# Hemchandracharya

North Gujarat University
Patan

Syllabus for Master of Philosophy (Commerce)

(M. Phil. Programme)

(CBCS Pattern)

Enforced from June-2011 Department of Commerce

## HEMCHANDRACHARYA NORTH GUJARAT UNIVERSITY, PATAN

## SYLLABUS FOR MASTER OF PHILOSOPHY (M. Phil.) COMMERCE (Enforce from June-2011)

#### **OBJECTIVES**

- 1. To get the students acquainted with the various fields of Commerce such as Accountancy, Commerce, Management, Economics, Statistics etc.
- 2. To enable the students to undertake or to take keen interest in advanced research work in Commerce.
- 3. To enable the students to undertake major/minor research project s independently in trade and industry.
- 4. To make the students familiar with responsible positions in:
  - a) Colleges of Commerce and other Educational Institutions.
  - b) Institution engaged in Commercial research, Commercial planning, Educational technology and Commercial administration
- 5. In short, to make the student meet the global challenges.

#### M. Phil. Commerce R. 1

Total number of seats available for M. Phil. (Commerce) programme is 20.

#### M. Phil. Commerce R. 2

Any applicant who has taken the Master of Commerce Degree with minimum 50% (45% for SC & ST students) from this university or any other recognized university as equivalent thereof may be admitted to the examination for the Programme of M. Phil in commerce, after having fulfilled the requirements as laid down by the University from time to time.

#### M. Phil. Commerce R. 3

A candidate desiring to appear at the M. Phil. (Commerce) Examination shall have to undergo a regular course of study in Department of Commerce.

#### M. Phil. Commerce R. 4

The M. Phil. Programme is divided into two semesters. Course will consist of three core courses and one elective course. Dissertation will carry 200 marks including 50 marks for viva-voce.

#### M. Phil. Commerce R. 5

The dissertation shall be on topics related to Commerce approved by the university. The students must submit and present their research proposals to the committee within the stipulated time. The Committee will approve the research proposal after necessary discussion. The Department of Commerce shall submit all these approved research topics to the university before 30<sup>th</sup> September.

#### M. Phil. Commerce R. 6

The University teacher or the recognized post-graduate teacher shall guide the students to prepare the dissertation for the M. Phil. programme as shown in table-1 & 2. Research guidance period shall be considered equivalent to teaching period.

#### M. Phil. Commerce R. 7

The student appearing at M. Phil. Examination must submit the dissertation before 30<sup>th</sup> April. A student can not appear at the Second Semester University Examination without submitting the dissertation.

#### M. Phil. Commerce R. 8

Two copies of the dissertation shall be submitted along with CD (soft copy) to the university.

#### M. Phil. Commerce R. 9

The following tables 1, 2 & 3 show the detailed information of the syllabus of the two Semesters:

Table – 1 :: Semester – I

	Courses		Credits		No	o of Hou	rs		Marks	
	Core Courses	Teaching	Self Learning	Total	Teaching	Self Learning	Total	External	Internal	Total
CC 101	Research Methodology - I	3	1	4	45	30	75	70	30	100
CC 102	Advanced Accountancy - II	3	1	4	45	30	75	70	30	100
			Ele	ective Cou	ırses (Any	One)				
EC 103	Accountancy - III									
EC 104	Business management - III	3	1	4	45	30	75	70	30	100
EC 105	Operation Research & Quality Management - III	_		_	_	_				
Seme	ster – I Total	09	03	12	135	90	225	210	90	300

Table-2:: Semester - II

	Courses		Credits		No	o of Hou	rs			
	Core Courses	Teaching	Self Learning	Total	Teaching	Self Learning	Total	External	Internal	Total
CC 201	Advanced Accountancy – IV	3	1	4	45	30	75	70	30	100
D202	Dissertation	4	4	8	60	120	180	150+ 50 viva	0	200
Semester – II Total		07	05	12	105	150	255	270	30	300

Table-3 Summary of M. Phil. CBCS Programme

Semester		Credits		No	o of Hours			Marks	
	Teaching	Self	Total	Teaching	Self	Total	External	Internal	Total
		Learning			Learning				
Semester-I	09	03	12	135	90	225	210	90	300
Total									
Semester-II	07	05	12	105	150	255	270	30	300
Total									
Total	16	08	24	240	240	480	480	120	600

#### **Description of Internal Marks**

	Description	Marks
	Test	15
Internal	Term paper	05
Marks for each	Quiz/Seminar/group discussion	05
course	Attendance	05
	Total	30

#### M. Phil. Commerce R. 10

#### **Standard of Passing and Grade Distribution**

- To pass the M. Phil. First Semester examination a candidate must obtain at least 40 percent of the marks in each course and has to secure 50 percent in aggregate of the three courses.
- To pass the M. Phil. Second Semester examination a candidate must obtain at least 50 percent of the marks. Candidate has to obtain 50 percentages in Dissertation.
- Criteria for getting class for the student passing the examination successfully are as under.

