Course Code Course Title	EM 315 Numerical Methods for
No. of Credits Pre-requisites	Civil Engineers 2
Compulsory/Optional	- Compulsory

**Aim(s):** To introduce numerical methods for solving mathematical models of Civil Engineering problems.

## **Intended Learning Outcomes:**

On successful completion of the course, the students should be able to:

- Explain, apply and analyze numerical methods for finding roots of equations, interpolation and curve fitting.
- Explain, apply and analyze numerical methods for solving ordinary and partial differential equations.
- Select suitable algorithms and apply for solving partial differential equations related to Civil Engineering problems

Time Allocation (Hours): Lectures 26 Tutorials 04 Practical Assignments

## Course content/Course description:

- Error analysis
- **Solutions to nonlinear equations:** bisection method; method of false position; fixed-point iteration; Newton-Raphson's method; secant method.
- Numerical solutions to systems of linear equations:
   Gaussian elimination; Jacobi method; Gauss Seidel method
- **Interpolation:** Newton interpolating polynomial; Lagrange interpolating polynomial; Spline interpolation.
- Approximation and curve fitting: Linear regression; polynomial regression;
- Numerical Quadrature: Gaussian Quadrature
- Numerical solutions to ordinary differential equations:
   Initial value problems: Euler method, Runge Kutta methods;
   Boundary value problem: Finite difference method
- Numerical solutions for partial differential equations:
   Finite difference method: Elliptic equations: 1D and multi-dimensional problems;
   parabolic problems:

**Integral Equation Methods**: Collocation method, Galerkin method and Weighted Residual method;

## Recommended Texts:

 C. Chapra and R.P.Canale, (2010). Numerical Methods for Engineers, 6<sup>th</sup> edition, McGraw-Hill.

Assessment	Percentage Mark
In-course	
Tutorials/Quizzes	20

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50