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Action Taken Report on Curriculum Course: B.Sc Mathematics Academic Year: 2023-24

Action Taken Report on Curriculum Feedback from Stakeholders

Department: Department of Mathematics & Statistics Programme: BSC(MPCs/MECs/MSCs) Academic Year: 2023-24 Course: Mathematics

The feedback on curriculum from different stakeholders was collected and analyzed. Followings are the actions taken on the feedback

S. No	Stakeholder	Structured Feedback	Action taken
1	Students	 Create online feedback forms or platforms where students can easily provide input on the mathematics curriculum. Incorporate questions about the curriculum into course evaluations. Allow students to express their opinions, ask questions, and suggest improvements. Inquire about how students perceive the practical applicability of what they are learning in mathematics. Seek input from students on textbooks, online resources, and materials used in the curriculum. 	 Two years ago, online feedback forms were implemented and have been administered once per semester for each course. Questions about the curriculum have been included in course evaluations to gather detailed feedback. A platform was established for students to express their opinions, ask questions, and suggest improvements. Surveys were conducted to assess students' perceptions of the practical applicability of their learning in mathematics. Students' feedback on textbooks, online resources, and materials used in the curriculum was actively sought and

			considered.
			 Additional steps taken: Peer-peer learning groups, flipped classrooms, and activity-based learning were incorporated. Problem-solving sessions using MATLAB and MATHEMATICA were introduced for practical sessions. MOOCs and web resources were provided.
2	Faculty	 1.Presenting the course structure and simplification of course codes and Syllabus of B. Sc (MSCs/MPCs/MECs) Mathematics course of First Year Semester - I & II w. e. f. academic year 2023-24. 2.Presenting the Evaluation will be based on Blooms Taxonomy changed Internal and External model papers theory pattern w. e. f 2022-23 AY batch 3.Presenting list of examiners for discussion and approval. 4.More time you compilation of the syllabus 5.Need to improve software based practical, Practical component can be done using technical tools 	 It was resolved to approve the B.Sc (MPCs/MECs/MSCs) Mathematics course structures and course codes, and to simplify the syllabus for First Year Semester I & II, effective from the academic year 2023-24. It was resolved to approve the evaluation based on Bloom's Taxonomy and the new internal and external model papers theory pattern, effective from the 2023-24 academic year batch. It was resolved to approve the panel of examiners for theory and practical examinations. A semester-wise almanac was initiated to allow more time for syllabus compilation. Problem-solving sessions using MATLAB, MATHEMATICA, and Geogebra were introduced for practical sessions to improve software-based practical components.
3	Alumni	 1.Pay particular attention to feedback related to the outcomes of the mathematics program, such as the effectiveness of mathematical concepts learned, problem-solving skills acquired, and preparation for further education or careers in mathematics-related fields. 2.Highlight and analyze success stories from alumni who have excelled in their careers or further 	 Internships, value-added certificate courses, and skill enhancement courses are facilitated for interested students. Career counseling is conducted through workshops and CRT programs. Guest lectures, student workshops, and exhibits are arranged. Departmental "Number Nerd's" club activities are organized.

		studies due to their mathematics education. These stories can provide valuable insights into the program strengths. 3.Assess feedback regarding the teaching faculty, including their expertise, accessibility, and their ability to inspire a passion for mathematics among students. 4.Analyze feedback regarding extracurricular activities related to mathematics, such as math clubs, competitions, or research opportunities. Evaluate whether these activities added value to the program. 5.Encourage ongoing engagement with alumni, not just for feedback collection but also for mentoring, guest lectures, and participation in program development.	5. Alumni engagement initiatives have been implemented and are administered once per semester.
4	Employer/ Industry Expert	 1.Syllabus is sufficiently relevant to the industry needs, but need to introduce more technical oriented papers 2.Focus on problems in each and every course included and make a component in evaluation process also 3.Practical work needs to be given greater importance, which enables the students to get acquainted with market needs 4.Include certification course in finance as subject in curriculum 	 Conducted industrial visits to align the syllabus with industry needs. Collaborated with industry experts to ensure the curriculum is industry-friendly and aligned with the New Education Policy (NEP), focusing on enhancing students' employability and skills. Enhanced the importance of practical work by conducting sessions using mathematics software and technical tools. Introduced a generic elective course, "Mathematics for Economics and Finance," to provide certification in finance as part of the curriculum.
5	Parent	 1.Establish a parent advisory committee specifically for mathematics education 2.Share examples of mathematics homework and assignments with parents. 3.Include information on areas of 	 Established a digital library with 10 systems available for student use. Provided skill-based assignments for individual students. Encouraged student participation in

strength and areas that may need	various co-curricular activities.
improvement. 4.Engage with PTAs to facilitate discussions about curriculum-related	4. Conducted parent-teacher meetings once per semester.
matters. 5.Act upon the feedback received and communicate the actions taken to address concerns or make improvements. Maintain transparency throughout the process.	5. Incorporated mentorship for students and parents.

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