

Semester	2
Course ^{*1}	Multi-disciplinary
Paper Code	M1MT230211T
Paper Title	Symmetries and Patterns
No. of Credits ^{*2}	3
Theory / Practical / Composite	Theory
Minimum No. of preparatory hours per week a student has to devote	3
Number of Modules	Nil
Syllabus	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Nim Games (2), Magic square (2) Logic through puzzles (4) Kongsu Bridge Problem (2) Handshake problem (1) Graphs colouring problems, Hamiltonian, Eulerian through examples (5) Pigeon Hole principle(2) • Movement control and mathematical vectors (2) • Royal Hammer (2) Brujin Sequences, Universal Cycles (4) Gilbreath Principle (2)Mandelbrot Set(2) <p>Perfect shuffles, Monge Milk shuffles, Inside down under shuffles, Miracle Divination (5) Books of changes, Probability in book of changes, I ching and probability(4)</p>
Learning Outcomes ^{*3}	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Getting familiarized with the strange, semi-secret world of modern conjuring which are solely based on mathematical principles. • Identifying symmetries, patterns and mathematical properties of unusual shuffles thereby getting introduced to Mathematical Magic. <p>Getting introduced to many little-known theorems of advanced Mathematics and leading a path from delightful self-working magic tricks to serious math and then again back to magic.</p>
Reading/Reference Lists ^{*4}	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Jason Davison and Peter McQwan: Maths Made Magic

Diaconis and Graham: Magical Mathematics		
Evaluation	Theory CIA: 10+3+2=15 Semester Exam: 35	Practical (if applicable) CA: Semester Exam:
Paper Structure for Theory Semester Exam	7 questions each carrying 5 marks out of 11 questions	