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Syllabus effective from the Academic Year 2024-2025

(Bachelor of Science) (Undergraduate)

B.Sc. Physics Semester I

Course Code	US01MAPHY01	Title of the Course	Mechanics and Optics
Total Credits of the Course	04	Hours per Week	04

Course Objectives:	1. To understand the theoretical concepts of material behaviour with particular emphasis on their elastic property.
	 To understand the basic concepts of types of waves with special reference to Ultrasonic waves and its applications. The unit also introduces understanding of oscillations with special emphasis on properties of simple harmonic motion observed in case studies of different types of pendulums. In this course, students will be introduced to fundamental concepts of waves and classical optics with application to interference and diffraction. Also introduced various optical instruments and their resolving power. To provide exposure to various properties of Laser, production techniques of Laser and its applications.

	Course Content		
Unit	Description	Weightage*	
1.	ELASTICITY: Introduction, Definitions of Load, Stress and Strain, Hooke's Law & Stress-strain diagram, Three types of elasticity:(i) Young's modulus (ii) Bulk Modulus and (iii) Modulus of Rigidity, Work done per unit volume in elongation strain, Deformation of a cube- (Bulk modulus, Modulus of rigidity, Young modulus), Relation connecting the elastic constants, Poisson's ratio, Relation for K and η in terms of Poisson's ratio, Limiting values of σ , Determination of Poisson's ratio for rubber, Twisting couple on a cylinder (or wire), Torsional pendulum, Determination of η -Statical method (Horizontal twisting apparatus for a rod), Dynamical method (Maxwell's vibrating needle method), Bending of beams, Bending moment, The cantilever-when the weight of beam is ineffective, Depression of a beam supported at the ends- when the beam is loaded at the centre, Related Numerical	25%	



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2.	ULTRASONIC WAVE AND OSCILLATIONS: Ultrasonic Wave: Introduction to Ultrasonic waves, Production of ultrasonic waves (1) Magnetostriction method (2) Piezo-electric method, Detection of Ultrasonic, Properties of Ultrasonic, Wavelength of Ultrasonic waves, Applications of ultrasonic waves, Related Numerical Oscillations: Compound pendulum, Centre of oscillation, Interchangeability of centers of suspension and oscillation, Centre of percussion, Other points collinear with C.G. about which the time period is the same, Conditions for maximum and minimum time periods, Bar pendulum, Determination of k, Kater's reversible pendulum, Related Numerical	25%
3	OPTICS: Interferometry: Introduction to interference, Applications of phenomenon of interference (List only), Jamin's refractometer or interferometer, Rayleigh's refractometer, Michelson's interferometer, Types of fringes, white light fringes, Uses, Measurement of wavelength of light from a monochromatic source, Measurement of refractive index of a thin plate, Related Numerical Resolving power of optical instruments: Resolving power, Rayleigh's criterion; limit of resolution, limit of resolution of the eye, Resolving power Telescope, Resolving power of light microscope, Resolving power of a diffraction Grating, Resolving power of prism spectroscope, Related Numerical	25%
4	LASER: Introduction, Properties of LASER, Stimulated absorption, Spontaneous emission and Stimulated emission, Relation between Einstein's A and B coefficients, Population Inversion, Pumping, Main component of LASER, ND: YAG LASER, CO ₂ LASER, Application of LASER in material processing, Holography and Other application of Laser, Related Numerical	25%



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Teaching-	Direct Teaching through Chalk-Walk and Talk
Learning	ICT enabled teaching
Methodology	Question-Answer
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	Case Studies
	Literature review
	Problem solving activities
	Debate
	Collaborative and Co-operative Learning
	Think Pair Share
	Jigsaw
	Inquiry Based Learning
	Panel Discussion
	Project Based Learning
	Flipped Classroom
	Blended Learning designs
	Concept Mapping

Internal and/or External Examination Evaluation (Theory Examination)

Sr. No.	Details of the Evaluation		Weightage
1.	Continuous and Comprehensive Evaluation	 Class test/Internal Written test (30%) Quiz (30%) Active learning (10%) Home Assignments (10%) Class Assignments (10%) Attendance (10%) 	50 %
2.	Semester End Examination	• Written Test 50 %	50 %



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	rse Outcomes: On the successful completion of the course, the students will be able to erstand
1	elastic nature of material, types of elastic modulus and different methods to determine elastic modulus.
2	principle, production, properties and uses of Ultrasonic waves. Determination of acceleration of gravity with different types of pendulums.
3	basic concepts of interference and its applications in various interferometry apparatus. How to derive resolving power of various optical instruments and how it can be modified.
4	the structure and properties of lasers, their performance and applications in engineering and medical fields.

