UNIVERSITY OF MADRAS

B.Sc. DEGREE PROGRAMME IN COMPUTER SCIENCE SYLLABUS WITH EFFECT FROM 2023-2024

Year: I

Quantitative Aptitude

Common for B.C.A., B.Sc.-SA, B.Sc.-CSc, B.Sc.-CSc-wAI, B.Sc.-CSc-wDS

Credits 2

Lecture Hours: 2 per week

Learning Objectives: (for teachers: what they have to do in the class/lab/field)

To improve the quantitative skills of the students

To prepare the students for various competitive exams

Course Outcomes: (for students: To know what they are going to learn)

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| CO2: To get an idea of age, profit and loss related problem solving. |
| CO3: Able to understand time series simple and compound interests |
| CO4: Understanding the problem related to probability, and series |
| CO5: Able to understand graphs, charts |
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| Units | Contents |
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| | Numbers - HCF and LCM of numbers - Decimal fractions - Simplification - Square roots and cube roots - Average - problems on Numbers |
| II | Problems on Ages - Surds and Indices - percentage - profits and loss - ratio and proportion - partnership - Chain rule. |
| | Time and work - pipes and cisterns - Time and Distance - problems on trains - Boats and streams - simple interest - compound interest - Logarithms - Area - Volume and surface area - races and Games of skill. |
| | Permutation and combination - probability - True Discount - Bankers Discount - Height and Distances - Odd man out & Series. |
| | Calendar - Clocks - stocks and shares - Data representation - Tabulation - Bar Graphs - Pie charts - Line graphs |

Learning Resources:

Recommended Texts

1. "Quantitative Aptitude", R.S. AGGARWAL., S. Chand & Company Ltd.,

Web resources: Authentic Web resources related to Competitive examinations