

COURSE TITLE	APPLICATION TESTING
COURSE CODE	05MB0305
COURSE CREDITS	2

Objective:

- 1 Understand the core concepts, purpose, and methodologies of application testing.
- 2 Learn different levels and types of software testing and their importance in the software development life cycle.
- 3 Gain hands-on knowledge of writing and executing test cases manually and using automation tools.
- 4 Learn testing strategies for mobile, web, and cross-platform applications.
- 5 Understand bug life cycles, test reporting, and quality metrics to ensure reliable and efficient applications.

Course Outcomes: After completion of this course, student will be able to:

- 1 Explain the fundamentals, methodologies, and importance of application testing.
- 2 Differentiate between testing types, levels, and models used in software projects.
- 3 Create effective test plans, strategies, and test cases using industry practices.
- 4 Identify and manage bugs efficiently through test documentation and defect tracking.
- 5 Use popular automation testing tools for executing and reporting test results.
- 6 Apply specific testing techniques for mobile and cross-platform applications.

Pre-requisite of course: Basic Knowledge of Programming and Software Development Lifecycle

Teaching and Examination Scheme

Theory Hours	Tutorial Hours	Practical Hours	ESE	IA	CSE	Viva	Term Work
2	0	0	50	30	20	0	0

Contents : Unit	Topics	Contact Hours
1	Fundamentals of Application Testing Introduction to Software/Application Testing, Importance of Testing in SDLC, Principles of Testing, Types of Testing: Manual vs. Automation, Levels of Testing: Unit, Integration, System, Acceptance, Testing Models: Waterfall, V-Model, Agile Testing, Test Planning: Test Strategy, Test Plan Components, Entry and Exit Criteria, Test Case Design Techniques: Black Box, White Box, Equivalence Partitioning, Boundary Value Analysis, Bug/Defect Life Cycle, Test Reporting and Documentation	15

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2	Testing Tools, Automation, and Mobile App Testing Introduction to Automation Testing, Popular Tools: Selenium, Appium, JUnit/TestNG, Postman, Writing and Executing Automated Test Scripts, Regression Testing and Smoke/Sanity Testing, Performance Testing: JMeter Basics, Mobile Application Testing, Mobile Testing Types: Functional, UI, Compatibility, Performance, Testing Native, Web, and Hybrid Mobile Apps, Device and Emulator-Based Testing, Challenges in Mobile Testing - Introduction to CI/CD for Testing - Overview of Bug Tracking Tools (JIRA, Bugzilla)	15
Total Hours		30

Textbook :

- 1 Software Testing: Principles and Practices, Srinivasan Desikan, Gopaldaswamy Ramesh, Pearson Education India, 2005
- 2 Foundations of Software Testing, Dorothy Graham, Erik van Veenendaal, Cengage Learning, 2019

References:

- 1 Software Testing Techniques, Software Testing Techniques, Boris Beizer, Van Nostrand Reinhold Company, 1990
- 2 Full Stack Testing: A Practical Guide for Delivering High Quality Software, Full Stack Testing: A Practical Guide for Delivering High Quality Software, Gayathri Mohan, O'Reilly Media, Inc., 2022

Suggested Theory Distribution:

The suggested theory distribution as per Bloom's taxonomy is as follows. This distribution serves as guidelines for teachers and students to achieve effective teaching-learning process

Distribution of Theory for course delivery					
Remember / Knowledge	Understand	Apply	Analyze	Evaluate	Higher order Thinking / Creative
10.00	20.00	25.00	25.00	10.00	10.00

Instructional Method:

- 1 PPT, Board work

Supplementary Resources:

- 1 <https://www.softwaretestinghelp.com>
- 2 <https://www.guru99.com/software-testing.html>
- 3 <https://www.browserstack.com/guide/mobile-application-testing>