## **Grading Pattern:**

Table- 4

Grade Points	Description	% of Marks	Division/Grade
10	Outstanding	90% 99%	First with Dist./O
9	Excellence	80% 89%	First with Dist./A
8	Very Good	70% 79%	First with Dist./B
7	Good	60% 69%	First/C
6	Fair	50% 59%	Second/D
5	Average	40% 49%	Pass/E
4	Dropped	Below 40%	F

**Semester Grade Point Average (SGPA)** indicates the performance of a student in a given Semester. SGPA is based on the total credit points earned by the student in all the courses and the total number of credits assigned to each course in a Semester.

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## Grade point secured for the course

SGPA = Total credit points earned by a student in a Semester/Total credits for that Semester

#### For Example

Table-5

Course	Credit	% Obtained by	Grade	Grade	Credit Assigned
		Students	Letter	point	× Grade Point
M. Phil. CC101	4	65	С	7	4×7=28
M. Phil. CC102	4	70	В	8	4×8=32
M. Phil. CC103	4	48	D	5	4×5=20
Total	12				80

SGPA = 8012 = 6.666

Percentage for Semester-I is 6.666×10=66.66

**Cumulative Grade Point Average (CGPA)** is obtained by dividing the total numbers of Credit Points earned in two Semester by the total number of credits in two Semester s.

### For Example:

Table-6

	Total Credit	Credit Assigned × Grade Point
Semester-I	12	80
Semester-II	12	90
	24	170

CGPA=170/24=7.083

**Grade B. First with Distinction** 

The class/Division shall be awarded on the basis of CGPA (Cumulative Grade Point Average).

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Table-7

No.	Division	Grade Letter	Grade Point
1	First with Distinction	O - CGPA	9.00 to 10.00
2	First with Distinction	A - CGPA	8.00 to 8.99
3	First with Distinction	B - CGPA	7.00 to 7.99
4	First	C – CGPA	6.00 to 6.99
5	Second	D – CGPA	5.00 to 5.99
6	Pass	E – CGPA	4.00 to 4.99
7	Dropped	F	Below 4.00

The percentage equivalent may be obtained by multiplying CGPA by 10. Percentage for entire course is 7.083×10=70.83

#### M. Phil. Commerce R. 11

If a candidate passes in the dissertation but fails in the aggregate of courses, the marks obtained by him in the dissertation shall be carried over to the subsequent Semester or Semesters. If a candidate passes in the aggregate of courses and fails in the dissertation only, the marks obtained by him in the courses shall be carried over to the subsequent Semester or Semesters and he shall be at liberty to revise and re-submit the dissertation or to submit fresh dissertation in the subsequent Semester or Semesters.

If a candidate fails in aggregate of courses, he may be exempted from appearing in course or courses wherein he or she has secured minimum 50 percent marks.

Candidates whose marks are carried over under this regulation shall be declared to have passed the examination but shall not be eligible for any university awards.

Candidate will be eligible for university awards, rank and Gold medal provided he/she clears the semesters in regular course and at first attempt.

#### M. Phil. Commerce R. 12

- i. Candidate not able to clear first semester examination will be eligible to join the second semester and will have to clear the first semester along with the second semester.
- ii. University rank and gold medal will be awarded to a candidate on external marks only, excluding dissertation and Field Based Experience.

#### M. Phil. Commerce R. 13

Attendance: It is mandatory for every student to keep 75% of attendance in the department /Centre. Head/ Principal may condone the attendance of any student not more than 10 % of total attendance to be kept by the student for a genuine and valid reason. In case of serious illness or under extraordinary circumstances, on recommendation of the Head/Principal, the Executive council shall decide to condone the required attendance of any student. Further provided that, any student participating in sports/cultural activities to represent the university at state or national level the Head/Principal shall condone these days as attendance for want of completion of the required attendance by of the department/Institute.

#### M. Phil. Commerce R. 14

**Rules for Granting Term:** A student is entitled to appear in final examination if he/she has kept 75% of attendance, obtained minimum marks in the Continuous Internal Evaluation (CIE) in the first Semester can secure admission to the second Semester.

