

## Department of Planning. Lecture Plan, Odd Semester, AY 2024-25

Name of Course: Master of Planning Integrated Semester

Subject Name:	Data Analytics and Techniques in Planning (MPIS113)
Year & Sem:	I Year I Semester
Course Duration:	16 <sup>th</sup> August 2024 to 02 <sup>nd</sup> December 2024
Course Coordinator:	Monica Sekar
Number of Credits:	3
Subject Category:	Theory
Total Periods/Week:	3 .
Internal Assessment	50
End Evaluation	50
Total Marks	100
Total No. of Internal Assessment & Mode	6, five worksheets and one written exam

**Subject Objective:** To acquire proficiency in quantitative techniques and computing tools that are applicable in planning domain to conduct empirical studies

Week	Lecture / Session Topic (Teaching- Learning Objective aimed)	Unit and Assignment
Week 1: 16.08.2024		
Week 2: 19.08.2024	Types of data, data aggregation, units of measurement, standard notation; coding and decoding methods, tabulation and graphical presentation of data; Introducing web-based information portals and datasets as raw information sources; Elementary association modoels and decision making; Index numbers (weighted and unweighted); Application of index numbers in spatial planning; Calculation techniques of vital events	Unit 1: Data sources and surveys in planning
Week 3: 26.08.2024	Quantitative and qualitative data collection methods; Validity and reliability of data; Questionnaire design and typology; measurement scales and their applications; Sampling techniques, sample size calculations UNIT II: Descriptive statistics (frequency distribution; measures of central tendency; measures of dispersion); Introduction to probability	Units 1 & 2: Introduction to statistical methods for planning Assignment 1: Worksheet using Excel



# Department of Planning, Lecture Plan, Odd Semester, AY 2024-25

Week 4: 02.09.2024	Normal and standard normal distribution; Tests of hypothesis - Type I & II errors, one-tailed and two-tailed tests, chi-square test, student t test	Unit 2 Assignment 2: Worksheet using SPSS
Week 5: 09.09.2024	Correlation - scatter plot diagrams, correlation coefficients; Least square method; Assumptions of regression analysis, linear regression	Unit 3: Correlation and Regression
Week 6: 14 Sept to 22 Sept (except first years)	Field Work	
Week 7: 23.09.2024	Multiple regressions; Dummy variables; Functional forms; Binary dependent variables; Instrument variables; Time series analysis	Unit 3  Assignment 3: Worksheet using SPSS / GeoDa
Week 8: 30.09.2024	Definitions - geoinformatics, Remote Sensing, GIS, the concept of earth surface projections; the need for GIS, Spatial Data Infrastructure; accuracy and precision, raster and vector data, spatial thematic models, Components of a GIS	Unit 4: Spatial Data and Geographic Information Systems
Week 8 & 9: 01.10.2024 to 07.10.2024	Mid- Semester Assessment week	
Week 10: 14.10.2024	Spatial and attribute data - input and output; spatial data entry - data structure for GIS, vector data structures; Coordinate systems; Geodetic data - point positioning, problems, measurements, spatial analysis using lab modules, etc.	Unit 4  Assignment 4: Worksheet using ArcGIS and GeoDa
Week 11: 21.10.2024 to 27.10.2024	II Field Work	
Week 12: 28.10.2024	Maps as a representation of reality, Elements of maps; Graphical, linear and areal scales, Notations involving basic discipline of maps; Measurement of areas; Data creation and query	Unit 5: Planning Techniques



### <u>Department of Planning,</u> Lecture Plan, Odd Semester, AY 2024-25

Week 13: 04.11.2024	Map preparation - geo-referencing, digitization, scales, layers, layout, topology creation, spatial data analysis - buffer, overlay and multi-criteria decision modelling, hotspot analysis	Unit 5  Assignment 5: Worksheet using ArcGIS
Week 14: 11.11.2024	Exercise with hypothetical case - application of learned methods and techniques	
Week 15: 18.11.2024		Workshop
Week 16: 25.11.2021		

### Reference Books:

- 1. Agarwal B.L. (2007). Programmed Statistics. New Age International Publishers, New Delhi.
- 2. Alan C. Acock (2012). A Gentle Introduction to STATA. Revised Third Edition.
- 3. Gupta and Gupta (2012). Business Statistics. Sultan Chand and Sons. Delhi.
- 4. Wooldridge (2011). Introductory Econometrics: A Modern Approach. Thomson Press. Noida.
- 5. Gujarati D.N. and Porter, D.C., 2009. Basic econometrics. McGraw-Hill.
- 6. Sachithanandan (2004). Reading material on Planning Techniques. Institute of Town Planners India, New Delhi.

#### Note:

- 1. Any other closed holidays as declared by SPAV shall supersede the above lecture plan. Holidays shown above may alter as per Notice from time to time.
- 2. Assessment Sessions may be re-scheduled, with prior intimation.
- 3. Reading lists provided is not exhaustive and is subject to addition students are advised to follow progression of class to keep abreast of the new reading lists, if any.