

THE AMENDMENT TO THE REGULATION 2015 (CBCS) FOR M.Sc. (5 years) DEGREE PROGRAMME OFFERED IN UNIVERSITY DEPARTMENTS - APPROVED BY THE 26th ACADEMIC COUNCIL MEETING HELD ON 11.02.2021.

Applicable to M.Sc. (5 years) (R-2015)

Clause	Existing	Revised
6	COURSE ENROLLMENT AND REGISTRATION	6 COURSE ENROLLMENT AND REGISTRATION
6.5	FLEXIBILITY TO ADD OR DROP COURSES	6.5 FLEXIBILITY TO ADD OR DROP COURSES
6.5.2	From the III to X semesters, the student has the option of registering for additional courses or dropping existing courses. Total number of credits of such courses cannot exceed 6. However the maximum number of credits the student can register in a particular semester cannot exceed 30 credits (including courses for which the student has done reappearance registration (vide clause 6.6)).	6.5.2 From the III to X semesters, the student has the option of registering for additional courses or dropping existing courses. Total number of credits of such courses cannot exceed 6. However the maximum number of credits the student can register in a particular semester cannot exceed 30 credits including shortage of attendance courses. However, there is no maximum credit restriction for end semester examination registration of arrear courses.
6.6	REAPPEARANCE REGISTRATION	6.6 REAPPEARANCE REGISTRATION
	When the Student does Reappearance Registration, the student shall earn Continuous Assessment marks and attend end semester examination. The student may attend the classes for the reappearance registration courses, if the student wishes. However, the attendance requirement (vide clause 7) is not compulsory for such courses.	When the student earns reappearance (RA) in any course then it is considered as arrear except Project Work, Industrial Training/ Internship, Seminar and any other EEC courses. The reappearance candidate need not to register or attend classes or obtain continuous assessment marks and RA candidate has to appear only for end semester arrear examination.
6.6.1	If a student fails in a core theory course, the student shall do reappearance registration for that course in the subsequent semester when it is offered next.	6.6.1 If a student fails in a core theory course, the student shall appear only for the end semester examination in the subsequent semester.
6.6.2	If the theory course, in which the student has failed, is a professional elective or an open elective, and the student chooses to opt for the same professional elective or open elective course, the student shall do reappearance registration for that course(s) in the subsequent semester when it is offered next.	6.6.2 If the theory course, in which the student has failed, is a professional elective or an open elective, and the student chooses to opt for the same professional elective or open elective course, the student shall appear only for the end semester examination in the subsequent semester.

		If the student chooses to opt for a different professional elective or open elective course he/she has to register in the subsequent semester when it is offered next and attend the classes (vide clause 7) and earn the continuous assessment marks and appear for the end semester examination.
6.6.3	If a student has applied for withdrawal from writing end semester examination of a course (Theory / Laboratory / Elective) the student shall do reappearance registration for that course in the subsequent semester when it is offered next. Withdrawal shall not be considered as an appearance for deciding the eligibility of a student for First Class with Distinction.	6.6.3 If a student has applied for withdrawal from writing end semester examination of a course (Theory / Laboratory / Elective) the student shall appear only for the end semester examination in the subsequent semester with previously earned continuous assessment marks. Withdrawal shall not be considered as an appearance for deciding the eligibility of a student for First Class with Distinction.
6.7	REPEATING THE COURSE	6.7 REPEATING THE COURSE
6.7.1	The student who fails in any Laboratory Course/ Project work / Seminar and any other EEC course shall register for the same in the subsequent semester, when offered next, and repeat the course. In this case, the student shall attend the classes and fulfill the attendance requirements as per clause 7.	6.7.1 The student who fails in any Project work / Seminar and any other EEC course, shall register for the same in the subsequent semester / when offered next, and repeat the course. In this case, the student shall attend the classes and fulfill the attendance requirements as per clause 7.
7	REQUIREMENTS FOR APPEARING FOR THE END SEMESTER EXAMINATION OF A COURSE	7 REQUIREMENTS FOR APPEARING FOR THE END SEMESTER EXAMINATION OF A COURSE
7.5	In the case of reappearance registration for a course (vide Clause 6.6), the attendance requirement as mentioned in Clauses 7.1 - 7.3 is not applicable. However, the student has to register for examination in that course by paying the prescribed fee.	7.5 The reappearance considered as an arrear. Hence, the student has to register for end semester examination in that course by paying the prescribed examination fee.
10	ASSESSMENT PROCEDURES FOR AWARDING MARKS	10. ASSESSMENT PROCEDURES FOR AWARDING MARKS
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<p>10.2</p>	<p>ASSESSMENT FOR LABORATORY COURSES:</p> <p>For Laboratory Courses out of 100 marks, the maximum marks for Continuous Assessment is fixed as 75 and the End Semester Examination carries 25 marks.</p> <p>Every laboratory exercise / experiment shall be evaluated based on the student performance during the laboratory class and the student's records maintained. There shall be at least one assessment test. The criteria for arriving at the Continuous Assessment marks of 75 shall be decided at the respective course committee meetings. The University examinations for Laboratory courses will be of 3 hours duration and shall normally be conducted between October and December during the odd semesters and between April and June during the even semesters.</p> <p>The student who fails (vide clause 11.1) in the laboratory course shall register for the same in the subsequent semester, when offered next, and repeat the laboratory course again.</p>	<p>10.2 ASSESSMENT FOR LABORATORY COURSES:</p> <p>For Laboratory Courses out of 100 marks, the maximum marks for Continuous Assessment is fixed as 75 and the End Semester Examination carries 25 marks.</p> <p>Every laboratory exercise / experiment shall be evaluated based on the student performance during the laboratory class and the student's records maintained. There shall be at least one assessment test. The criteria for arriving at the Continuous Assessment marks of 75 shall be decided at the respective course committee meetings. The University examinations for Laboratory courses will be of 3 hours duration and shall normally be conducted between October and December during the odd semesters and between April and June during the even semesters.</p> <p>The student who fails (vide clause 11.1) in the laboratory course, the continuous assessment marks is valid only for the first arrear attempt and for the subsequent arrear attempts the end semester marks alone is to be considered for the grading.</p>
<p>11</p> <p>11.1.1</p> <p>11.1.2</p>	<p>PASSING REQUIREMENTS</p> <p>If a student fails to secure a pass in a theory course (except electives), the student shall do reappearance registration only along with regular students for that course in the subsequent semester, when offered next, earn continuous assessment marks and attend the end semester examination.</p> <p>If the course, in which the student has failed, is a professional elective or an open elective, the student may be permitted to register for the same course, earn continuous assessment marks and</p>	<p>11 PASSING REQUIREMENTS</p> <p>11.1.1 If a student fails to secure a pass in a theory course / laboratory course (except electives), the student shall register and appear only for the end semester examination in the subsequent semester. In such case, the continuous assessment marks is valid only for the first arrear attempt and for the subsequent arrear attempts the end semester marks alone is to be considered for the grading.</p> <p>11.1.2 If the course, in which the student has failed, is a professional elective or an open elective, the student may be permitted to complete the same course. In such case, the continuous assessment marks is valid only for the first arrear</p>



