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## **Undergraduate Programme in Business Administration**

Curriculum and Syllabus for **B.B.A.** 

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Note: The Board of Studies in Business and Industrial Management (UG) designed the syllabus as per Common Model Syllabus provided by TANSCHE based on Learning Outcome based Curriculum Framework (LOCF) as prescribed by the UGC.

## **B.B.A., GENERAL**

	JTCOMES-BASED CURRICULUM FRAMEWORK GUIDELINES ASED REGULATIONS FOR B.B.A., PROGRAMME
Programme:	B.B.A., General
Programme Code:	
Duration:	3 years [UG]
Programme Outcomes:	<b>PO1: Disciplinary knowledge:</b> Capable of demonstrating comprehensive knowledge and understanding of one or more disciplines that form a part of an undergraduate Programme of study
	<b>PO2: Communication Skills:</b> Ability to express thoughts and ideas effectively in writing and orally; Communicate with others using appropriate media; confidently share one's views and express herself/himself; demonstrate the ability to listen carefully, read and write analytically, and present complex information in a clear and concise manner to different groups.
	<b>PO3: Critical thinking:</b> Capability to apply analytic thought to a body of knowledge; analyse and evaluate evidence, arguments, claims, beliefs on the basis of empirical evidence; identify relevant assumptions or implications; formulate coherent arguments; critically evaluate practices, policies and theories by following scientific approach to knowledge development.
	<b>PO4: Problem solving: Capacity</b> to extrapolate from what one has learned and apply their competencies to solve different kinds of non-familiar problems, rather than replicate curriculum content knowledge; and apply one's learning to real life situations.
	<b>PO5: Analytical reasoning</b> : Ability to evaluate the reliability and relevance of evidence; identify logical flaws and holes in the arguments of others; analyze and synthesize data from a variety of sources; draw valid conclusions and support them with evidence and examples, and addressing opposing viewpoints.
	<b>PO6:</b> Research-related skills: A sense of inquiry and capability for asking relevant/appropriate questions, problem arising, synthesising and articulating; Ability to recognise cause-and-effect relationships, define problems, formulate

hypotheses, test hypotheses, analyse, interpret and draw conclusions from data, establish hypotheses, predict cause-and-effect relationships; ability to plan, execute and report the results of an experiment or investigation.

**PO7:** Cooperation/Team work: Ability to work effectively and respectfully with diverse teams; facilitate cooperative or coordinated effort on the part of a group, and act together as a group or a team in the interests of a common cause and work efficiently as a member of a team.

**PO8: Scientific reasoning**: Ability to analyse, interpret and draw conclusions from quantitative/qualitative data; and critically evaluate ideas, evidence and experiences from an open-minded and reasoned perspective.

**PO9: Reflective thinking**: Critical sensibility to lived experiences, with self awareness and reflexivity of both self and society.

**PO10 Information/digital literacy:** Capability to use ICT in a variety of learning situations, demonstrate ability to access, evaluate, and use a variety of relevant information sources; and use appropriate software for analysis of data.

**PO 11 Self-directed learning**: Ability to work independently, identify appropriate resources required for a project, and manage a project through to completion.

**PO 12 Multicultural competence:** Possess knowledge of the values and beliefs of multiple cultures and a global perspective; and capability to effectively engage in a multicultural society and interact respectfully with diverse groups.

PO 13: Moral and ethical awareness/reasoning: Ability toembrace moral/ethical values in conducting one's life, formulate a position/argument about an ethical issue from multiple perspectives, and use ethical practices in all work. Capable of demonstartingthe ability to identify ethical issues related to one"s work, avoid unethical behaviour such as fabrication, falsification or misrepresentation of data or committing plagiarism, not adhering to intellectual property rights; appreciating environmental and sustainability issues; and adopting objective, unbiased and truthful actions in all aspects of work.

**PO 14: Leadership readiness/qualities:** Capability for mapping out the tasks of a team or an organization, and setting direction, formulating an inspiring vision, building a team who can help achieve the vision, motivating and inspiring team members to engage with that vision, and using management skills to guide people to the right destination, in a smooth and efficient way.

