KAKATIYA UNIVERSITY - WARANGAL - TELANGANA

B.Sc. Programme under CBCS

With effect from the A.Y: 2019

Skill Enhancement Course- III

II Year

(Common to all Science Courses) SEMESTER – IV

Fundamentals of Python

Theory: 2 Hours/Week; Credits: 2 Marks: 50 (Internal: 10; External: 40)

Unit - I

Introduction to Python Programming: How a Program Works, Using Python, Program Development Cycle, Input, Processing, and Output, Displaying Output with the Print Function, Comments, Variables, Reading Input from the Keyboard, Performing Calculations (Operators. Type conversions, Expressions), More about Data Output. Decision Structures and Boolean Logic: if, if-else, if-elif-else Statements, Nested Decision Structures, Comparing Strings, Logical Operators, Boolean Variables. Repetition Structures: Introduction, while loop, for loop, Calculating a Running Total, Input Validation Loops, Nested Loops. Lists and Tuples: Sequences, Introduction to Lists, List slicing, Finding Items in Lists with the in Operator, List Methods and Useful Built-in Functions, Copying Lists, Processing Lists,

Unit - II

Tuples- operations on tuples, Strings: Basic String Operations, String Slicing, Testing, Searching, and Manipulating Strings. Dictionaries and Sets: Dictionaries, Sets- operations on sets and Dictionaries. Functions: Introduction, Defining and Calling a Void Function, Designing a Program to Use Functions, Local Variables, Passing Arguments to Functions, Global Variables and Global Constants, Value-Returning Functions- Generating Random Numbers, Writing Our Own Value-Returning Functions, The math Module, Storing Functions in Modules. File and Exceptions: Introduction to File Input and Output, Using Loops to Process Files, Processing Records, Exceptions.

Text Book:

Tony Gaddis, Starting Out With Python (3e)

References:

- 1. Kenneth A. Lambert, Fundamentals of Python
- 2. Clinton W. Brownley, Foundations for Analytics with Python
- 3. James Payne, Beginning Python using Python 2.6 and Python 3
- 4. Charles Dierach, Introduction to Computer Science using Python
- 5. Paul Gries, Practical Programming: An Introduction to Computer Science using Python 3