## **Elective Courses**

Course Title: Image Processing (3 Cr.)

**Course Code: CACS404** Year/Semester: IV/VII

Class Load: 5 Hrs. / Week (Theory: 3Hrs. Practical: 2Hrs.)

## **Course Description**

This course presents introduction to several topics on image processing techniques and their applications. It also explores the students to real-world applications of image processing.

## Course objectives

Upon completion of this course, students should be able to 1. Explain the basic concepts of digital image processing and various image transforms. 2. Develop a broad range of image processing techniques and their applications. 3. To familiarize the with the image enhancement, image restoration and image segmentation techniques.

#### **Course Contents**

	Hours
Unit 1: Fundamental of Image processing	
Image representation, basic relationship between pixels, elements of DIP	
system, elements of visual perception-simple image formation model,	8
Sampling and Quantization, Color fundamentals and models, File Formats,	0

#### **Unit 2: Image Enhancement**

Image Transforms, Fourier Transform and Discrete Fourier Transform, Fast Fourier Transform. Cosine Transform, Frequency domain image enhancement, low pass filtering, high pass filtering, homomorphic filter, Gaussian filter

Image operations. Brightness, contrast, hue, saturation, Mach band effect

Spatial domain image enhancement, point processing, contrast stretching, clipping and thresholding, digital negative, intensity level slicing. Histogram processing: equalization, modification, Spatial filtering - averaging, Smoothing and sharpening, median filtering, spatial low, high and band pass filters

#### **Unit 3: Image Restoration:**

Image Restoration - Image degradation model - Noise modeling - Blur, Inverse filtering- removal of blur caused by uniform linear motion, Weiner filtering, Morphological operation, erosion and dilation,

#### Unit4: Image coding and compression

Need for compression, redundancy, pixel coding, run length coding, Huffmancoding, Elements of information theory, Error free compression, Lossy compression, Image compression standards- JPEG& MPEG, wavelet based image compression.

## Unit 5: Image segmentation and feature extraction

Image Segmentation: Thresholding, Region based segmentation, edges, line and curve detection, edge operators, Image Features and Extraction, Types

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of features, feature extraction, Texture, Feature reduction algorithms, Image classification, clustering techniques,

Case Studies in Image Security, Steganography and Digital watermarking, Visual effects, Case studies in Medical Imaging and remote sensing.

#### **Evaluation**

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Internal Assessment		External Assessment		Total
Theory	Practical	Theory	Practical	100
20	20 (3 Hrs.)	60 (3 Hrs.)	-	100

## **Laboratory Work**

Laboratory work should be done covering all the topics listed above and a small project work should be carried out using the concept learnt in this course using software like matlab, python.

#### **Text Books:**

- 1. Gonzalez Rafel C, Digital Image Processing, Pearson Education, 2009.
- 2. S.Sridhar, Digital Image Processing, Oxford University Press, 2011

#### **Reference Books:**

 Milan Sonka, Vaclav Hlavac and Roger Boyle, Image Processing, Analysis and Machine Vision, Second Edition, Thompson Learning, 2007 **Course Title: Database Administration** 

Course Code: CACS405 Year/Semester: IV/VII

Class Load: 6 Hrs. /Week (Theory: 3Hrs, Practical 3Hrs.)

## **Course Description**

This course provides the comprehensive knowledge aboutrelational database management system in administrative approach to integrate in enterprise levelof database in network environment which encompasses with oracle databaseInstances Management, database installment in network environment, implementing user role and privileges, multitenant database management, back and recovery.

**Objectives**: The general objectives of this course is to provide core knowledge of administrative works on relational database management system.

# Unit 1Introduction to an Oracle database12Hrs

Overview of the Oracle Database Architecture (process, memory, storage structure), DBA roles and responsibilities, Familiar with SQL\*Plus,Accepting Values at Runtime, Overview of SQL Command (DDL (Tables, Constraints, IndexesViews, Synonyms, SequencesPartitioning and Materialized Views), DML, Join and Subquery)

## **Unit2 Managing Database Instances5Hrs**

Oracle Database installation, Database creation, starting up and shutting down oracle instance, Oracle Network component, communicating between Databases; Using Dynamic Performance Views, Using the Automatic Diagnostic Repository (ADR), Using the Alert Log and Trace Files, Managing Initialization Parameter Files.