#### M. Phil. Commerce R. 15

**Continuous Evaluation:** As a part of CBCS, Continuous Internal Evaluation (CIE) should be done by the department/colleges as mentioned in description of internal marks (Table 1, 2 &3). The internal marks of each test, term-paper, fieldwork and attendance should be declared on notice board within a week of completion of those activities.

## **Master of Philosophy**

#### Commerce

#### **SEMESTER - I**

## CC 101: Research Methodology (Paper - I)

## **OBJECTIVES:**

- 1. To develop awareness about the contemporary debates on the status of scientific inquiry.
- 2. To develop understanding about the various perspectives of research in commerce.
- 3.To develop understanding about the advanced inferential statistical designs and procedures.
- 4. To develop various skills required for the application of advanced statistical techniques.

Unit	Content	%
1	Research, Research Process and Research Problem	25
	Meaning, characteristics and need of research	
	• Types of research – Basic research, Applied research, Action	
	research, Survey research, Library research and Laboratory	
	research	
	Ethical considerations in research	
	Factors hindering research	
	Source of research problem.	
	Characteristics of a research problem	
	Criteria used in Selecting a research problem	
	<ul> <li>Narrowing the rang of the problem</li> </ul>	
	Drafting a research proposal	
2	Steps in the Research Process and tools of research	25
_	Identifying a problem	23
	<ul> <li>Constructing a hypothesis / objectives / questions.</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>Reviewing the literature.</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>Identifying and labeling variables.</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>Constructing operational definitions.</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>Manipulating and controlling variables.</li> </ul>	
	Sampling procedures.	
	<ul> <li>Decision regarding tools to be used and preparation thereof.</li> </ul>	
	Data collection	
	Statistical analysis and interpretation	
	Writing a research report.	
	• Tools of research –	
	1. Questionnaire :	
	<ul> <li>Advantages and disadvantages of questionnaires.</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>Forms of questionnaires.</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>Types of questionnaires items.</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>Questionnaires format.</li> </ul>	
	Preliminary tryout.	
	<ul> <li>Techniques for usable returns.</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>Ratability and validity of questionnaires.</li> </ul>	
	2. Interview	
	Advantages and disadvantages of interview	
	- Maranages and disadvantages of interview	<u> </u>

	Effect of interview on data collection	
	Reliability, objective and validity of interview	
	Biasing factors in the interview.	
	Types of interview: individual and group, structured and	
	unstructured.	
	• Conduct of interview.	
	3. Observation	
	Simple Observation: In controlled, participant & nonparticipant.  Aid in simple observation.	
	Aid in simple observation.  Systematic phase various Control over the phase var and phase various.	
	<ul> <li>Systematic observation: Control over the observer and observed.</li> <li>4. Rating Scale</li> </ul>	
	Numerical scales.	
	<ul><li>Graphic scales.</li></ul>	
	<ul> <li>Descriptive graphic scales</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>Rule for constructing scales.</li> </ul>	
	5. <b>Other Tools:</b> Checklist., The semantic differential.	
3	Sampling Techniques and treatment of data	25
	Procedure for selecting a sample	
	• Sampling techniques – (a) Probability sampling: Random	
	sampling, Stratified sampling, Systematic sampling and cluster	
	sampling; (b) Non-probability sampling: Convenient sampling,	
	Purposive sampling and Quota sampling; (c) Specific sampling:	
	Matched pairs, Double stage and Snowball	
	Determination of sample size both for continuous data and	
	attribute data	
	Classification of data.	
	Qualification and description of data.	
	Types of scores: Continuous scores, rank scores, dichotomies,	
	categories	
	General descriptive statistics and statistical in reference.	
	Conclusion and generalizations.	
4	Descriptive Statistics Informer Statistics and writing research report	25
4	<ul> <li>Descriptive Statistics, Inference Statistics and writing research report</li> <li>Skills of measurement, central tendency, variability, their</li> </ul>	23
	calculations	
	Normal distribution, Co-relation (Linear co-relation)	
	Rank, Differences, regression analysis	
	<ul> <li>Descriptive analysis</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>Hypothesis testing, null and alternative hypothesis, type - 1 and</li> </ul>	
	type – 2 errors, power of the test, level of significance, small and	
	large sample tests of significance : Z – test of hypothesis of	
	mean, P – value approach to hypothesis testing one tailed and	
	two tailed tests, t – test for single mean and for differences in	
	two means, F - test, X2 - test, ANOVA (one - way	
	classification) only introduction as an application, regression	
	analysis	
	• Non-parametric tests, run test, Chi-square test (X2), Sign test.	
	• Format, style, typing, quotations, bibliography, pagination,	
	tables, figure, graph, cauterization(division s of a report)	
	Introduction section.	
1	Review of the literature section.	1
	Methods section.	

