



# B.COM. SEMESTER – 1

4	MDC 1	MATHEMATICS FOR COMMERCE – 1
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Name of the Course: **Mathematics for Commerce – 1**  
 Course credit: **04**  
 Teaching Hours: **60 (Hours)**  
 Total marks: **100**

### Objectives:

The course aims to familiarize students with the applications of Mathematics techniques in business decision making

### Learning Outcomes:

After completion of the course, learners will be able to:

Acquire proficiency in using different mathematical tools (Set Theory, Permutations, Combinations, Binomial Theorem, Interpretation & Extrapolation, Arithmetic Progression & Geometric Progression) in solving real life business and economic problems.

PARTICULAR	NO. OF LECTURES
<b>UNIT NO. 1 : SET THEORY</b>	
Introduction, Concept and Definition of Set, Method of Representing Sets, Types of Sets, Some important Number Sets, <b>Operation of Sets:</b> 1) Intersection of Set 2) Union of Sets, <b>Distributive Laws:</b> 1) Union over Intersection, 2) Intersection over Union, Complimentary of Set, De’Morgan’s Laws (With Proof), Differences of Two Sets, Cartesian Product, <b>Practical Examples</b>	<b>12</b>
<b>UNIT NO. 2 : PERMUTATION &amp; COMBINATION</b>	
<b>Permutation:</b> Introduction, Concept and Formula of Permutations, Permutations of different things, Permutations of Similar things , Restricted Permutation, <b>Combinations:</b> Introduction, Meaning, Formula, Combinations of things taken some or all at time, Some Restricted Combinations, <b>Practical Examples</b>	<b>12</b>
<b>UNIT NO. 3 : BINOMIAL THEOREM</b>	
Introduction and Meaning, Binomial Theorem (Without Proof), Position of terms, Characteristics of Binomial Theorem, Binomial Coefficient, <b>Practical Examples</b>	<b>12</b>
<b>UNIT NO. 4 : INTERPRETATION &amp; EXTRAPOLATION</b>	
Introduction, Meaning and Uses, Newton’s Forward Method, Newton’s Backward Method, Binomial Expansion Method, Lagrange’s Method, <b>Practical Examples</b>	<b>12</b>
<b>UNIT NO. 5 : ARITHMETIC PROGRESSION &amp; GEOMETRIC PROGRESSION</b>	
Introduction and Meaning, Arithmetic Progression, Sum of Series in Arithmetic Progression, Geometric Progression, Sum of Series in Geometric Progression, <b>Practical Examples</b>	<b>12</b>
<b>Total Lectures/Hours</b>	
	<b>60</b>

### Suggested Readings:

1. Sharma J. K, Business Mathematics: Theory and Applications, Ane Pub. House, Delhi.
2. Soni R.S., Business Mathematics, Pitamber Publishing House.
3. Kapoor V.K., Business mathematics, Sultan Chand & Sons, Delhi.
4. Dowling, E.T. Mathematics for Economics: Schaum Series, McGraw Hill, London.
5. Vohra, N.D.: Quantitative Techniques in Management: Tata McGraw Hill, New Delhi.

**Note: Learners are advised to use latest edition of text/reference books**

