Paper-IV (MIT-104/MCA-201):Data Structure

UNIT-I

Data Type - Data Object - Data Structure : Data abstraction and abstract data type; Notion of an algorithm - Complexity measures : Rate of growth, basic time analysis of an algorithm; ordering notion - detailed timing analysis - space complexity.

Arrays: Arrays and their representation-Single and multidimensional arrays-row major and column major ordering-address calculation.

Linked lists: Pointers and their uses- Continuous vs linked storage. Singly and doubly linked lists-Operations on lists-representation of Sparse matrices and polynomials using lists-Circular lists-generalized lists

UNIT-II

Storage management: Dynamic storage management-Reclamation and compaction-Boundary Tag method.

Stacks and Queues: Stacks and Queues-representation and Manipulation-Uses of stacks and Queues-Recursion, polish expressions

UNIT-III

Trees: Trees-Binary and N-ary trees-Representation of trees-Tree traversal algorithms-Threaded trees and advantages-Conversion of general trees to Binary trees-B trees-Applications: Decision trees, Game trees and expression parsing.

UNIT-IV

Graphs: Graphs and their representations**:** Matrix representation-List structure-Graph traversal algorithm, Application of graphs.

Strings and their features: Strings-Representation and Manipulation using Arrays and lists-String matching algorithms. Brute force, Knuth-Morris-Pratt and Boyer-Moore strategies.

UNIT-V

Sorting and Searching: Searching and sorting-Sequential, Binary and hashed Searching-Bubble sort, Insertion sort, shell sort, Merge sort and Quick sort-Comparison.

Tables: Decision tables-Symbol tables-Hash Tables-Examples of representation and implementation-Applications.

Reccomended Books :

1. Aho A.V. & Ullman J.E. : Data Structure & Algorithms
2. Aron M. Tannenbaum & Others : Data Structures using C
3. Mary E.S. Loomis : Data Management & File Structures
4. Bhagat Singh & Thomas Naps : Intrioduction to Data Structures
5. Trembley & Sorenson : An Introduction to Data Structures with Applications