

Third Year B.C.A. (Under Science) Semester V

Course Code: BCA501

Course Title: Core Java

Total Contact Hours: 48 hrs.

Total Credits: 04

Total Marks: 100(60 Lectures)

Teaching Scheme: Theory- 05 Lect./ Week

Course Objectives:

The syllabus aims in equipping students with

- To understand fundamentals of object-oriented programming in Java, including defining classes, invoking methods, using class libraries, etc.
- To handle abnormal termination of a program using exception handling

To use the Java SDK environment to create, debug and run simple Java program

| Unit No. | Contents | No. of Lectures |
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| Unit 1 | Introduction to Java Basics of Programming Language <ul style="list-style-type: none">• History and Features of Java• JDK,JRE,JIT and JVM• Naming Convention• Simple java program• Java IDE –Eclipse/NetBeans (Note: Only for Lab Demonstration) Introduction to Java <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Data Types• Variable: final, static, abstract• Types of Comments• Array: 1D, 2D, Dynamic array using Vector• Accepting input using Command line argument Accepting input from console (Using BufferedReader and Scanner class) | 04 |
| Unit 2 | Usage of Objects and Classes <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Defining Your Own Classes• Access Specifiers (public, protected, private, default/friendly)• Array of Objects• Constructor, Overloading Constructors and use of ‘this’ Keyword• Predefined classes<ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ String class | 04 |

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| | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ StringBuffer class ➤ Wrapper class • Inner classes, Nested classes, local classes, Anonymous classes(Anonymous object) • Packages: Creation, Access and use • Garbage Collection (finalize() Method) | |
| Unit 3 | Inheritance and Interface <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Inheritance Basics (extends Keyword) • Types of Inheritance • Parent class, Child class and use of 'super' Keyword • Usage of final keyword related to method and class • Usage of abstract class and abstract methods • Interface: Defining and Implementing Interfaces • Runtime polymorphism using interface • Collection interface <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Collection framework ➤ Collection interfaces & classes- ArrayList,LinkedList,HashSet,TreeSet ➤ Iterator | 10 |
| Unit 4 | Exception Handling and I/O <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Exception handling fundamentals • Exception types • Exception class <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Checked exception ➤ Unchecked exception • Creating user defined exception • Uncaught exceptions • Assertions • Introduction to Java.io package • Byte streams • Character streams • File IO basics • Object serialization – Reader and Writer | 06 |
| Unit 5 | Swing , Applet programming <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • MVC(Model View Controller) • Swing components : JFrame, JPanel, JButton, JcheckBox, JtextField, JRadioButton, JLabel, JList, JDialog, JFileChooser, JColorChooser,JMenu • Applet fundamentals, Applet lifecycle, Creating and running applets | 07 |

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| | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Applets: Advantages and restrictions | |
| Unit 6 | Database Programming <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Introduction to JDBC: Architecture (2-tier, 3-tier) • JDBC Drivers • Connectivity with PostgreSQL: basic steps • JDBC statement: Statement, PreparedStatement, CallableStatement • JDBC ResultSet and types • JDBC Metadata – ResultSetMetaData, DatabaseMetaData Transactions: commit(), rollback(), SavePoint() | 06 |
| Unit 7 | Multithreading <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What are threads? • Life cycle of thread • Creating and using threads using Thread class and Runnable interface • Thread priorities • Running multiple threads, ThreadGroup class • Daemon thread • Synchronization and inter-thread communication(race condition using thread synchronization) | 07 |
| Unit 8 | Servlets <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Introduction to Servlet and Servlet types • Lifecycle of servlet • Handling HTTPRequest and HTTPResponse • HttpServlet: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Reading form data from servlet ➤ Servlet - Database communication • Session tracking –User Authorization, URL Rewriting, Hidden Form fields, Cookies and HttpSession • Servlet Programs | 08 |
| Unit 9 | Java Server Pages (JSP) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Introduction to JSP • Life cycle of JSP • Implicit Objects • Scripting elements –Declarations, Expressions, Scriptlets, Comments • JSP Directives – Page Directive, include directive • Simple first JSP program • Mixing Scriptlets and HTML Example of forwarding contents from database to servlet, servlet to JSP and displaying it using JSP scriptlet tag | 06 |

- Networking basics –Protocol, Addressing, DNS, URL, Socket, Port
- The java.net package-InetAddress, URL, URLConnection class, SocketServer and Socket class
- Creating a Socket to a remote host on a port (creating TCP client and server)
- Simple Socket Program Example

Reference Books:

1. Complete reference Java by Herbert Schildt(5th edition)
2. Java 2 Programming Black Book, Steven Horlzner
3. Programming with java, a Primer, 4th edition, By e balgurusamy
4. Core Java Volume I- Fundamentals, 8th edition, Cay S Horstmann,Gary Cornell, Prentice Hall, Sun MicroSystem Press
5. Core Java Volume II- Advance Features, 8th edition, Cay S Horstmann,Gary Cornell, Prentice Hall, Sun MicroSystem Press