Title of Paper: DATA STRUCTURES

Sr.No.	Heading	Particulars	
1	**Description the course:** **Including but Not limited to:**	Data Structures is a fundamental subject that focuses on the organization, storage, and manipulation of data. It provides the tools and techniques to efficiently manage and process data, forming the backbone of algorithms and software development.	
2	**Vertical:**	Major	
3	**Type:**	Theory	
4	**Credits:**	2 credits (1 credit = 15 Hours for Theory in a semester, Total 30 hours)	
5	**Hours Allotted:**	30 Hours	
6	**Marks Allotted:**	50 Marks	
7	**Course Objectives (CO):** 1. To understand the fundamental concepts of data structures and their applications. 2. To analyze the efficiency of algorithms and operations on data structures. 3. To provide practical exposure to implementing data structures in programming. 4. To understand the properties and applications of arrays, linked lists, stacks, and queues. 5. To translate data structure concepts into working code using a programming language. 6. To apply data structures to solve real-world problems like searching and sorting. 7. To grasp the structure and traversal methods of binary trees and binary search trees.		
8	**Course Outcomes (OC):** **Students will be able to:** OC 1. Demonstrate knowledge of core data structures and their operations OC 2. Analyze the time and space complexity of algorithms and choose the most efficient solution for a given problem. OC 3. Translate algorithmic solutions into correctly functioning code using their chosen programming language. OC 4. Implement and traverse binary trees and binary search trees, demonstrating their understanding of these structures.		
9	**Module 1:**		
	1. Introduction Basic terminology: data, information, data structure, abstract data type (ADT) Classification of data structures: linear, non-linear Algorithm analysis: time complexity, Big O notation **2. Arrays and Linked Lists** Array representation and operations (traversal, insertion, deletion, searching) Linked lists: singly linked lists (representation, insertion, deletion, traversal) Comparison of arrays and linked lists, advantages and disadvantages. **3. Stacks and Queues** Stack ADT: push, pop, peek operations Array implementation of stacks Applications of stacks: expression evaluation (infix to postfix conversion) Queue ADT: enqueue, dequeue, peek operations Array implementation of queues Applications of queues: basic scheduling scenarios **4. Recursion** Concept of recursion, base case, recursive step Examples: factorial, Fibonacci sequence		15 Hrs

	Module 2:	
	1.Trees Binary trees: representation, traversal (inorder, preorder, post order) Binary search trees: insertion, deletion, search Applications of trees: basic hierarchical data representation **2.Hashing** Hash functions and hash tables Collision handling: separate chaining Applications of hashing: dictionaries **3. Sorting and Searching** Sorting algorithms: bubble sort, insertion sort, selection sort Searching algorithms: linear search, binary search	**15 Hrs.**
10	**Books and References:**	
	1. Data Structures and Algorithms made Easy: Data Structures and Algorithmic Puzzles, Narasimha Karumanchi ,5th Edition 2017 2. A Simplified Approach to Data Structures, Lalit Goyal, Vishal Goyal, Pawan Kumar SPD,1st 2014 3. Problem Solving in Data Structures & Algorithms Using C by Hemant Jain ,1st Edition, BPB Publications, 2018 **4.** Introduction to Algorithms, Thomas H. Cormen, Charles E. Leiserson, Ronald L. Rivest, Clifford Stein, 4th Edition, MIT Press,2022	
12	**Internal Continuous Assessment: 40%**	**Semester End Examination: 60%**
13	**Continuous Evaluation through:** Class test of 1 of 15 marks Class test of 2 of 15 marks Average of the two: 15 marks Quizzes/ Presentations/ Assignments: 5 marks Total: 20 marks	**Format of Question Paper: External Examination (30 Marks)– 1 Hr. duration**
14	**Format of Question Paper: (Semester End Examination: 30 Marks. Duration:1 hour)** Q1: Attempt any two (out of four) from Module 1 (15 marks) Q2: Attempt any two (out of four) from Module 2 (15 marks) Or Q1: Attempt any three (out of five) from Module 1 (15 marks) Q2: Attempt any three (out of five) from Module 2 (15 marks)	