

**I Year B.Tech. CSE–II Semester**

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**(23A05201T) DATA STRUCTURES**

(Common to CSE, IT &amp; allied branches)

**Course Objectives:**

- To provide the knowledge of basic data structures and their implementations.
- To understand importance of data structures in context of writing efficient programs.
- To develop skills to apply appropriate data structures in problem solving.

**Course Outcomes:** At the end of the course, Student will be able to

CO1: Explain the role of linear data structures in organizing and accessing data efficiently in algorithms.

CO2: Design, implement, and apply linked lists for dynamic data storage, demonstrating understanding of memory allocation.

CO3: Develop programs using stacks to handle recursive algorithms, manage program states, and solve related problems.

CO4: Apply queue-based algorithms for efficient task scheduling and breadth-first traversal in graphs and distinguish between dequeues and priority queues, and apply them appropriately to solve data management challenges.

CO5: Devise novel solutions to small scale programming challenges involving data structures such as stacks, queues, Trees.

CO6: Recognize scenarios where hashing is advantageous, and design hash-based solutions for specific problems.

**UNIT I****Introduction to Linear Data Structures:** Definition and importance of linear data structures, Abstract data types (ADTs) and their implementation, Overview of time and space complexity analysis for linear data structures. Searching Techniques: Linear & Binary Search, Sorting Techniques: Bubble sort, Selection sort, Insertion Sort**UNIT II****Linked Lists:** Singly linked lists; representation and operations, doubly linked lists and circular linked lists, Comparing arrays and linked lists, Applications of linked lists.**UNIT III****Stacks:** Introduction to stacks: properties and operations, implementing stacks using arrays and linked lists, Applications of stacks in expression evaluation, backtracking, reversing list etc.**UNIT IV****Queues:** Introduction to queues: properties and operations, implementing queues using arrays and linked lists, Applications of queues in breadth-first search, scheduling, etc.**Dequeues:** Introduction to dequeues (double-ended queues), Operations on dequeues and their applications.**UNIT V**

Trees: Introduction to Trees, Binary Search Tree – Insertion, Deletion &amp; Traversal

**Hashing:** Brief introduction to hashing and hash functions, Collision resolution techniques: chaining and open addressing, Hash tables: basic implementation and operations, Applications of hashing in unique identifier generation, caching, etc.

**Textbooks:**

1. Data Structures and algorithm analysis in C, Mark Allen Weiss, Pearson, 2<sup>nd</sup> Edition.
2. Fundamentals of data structures in C, Ellis Horowitz, Sartaj Sahni, Susan Anderson-Freed, Silicon Press, 2008

**Reference Books:**

1. Algorithms and Data Structures: The Basic Toolbox by Kurt Mehlhorn and Peter Sanders
2. C Data Structures and Algorithms by Alfred V. Aho, Jeffrey D. Ullman, and John E. Hopcroft
3. Problem Solving with Algorithms and Data Structures" by Brad Miller and David Ranum
4. Introduction to Algorithms by Thomas H. Cormen, Charles E. Leiserson, Ronald L. Rivest, and Clifford Stein
5. Algorithms in C, Parts 1-5 (Bundle): Fundamentals, Data Structures, Sorting, Searching, and Graph Algorithms" by Robert Sedgewick