



Indraprastha College for Women

University of Delhi

Course Name:	Generic Elective Course
Paper Title:	Numerical Methods
Unique Paper Code:	
Semester:	V
Faculty(s):	Dr Suman
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Work Plan			
Period	Unit No.	Learning Objective	Topics to be Covered

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	DISBERSAL OF CLASSES			
Unit	TOPICS			
I	Errors and Roots of Transcendental and Polynomial Equations Errors: Roundoff error, Local truncation error, Global truncation error; Order of a meth Convergence, and terminal conditions; Bisection method, Secant method, Regula–Fals method, Newton–Raphson method.			
II	Algebraic Linear Systems and Interpolation Gaussian elimination method (with row pivoting); Iterative methods: Jacobi meth Gauss–Seidel method; Interpolation: Lagrange form, Newton form, Finite differe operators.			
III	Numerical Differentiation, Integration and ODE First and second order numerical derivatives; Trapezoidal rule, Simpson’s rule for numerical integration; Ordinary differential equation: Euler’s, and Runge-Kutta method.			
S. No.	Name of Authors/Books/Publishers			
1.	Chapra, Steven C. (2018), Applied Numerical Methods with MATLAB for Engineers a Scientists (4th ed.). McGraw-Hill Education.			
2.	Fausett, Laurene V.(2009), Applied Numerical Analysis Using MATLAB. Pearson. Indi			