## Unit 3: Tablespace and Storage management

4Hrs

Working with Tablespaces and Data Files, Creating and adding tablespace and datafiles, Managing Control Files, Online Redo Logsand Archive logs; Multiplexing online redo logs and control files, database archiving.

# Unit -4Managing Users, Roles and Privileges 6Hrs

Assigning Quotas to Users, Applying the Principal of Least Privilege, Creating and Assigning Profiles, Administering User Authentication Methods, Managing Oracle Database Users, Privileges, and Roles.

## Unit 5: Multitenant Database Architecture

7 Hrs

Understanding the Multitenant Architecture, Pluggable Architecture; Creating CDB; Creating Pluggable Databases (PDBs) within a CDB; Manage CDBs and PDBs, Backup and Duplicate, Manage Security in Multitenant databases

# Unit-6Configure the Oracle Network Environment5Hrs

Overview of Network Configuration, Oracle Net Listener Configuration and Management, Oracle Net Naming Methods, Networking the Net Configuration Assistant, Configure Client Connections with Net Manager, View Listener Configuration, Start and Stop the Oracle Listener, Use TNSPING to Test Oracle Net Connectivity, Connect to the Database, Configure NetServices with Enterprise Manager

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## Unit -7:Backup and Recovery5Hrs

Backup and Recovery Concepts, Database backup, restoration and recovery, defining a backupand recovery strategy, Backup and Recovery options; Data Dump; User-Managed Backup and Recovery; Configuring RMAN; RMAN Backups, Restore and Recovery, Perform CDB and PDB flashback.

## Unit-8

## Automate Tasks with the Scheduler4Hrs

Introduction to the Scheduler, Access Rights, Scheduler Components and Workflow, create a Job, Job Classes, Use Time Based, Event-Based Schedules, Create an Event-Based Schedule.

## **Laboratory Works**

Laboratory works should be done covering all the topics listed above and a small work should be carried out using the concept learnt in each unit in the group. Work should be assigned on individual basis.

## **Teaching Methods**

The general teaching pedagogy includes class lectures, group discussions, case studies, guest lectures, research work, project work, assignments (theoretical and practical), and examinations (written and verbal), depending upon the nature of the topics. The teaching faculty will determine the choice of teaching pedagogy as per the need of the topics.

## References

- 1. Fernandez, I. Beginning Oracle Database 12c Administration. Apress.
- 2. Press, O. Oracle Database 19 C: Administration Workshop vol-I/II.
- 3. Thomas, B. Oracle Database 12C Administration Certified Associate. Sybex.
- 4. Pro Oracle Database 18c Administration: Manage and Safeguard Your Organization's Data, Michelle Malcher and Darl Kuhn, Third Edition.
- 5. Oracle Database 12c DBA Handbook, Manage a Scalable, Secure Oracle Enterprise Database Environment, Bob Bryla.

Course Title: Network Administration (3 Cr.)

Course Code: CACS406 Year/Semester: IV/VII

Class Load: 6 Hrs. / Week (Theory: 3Hrs. Practical: 3 Hrs.)

Course Description: The course introduces the theoretical as well as practical concepts of Network Administration. The course includes concepts of work station, server and services, Network infrastructure, Implementing different network services.

Course Objectives: The objectives of this course is to make the students to design and implement enterprise level network with its services.

## **Course Contents:**

## **Unit I: Introduction**

## [4Hrs.]

Network administrator as a Profession, Network administrator professional ethics, Recent trends in network administration.

## Unit I: Work Station, Server and Services

[16Hrs.]

Workstation: Architecture design, Hardware strategies, OS installation. Servers: Hardware Strategies, Hardware Features & Specifications. Service: Requirements, Planning and Engineering, Service Launch, Disaster Recovery.

## Unit II: Infrastructure

[6Hrs.]

Network Architecture, Network Operations, Datacentres Overview and Running Datacentres.

## **Unit III: Service Recommendation**

[16Hrs.]

Server Upgrade, centralizing a service, Service Monitoring, Namespaces, Email Service, Print Services, Data Storage, Backup and Restore, Software Repository, Web Services.

#### **Unit IV:**

[6Hrs.]

Preparing procurement plan/document for enterprise level network setup

#### **Laboratory Works:**

The laboratory work includes implementation of the mentioned content in syllabus using LINUX and Windows operating system.

