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**(Semester - 1 and Semester - 2)**  
**Saurashtra University**  
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**CS-01: PROBLEM SOLVING METHODOLOGIS AND PROGRAMMING IN C**

**Objectives:**

- To develop basic programming skill and logic, concept of memory management and file handling.
- To be able to understand preprogramming techniques
- To become familiar with programming concepts
- To become familiar with different problem-solving methodologies

**Prerequisites:**

- Basic Computer Skills and Command-line knowledge

Unit No.	Topic	Detail
1	<b>Introduction of C Language</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Introduction of Computer Languages</li> <li>• Introduction of Programming Concept</li> <li>• Introduction of C Language (History &amp; Overview)</li> <li>• Difference between traditional and modern c.</li> <li>• C character set</li> <li>• C tokens                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Keywords</li> <li>▪ Constants</li> <li>▪ Strings</li> <li>▪ Identifiers and variables</li> <li>▪ Operators (all 8 operators)</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Hierarchy of operators</li> <li>• Type casting</li> <li>• Data types in c</li> <li>• PRE-PROCESSORS IN C</li> </ul>
	<b>Introduction of Logic Development Tools</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Introduction of Logic.</li> <li>• Necessary Instructions for Developing Logic</li> <li>• Basics of Flow Chart</li> <li>• Dry-run and its Use.</li> <li>• Other Logic development techniques</li> </ul>
2	<b>Control Structures</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Selective control structure                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ If statements</li> <li>▪ Switch statement</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Conditional ternary operator</li> <li>• Iterative (looping) control statements                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ For loop</li> <li>▪ Do...while loop</li> <li>▪ While loop</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Nesting of loops</li> </ul>

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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Jumping statements <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Break, Continue and Goto statements</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
<b>3</b>	<b>Functions (Inbuilt and User Defined)</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Types of library functions <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ String Function: strcpy, strncpy, strcat, strncat, strchr, strrchr, strcmp, strncmp, strstr, strspn, strcspn, strlen, strpbrk, strtok</li> <li>▪ Mathematical Functions: acos, asin, atan, ceil, cos, div, exp, fabs, floor, fmod, log, modf, pow, sin, sqrt</li> <li>▪ I/O Formatting Functions: printf, scanf, getc, getchar, gets, putc, putchar, puts, ungetc</li> <li>▪ Miscellaneous Functions: delay, clrscr, clearer, errno, isalnum, isalpha, isdigit, islower, isspace, isupper, isxdigit, toupper, tolower</li> <li>▪ Standard Library functions: abs , atof , atol , exit , free, labs , rand , strtoul , srand</li> <li>▪ Memory Allocation Functions: malloc , realloc , calloc</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Types of user defined functions</li> <li>• Function call by value</li> <li>• Function call by reference</li> <li>• Recursion</li> <li>• Storage classes</li> <li>• Passing and returning values</li> </ul>
<b>4</b>	<b>Array</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Types of arrays <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Single dimensional array</li> <li>▪ Two dimensional array</li> <li>▪ Multi-dimensional array</li> <li>▪ String arrays</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Use of Arrays in Programming</li> <li>• Arrays and Matrices</li> </ul>
	<b>Pointers</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Introduction of Pointers</li> <li>• Use of pointers in Dynamic Programming</li> <li>• Pointer to Variables</li> <li>• Pointer to Array</li> <li>• Pointer within Array</li> <li>• Array of Pointer</li> <li>• Pointer To Structure</li> <li>• Pointers within structure</li> <li>• Pointer to Pointer</li> <li>• Dangling Pointer Problem</li> </ul>
<b>5</b>	<b>User Defined Data Type – Structure, Union &amp; enum</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• What is structure</li> <li>• Initializations and declarations</li> <li>• Memory allocation functions</li> <li>• Pointers with structures</li> <li>• Array with structures</li> </ul>

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• User defined function with structures</li><li>• Nested structures</li><li>• Introduction to union</li><li>• Difference between Structure &amp; Union</li><li>• Enumerated Type</li></ul>
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Seminar - 5 Lectures  
Expert Talk - 5 Lectures  
Test - 5 Lectures

**Total Lectures 60 + 15 = 75**

**Reference Books:**

1. Programming in C, by Pradip Dey & Manas Ghosh, Publisher – Oxford
2. C: The Complete Reference, by Herbert Schildt, Publisher – Tata McGraw Hill.
3. Programming in ANSI C Author : E. Balaguruswami.
4. Schaum's Outline of Programming with C, By: Byron Gottfried, Publisher Shaum Series
5. Programming with ANSI and Turbo C, by Ashok N Kamthane, Publisher – Pearson Education
6. Let Us C Author : Yashwant Kanetkar.
7. Working with C Author: Yashwant Kanitkar.

**Course Outcome:**

- ✓ Able to illustrate and explain basic concepts of programming
- ✓ Able to understand the concept of control statements.
- ✓ Able to translate the real-life situations in programming form and solve them using some fundamentals of Programming.
- ✓ Able to translate the real-life situations in programming form and solve them by storing data into files and analysed user defined data types and test and detect that it is optimized applications.