

Programme Name: MMS / PGDM: MMS

Name of the Course: Quantitative Methods in Operations

Maximum marks: 100

No. of Sessions: 15

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Learning Objectives:

To understand simplex method and sensitivity analysis in Linear Programming

To understand integer programming and goal programming

To understand transhipment problem

To understand dynamic programming

To understand resource allocation and least cost planning in PERT and CPM

To understand waiting line theory and inventory models

To understand applications of computers in operations research

Reference Books:

- 1. Operations Research An Introduction by Hamdy Taha, Prentice Hall
- 2. Quantitative techniques in Management by N. D. Vohra, Tata McGraw Hill
- 3. Quantitative Methods/Operations Research by Banerjee
- 4. Quantitative Methods/Operations Research by Hira Gupta
- 5. Quantitative Methods/Operations Research by V. Kapoor



Session	Topics to be covered	Books referred/ Recommended/ References-	Learning	Evaluation of Students
No		Print/Articles/ News/Research papers/ Online	outcomes	understanding by
		database/ Software /Simulations used		MCQs, Quiz, Short Test
1	Linear Programming – Simplex Method, Sensitivity Analysis	Quantitative techniques in Management by N. D. Vohra, Tata McGraw Hill		
2	Linear Programming – Simplex Method, Sensitivity Analysis	Quantitative techniques in Management by N. D. Vohra, Tata McGraw Hill		
3	Integer Programming - Formulations of I P Models - Gomory's algorithm for the all integer problem	Quantitative techniques in Management by N. D. Vohra, Tata McGraw Hill		
4	Integer Programming - Algorithm for mixed inter contiguous variables - Zero - one problems - Implicit Enumeration algorithm	Quantitative techniques in Management by N. D. Vohra, Tata McGraw Hill		
5	Goal Programming Concepts – Formulation of Multiple Goal Model – Goals Equality Ranked, Priority Ranking of Goals (non- conflicting Goals – Conflicting Goals)	Quantitative techniques in Management by N. D. Vohra, Tata McGraw Hill		
6	Goal Programming – Weighted priority ranking of Goals – Computational	Quantitative techniques in Management by N. D. Vohra, Tata McGraw Hill		



	Academic Year (2016-2017)			
	approaches to Goal Programming,			
	Applications of Goal Programming			
7	Dynamic Programming – Dynamic versus	Quantitative techniques in Management by N. D. Vohra, Tata McGraw Hill	Tes	st 1
	linear Programming, Applications –			
	Knapsack model, Workforce size model,			
	Equipment replacement model, Investment			
	model, Inventory models - Working and			
	Cases.			
8	Dynamic Programming –Working and Cases.	Quantitative techniques in Management by N. D. Vohra, Tata McGraw Hill		
9	Transhipment Model	Quantitative techniques in Management by N. D. Vohra, Tata McGraw Hill		
10	PERT / CPM - Distribution of job duration -	Quantitative techniques in Management by N. D. Vohra, Tata McGraw Hill	Tes	st 2
	Basics for the formula used in estimation of			
	job duration and finding variance of the			
	estimates - Uncertain duration and PERT			
	Analysis – Resource allocation and least cost			
	planning Installation of network system –			
	Case Studies.			
11	Waiting Line Models - Single server queues	Quantitative techniques in Management by N. D. Vohra, Tata McGraw Hill		
	in series and parallel for Erlang Services			
	Time Distributions - Multi Server queues in			
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	series and parallel for negative exponential		
	service time distributions - machine		
	Interference - Case Examples - Use of Finite		
	queuing tables for practical problems.		
12	Advanced Inventory Models – EOQ models	Quantitative techniques in Management by N. D. Vohra, Tata McGraw Hill	
	with non instantaneous replacement and		
	shortages, EOQ for multiple items with		
	space, investment and quantity constraints		
13	Probabilistic inventory models – Continuous	Quantitative techniques in Management by N. D. Vohra, Tata McGraw Hill	
	review model, Single period model, multi		
	period Model		
14	Use of Computer in OR Studies - Standard	Quantitative techniques in Management by N. D. Vohra, Tata	Test 2
	available packages - Interpretation of	McGraw Hill	
	computer outputs - Organizing for OR in an		
	establish merit - OR in corporate planning		
15	Case Studies and Presentations		



2. Practical Approach : Other activities (At least 4 distinct activities)

Sr.	Activity Name	Topic Covered	Learning outcomes	Source
No.				
1	Role Play			
2	Industry Visit			
3	Academic Projects	An industry of student's choice	To apply techniques of operations research in actual project	
4	Book Review	Inventory models topic in Hamdy Taha	To understand various inventory models	
5	Group Discussion			
6	Business Quiz / Business News sharing	Applications of CPM in construction projects	To understand the importance of CPM in construction industry	
7	Videos / Simulation			
8	Use of Software and Labs	Microsoft Excel	To understand the usage of MS Excel in operations research	
9	Any other activity			



Evaluation:

I) Internal:

Component	Details	Marks
Class Test	Two tests of 5 marks each	10
Presentation	Project Presentation	20
Case Study		
Participation	Attendance and class participation	10
Others		

Signature of Faculty

Signature of the Co-ordinator