#### **Teaching Methods**

The major teaching methods that can be followed for this course includes class lectures, laboratory activity, group discussions, presentations and case studies.

#### **Evaluation**

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#### Text Book:

1. The Practice of System and network administration, 3<sup>rd</sup> Edition, Thomas A. Limoncelli, Christina J. Hogan, Strata R. Chalup

2. Mastering Windows Server 2019: The complete guide for IT professionals to install and manage Windows Server 2019 and deploy new capabilities, 2nd Edition

3. Ubuntu and Centos Linux server administration, MD. Tanvir Rahman, 2019

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Course Title: Software Project Management

Course Code: CACS407 Year/Semester: IV/VII

Class Load: 5 Hrs. /Week (Theory: 3Hrs, Practical: 2Hr.)

## **Course Description**

This course provides the comprehensive knowledge about Software Project Management, which encompasses with Software Project Planning, Scheduling, Cost Estimation, Risk management, Quality management and Configuration management.

**Objectives**: The general objective of this course is to provide fundamental knowledge of software project management and corresponding software tool.

## Unit -1

## **Software Project Management Concepts**

8 Hrs

Introduction, Project and Software project, Software project vs other project, Importance and Problems in software project management, Process of SPM. Characteristics of good project manager, Successful Software Project Manager, Overview of Software Project Planning.

#### Unit-2

# **Software Project Scheduling**

8 Hrs

Objectives of activity planning, Work breakdown structure, Network planning model: Critical path method (CPM), Program evaluation and review technique (PERT), Precedence diagramming method (PDM), Shortening project duration, Identifying critical activities. Forward pass and Backward pass

## <u>Unit -3</u>

## **Software Estimation Techniques**

7 Hrs

Software Effort Estimation: Problems with over and under estimations, Basis of software Estimating, Software effort estimation techniques, expert Judgment, Estimating by analogy. Bottoms-up estimating, Top-down approach and parametric models.

<u>Unit -4</u> 8 Hrs

## **Software Evaluation and Costing**

Project Evaluation: Strategic Assessment, Technical Assessment, cost-benefit analysis, Cash flow forecasting, cost-benefit evaluation techniques, Risk Evaluation. Selection of Appropriate Report, Project approach: Choosing technologies, choice of process models, structured methods.

#### Unit -5

# Risk Management

5 Hrs

Risk Identification, Planning, Evaluation and Management, Categories of Risk, Framework for dealing with risk, evaluating Risks to the schedule.

#### Unit -6

## **Software Quality Management**

TQM, Six Sigma, Software Quality: defining and importance software quality, ISO Place of software quality in software planning.

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## **Software Configuration Management**

7 Hrs

Concept, Requirement and Elements of SCM, Baseline, SCM Repository, Versioning and version control, SCM Process, Change Control Process. Configuration Audit and Status Reporting. Case Study: Version Control Software Tools (Git, CVS, SVN)

## **Laboratory Works**

Laboratory works should be done covering all the topics listed above and a small work should be carried out using the concept learnt in each unit in the group. Work should be assigned on individual basis. Student may choose project Management tools like (MS Project, OpenProj, dot Project, Trello, Asana, ClickUp).

## **Teaching Methods**

The general teaching pedagogy includes class lectures, group discussions, case studies, guest lectures, research work, project work, assignments (theoretical and practical), and examinations (written and verbal), depending upon the nature of the topics. The teaching faculty will determine the choice of teaching pedagogy as per the need of the topics.

## References

- 1. Cotterell, B. H. (2018). Software Project Management. McGraw-Hill.
- 2. Dutt, S. C. (n.d.). Software Project Management. Pearson Education India.
- 3. A.S. Kelkar (n.d.). Software Project Management. PHI Learning.

शिरेषद्की कीर्तिपुर Course Title: Advanced .Net Technology (3 Cr.)

Course Code: CACS408 Year/Semester: IV/VII

Class Load: 6Hrs. /Week (Theory: 3 Hrs. Practical: 3 Hrs)

**Course Description** 

This course provides skill to develop modern software program with graphical user interface using the language C# with ASP.net. Student will build Window-based and web-based forms, adding controls and setting properties of these controls.

**Course Objective** 

The objective of this course is to understand the theoretical foundation as well as its practical aspects of Windows Application, ASP.NET Core web application framework and C# language features.

