

B.C.A. (Honours) & B.C.A. (Honours with Research) (Semester - 1 and Semester - 2) Saurashtra University To be effective from June – 2023

CS-07: Mathematics in Ancient India: Exploring the Rich Heritage of Vedic Mathematics

Objectives:

- Helps students understand the contributions made by ancient civilizations to the field of mathematics.
- Ancient mathematics helps to establish connections between past and present mathematical ideas.
- Exploring Mathematical concepts.

Prerequisites:

• Eagerness to know rich heritage of Indian Mathematics.

Unit No.	Topic	Details
1	Biographies of Ancient Indian Mathematicians	 A brief introduction to the lives and information on the works of the following mathematicians: Aryabhata, Varahmihira, Brahmagupta, Bhaskara I & II
2	Biographies of Remarkable Indian Mathematicians	 A brief introduction to the lives and information on the works of the following mathematicians: Shrinivasa Ramanujan, C. R. Rao, P. C. Mahalanobis, D. R. Kaprekar, Satyendranath Bose, Shakuntala Devi
3	Vedic Mathematics and Mathematics	 Overview of Vedic Mathematics and its historical background. Introduction to the 16 Sutras and 13 Upa-Sutras used in Vedic Mathematics. Use of Vedic Mathematics Importance of Vedic Mathematics

Course Outcome:

- > Student will know the Mathematical advancements of Ancient India.
- > Student will gain a deeper understanding of the historical development of mathematics in ancient civilizations.
- ➤ Enhance their problem-solving skills and discovering the connections between ancient mathematical ideas and modern mathematical concepts.

Reference Books:

- The History of Ancient Indian Mathematics. The World Press Private Ltd. Calcutta. Digitized Book (2009) Srinivasiengar, C. N. (1988).
- "Vedic Mathematics" by Swami Bharati Krishna Tirtha