## **NIRMA UNIVERSITY**

Institute:	Institute of Technology			
Name of Programme:	M. Tech. in Electrical Engineering			
	(Electric Vehicular Technology)			
Semester:	П			
Course Code:	6EE164			
Course Title:	Artificial Intelligence and Algorithms			
Course Type:	(☐ Core/☐ Value Added Course / <b>Department Elective</b> /			
	☐ Institute Elective/☐ University Elective/☐ Open Elective/			
	☐ Any other )			
Year of Introduction:	2022 – 23			

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# **Course Learning Outcomes (CLOs):**

At the end of the course, the students will be able to -

1. make use of basic techniques of AI / optimization (BL6)

2. identify AI/ optimization related complex problems of electric vehicle systems (BL5)

3. apply knowledge of various AI / optimization techniques in electric vehicle technology (BL4)

4. develop AI / optimization-based solutions (BL6)

Syllabus Teaching Hours: 30

# Unit-1: Search techniques, clustering algorithms, decision trees

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Basic search techniques, uninformed and informed searches, adversary search; clustering algorithms: hierarchical and partitional algorithms, agglomerative and k-means, Numerical; basics of decision trees. Applications of clustering algorithms in electric vehicle technology

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## **Unit-2: Expert systems (ES)**

Characteristics of expert systems, first order logic, rule based expert systems, knowledge acquisition and representation, problems associated to ES, Implementations of ES

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### Unit-3: Fuzzy Logic and Multi-criteria decision making

Introduction, types of uncertainties, fuzzy set theory, approaches and types of fuzzy logic systems, typical actions in Fuzzy systems, Numerical; Multi-criteria decision making (MCDM): weighted sum model, weighted product model, analytic hierarchy process. Numerical associated to MCDM techniques. Uses of Fuzzy systems

### **Unit-4: Artificial Neural Network Approaches (ANN)**

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Introduction to artificial neural networks, artificial neuron model, and types of activation functions. Learning in neural networks: error correction learning, memory based learning, Hebbian learning, competitive learning, Boltzman learning, feed forward and feedback neural networks, backpropagation training algorithm, Hopfield network. Applications of ANN

# **Unit-5: Soft computing techniques**

An overview of Evolutionary Algorithms, Simulated Annealing algorithm, Genetic Algorithm, Particle Swarm Optimization, Advantages and Disadvantages of different Evolutionary Algorithms. Utilizations of soft computing techniques in electric vehicle technology.

# **Self-Study Component:**

The self-study content(s) will be declared at the commencement of semester. Around 10% of the questions will be asked from self-study contents.

# **Laboratory Work:**

This shall consist of at least 08 simulations / laboratory experiments based on the syllabus.

### **Suggested Readings:**

- 1. S. S. Rao, Engineering Optimization Theory and Practice, John Wiley & Sons
- 2. K. Y. Lee and M.A. El-Sharkawi (eds.), Modern Heuristic Optimization Techniques with Applications to Power Systems, IEEE Press
- 3. D. E. Goldberg, Genetic Algorithm in Search, Optimization and Machine Learning, Wesley Longman Publishing Co., Inc. Boston, MA, USA
- 4. S.N. Sivanandam, S. N. Deepa, Principles of Soft Computing, Wiley India Pvt. Ltd.
- 5. ChaturvediDevendra K., Soft Computing Techniques and Applications in Electrical Engineering, Springer-Verlag Berlin Heidelberg
- 6. Jizhong Zhu, Optimization of Power System Operation, John Wiley & Sons
- 7. Edwin K. P. Chong, Stanislaw H. Zak, An Introduction to Optimization, John Wiley & Sons
- 8. M Negnevitsky, Artificial Intelligence: A guide to Intelligent Systems by Michael Negnevitsky (Oxford University Press)
- 9. Timothy J. Ross, Fuzzy Logic with Engineering Applications, Wiley.

# Suggested List of Experiments (not restricted to the following):

(Only for Information)(04 hours each)

- 1. To develop a program code for finding the solution using the search technique.
- 2. To determine the number of clusters using K-means algorithm.
- 3. To design a fuzzy logic controller
- 4. To develop a solution for electric vehicle selection using analytical hierarchy process
- 5. To evaluate the optimal solution for a given objective function using soft computing technique
- 6. To compare the performance of different meta-heuristic techniques
- 7. To design artificial neural network to predict the performance of electric vehicles
- 8. To develop back-propagation training algorithm.

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