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To  
All the Deans  
All the Heads of the Departments  
CEG / MIT / ACT / SAP Campuses  
Anna University, Chennai - 25.

**NOTIFICATION**

Based on the deliberations, the following decisions were taken.

**ITEM 1: PATTERN OF QUESTION PAPER FOR THE CONDUCT OF END SEMESTER EXAMINATION (APRIL/MAY 2021) OF ALL THE EVEN SEMESTER COURSES EXCEPT ALL FINAL SEMESTER COURSES.**

As per the GO No 327, dated 22.03.2021, issued by the Revenue and Disaster Management (DM – IV) Department, the end semester examinations (Apr/May 2021) for the academic session December - May 2021 shall be conducted in online mode.

The following has been decided for the conduct of April/May 2021 end semester Examinations of University Departments of all UG / PG (FT/PT) examinations (except all the final semester courses) of theory, theory cum Laboratory and theory cum studio courses of all the Regulations.

- For theory cum laboratory courses, the theory component examinations shall be conducted similar to the other theory courses and laboratory component examinations shall be conducted similar to the other laboratory courses.
- The theory examination will be of Open Book Written type in Online-Proctored mode.
- Part A shall have 5 questions (5 X 2 = 10 Marks), with one question from each unit/course outcome.
- Part B shall have 5 questions (5 X 8 = 40 Marks), with one question from each unit/course outcome and NO CHOICE shall be provided, as it is an open book examination. For the Faculty of Architecture and Planning of University Departments, the number of Part B questions for Theory cum Studio Courses will be

as per the Scheme of Evaluation/ Question Paper Pattern given for the respective Regulations and the distribution of marks (40 Marks) shall be done accordingly.

- All questions in Part A and Part B shall be of analytical type with no direct answers from the text and reference books. The students can refer course material in physical form as well as from web. However, getting answer from others in any way/form and group discussions will be considered as malpractice.
- The answer script shall have a limit on the maximum number of pages as 6 sheets (12 pages), with 1 sheet (2 pages) for Part A and 5 sheets (10 pages) for Part B.
- The answer sheets shall be scanned and uploaded by the students on completion of examination.
- Further details of the modalities of the conduct of the examination will be communicated by the office of Additional Controller of Examinations (UDs).

### UNIVERSITY DEPARTMENTS

Programme	Semester (Except Final Semester)	Question Paper Pattern (Analytical type only)	Marks	Duration
<b>UG Programmes (FT)</b> B.E/ B.Tech.	II, IV, VI	<b><u>PART A</u></b>  [5 QUESTIONS x 2 marks]  <b><u>PART B</u></b>  [5 QUESTIONS x 8 marks]	50	90 min
B.Arch.*	II, IV, VI, VIII			
<b>UG Programmes (PT)</b> B.E/ B.Tech.	I, III, V			
<b>PG Programmes (FT)</b> M.E/M.Tech/ M.Arch.*/M.Plan/ MBA / M.Sc. (2 Year)	II			
MCA / M.E/M.Tech/MBA (PT)	II,IV			
M.Sc. (5 Year Integrated)	II,IV,VI,VIII			

\* For Faculty of Architecture and Planning the scheme of Question Paper pattern is to be followed separately, as mentioned above.

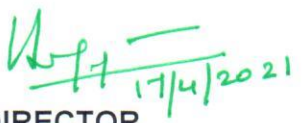
These decisions were taken as a One Time Measure in view of the COVID'19 pandemic.

**ITEM 2: THE CONDUCT OF END SEMESTER EXAMINATION (APRIL/MAY 2021) OF ALL THE FINAL SEMESTER UG/PG (FT/PT) PROGRAMMES.**

For all the final semester UG/PG(FT/PT) programmes the end semester examinations shall be conducted in Online mode with MCQ pattern, as followed in the Notification vide letter no. 2531 (University Departments) dated: 29.10.2020.

This decision has been taken as a One Time Measure in view of the COVID'19 pandemic.

These decisions have been taken with the approval of the competent authority.

  
17/4/2021  
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