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No. R/AC/Cred. Hours/2025-26

Date: 11.06.2025

**Sub:** Revision of distribution of credit hours of Research for M.Sc. & M.B.A (ABM) students in PG Academic Information and Regulation.... reg.

- Ref.** 1. No. R/AR/Suptd. (PG)/M.Sc (Agri.)/Course Work/2024-25, dated: 12.12.2024  
2. Approval in the 25<sup>th</sup> meeting of the reconstituted Board of Studies (PG), dated. 03.04.2025  
3. Minutes of 201<sup>st</sup> meeting of Academic Council dated 26.04.2025, (Part B, item No.13)  
4. Proposal of the Director of Education, dt: 11.06.2025  
5. Approval of the Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor, dt: 11.06.2025

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**PREAMBLE:**

In the Corrigendum Notification dated: 12.12.2024 (vide ref. 1), the credit hour requirement for the award of M.Sc. & M.B.A (ABM) Degree Programmes was formulated as below.

Sl. No.	Programme Year	Semester	Course Work (Cr. Hrs.)	Seminar (Cr. Hrs.)	Q.E. (Cr. Hrs.)	Research (Cr. Hrs.)
1.	I	I	18-21	-	-	-
2.	I	II	16-18	-	-	05
3.	II	I	03-05	0+1	0+2	11
4.	II	II	-	0+1	-	11
Total			39-42	0+2	0+2	27

As per this notification, students of M.Sc. & M.B.A (ABM) degree programme have to register (0+5) credits of Research in the II semester of I year itself. After accommodating major, minor, supporting and CMC courses during I & II semesters of I year, two major courses upto 5 credits will be carried over to I semester of II year. During this semester the students have to register for written qualifying examination and qualifying viva- voce exam also. It is mandatory for the students to complete all major courses (total 8 to 9 major courses with 20 credits) before appearing for qualifying examination. Hence, with the existing credit hours, students will be facing problem in appearing for qualifying exam.

Further, MBA(ABM) degree programme has Research (IDEA) components consisting of 27 credits as per the existing notification. Out of this, basic courses of 06 credit hours is mandatory for summer internship and basic courses of 10 credits should be completed during II semester of I year and I semester of II year, respectively which exceeds the research credit hours notified in Ref. 1.

Hence, the said item was discussed and approved in 25<sup>th</sup> PG Board of Studies with the following suggestions:

Sl. No.	Programme Year	Semester	Course Work (Cr. Hrs.)			Seminar (Cr. Hrs.)	Q.E. (Cr. Hrs.)	Research/IDEA (Cr. Hrs.)		
			Existing	Revised				Existing	Revised	
				M.Sc	MBA (ABM)				M.Sc	MBA (ABM)
1.	I	I	18-21	18-23	22	-	-	-	-	-
2.	I	II	16-18	16-21	17	-	-	05	02	06
3.	II	I	03-05	*	-	0+1	0+2	11	13	17
4.	II	II	-	-	-	0+1	-	11	12	04
Total			39-42	39-42	39	0+2	0+2	27	27	27

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**Note:**

1. The **minimum credit hours of Course work** should be **39** and **maximum credit hours of Course work** should not exceed **42**.
2. The **Total Credit Hours** for the M.Sc. & M.B.A (ABM) Degree Programs is **70**. However, as per the provision made in the PG Academic Information & Regulation (Clause 11.3), the Total Credit Hours can be extended upto **73** with the proper justification from the PG Advisory Committee and with the approval of the Dean (PGS), UAS, GKVK, Bengaluru.

Further, the proposal was placed in the 201<sup>st</sup> Academic Council and the same was approved for revision of distribution of credit hours of Research for M.Sc. & M.B.A (ABM) Degree Students in PG Academic Information and Regulations. Hence, the Notification.

**NOTIFICATION**

The Academic Council in its 201<sup>st</sup> meeting held on 26.04.2025 (Part-B, Item No.13) approved the item for revision of distribution of credit hours of Research for M.Sc. & M.B.A (ABM) degree Students in PG Academic Information and Regulations as indicated below, which will be implemented in order to accommodate all major course and research credit hours for M.Sc. and MBA (ABM) degree programmes w.e.f. the academic year 2024-25.

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