research work in one of the interdisciplinary areas in the realm of interface between physical science and nanotechnology. Literature survey.					

CO No.	Expected Course Outcome	Learning Domains	PSO No.
	At the end of the course the students are expected to		
	To clearly present and discuss the research objectives, methodology, analysis, results and conclusions effectively.	A	2, 3, 4, 5
2	Acquire a comprehensive knowledge of the area subject of study	Ap	1, 7
3	Gain deeper knowledge of methods in the topic of study.	A	6
4	Able to contribute to research and development work.	U	3
5	Undertake independent, original and critical research on a relevant topic.	U	5
6	Able to plan and use adequate methods to conduct specific tasks in given frameworks and to evaluate this work.	U	6
7	Create, analyse and critically evaluate different problems and their solutions.	C	7
8	Gain a consciousness of the ethical aspects of research.	E	6, 9

Teaching and Learning Approach	Classroom Procedure (Mode of transaction) E-learning, interactive Instruction: Seminar, Authentic learning, , Library work, laboratory work, Team work, independent learning and Group discussion, Presentation of research work.
Assessment Types	Mode of Assessment Evaluation of the presentation by both internal and external examiners.

Programme	Joint M.Sc.
Course Name	Viva-Voce
Course Credit	4
Type of Course	CORE
Course Code	MGKUMPNSC21
Course Summary & Justification	The comprehensive viva-voce shall be conducted by the Examination Board consisting of the Chairman, the Internal Examiner and the External Examiner. Thorough understanding of all the M.Sc. level course contents and of the recent trends in the broad area of physical sciences and nanotechnology are evaluated
Semester	IV

Total Student Learning Time (SLT)	Learning Approach	Lecture	Tutorial	Practical	Others	Total Learning Hours
	Classroom studies, lab work, library Library work, independent learning etc.	-	-	-	-	-
Pre-requisite	Basic as well as in-depth knowledge in the coureses he/she studied					

CO No.	Expected Course Outcome	Learning Domains	PSO No.
	At the end of the course the students are expected to;		
1	Achieve fundamental and in-depth knowledge of the subject	A	3
2	Acquire more in-depth knowledge of the major subject of study	Ap	1,2,3,4,5,6,7
3	Deeper knowledge of methods in the major subject of study.	A	1, 4
4	Be able to contribute to research and development work.	U	3, 8, 9

Remember (R), Understand (U), Apply (A), Analyse (An), Evaluate (E), Create (C), Skill (S), Interest (I) and Appreciation (Ap)

Teaching and Learning Approach	Classroom Procedure (Mode of transaction) E-learning, interactive Instruction:, Seminar, Authentic learning, , Library work , laboratory work, Team work, independent learning and Group discussion, Presentation of research work
Assessment Types	Mode of Assessment Thorough understanding of all the M.Sc. level course contents and recent trends in the broad area of chemical sciences are evaluated. The candidate will be asked questions based on the whole syllabus he/she studied in the entire programme. How he/she answered or responded the questions asked will be considered for evaluation.

ADD-ON COURSES

In addition to Core, elective and practical courses, School of Nanoscience and Nanotechnology, Mahatma Gandhi University will offer add-on courses such as;

➢ Nano catalysis
➢ Social, ethical and legal issues of Nanoscience and Nanotechnology
➢ Nano sensors
➢ Advanced nanobiology
➢ Waste management, and Water purification through Nanoscience and Nanotechnology.

The course structure and syllabus will be announced before commencement of each semesters. The lectures will be delivered by reputed Professors/ Scientists from other Universities/ Institutions in India or Abroad.

MODEL QUESTION PAPER

JOINT M. Sc. PROGRAMME

MAHATMA GANDHI UNIVERSITY & KANNUR UNIVERSITY

SEMESTER

END SEMESTER EXAMINATION (YEAR/ MONTH)

COURSE CODE: COURSE NAME

Time: 3 Hours   Max. Marks: 60

Part A. Answer any 10 Questions (Each question carries 2 marks)

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Part B. Answer any 4 Questions (Each question carries 5 marks)

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Part C. Answer any 2 Question (Each question carries 10 marks)

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    4. ....