- Result section.
- Summary and discussion section.
- References.
- Abstract.
- Mistakes in preparing research reports.

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## CC 102 : Advanced Accountancy (Paper – II)

Unit	Content	%
1	ACCOUNTING STANDARDS AND IFRS	25
	Theory and practical applications (i.e. including practical questions) of	
	following AS	
	(A) Accounting Standards	
	AS - 2 : Inventory Valuation	
	AS - 9 : Revenue Recognition	
	AS - 10 : Accounting for fixed assets	
	AS - 12 : Accounting for the changes in foreign exchange	
	AS - 16 : Accounting for government grants	
	AS – 20 : Earning per share	
	(B) International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS)	
	Origin, need and standards setting system	
2	INFLATION ACCOUNTING	25
	Need, Objectives, Advantages and Limitations,	
	Methods: Current Purchasing Power method and Current Cost Method	
3	FINANCIAL STATEMENT ANALYSIS	25
	(A) Ratio analysis	
	Introduction, advantages and limitations,	
	Classification of accounting ratios.	
	Profitability ratios, Turnover ratios, Financial ratios - Solvency and	
	liquidity,	
	Accounting Standard -20 (Earning per share)	
	(B) Cash flow analysis (AS - 3)	
	Introduction, Definition, Classification of activities, non cash	
	transactions, Advantages and limitations, the direct method and	
	the indirect method,	
	Distinction between Cash Flow Statement and Income Statement	
	Distinction between Cash Flow Statement and Fund Flow	
	Statement	
	Accounting Standard - 3	
4	PRICING DECISIONS	25
	(A) Meaning, Definition, Objectives	
	(B) Factors affecting pricing decision	
	(C) Role of cost in pricing	
	(D) Relationship among demand supply and cost	

EC 103: New Concepts Directions in Accountancy and Management (Paper - III)

Unit	Content	%
1	Management in 21st Century	25
	1. Nature of Organization in 21st Century	
	2. Establishment of	
	3. Establishment of Innovative Organization	
	4. Global Companies and Knowledge Management	
	5. Entrepreneurship	
	6. Networking	
	7. Holistic Marketing	
	8. Company and new Inventions	
	9. Flexible Production system	
	10. Comparative advantages through new products	
	11. New Products and Team Building	
	12. Brand Equity and in the mind of customer	
	13. Establishment of Brand Equity	
	14. Brand Positioning	
	15. Business process re-engineering	
	16. Kaizan: Japanese technique	
	17. Franchises	
	18. Total Quality Management	
	19. Contract system in Management	
	20. Marketing in Indian Villages	
	21. Expansion through Mergers and Acquisitions	
2	Some Management concepts	25
	1. Management of Risk	
	2. Quality Management	
	3. Knowledge Management	
	4. Crisis Management	
	5. Management of Innovation	
	6. Management of Information Technology	
	7. Management of Intelligence	
3	Developments in Accounting	25
	1. Interim Reporting,	
	2. Segment Reporting	
	3. Economic Value Added statements	
	4. Accounting for Intangible Accounting	
	5. Accounting for Financial Instruments	
4	Management for Some Specific Organizations	25
	Hospital Management	
	2. Management of Multinational Companies	
	3. Management of Service Industry	
	4. Management of Non-Profit Organization	
	5. Tourism Management	
	6. Hotel Management	
	7. Management of Public Sector Enterprises	
	8. Co-operative Management	

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EC 104: Business Management (Paper - III)

Unit	Content	%
1	Nature of management and Organizational change	25
	• Concept of management - Meaning, management as an art, a	
	science and a profession	
	<ul> <li>Universality of management and functions of management</li> </ul>	
	Importance of management	
	• Recent management techniques: Benchmarking, corporate	
	governance, B.P.O., Business process reengineering, T.Q.M. and	
	J.I.T.	
	<ul> <li>Nature of organizational change</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>Factors in organizational change</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>Process of planned change</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>Human response to change</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>Role of change agent</li> </ul>	
2	Social and ethical issues in management	25
	<ul> <li>Social responsibility of manager</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>Arguments for and against social responsibility</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>Approaches for measuring social performance</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>Operation of social responsibility in India</li> </ul>	
	• Ethical issues in management - Concept, Need for ethics in	
	management and ethics in management	
3	Conflict management and Co-ordination	25
	<ul> <li>Concept - Meaning, features and need for conflict in an organization</li> </ul>	
	Functional and dysfunctional aspect of conflict	
	Individual level and Interpersonal conflict	
	Conflict management - Johari Window	
	Need for coordination	
	Types of coordination	
	<ul> <li>Techniques of effective coordination</li> </ul>	
4	Communication and management information System	25
	<ul> <li>Concept</li> </ul>	
	Elements of communication process	
	Communication symbols: Oral, written, Nonverbal	
	Communication network	
	Barriers in communication	
	<ul> <li>Steps for making communication effective</li> </ul>	
	Concept of Management Information System	
	<ul> <li>Characteristics of information</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>Information systems</li> </ul>	
	M I S services	
	• Implementing an MIS	
	Organizational impact of information      Rooks	