**PO 15: Lifelong learning:** Ability to acquire knowledge and skills, including "learning how to learn", that are necessary for participating in learning activities throughout life, through self-paced and self-directed learning aimed at personal development, meeting economic, social and cultural objectives, and adapting to changing trades and demands of work place through knowledge/skill development/reskilling.

## Programme Specific Outcomes:

**PSO1**: To enable students to apply basic microeconomic, macroeconomic and monetary concepts and theories in real life and decision making.

**PSO2**: To sensitize students to various economic issues related to Development, Growth, International Economics, Sustainable Development and Environment.

**PSO 3**: To familiarize students to the concepts and theories related to Finance, Investments and Modern Marketing.

**PSO 4**: Evaluate various social and economic problems in the society and develop answer to the problems as global citizens.

**PSO 5:** Enhance skills of analytical and critical thinking to analyze effectiveness of economic policies.

	PO 1	PO2	PO3	PO4	PO5	PO6	PO7	PO8
PSO 1	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
PSO 2	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
PSO 3	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
PSO 4	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
PSO 5	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y

3 – Strong, 2- Medium, 1- Low

#### **Highlights of the Revamped Curriculum:**

➤ Student-centric, meeting the demands of industry & society, incorporating industrial components, hands-on training, skill enhancement modules, industrial project, project with viva-voce, exposure to entrepreneurial skills, training for competitive

- examinations, sustaining the quality of the core components and incorporating application oriented content wherever required.
- ➤ The Core subjects include latest developments in the education and scientific front, advanced programming packages allied with the discipline topics, practical training, devising mathematical models and algorithms for providing solutions to industry / real life situations. The curriculum also facilitates peer learning with advanced mathematical topics in the final semester, catering to the needs of stakeholders with research aptitude.
- ➤ The General Studies and Mathematics based problem solving skills are included as mandatory components in the 'Training for Competitive Examinations' course at the final semester, a first of its kind.
- ➤ The curriculum is designed so as to strengthen the Industry-Academia interface and provide more job opportunities for the students.
- ➤ The Industrial Statistics course is newly introduced in the fourth semester, to expose the students to real life problems and train the students on designing a mathematical model to provide solutions to the industrial problems.
- ➤ The Internship during the second year vacation will help the students gain valuable work experience, that connects classroom knowledge to real world experience and to narrow down and focus on the career path.
- ➤ Project with viva-voce component in the fifth semester enables the student, application of conceptual knowledge to practical situations. The state of art technologies in conducting a Explain in a scientific and systematic way and arriving at a precise solution is ensured. Such innovative provisions of the industrial training, project and internships will give students an edge over the counterparts in the job market.
- ➤ State-of Art techniques from the streams of multi-disciplinary, cross disciplinary and inter disciplinary nature are incorporated as Elective courses, covering conventional topics to the latest Artificial Intelligence.

## Value additions in the Revamped Curriculum:

Semester	Newly Introduced Components	Outcome/ Benefits
Ι	FoundationCourse	➤ Instill confidence among students
1	To ease the transition of	
		Create interest for the subject
	learning from higher	
	secondary to higher	
	education, providing an	
	overview of the	
	pedagogy of learning	
	Literature and analyzing	
	the world through the	
	literary lens gives rise to	
	a new perspective.	
I,II,III,IV	Skill Enhancement	Industry ready graduates
	papers (Discipline	Skilled human resource
	centric / Generic /	> Students are equipped with essential skills to
	Entrepreneurial)	make them employable
		Training on language and communication skills
		enable the students gain knowledge and
		exposure in the competitive world.
		Discipline centric skill will improve the
		Technical know how of solving real life
		problems.
III,IV,V&	Elective papers	Strengthening the domain knowledge
VI		➤ Introducing the stakeholders to the State-or
		Art techniques from the streams of multi-
		disciplinary, cross disciplinary and
		interdisciplinary nature
		Emerging topics in higher education / industry /
		communication network / health sector etc. are
		introduced with hands-on-training.
IV	Elective Papers	Exposure to industry moulds students into
		solution providers
		Generates Industry ready graduates
		> Employment opportunities enhanced
$\mathbf{V}$	Elective papers	> Self-learning is enhanced
		> Application of the concept to real situation is
		conceived resulting in tangible outcome
VI	Elective papers	Enriches the study beyond the course.
		Developing are search framework and
		presenting their independent and
		intellectual ideas effectively.
Extra Credi		To cater to the needs of peer learners / research
	ed Learners / Honors	aspirants
degree		
Skills acqui	red from the Courses	Knowledge, Problem Solving, Analytical
		ability, Professional Competency, Professional
		Communication and Transferrable Skill

