### **MUJ Faculty of Engineering**

# The New Curriculum Schema has been approved at the Faculty Board for the B.Tech. in Chemical Engineering program is listed below (2023-2024)

	First Semester	
Code	Course Name	Cr
	Engineering Chemistry & Lab	3
	Calculus & Matrices	3
	Basic Electrical Engineering	3
	Basic Electronics	3
	Biology for Engineers	2
	Computer Programming & Lab	4
	IoT Fab Lab	1
	Constitution of India	1
	First Semester Credits	20

	Second Semester	
Code	Course Name	Cr
	Engineering Physics & Lab	4
	Computational Mathematics	3
	Environmental Studies	2
	Engineering Materials & Mechanics	4
	Matlab for Engineers	2
	Creativity & Innovation Lab	2
	Engineering Graphics	1
	Technical Writing Clinic 1	1
	Universal Human Values	1
	Second Semester Credits	20

	Third Semester	
Code	Course Name	Cr
	Statistics & Probability	3
	Chemical Process Calculations	4
	Momentum Transfer Operation	4
	Chemical Engg Thermodynamics	4
	Economics	3
	University Elective 1	3
	Transport Phenomena Lab-1	2
	Self-Study or Project	1
	Third Semester Credits	24

	Fourth Semester	
Code	Course Name	Cr
	Management	3
	Chemical Reaction Engineering	4
	Heat transfer operations	4
	Flexi Core 1	4
	Program Elective 1	3
	University Elective 2	3
	Chemical Reaction Engineering Lab	1
	Transport Phenomena Lab-2	1
	Project Based Learning 1	1
	Fourth Semester Credits	24

	Fifth Semester	
Code	Course Name	Cr
	Mass transfer operations	3
	Separation process principles	3
	Catalysis and catalytic reactors	3
	Flexi Core 2	3
	Program Elective 2	3
	Program Elective 3	3
	University Elective 3	3
	Transport Phenomena Lab-3	2
	Project Based Learning 2	1
	Fifth Semester Credits	24

	Sixth Semester	
Code	Course Name	Cr
	Process Dynamics and Control	4
	Flexi Core 3	4
	Program Elective 4	3
	Program Elective 5	3
	University Elective 4	3
	Technical Writing Clinic 2	1
	Process Control Lab	2
	Res, Innov & Entrepreneurship	3
	Sixth Semester Credits	23

	Seventh Semester	
Code	Course Name	Cr
	University Elective 5	3
	Program Elective 6	3
	Program Elective 7	3
	Program Elec 8 / Univ Elect 6	3
	Internship (Industry/ Research)	1
Seventh Semester Credits		13

	Eighth Semester	
Code	Course Name	Cr
	Major Project	12
	Eighth Semester Credits	12

Key Phrases and Expectations in the New Curriculum Schema in MUJ Faculty of Engineering (FOE):

**Department Core (DC) Courses:** Fundamental courses for the program of study. Mandatory for all students in the program. Each program has eight departmental core courses of 4 credits each and 8 labs of 1 credit each. Departments have flexibility to shuffle credits and labs or develop integrated didactic and laboratory courses (Total 40 Credits).

**Flexi Core (FC) Courses:** Core Courses based on emerging trends in the field. Students can select three FCs (4Cr each) from options offered during the fourth, fifth or sixth semester (Total 12 Credits).

**Program Electives (PE):** Departments will offer a set of program specific elective courses (3 Credits each) each semester. Students have the flexibility to select PEs from all Faculty of Engineering departments. For example, a student from Civil Engineering can study PEs offered by the Department of Computer Science and Engineering. Students will be responsible for completing the prerequisites from other department courses as online value-added courses. No additional credit is offered for these pre-requisite courses taken online or value-added courses (Total 24 Credits).

• **Industry Expert Courses:** Selected few Program Electives will be jointly developed by FOE faculty and industry experts, introducing the latest learnings from industry. In these courses, one or more industry experts may conduct a significant portion (> 50%) of the course. These courses will be marked with an IEC in Course Catalog.