**Course Contents** 

Unit 1: C# Basics 8 Hours

Introduction to .NET Architecture, Class and Object: Creating class, Interface, Creating Objects, Access Modifiers, Arrays, Inheritance, Exception Handling and Threading: try, catch, finally, throw and throws, Create multithread program, Thread lifecycle. File IO: File Stream, Stream Reader, Stream Writer, Binary Reader, Binary Writer, Serialization.

**Unit 2: Windows Application** 

6 Hours

Windows Forms: Benefits, Window Forms Control, Properties and Event, .NET Event, MDI Forms, Form Inheritance. Dialogs, Tooltips, Resizing, Menus and Context Menus, Custom Control Creations, Handling Multiple Events, Graphics and GDI+

#### **Unit 3: Introduction to ADO.NET**

7 Hours

Benefits of ADO.NET, ADD.NET compared to classic ADO, ADO.NET architecture (Connected and Disconnected), Shared and Database-Specific Classes, Using Database connection. Working with DataSets, Managed Providers, Data Binding, Typed DataSets, Working with Data Reader, Transactions

Unit 4: ASP.NET working with Data and Security

12 Hours

Web Application Using ASP.NET, ASP.NET Architecture, Working with controls, User Interface Elements, Deployments, Web sites, Applications and Virtual Directories in IIS. Accessing Data using ADO.NET, Connecting to Data, Executing Commands, State management ( Page-Level state, using Cookies to preserve state, ASP.NET Session State, Storing Object in Session State, Configuring Session State)

Validation, IIS URL Authorization, Forms Authentication and Config File encryption

## Unit 5: ASP.NET AJAX and MVC

10 Hours

Introduction to ASP.NET AJAX, ASP.NET AJAX Server Control, ASP.NET AJAX Server Data, ASP.NET AJAX Client-side Libraries. Introduction ASP.NET MVC, Web Application Using MVC pattern Razor View and controller, Model

Unit 6: Hosting and Deploying ASP.NET Core Application

5 Hours

App Servers and Hosting Models: IIS, Nginx, Apache, ASP.NET Core Module, Kestrel,

Docker and Containerization, Publish to Azure cloud

## Laboratory works

The laboratory work includes writing programs covering most of the concepts of above units using C# and .NET core SDK (3.0 or above)

## **Teaching Methods**

The teaching faculties are expected to create environment where students can update and upgrade themselves with the current scenario of computing and information technology with the help of topics listed in the syllabus. The general teaching pedagogy that can be followed by teaching faculties for this course includes class lectures, laboratory activity, group discussions, case studies, guest lectures, research work, project work, assignments (Theoretical and Practical), and written and verbal examinations.

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## **Reference Books**

- 1. Herbert Shildt, "C#: The Complete Reference", TMH
- 2. C# 8.0 and .NET Core 3.0 Modern Cross-Platform Development, Fourth Edition, by Mark J. Price, 2019
- 3. ASP.NET Core in Action, by Andrew Lock, 2018
- 4. Ian Griffiths (2012), Programming C# 5.0, O'Reilly Media, Inc.
- 5. Sharp, J. (2013). Microsoft Visual C# 2013 step by step.
- 6. Albahari, J., Albahari, B., & Drayton, P. (2012). C# 5.0 in a nutshell (5th ed). Beijing; Sebastopol: O'Reilly.

Course Title: E-Governance (3 Cr.)

Course Code: CACS409 Year/Semester: IV/VII

Class Load: 4Hrs. /Week (Theory: 3 Hrs. Tutorial: 1 Hrs)

## **Course Description:**

This course familiarizes students with different concepts of E-Governance, different E-Governance models and infrastructure development, use of data warehousing and data mining for e-governance, and different case studies of different countries.