## **Credit Distribution for UG Programme**

Sem I	Credit	Sem II	Credit	Sem III	Credit	Sem IV	Credit	Sem V	Credit	Sem VI	Credit
1.1. Language - Tamil	3	2.1. Language - Tamil	3	3.1. Language - Tamil	3	4.1. Language - Tamil	3	5.1 Core Course – \CC IX	4	6.1 Core Course – CC XIII	4
1.2 English	3	2.2 English	3	3.2 English	3	4.2 English	3	5.2 Core Course – CC X	4	6.2 Core Course – CC XIV	4
1.3 Core Course – CC I	5	2.3 Core Course – CC III	5	3.3 Core Course – CC V	5	4.3 Core Course – CC VII Core Industry Module	5	5. 3.Core Course CC -XI	4	6.3 Core Course – CC XV	4
1.4 Core Course – CC II	5	2.4 Core Course – CC IV	5	3.4 Core Course – CC VI	5	4.4 Core Course – CC VIII	5	5. 3.Core Course – /CC -XII	4	6.4 Elective -VII Generic/ Discipline Specific	3
1.5 Elective I Generic/ Discipline Specific	3	2.5 Elective II Generic/ Discipline Specific	3	3.5 Elective III Generic/ Discipline Specific	3	4.5 Elective IV Generic/ Discipline Specific	3	5.4 Elective V Generic/ Discipline Specific	3	6.5 Elective VIII Generic/ Discipline Specific	3
1.6 Skill Enhancement Course SEC-1 (NME)	2	2.6 Skill Enhancement Course SEC-2 (NME)	2	3.6 Skill Enhancement Course SEC-4, (Entrepreneurial Skill)	1	4.6 Skill Enhancement Course SEC-6	2	5.5 Elective VI Project with viva- voce	3	6.6 Extension Activity	1
1.7 Skill Enhancement - (Foundation Course)	2	2.7 Skill Enhancement Course –SEC- 3(NME)	2	3.7 Skill Enhancement Course SEC-5	2	4.7 Skill Enhancement Course SEC-7	2	5.6 Value Education	2	6.7 Professional Competency Skill	2
				3.8 E.V.S	-	4.8 E.V.S	2	5.5 Summer Internship /Industrial Training	2		
	23		23		22		25		26		21
					7	Total CreditPoints					140

### **CREDIT DISTRIBUTION FOR U.G.**

	3 – Year UG Programme Credits Distribution		
		No. of Papers	Credits
Part I	Tamil (3 Credits )	04	12
Part II	English (3 Credits)	04	12
Part III	Core Courses (4/5 Credits)	15	68
	Elective Courses :Generic / Discipline Specific	08	24
	(3 Credits)		
		Total	116
Part IV	NME( 2 Credits)	02	4
	Skill Enhancement Courses		
	(5 courses- 2 Credits each)	05	15
	Entrepreneurial Skill -1 Credit	01	
	Professional Competency Skill Enhancement		
	Course (2 Credit)	01	
	Internship(2 Credits)	01	
	EVS( 2 Credits)	01	2
	Value Education ( 2 Credits)	01	2
		<b>Part IV Credits</b>	23
Part V	Extension Activity (NSS / NCC / Physical Education    Output  Description:	tion)	1
	Total Credits for the	<b>UG Programme</b>	140

#### Consolidated Semester wise and Component wise Credit distribution

Parts	Sem I	Sem II	Sem III	Sem IV	Sem V	Sem VI	Total
							Credits
Part I	3	3	3	3	-	-	12
Part II	3	3	3	3	-	-	12
Part III	13	13	13	13	22	18	92
Part IV	4	4	3	6	4	2	23
Part V	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
Total	23	23	22	25	26	21	140

<sup>\*</sup>Part I, II and Part III components will be separately taken into account for CGPA calculation and classification for the under graduate programme and the other components Part IV and V have to be completed during the duration of the programme as per the norms, to be eligible for obtaining the UG degree.

