



COURSE SPECIFICATION

(PHYSICS)

Programme(s) on which the course is given	CS, IT, IS and OR
Major or Minor element of programs	Major
Department offering the program	Computer Science
Department offering the course	Information Technology
Academic year / Level	1 st Year / 2 st Semester
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A- Basic Information

Title	Physics			Code	PH111	
Credit Hours	Lecture	3	Tutorial	1	Practical	2
	Total				6	

B- Professional Information

1- Overall aims of course

- Understand the electronic properties of semiconductors and other materials used in optoelectronic devices.
- Give a first acquaintance with the analysis and design of active electronic circuits.
- Illustrate the importance of power electronic devices in electrical systems by studying their characteristics, operation and application.
- Explain the single and simple multistage linear circuits using bipolar transistors.

2- Intended learning outcomes of course (ILOs)

a- Knowledge and understanding

- a3 Demonstrate a grasp of the principles of computer systems, including architecture, networks and communication

b- Intellectual skills

b4 Solve computer science problems with pressing commercial or industrial constraints.

c- Professional and practical skills

d- General and transferable skills

3- Contents

	Topic	No. of Hours	Lecture	Tutorial/ Practical
1	Introduction	6	3	3
2	Diode Circuits <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Characteristics of Germanium – and Silicon Diodes • Peak and Average Values Rectification • Amplitude Limiting with Zener diodes • Variable peak Limiting (Clipping) with Diodes • Voltage Doubling Connections • Voltage Multiplier Connections according to Greinacher 	12	6	6
3	Zener Diode <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Characteristics of Zener-Diodes • Voltage Stabilization With Zener-Diodes 	6	3	3
4	Bipolar Transistors <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bipolar Junction Transistors • Output Characteristics of Transistors • AF Amplifier in Emitter circuits 	6	3	3
5	Large-Signal Analysis of Bipolar Transistor Circuits <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Voltage Stabilizing With Series Pass Transistor I • Differential Amplifier 	6	3	3
6	Multivibrator <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A stable Multivibrator • Bistable Multivibrator 	6	3	3
7	Wien Bridge <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Wien Bridge • Sine-Oscillator With Wine Bridge • Colpitts Oscillator 	6	3	3
8	Photo Transistor <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Characteristics of LDR • Photo Transistor 	6	3	3
9	Field Effect Transistor Amplifier	12	6	6

Circuits <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Control Characteristic Of FETS • Output Characteristics Of FETS • Source Basic Circuit LH 11.2 • Monostable Multivibrator With FET 			
10 Logic Electronic Devices <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • MOSFETs • Enhancement 	6	3	3
11 Electronic Devices for AC/DC control systems <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Operational Behavior Of Thyristors • Thyristor In A Dc-Circuit • Sawtooth Generator With UJT • Operational Behavior Of Triacs • Phase-Angle Control with UJT and Triac 	12	6	6
Total number of Hours for the course	84	42	42

4- Teaching and learning methods

- 4.1 Lectures
- 4.2 Practical experiments in the laboratory.
- 4.3 Exercises and tutorials.
- 4.4 Research assignments.

5- Student assessment methods

5-a Methods

- 5.a.1 Reports, assignments, and exercises to assess knowledge and understanding.
- 5.a.2 Regular oral, practical and written quizzes to assess intellectual skills.
- 5.a.3 Practical projects, final practical and oral exams to assess professional skills.
- 5.a.4 Reports, assignments, and discussions to assess general and transferable skills.
- 5.a.5 Final written exam to assess knowledge and understanding.

5-b Assessment schedule

Assessment 1	5 th week.	Mid term exam
Assessment 2	8 th week.	
Assessment 3	10 th week.	
Assessment 4	16 th week (Oral and practical)	
Assessment 5	17 th -18 th weeks (final written exam)	

5-c Weighting of assessments

Semester work	10%
Mid-term examination	10%
Oral / Practical examination.	20%
Final-term examination	60%
Total	100%

6- List of references

6-a Course notes

There are lectures notes prepared in the form of a book authorized by the department

6-b Essential books (text books)

None

6-c Recommended books

[1] A book prepared and edited by the lecturer, and approved by the department council

6-d Periodicals, Web sites, etc

IEEE transactions

7- Facilities required for teaching and learning

- Electronics laboratory.
- Software programs specified in physics.
- Datashow, screen, and laptop computer.

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