Suggested References:		
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1.	Elements of Properties of Matter D S Matur S Chand & Co., New Delhi (Reprint 2018)	
2.	Engineering Physics R K Gaur and S L Gupta Dhanpat Rai Publications (P) Ltd., New Delhi (Reprint 2016)	
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B.Sc. Physics Practical Semester I

Course Code	US01MAPHY02	Title of the Course	Physics Practical
Total Credits of the Course	04	Hours per Week	08

Course Objectives:	 To gain practical knowledge by applying the experimental methods to correlate with the Physics theory. To learn the usage of electrical and optical systems for various measurements. Apply the analytical techniques and graphical analysis to the experimental data. To develop intellectual communication skills and discuss the basic principles of scientific concepts in a group.
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Course Content	
Description	Weightage (%)

	SECTION: A	
1.	Use of Vernier Calipers, Micrometer Screw Gauge, Travelling Microscope	
2.	η by statical method	
3.	M.I. of Disc using Torsional pendulum	
4.	Y by cantilever	
5.	Poisson's ratio for rubber	
6.	Melde's experiment [P/L = Constants] (A & B Position)	
7.	Determination of 'g' using Bar pendulum	50%
8.	Newton's Ring	
9.	λ by spectral line	
10.	Resolving power of prism	
11.	Errors in observation	



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	SECTION: B			
1.	Various types of graph plotting			
2.	Frequency of A.C by Sonometer			
3.	Characteristics of PN junction diode (Forward & Reversed bias)			
4. Half wave rectifier (Evaluation of A.C. components) 50%		50%		
5.	Full wave rectifier (Evaluation of A.C. components)			
6.	6. Vibration magnetometer (Determination of M ₁ & M ₂)			
7.	Zener diode characteristics			
8.	Study of Transformer			
9.	Decay of Capacitor			
10.	Least square fitting for given linear data			

Note:

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- A minimum of **80%** experiments must be performed in practical course.
- Weightage of both the sections A and B are 50%. Students are required to obtain 40% of total marks.
- Wherever explicit setting up of experiments does not exist like in the case of spectral charts
 or pre—acquired data is involved, the marks for setting up of experiment may be provided for
 additional graphs and formulae.

Teaching- Learning Methodology	Direct Teaching through Demonstration, Chalk-Walk and Talk ICT enabled teaching Question-Answer Group discussion led by teacher/students Problem solving activities Collaborative and Co-operative Learning Think Pair Share Jigsaw Inquiry Based Learning Panel Discussion Viva voce Blended Learning designs
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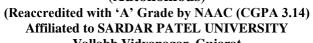
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2.	Semester End Examination	 Lab work Assessment (40%) Viva Voce/Lab Quiz (40%) Attendance (20%) 	50 %

Course Outcomes: On the successful completion of the course, the students will be able to

- 1. Apply the various procedures and techniques for the experiments
- 2. Use different measuring devices and meters to record the data with precision
- 3. Apply the mathematical concepts/equations to obtain quantitative results
- 4. Develop basic communication skills through working in groups in performing the laboratory experiments and by interpreting the results

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B.Sc. Physics Semester I

Course Code	US01MIPHY01	Title of the Course	Optics and LASER applications
Total Credits of the Course	02	Hours per Week	02

Course Objectives:	 In this course, students will be introduced to fundamental concepts of waves and classical optics with application to interference and diffraction. Also introduced various optical instruments and their resolving power. To provide exposure to various properties of Laser, production techniques of Laser and its applications.
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Course Content		
Unit	Description	Weightage*
1	OPTICS: Interferometry: Introduction to interference, Applications of phenomenon of interference (List only), Jamin's refractometer or interferometer, Rayleigh's refractometer, Michelson's interferometer, Types of fringes, white light fringes, Uses, Measurement of wavelength of light from a monochromatic source, Measurement of refractive index of a thin plate, Related Numerical Resolving power of optical instruments: Resolving power, Rayleigh's criterion; limit of resolution, limit of resolution of the eye, Resolving power Telescope, Resolving power of light microscope, Resolving power of a diffraction Grating, Resolving power of prism spectroscope, Related Numerical	50%
2	LASER: Introduction, Properties of LASER, Stimulated absorption, Spontaneous emission and Stimulated emission, Relation between Einstein's A and B coefficients, Population Inversion, Pumping, Main component of LASER, ND: YAG LASER, CO ₂ LASER, Application of LASER in material processing, Holography and Other application of Laser, Related Numerical	50%



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Course Outcomes: On the successful completion of the course, the students will be able to understand		
1	basic concepts of interference and its applications in various interferometry apparatus. How to derive resolving power of various optical instruments and how it can be modified.	
2	the structure and properties of lasers, their performance and applications in engineering and medical fields.	

