

CS/SEC/T/250: Introduction to IoT

Total Credits : 01

Total Contact Hours : 15 Hrs.

Maximum Marks : 50

Prerequisites: Basic knowledge of Digital Electronics and Microprocessor (Suggest to selected Computer System Architecture as minor in the III Semester)

Learning Objectives of the Course:

- i) To introduce the basic concepts and applications of the Internet of Things.
- ii) To familiarize students with the components and architecture of IoT systems.
- iii) To provide an overview of IoT communication protocols and technologies.
- iv) To encourage students to explore simple IoT-based projects or case studies.
- v) To develop a foundational understanding of how IoT impacts real-world domains.

Course Outcomes (COs) :

After completion of the course, students will be able to

- i) Understand the fundamental concepts and terminology of IoT.
- ii) Identify the key components and architecture of IoT systems.
- iii) Recognize various sensors, actuators, and communication protocols used in IoT.
- iv) Appreciate the scope and applications of IoT across industries.
- v) Demonstrate basic knowledge through a simple hands-on activity or mini-project.

Module No.	Topics / Actual Contents of the Syllabus	Contact Hours
I	Introduction to IoT: Definition, history, and evolution of IoT, Characteristics of IoT, IoT vs. traditional internet IoT Architecture: Four-layer architecture: Perception, Network, Processing, and Application layers, Devices, sensors, and actuators, Microcontrollers (basic overview: Arduino, ESP8266, Raspberry Pi).	05 Hrs.
II	Communication Technologies: Wired and wireless communication, Bluetooth, Wi-Fi, Zigbee, LoRa, and MQTT overview, Cloud platforms for IoT (intro to platforms like ThingSpeak or Blynk).	05 Hrs.
III	Applications of IoT: Smart homes, smart cities, healthcare, agriculture, environment, and industry, Case studies and real-world examples.	05 Hrs.

References:

1. "Internet of Things: A Hands-On Approach" – Arshdeep Bahga, Vijay Madisetti, Universities Press.
2. "Designing the Internet of Things" – Adrian McEwen, Hakim Cassimally, Wiley.
3. "Internet of Things: Architecture and Design Principles", Raj Kamal, McGraw Hill.
4. "Internet of Things: Principles and Applications"- Jivan S. Parab, Rajendra S. Gad, Chapman and Hall/CRC.