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EC 105: Operation Research and Quality Management (Paper - III)

Unit	Content	%
1	Introduction to operation Research Definitions of O.R., Nature and Scope of O.R. Phases of O.R., Different types of Models in O.R., Iconic or Physical models, Analogue or Schematic models, Sybalic models, deterministic models, Probabilistic models, General models, Dynamic models, Heuristic models, Types of Mathematical models, Advantages of models, Decision theory, Decision making under Certainly, Risk and Uncertainly Conditions. Introduction, Applications of O.R. in the fields of Marketing, Finance, Planning. Limitation of O.R.M India.	25
2 & 3	Analysis of Variance and Design of Experiments.  Analysis of Variance for one -way and two way Classifications, Need for design of experiments, Fundamental Principles of Design experiment. Lay - out Construction, Analysis, Advantages and Dis advantages of the basic designs. CRD, RBD AND LSD Missing Plot techniques and estimate of one and two missing observations in case of RBD and LSD. (Result and numeric examples should be asked.	50
4	Total Quality Management ( TQM ) AND Queuing theory Introduction, Various Definitions of Quality, Total Quality Management (Understanding, Definitions and elements) six Basic concept of TQM David garvin approaches to quality Quality Planning - Quality Costs, Benefits of QTM. Taqauechi Method. ISO 9000. (Introduction, benefits, Standards, Requirements, Implementation, Documentation, Internal Audit, Registration.) Queuing Theory: Introduction, Essential features or General Structure of Queuing System Quenesize, Queue length , Notations in Queuing System, ( M /M/ $1:\alpha$ F1FO ) MOODEL, (M / M / K: $\alpha$ F1FO) Model.	25

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## Master of Philosophy Commerce

## Semester - II

## CC 201 : Advanced Accountancy (Paper – IV)

Unit	Content	%
1	(A) Social Cost Benefit Analysis	25
	Introduction, Concept, measurement, Reporting of social cost benefit information, Social cost benefit analysis in India.	
	(B) Environmental Accounting	
	Meaning, Significance of Environmental Accounting,	
	Areas covered: National level, Corporate level,	
	Corporate Environmental reporting in India. (C) Human Resource Accounting	
	Introduction, Concept, Importance, Valuation of Human	
	Resources, Recording and disclosure in Financial Statement,	
	Human Resource Accounting in India.	
	(D) Value Added Accounting	
	Value added concept, Advantages and limitations.	
2	COST ANALYSIS FOR DECISION MAKING	25
	(A) Cost volume profit Analysis  Proof. Even Point, Veriable cost ratio. Contribution, Margin of	
	Break Even Point, Variable cost ratio, Contribution, Margin of Safety, Break Even Chart, Advantages and limitations,	
	Safety, Break Even Chart, Advantages and infiltations, Sensitivity analysis- Effect of volume changes etc.	
	Practical problems regarding following types of decisions.	
	Sales Mix, Make of Buy, Limiting factor, Accepting or rejecting	
	the order, equipment replacement decisions, discontinue the	
	product, discontinue the business for a short period or forever.	
	(B) Budgeting and budgetary control	
	Meaning of Budget, Budgeting and Budgetary control,	
	Advantages and limitations, Objectives, Steps involved in	
	preparation of budgets,	
	Types of Budgets – preparation of different types of budgets	
	including Master	
	Budget. ZBB: Zero Base Budgeting.	
3	CONTEMPORARY ISSUES ACCOUNTING (A) Activity based costing	25
	Meaning, Concept, Examples of cost drivers,	
	Practical steps in Activity Based Costing,	
	Traditional Approach, Distinction between traditional approach	
	and activity based costing approach.	
	(B) Responsibility accounting	
	Meaning, requirement, Advantages and limitations,	
	Controllable and non-controllable items,	
	Responsibility Centers: Cost Centers, Profit Centers, Investment	
	Centers,	
	Return on investments, Concept of residual income.	
	(C) Forensic accounting	
	Meaning, Advantages and limitations, role of Forensic	
	intering, returning and infinitelying, for or rolling	<u> </u>

	Accountant.	
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