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B.Sc. Physics Practical Semester I

Course Code	US01MIPHY02	Title of the Course	Physics Practical
Total Credits of the Course	02	Hours per Week	04

Course Objectives:	 To gain practical knowledge by applying the experimental methods to correlate with the Physics theory. To learn the usage of electrical and optical systems for various measurements. Apply the analytical techniques and graphical analysis to the experimental data. To develop intellectual communication skills and discuss the basic principles of scientific concepts in a group.
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	Course Content			
	Description	Weightage (%)		
1.	Use of Vernier Calipers, Micrometer Screw Gauge, Traveling Microscope			
2.	Various types of graph plotting			
3.	Spectrometer: To determine the angle of prism			
4.	Study of Transformer			
5.	Errors in observation			
6.	Melde's experiment [P/L = Constants] (A & B Position)			
7.	Frequency of A.C by Sonometer	100%		
8.	M.I. of Disc using Torsional pendulum			
9.	Vibration magnetometer (Determination of M ₁ & M ₂)			
10.	Poisson's ratio for rubber			
11.	Determination of 'g' using Bar pendulum			
12.	Characteristics of PN junction diode (Forward & Reversed bias)			
13.	Least square fitting for given linear data			

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B.Sc. Physics Semester I

Course Code	US01IDPHY01	Title of the Course	LASER and Optical Instruments
Total Credits of the Course	02	Hours per Week	02

Course Objectives:	 To provide exposure to various properties of Laser, production techniques of Laser and its applications. In this course, students will be introduced to fundamental concepts of waves and classical optics with application to interference and diffraction. Also introduced various optical instruments and their
	resolving power.

	Course Content			
Unit	Description	Weightage* (%)		
1.	LASER:			
	Introduction, Properties of LASER, Stimulated absorption, Spontaneous			
	emission and Stimulated emission, Relation between Einstein's A and			
	B coefficients, Population Inversion, Pumping, Main component of			
	LASER, ND: YAG LASER, CO ₂ LASER, Application of LASER in	50%		
	material processing, Holography and Other application of Laser			
2.	OPTICS:			
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	interferometer, Rayleigh's refractometer, Michelson's interferometer,			
	Types of fringes, white light fringes, Uses, Measurement of wavelength			
	of light from a monochromatic source, Measurement of refractive index			
	of a thin plate	50%		
	Resolving power of optical instruments: Resolving power, Rayleigh's	30 70		
	criterion; limit of resolution, limit of resolution of the eye, Resolving			
	power Telescope, Resolving power of light microscope, Resolving			
	power of a diffraction Grating, Resolving power of prism spectroscope			



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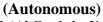
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Course Code	US01IDPHY02	Title of the Course	Physics Practical
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	Course Content	
	Description	Weightage (%)
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2.	Frequency of A.C by Sonometer	
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(Bachelor of Science) (Undergraduate)

B.Sc. Physics Semester I

Course Code	US01SEPHY01	Title of the Course	Electrical and Electronic components and measurement-I
Total Credits of the Course	02	Hours per Week	02

Course Objectives:	1. To acquire basic understanding of electrical and electronic passive components.
	2. To develop fundamental knowledge of electronic component
	measurement. 3. To understand behaviour of electrical and electronic circuits.

	Course Content	
Unit	Description	Weightage*
1.	Passive components: Wires and solder: Basics of wire, insulation, wire sizes, color-coding of wires, cables, types of solder. Resistors: The Ohm, Ohm's law, Resistor characteristics, The resistor color code, Combining resistors, Carbon resistors, Metal-film resistors, Wire wound resistors, Rheostats, Potentiometers.	50%
2.	Passive components: Capacitors: How capacitance work, The farad, Capacitive reactance, RC time constant, capacitor markings, classification of capacitors, Coils and transformers: The electromagnetic effect, what is inductance, Inductive reactance, combining inductances, Coefficient of coupling, Transformer action, center taps, autotransformers.	50%



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Teaching- Learning Methodology	Direct Teaching through Chalk-Walk and Talk ICT enabled teaching Question-Answer Class discussion led by teacher/students Case Studies
	Literature review Problem solving activities Debate Collaborative and Co-operative Learning
	Think Pair Share
	Jigsaw
	Inquiry Based Learning
	Panel Discussion
	Project Based Learning
	Flipped Classroom
	Blended Learning designs
	Concept Mapping
	Hands on training