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	attend the End Semester Examination or any other professional elective or open elective course in the subsequent semesters, attend the classes and fulfill the attendance requirements as per Clause 7.	attempt and for the subsequent arrear attempts the end semester marks alone is to be considered for the grading. The student shall appear only end semester examination in the subsequent semester. If any other professional elective or open elective course is opted by the candidate, the previous registration is cancelled and henceforth it is to be considered as a new professional elective or open elective course. The candidate has to register and attend the classes, earn the continuous assessment marks, fulfill the attendance requirements as per Clause 7 and appear the end semester examination.
11.1.3	If a student fails to secure a pass in a laboratory course, the student shall register for the course again, when offered next.	11.1.3 If a student fails to secure a pass in a laboratory course, the student shall appear only the end semester examination in the subsequent semester. The continuous assessment marks is valid only for the first arrear attempt and for the subsequent arrear attempts the end semester marks alone is to be considered for the grading.
11.3	If a student fails to secure a pass in theory and laboratory courses in the Pre-final and Final semesters examination, he/she is eligible to appear for a one time Supplementary Examination which shall be conducted at the end of Pre-final and Final semesters within 30 days from the date of declaration of the results. In case a student fails in the Supplementary Examinations reappearance registration along with the regular students alone is permitted in the subsequent semester, when offered next and attend the end semester examination.	11.3 Supplementary Examinations are not applicable from August - November 2020 session onwards.
11.4	A student can apply for revaluation of the student's semester examination answer paper in a theory course, within 2 weeks from the declaration of results, on payment of a prescribed fee along with prescribed application to the ACOE through the Head of Departments. The ACOE will arrange for the revaluation and the results will be intimated to the student concerned through the Head of the Department. Revaluation is not permitted for laboratory course and project work.	11.4 End semester valuation clarification day For a theory course where there is an end semester examination, a valuation clarification day shall be conducted within 10 - 15 days from the date of the last examination. The date of the clarification day for each course shall be announced by the Head of the Department concerned. On this day, the students can view their end semester answer papers in the presence of the course instructor and get any

clarifications / corrections done. In cases of dispute, where the student is not satisfied with the clarifications / corrections, the matter can be referred to a committee, consisting of the Head of the Department of the courses concerned / HOD nominee, concerned course instructor and a subject expert. In case a student does not attend the valuation clarification day on the specified date, no further clarifications will be entertained. The results will be published after the end semester valuation clarification day.

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A (Very Good)	8
B + (Good)	7
B (Average)	6
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SA (Shortage of Attendance)	0

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