	Methods of Evaluation							
	Continuous Internal Assessment Test							
Internal	Assignments	25 Marks						
Evaluation	Seminars	25 Walks						
	Attendance and Class Participation							
External Evaluation	End Semester Examination	75 Marks						
	Total	100 Marks						
	Methods of Assessment							
Recall (K1)	Simple definitions, MCQ, Recall steps, Concept definitions							
Understand /	MCQ, True / False, Short essays, Concept explanations,	Short summary or						
Comprehend (K2)	Overview							
Application (K3)	Suggest idea / concept with examples, Suggest formulae, Observe, Explain	Solve problems,						
Analyze (K4)	alyze (K4) Problem-solving questions, Finish a procedure in many steps, Differentiate							
	between various ideas, Map knowledge							
Evaluate(K5)	Longer essay / Evaluation essay, Critique or justify with	prosandcons						
Create (K6)	Check knowledge in specific or off beat situations. Discussion Debating or							

#### **COURSE STRUCTURE**

SEN	MESTER I						k	$\mathbf{T}$	M	AR	KS
	OURSE MPONENT	SUBJECTS					Hrs/week	CREDIT	CIA	External	TOTAL
Part I	Paper–I	Language – Tamil	Y	1	-	-	6	3	25	75	100
Part II	Paper–I	100L1Z: English	Y	1	-	-	6	3	25	75	100
	Core Paper–I	<b>150C1A:</b> Principles of Management	Y	1	ı		5	5	25	75	100
	Core Paper–II	150C1B:Accounting for Managers I	Y	1	-	-	5	5	25	75	100
Part III	Elective Paper-I	150E1A:Managerial Economics	Y	1	1		4	3	25	75	100
	<b>150S1A:</b> SEC	-1- Basics of Event Management*									
Part IV 100L1L: Basic Tamil-I (Other Language Students) * 100L1M: Advanced Tamil-I (Other Language Students) * 150B1A: Foundation Course - Managerial Communication		Tamil-I (Other Language Students) *					2	2	25	75	100
						2	2	25	75	100	
	Total						30	23			

## \* PART-IV: SEC-1 / Basic Tamil / Advanced Tamil (Any one)

- 1. Students who have studied Tamil upto XII STD and also have taken Tamil in Part I shall take SEC-I.
- 2. Students who have **not** studied Tamil upto XII STD and have taken any Language other than Tamil in Part-I shall take **Basic Tamil** comprising of Two Courses (level will be at 6<sup>th</sup> Std.).
- 3. Students who have studied Tamil upto XII STD and have taken any Language other than Tamil in Part-I shall take **Advanced Tamil** comprising of Two Courses.

SE	MESTER II						sk	П	MAX	KMA	RKS
	COURSE MPONENT	SUBJECTS	L	Т	P	O	Hrs/week	CREDIT	CIA	EXT	TOTAL
PartI	Paper–II	Language – Tamil	Y	-	-	1	6	3	25	75	100
PartII	Paper–II	100L2Z: English	Y	-	-	-	6	3	25	75	100
	CorePaper-III	150C2A: Marketing Management	Y	-	-	-	5	5	25	75	100
PartIII	CorePaper–IV	150C2B:Accounting for Managers II	Y	-	-	-	5	5	25	75	100
	Elective -II	150E2A: International Business	Y	-	-	-	4	3	25	75	100
PartIV	100L2L: Basic T	NME-Managerial Skill Development* amil-II (Other Language Students) * ced Tamil-II(Other Language Students)*	Y	1	1	ı	2	2	25	75	100
	150S2B: SEC3	Business Etiquette and Corporate					2	2	25	75	100
		Total					30	23			_