Internal and/or External Examination Evaluation (Theory Examination)

Sr. No.		Details of the Evaluation	Weightage
1.	Continuous and Comprehensive Evaluation	 Class test/Internal Written test (30%) Quiz (30%) Active learning (10%) Home Assignments (10%) Class Assignments (10%) Attendance (10%) 	50 %
2.	Semester End Examination	• Written Test 50 %	50 %



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	Course Outcomes: On the successful completion of the course, the students will be able to understand				
1	Proper selection and use of different wires for the electrical and electronic circuits.				
2	construction and working of electrical components like resistors, capacitors, coils and transformers.				
3	measurement of various passive components used in advanced electrical and electronic circuits.				

Suggested References:				
Sr. No.	References			
1.	Basic electronic components by Vishwajit K. Barbudhe, Shraddha Zanjat and Bhavana S. Karmore, Notion Press, 2020			
2.	Electronic components A complete reference for project builders by Delton T. Horn, TAB books, Division of McGraw-Hill Inc.			
3.	Basic Electronics & Linear Circuits by Bhargava & Gupta, McGraw Hill Education, New Delhi.			
4.	A text book of Electrical Technology by B. L. Theraja, S. Chand Publication.			
5.	Basic electronics by V.K. Mehta, S. Chand Publication.			

On-line resources to be used if available as reference material
On-line Resources:
http://www.animations.physics.unsw.edu.au//jw/AC.html
https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Electronic_component
https://www.allaboutcircuits.com/
https://learn.adafruit.com/



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(Bachelor of Science) (Undergraduate)

B.Sc. Physics Semester I

Course Code	US01IKBSC01	Title of the Course	Indian Astronomy
Total Credits of the Course	02	Hours per Week	02

Course	To cre	eate an aware	ness	about I	ndian Astro	onomy to the stu	ıdents	s and also make
Objectives:	them	understand	the	basic	concepts,	technicalities	and	computational
	procee	dures develop	ed b	y great	Indian Astr	onomers and M	I ather	naticians.

	Course Content	
Unit	Description	Weightage*
1	ANCIENT INDIAN ASTRONOMY:	
	Historical Introduction	
	Introduction, Ancient Indian Astronomy, The Vedic Period and Vedangajyotisa, Siddhanta, Contents of the Siddhantas, Continuity in Astronomical Tradition.	
	Celestial Sphere	
	Introduction, Diurnal Motion of Celestial Bodies, Motion of Celestial Bodies Relative to Stars, Celestial Horizon, Meridian, Polar Star and Directions, Zodiac and Constellations, Equator and Poles, Latitude of a place and Altitude of Polar Star, Ecliptic and the Equinoxes.	50%
2	CO-ORDINATE SYSTEMS:	
	Co-ordinate Systems	
	Introduction, Ecliptic System, Equatorial System, Horizontal System, Meridian System, Phenomenon of Precession of Equinoxes, Ancient Indian References to the Precession, Effects of Precession on Celestial Longitude, Tropical and Sidereal Longitudes.	50%
	Rasi and Naksatra Systems	
	Zodiac, Rasis and Naksatra Systems	



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Teaching-	Direct Teaching through Chalk-Walk and Talk
Learning	ICT enabled teaching
Methodology	Question-Answer
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	Debate
	Collaborative and Co-operative Learning
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(Theory Examination)

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Course Outcomes: On t	he successful	completion	of the	course,	the	students	will	be able	e to
understand									

- 1 Understanding of the development of astronomy from Vedic times to the recent times
- 2 Understanding the basic concepts of celestial sphere the different coordinate system
- Learning the concepts of Celestial longitude and latitude, Right ascension, azimuth, altitude and equinox
- 4 Knowledge about the Zodiac systems

Suggested References:						
Sr. No.	Sr. No. References					
1.	Indian astronomy: An introduction					
	S. Balachandra Rao, Distributed by Orient Longman Ltd, 2000.					
2.	The Story of Astronomy in India					
	Chander Mohan, 2015.					
3.	Indian Astronomy, A Sourcebook,					
	B. V. Subbarayappa, K. V. Sarm					

On-line resources to be used if available as reference material			
On-line Resources:			
https://www.astronomy.org.gg/more/resources/education/TheCelestialSphere.pdf			
http://burro.case.edu/Academics/Astr306/Lectures/Coordinates.pdf			
https://vigyanprasar.gov.in/wp-content/uploads/vp-Astronomy-in-India.pdf			
https://explorable.com/indian-astronomy			