**University Electives (UE):** These are graded, open elective courses offered across the University. All UEs need to approved by the Board of Studies of their respective Departments and Faculty Boards. UEs provide an opportunity for students to expand and diversify their knowledge base with topics in non-engineering domains. BTech students cannot take FOE offered UEs (Total 15 Credits).

**Focus Areas:** Focus Areas provide students an opportunity to develop expertise in any University discipline. Focus Areas are offered within FOE departments and across the University.

- For Focus Areas, students need to take four courses from a pre-selected bucket of six plus Program Electives from across FOE. For example, a Mechanical Engineering student can put together four PEs and attain a Focus Area in: Blockchain, Cybersecurity, Robotics, AI/ML, Electrical Vehicle Technology, or any other area of their interest.
- Similarly, Focus Areas are also available University-wide by taking four courses from a preselected bucket of six plus University Electives. For students pursuing a Focus Area outside of Engineering, they can substitute PE8 for UE6 in the Seventh Semester.

#### Self-Study Courses; Problem Based Learning; Research Innovation and Entrepreneurship:

These courses offered in the third through sixth semester offer students an opportunity to enhance their academic curricula with learning new skills, taking online classes, conducting guided research projects or developing innovative solutions to societal problems.

In a **Self-Study Course**, students have the opportunity to learn a new skill or computer programming language in Online mode. Producing a completion certificate and a brief assessment with a guide is necessary to receive a grade and credit.

**Problem-based Learning,** and **Research Innovation and Entrepreneurship (RIE):** In these courses, students can pursue a broader research investigation, innovation or a startup. The expected outcome is a research paper presented at a conference, a paper publication, a patent application for an innovation or launching a startup.

#### Proposed List of Courses offered by the Department of Biotechnology and Chemical Engineering

#### Proposed Department Core Courses

- 1. Chemical process Calculations
- 2. Momentum transfer operations
- 3. Chemical engineering thermodynamics
- 4. Chemical reaction engineering
- 5. Heat transfer operations
- 6. Mass transfer operations
- 7. Separation process principles
- 8. Catalysis and catalytic reactors
- 9. Process dynamics and control

#### **Proposed Flexi- Courses**

FC1: Process modelling and simulation

FC1: Transport Phenomena FC1: Data structures and

algorithms

FC2: Chemical technology

FC2: Enzyme Technology

FC2: Object oriented

progamming

FC3: Process plant design

FC3: Bioremediation

#### Proposed Department Program Electives

- 1. Bioprocess Engineering
- 2. Catalytic processes
- 3. Petroleum Production Technologies
- 4. Conventional and Nonconventional energy resources
- 5. Petroleum refining operations\*
- 6. Environmental systems engineering
- 7. Energy and process integration
- 8. Process optimization
- 9. Advanced separation techniques
- 10. Process intensification
- 11. Process economics and plant management
- 12. Waste to energy conversion
- 13. Introduction to membrane separation processes
- 14. Polymer reaction engineering
- 15. Biomass conversion and biorefinery
- 16. Colloids and surfaces
- 17. Fluidization Engineering
- 18. Chemical Process Safety\*
- 19. Clean and renewable energy production technologies
- 20. Hydrogen energy

- 21. Biomass conversion and biorefinery
- 22. Fuel cell technologies
- 23. Waste to energy conversion

\*IEC- Industry Expert Courses

#### Focus Areas offered by Department of Biotechnology and Chemical Engineering

## Focus Area 1: Sustainable Energy

- 1. Clean and renewable energy production technologies (PE1)
- 2. Hydrogen energy (PE2)
- 3. Biomass conversion and biorefinery (PE3)
- 4. Fuel cell technologies (PE4).
- 5. Waste to energy conversion (PE5).

#### Proposed Department University Electives. These courses are only open to students outside of FoE

- 1. Physico-chemical processes for wastewater treatment
- Electrochemistry Fundamentals to applications
- 3. Circular economy for a sustainable future