## **Course Objectives:**

- To develop knowledge of e-governance
- To know different e-governance models and infrastructure development
- To know to use concepts of data warehousing and mining in e-governance

## **Course Contents:**

## Unit 1: Introduction (6 Hrs.)

E-Governance – An Overview; Why E-Governance; Issues in E-Governance Applications and the Digital Divide; Evolution of E-Governance, its Scope and Content; Present Global Trends of Growth in E-Governance; E-Governance Applications; E-Governance Initiatives in Nepal

## **Unit 2: E-Governance Models (12 Hrs.)**

Introduction; Models of Digital Governance – Broadcasting/Wider Dissemination Model, Critical Flow Model, Comparative Analysis Model, Mobilization and Lobbying Model, Interactive Service Model/Government-to-Citizen-to-Government Model (G2C2G); Evolution in E-Governance and Maturity Models – Five Maturity Levels; Characteristics of Maturity Levels; Key Focus Areas; Towards Good Governance through E-Governance Models

# Unit 3: E-Governance Infrastructure, Stages in Evaluation and Strategies for Success (8 Hrs.)

E-readiness - Data System Infrastructure, Legal Infrastructural Preparedness, Institutional Infrastructural Preparedness, Human Infrastructural Preparedness, Technological Infrastructural Preparedness; Evolutionary Stages in E-Governance

## Unit 4: Applications of Data Warehousing and Data Mining in Government (6 Hrs.)

Introduction; National Data Warehouses - Census Data, Prices of Essential Commodities; Other Areas for Data Warehousing and Data Mining - Agriculture, Rural Development, Health, Planning, Education, Commerce and Trade, Other Sectors

#### **Unit 5: CASE Studies (16 Hrs.)**

**Nepal** (E-Governance Master Plan of Nepal; E-Governance in Local Government of Nepal; Nagarik App)

India (NICNET – Role of Nationwide Networking in E-Governance; Collectorate 2000; Computer-aided Administration of Registration Department (CARD); Smart Nagarpalika – Computerization of Urban Local Bodies (Municipalities); National Reservoir Level and Capacity Monitoring System; Computerization in Andra Pradesh State Trading Corporation; Ekal Seva Kendra; Sachivalaya Vahini or E-Governance Secretariat; Bhoomi; IT in Indian Judiciary; E-Khazana for Government Treasury, Andhra Pradesh; E-Governance in the Offices of Director General for Foreign Trade (DGFT); PRAJA – Rural e-Seva; E-Seva, A New

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Paradigm in Citizen Services; E-Panchayat (Electronic Knowledge Based Panchayat); General Information Services of National Informatics Centre)

Other Countries (E-Governance initiative in USA; E-Governance Case Study in China – Beijing Business E-Park; Brazil's Poupatempo or 'Time Saver' Centres; Sri Lanka – Kothamale Community Radio Internet Project)

#### **Recommended Books:**

- 4. E-Governance: Concepts and Case Studies, C.S.R. Prabhu, Second Edition, PHI Learning, 2012.
- 5. Strategic Planning and Implementation of E-Governance, P.K.Suri and Sushil, Springer, 2019.
- 6. A Study of the Practice of E-governance in the Developing Countries: A Qualitative Approach In Measuring The Maturity of E-government, Kazi Hassan Robin and Md. Mahmudul Hasan Rafee, 2012.
- 7. Implementing and managing e-Government, Richard Heeks, 2006.

## **Teaching Methods:**

The teaching faculties are expected to create environment where students can update and upgrade themselves with the current scenario of computing and information technology with the help of topics listed in the syllabus. The general teaching pedagogy that can be followed by teaching faculties for this course includes class lectures, tutorials, group discussions, case studies, guest lectures, research work, project work, assignments (Theoretical and Practical), and written and verbal examinations.

#### **Evaluation**

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Course Name: Artificial Intelligence (3 Cr.)

Course Code: CACS410 Year/Semester: IV/VII

Class Load: 5 Hrs. / Week (Theory: 3Hrs. Practical: 2 Hrs.)

Course Description: The course introduces basics of artificial intelligent. It covers fundamental concepts artificial intelligence, problem solving, knowledge representation, neural networks, machine learning, natural language processing, machine vision and expert systems.

## Objective:

The objective of this course is to introduce the basic principles, techniques, and applications of Artificial Intelligence. Upon the completion students will be able to:

- Gain fundamental concepts of principles of AI toward problem solving, inference, perception, knowledge representation, and learning.
- Investigate applications of AI techniques in expert systems, artificial neural networks and other machine learning models.

#### **Course Contents:**

## **UNIT 1: INTRODUCTION**

[6 Hrs.]