SEME	STER III	SUBJECTS	L	Т	P	o	Hrs/week	CREDIT	<b>M</b> .	TOTAL	
	URSE PONENT	SUBJECTS	L	1	r	U	Hrs/v	CRI	INT	EXT	TO
Part I	Paper–III	Language – Tamil	Y	-	-	-	6	3	25	75	100
Part II	Paper-III	200L3Z: English	Y	-	-	-	6	3	25	75	100
Part III	Core Paper–V	250C3A: Organisational Behaviour	Y	-	-	-	5	5	25	75	100
	Core Paper–VI	250C3B: Financial Management	Y	-	-	-	5	5	25	75	100
	Elective – III	250E3A: Business Statistics	Y	-	-	ı	4	3	25	75	100
Part IV	250S3A: S in Business	EC4 Computer Applications	Y	-	Y	1	2	2	25	75	100
		SEC5 Entrepreneurial Skill ure Management	Y		Y		1	1	25	75	100
	Environme	ental Studies	Y	-	-	-	1	22			
		Total					30	22			

SEM	ESTER IV						sk	II		MAX ARKS	I
	OURSE IPONENT	SUBJECTS	L	Т	P	O	Hrs/week	CREDIT	CIA	EXT	TOTAL
Part I	Paper–IV	Language – Tamil	Y	1	-	-	6	3	25	75	100
Part II	Paper–IV	200L4Z: English	Y	-	-	-	6	3	25	75	100
	Core Paper– VII	250C4A: Business Environment	Y	-	-	-	4	5	25	75	100
Part III	Core Paper– VIII	250C4B: Business Regulatory Frame Work	Y	-	-	1	5	5	25	75	100
	Elective Paper–IV	250E4A: Operations Research	Y	-	-	-	4	3	25	75	100
Part IV	250S4A: SEC	C6 Tally			Y	-	2	2	25	75	100
I dit I v	250S4B: SEC Rights	C7 Intellectual Property	Y	-	-	-	2	2	25	75	100
	250V4A: En	vironmental Studies	Y	-	-	-	1	2	25	75	100
	Total						30	25			

Second year Vacation Internship -45 hours	2 credits

SEMESTER V		SUBJECTS	L	Т	P	o	Hrs/week		MAX MARKS		
COURSE COMPONENT								CREDIT	CIA	EXT	TOTAL
	Core Paper–IX	<b>350C5A:</b> Human Resource Management	Y	-	-	-	5	4	25	75	100
	Core Paper–X	<b>350C5B:</b> Research Methodology	Y	-	-	-	5	4	25	75	100
Part III	Core Paper–XI	<b>350C5C:</b> Business Taxation	Y	-	-	-	5	4	25	75	100
	Core Paper–XII	<b>350C5D:</b> Management Information system	Y	-	-	-	5	4	25	75	100
	Elective-V	350E5A: Digital Marketing Or 350E5B: Industrial Relations Or 350E5C: Financial Services	Y	-	-	-	4	3	25	75	100
	Elective -Project	<b>350E5D:</b> Project with Viva –Voce	-	-	Y	-	4	3	20	80	100
Part IV			Y	-	-	-	2	2			
	350V5B: Summe Training	r Internship / Industrial						2			
		Total					30	26			

SEMESTER VI		CLIDIFOTC					šk	OIT	MAX MARKS		AL
COURSE COMPONENT		SUBJECTS	L	Т	P	O	Hrs/week	CREDIT	CIA	EX	TOTAL
	Core	350C6A:	Y	-	-	-	6	4	25	75	100
	Paper-XIII	Entrepreneurial									
		Development									
	Core	350C6B: Services	Y				5	4	25	75	100
	Paper-XIV	Marketing									
	Core	350C6C: Production	Y				5	4	25	75	100
PartIII	Paper-	and Materials									
	XV	Management									
	Elective-	350E6A:	Y	-	-	-	5	3	25	75	100
	VI	Consumer Behaviour									
		Or									
		350E6B:									
		Innovation									
		Management									
		Or									
		350E6C: Security									
		Analysis &									
		Portfolio Management									
	Elective-	350E6D:	Y	-	-	-	5	3	25	75	100
	VII	Fundamentals of									
		Logistics									
		Or									
		350E6E:									
		E-business									
		or									
		350E6F: Strategic									
		Management									
	350V6A: Pro	ofessional Competency					4	2	25	75	100
	Enhancement										
	Quantitative Aptitude I										
	And Quantitative Aptitude II										
	(2 hours each)										
Part V	t V 350V6B: ExtensionActivities			-	Y	-		1			
Total						30	21				

Remarks: English Soft Skill Two Hours Will be handled by English Teachers (4+2=6 hours for English).