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It is notified for information of all the concerned that on the recommendations of the constituted Committee and in anticipation of the approval of the competent body, the Vice-Chancellor has authorized addition of clause to Statute 9 & 6 of the Statutes governing Five Year Integrated Master's Programme (FYIMP) and Undergraduate Programmes respectively under NEP-2020 (given in annexure),

No.F(Addition-Clause)Acad/KU/25
Dated: 26-08-2025

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Annexure to Notification No.F(Addition-Clause)Acad/KU/25 Dated: 26-08-2025

Five year Integrated Mater's Programme (FYIMP)

9.1 Accelerated Degree Programme (ADP):

- Accelerated degree programmes shall be applicable for first four years of the FYIMP only.
- In the ADP, students will follow the same curriculum content and total credits prescribed for the programme for a standard duration. The only change will be in the duration of the programme. Students shall have the option to choose ADP at the end of the second semester only. Students opting for the ADP will earn additional credits per semester starting from the third semester.
- In FYIMP students taking exit after three (03) years can shorten the duration by a maximum of one semester, e.g. students shall earn the total credits needed for a 3-year undergraduate programme in five semesters. Similarly, students taking exit after four (04) shall shorten the duration by two semesters, e.g. students can earn the total credits required for a four (04) years of the programme in six semesters. Based on the credit structure in the "Curriculum and Credit Framework for the Programmes", the concerned Board of Studies shall decide the extra credits a student must earn in a semester in ADP.

9.2 Extended Degree Programme (EDP)

- Extended degree programmes shall be applicable for first four years of the programme only.
- In the EDP, students will follow the same curriculum content and total credits prescribed for the programme for a standard duration. The only change will be in the duration of the programme. Students shall have the option to choose EDP at the end of the second semester only. Accordingly, students who opt for EDP will earn fewer credits in every semester starting from 3rd semester than those required in a programme with a standard duration.
- In FYIMP students opting for taking exit after three (03) years or four (04) years of the programme of standard duration, the same may be extended up to a maximum of one or two semesters respectively. Accordingly, students can earn fewer credits in each semester. Based on the credit structure in the "Curriculum and Credit Framework for Undergraduate Programmes", the concerned Board of Studies shall decide about the credits a student must earn in a semester in EDP.

9.3 Examination and Evaluation Process

- The examination and evaluation system will remain the same as the programme with a standard duration.

9.4 Award of Degrees

- The University shall issue degree certificates for students on completion of the programme in the opted duration (shortened or extended) without any consideration for completion of the standard duration for the award of formal degree.
- For the accelerated and extended degrees, a self-contained note shall be added in the degree stating that the academic requirements required in a standard duration have been completed in a shortened or extended duration. For instance, an ADP of 4-year undergraduate programme shall specify that the student completed the academic requirements of a 4-year programme in six semesters.
- Government shall be requested to direct all the recruiting agencies including UPSC/State Public Service Commission / SSRB, etc., to treat the degrees from ADP and EDP on par with degrees with standard duration.

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Undergraduate Programmes under NEP-2020

6.3 Accelerated Degree Programme (ADP):

- Accelerated degree programmes shall be applicable only at the undergraduate level.
- In the ADP, students will follow the same curriculum content and total credits prescribed for the programme for a standard duration. The only change will be in the duration of the programme. Students shall have the option to choose ADP at the end of the second semester only. Students opting for the ADP will earn additional credits per semester starting from the third semester.
- In a 3-year undergraduate programme, students can shorten the duration by a maximum of one semester, e.g. students shall earn the total credits needed for a 3-year undergraduate programme in five semesters. Similarly, in a 4-year undergraduate programme, students shall shorten the duration by two semesters, e.g. students can earn the total credits required for a 4-year undergraduate programme in six semesters. Based on the credit structure in the "Curriculum and Credit Framework for Undergraduate Programmes", the Committee shall decide the extra credits a student must earn in a semester in ADP.

6.4 Extended Degree Programme (EDP)

- Extended degree programmes shall be applicable for undergraduate programmes only.
- In the EDP, students will follow the same curriculum content and total credits prescribed for the programme for a standard duration. The only change will be in the duration of the programme. Students shall have the option to choose EDP at the end of the second semester only. Accordingly, students who opt for EDP will earn fewer credits every semester than those required in a programme with a standard duration.
- In a 3-year or 4-year undergraduate programme, the duration may be extended up to a maximum of one or two semesters respectively. Accordingly, students can earn fewer credits in each semester. Based on the credit structure in the "Curriculum and Credit Framework for Undergraduate Programmes", the Committee shall decide about the credits a student must earn in a semester in EDP.

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- Government shall be requested to direct all the recruiting agencies including UPSC/State Public Service Commission / SSRB, etc., to treat the degrees from ADP and EDP on par with degrees with standard duration.

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