- 1.1 Intelligence, Intelligent behavior, Artificial Intelligence, Understanding AI based on thought process and behavior, Hard vs. Strong AI, Soft vs. Weak AI
- 1.2 Foundations of AI
- 1.3 Applications of AI
- 1.4 Intelligent Agents: Introduction of agents, Structure of Intelligent agent, Properties of Intelligent Agents, PEAS description of Agents, Types of Agents: Simple Reflexive, Model Based, Goal Based, Utility Based, Learning agent, Environment Types: Deterministic, Stochastic, Static, Dynamic, Observable, Semi-observable, Single Agent, Multi Agent

## UNIT 2:PROBLEM SOLVING METHODS

[12Hrs.]

- 2.1 Definition of a Problem, Problem as a state space representation, Problem formulation, Well-defined problems, Constraint satisfaction problem, Water jug problem, N-Queen problem, Cryptarithmetic problem, Graph coloring problem
- 2.2 Problem solving by searching, types of searching, Measuring problem solving performance, General State Space Search
- 2.3 Uninformed:Breadth-First Search, Depth-First Search, Depth-Limited Search, Iterative Deepening depth first Search, Bidirectional Search, Using uninformed search techniques for solving N-Queens Problem, Puzzle problem etc.
- 2.4 Informed search: Greedy Best-First Search, A\* Search, Optimality of A\*, Local search: Hill Climbing, Simulated Annealing, Using informed search techniques for solving N-Queens Problem, Puzzle problem etc.

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2.5 Game Playing, Optimal Decisions in Games, Alpha – Beta Pruning, Minimax Algorithm, Tic-Tac –Toe Problem, Stochastic Games

## UNIT 3: KNOWLEDGE REPRESENTATION AND REASONING[15Hrs.]

- 3.1 Definition and importance of Knowledge, Issues in Knowledge Representation, Knowledge Representation Systems, Properties of Knowledge Representation Systems, Types of Knowledge, The Role of Knowledge
- 3.2 Knowledge representation techniques: Rule Based, Semantic Nets, Frames, Logic based
- 3.3 Propositional Logic, Syntax and Semantic of propositional logic, Proof by Resolution, Conjunctive Normal Form (CNF), Resolution Algorithm, Limitations of Propositional Logic, Forward and Backward Chaining
- 3.4 Predicate Logic, FOPL, Syntax, Semantics, Quantification, horn clauses, Inference with FOPL: By converting into PL (Existential and universal instantiation), Rules of inference, Unification and lifting, CNF for FOPL, Inference using resolution, Resolution Refutation System (RRS)
- 3.5 Handling Uncertain Knowledge, Radom Variables, Prior and Posterior Probability, Inference using Full Joint Distribution, Bayes' Rule and its use, Bayesian Networks, Reasoning in Bayesian Networks

## **UNIT 4: LEARNING**

[4 Hrs.]

- 4.1 Concepts ofmachine learning
- 4.2 Rote learning, learning by analogy, inductive learning, Explanation based learning, Supervised and unsupervised learning, learning by evolution (genetic algorithm)

# UNIT 5: NEURAL NETWORKS AND NATURAL LANGUAGE PROCESSING [7Hrs.]

- 5.1 Introduction to artificial neural network, Mathematical model of neural network, types of neural network: feed-forward, feed-back, Gate realization using neural network, Learning in neural networks: Back propagation algorithm, Hopfield network, Boltzmann machines
- 5.2 Concepts of natural language understanding and natural language generation, Steps in natural language processing, Syntax analysis, Semantic analysis, Pragmatic analysis

## UNIT 6: EXPERT SYSTEM AND MACHINE VISION

[4 Hrs.]

6.1 Expert System, Architecture of an expert system, Stages of expert systems development.

6.2 Concept of Machine Vision. Steps of machine vision, application of machine vision

# Laboratory work:

Laboratory exercises can be conducted in LISP, PROLOG or any other high level programming language. Laboratory exercises must cover the concepts of rule based intelligent agents, inference and reasoning, search techniques, neural networks, etc. for solving practical problems.

## Reference Books:

- 1. Stuart Russel and Peter Norvig, Artificial Intelligence A Modern Approach, Pearson
- 2. E. Rich, K. Knight, Shivashankar B. Nair, Artificial Intelligence, Tata McGraw Hill.
- 3. George F. Luger, Artificial Intelligence: Structures and Strategies for Complex Problem Solving, Benjamin/Cummings Publication
- 4. D. W. Patterson, Artificial Intelligence and Expert Systems, Prentice Hall.
- 5. P. H. Winston, Artificial Intelligence, Addison Wesley.

