

**UNIVERSITY OF MADRAS**  
**B.Sc. DEGREE PROGRAMME IN MATHEMATICS**  
 SYLLABUS WITH EFFECT FROM 2023-2024

<b>Title of the Course</b>		<b>DISCRETE MATHEMATICS</b>					
<b>Paper Number</b>		<b>ELECTIVE COURSE – V</b>					
<b>Category</b>	Elective	<b>Year</b>	III	<b>Credits</b>	3	<b>Course Code</b>	334E5D
		<b>Semester</b>	V				
<b>Instructional Hours per week</b>		<b>Lecture</b>	<b>Tutorial</b>	<b>Lab Practice</b>	<b>Total</b>		
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<b>Pre-requisite</b>		12 <sup>th</sup> Standard Mathematics					
<b>Objectives of the Course</b>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• To understand the fundamental concepts of discrete mathematics.</li> <li>• To develop the ability to solve problems in combinatorics, propositional and predicate logic, relations and recurrence relations.</li> <li>• To develop logical thinking skills and problem-solving skills.</li> </ul>					
<b>Course Outline</b>		<b>UNIT-I: Propositional Logic:</b> Definition, Statements & Notation, Truth Values, Connectives, Statement Formulas & Truth Tables, Well-formed Formulas, Tautologies, Equivalence of Formulas, Duality Law, Tautological Implications, Examples <b>Hours: 15</b>					
		<b>UNIT-II: Predicate Logic:</b> Definition of Predicates; Statement functions, Variables, Quantifiers, Predicate Formulas, Free & Bound Variables; The Universe of Discourse, Examples, Valid Formulas & Equivalences, Examples. <b>Hours: 15</b>					
		<b>UNIT-III: Lattices &amp; Boolean Algebra:</b> Properties of lattices – Lattice as Algebraic System-Sub lattices- lattice Homomorphism- Special Lattices – Boolean Algebra- sub algebra- Boolean Expression and Boolean functions- expression of a Boolean function in canonical form- logic Gates- Karnaugh Map Method <b>Hours: 15</b>					
		<b>UNIT – IV: Basics of Counting:</b> The Pigeonhole Principle, Permutations and Combinations, Binomial Coefficients, Generalized Permutations and Combinations, Generating Permutations and Combinations, Inclusion-Exclusion Principle. <b>Hours:15</b>					
		<b>UNIT-V: Formal Language:</b> Introduction- Phrase –Structure Grammar- Types – BNF- Finite state Machine – Input output strings- Finite state Automata <b>Hours: 15</b>					
						<b>Total Hours: 75</b>	

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<b>Extended Professional Component (is a part of internal component only, Not to be included in the External Examination question paper)</b>	Questions related to the above topics, from various competitive examinations UPSC / TNPSC / others to be solved  (To be discussed during the Tutorial hour)
<b>Skills acquired from this course</b>	Knowledge, Problem Solving, Analytical ability, Professional Competency, Professional Communication and Transferrable Skill
<b>Recommended Text</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Discrete Mathematical Structural with applications to Computer Science – J.P. Treambly and R. Manohar, Tata McGraw Hill, New Delhi, 1997 for <b>Unit 1 and Unit II.</b></li> <li>2. Discrete Mathematics with Graph Theory and Combinatorics – T. Veerarajan – Tata McGraw Hill Publishing Company Second Reprint 2007, for <b>Units III, IV and V.</b></li> </ol>
<b>Reference Books</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Discrete Mathematical Structures with application to Computer Science, Tremblay and Manohar – (Tata McGraw Hill, New Delhi) 1997.</li> <li>2. Discrete mathematics, Venkataraman .M.K. and others –2000The National Publishing Company.</li> </ol>
<b>Website and e-Learning Source</b>	<a href="https://ocw.mit.edu/courses/electrical-engineering-and-computer-science/6-042j-mathematics-for-computer-science-fall-2005/">https://ocw.mit.edu/courses/electrical-engineering-and-computer-science/6-042j-mathematics-for-computer-science-fall-2005/</a>  <a href="https://www.khanacademy.org/computing/computer-science/algorithms/intro-to-algorithms/v/discrete-mathematics">https://www.khanacademy.org/computing/computer-science/algorithms/intro-to-algorithms/v/discrete-mathematics</a>

**Course Learning Outcome (for Mapping with POs and PSOs)**

Students will be able to

**CLO 1:** Students will gain an understanding of the Basic definition of Logics with examples.

**CLO 2:** Students will gain knowledge of Predicate Logic.

**CLO 3:** Students will be able to implement and evaluate types of Lattices and Boolean Algebra

**CLO 4:** Students will learn about Pigeon Hole principle and Permutation and Combination.

**CLO 5:** Students will be able to gather information about Formal Languages.

	POs						PSOs		
	1	2	3	4	5	6	1	2	3
CLO 1	3	1	3	2	1	1	3	3	2
CLO 2	1	3	2	2	1	1	3	3	2
CLO 3	3	2	1	2	1	1	3	3	2
CLO 4	2	2	3	2	1	1	3	3	2
CLO 5	3	2	1	2	1	1	3	3	2