PHYSICS - CLASS XI SYLLABUS

UNITS - CHAPTERS	TIME	ACHIEVEMENT
Unit 1: Physics: Scope and excitement		
- Nature of physical laws		
- Physics, technology and society		
Need for measurement		
- Units of measurement		
- Systems of units		
- SI, Fundamental & Derived units		
- Length, Mass & Time measurements		
- Accuracy & precision of measuring instruments		
- Errors in measurement		
- Significant figures		
Dimensions of physical quantities		
- Dimensional Analysis & its applications.		
Unit 2: Kinematics		
• Frame of reference		
- Motion in a straight line		
- Position-time graph, speed & Velocity		
- Uniform and non-uniform motion		
- Average speed & Instantaneous velocity		
- Uniformly accelerated motion		

- Velocity-time & position-time graphs for uniformly accelerated motion.	
Elementary concepts of differentiation and integration for describing motion	
- Scalar and Vector quantities:	
Position and Displacement vectors	
General Vectors	
General Vectors & notation	
Equality of Vectors	
Multiplication of Vectors by a real number	
Addition & Subtraction of Vectors	
Relative Velocity	
• Unit Vectors	
- Resolution of a Vector in a plane - Rectangular Components	
• Scalar & Vector products of Vectors	
- Motion in a Plane	
- Cases of Uniform Velocity & Uniform Acceleration - Projectile Motion	
- Uniform Circular Motion	
Unit 3: Laws of Motion	
• Intuitive concept of Force	
- Inertia	
- Newton's First Law of Motion	
- Momentum and Newton's Second Law of Motion	
- Newton's Third Law of Motion	
- Law of Conservation of Linear Momentum & its applications	

Equilibrium of Concurrent Forces		
- Static and Kinetic Friction		
- Laws of Friction		
- Rolling Friction		
- Lubrication		
Dynamics of Uniform Circular Motion		
- Centripetal Force		
- Examples of Circular Motion		
Vehicle on Level Circular Road		
Vehicle on Banked Road		
Unit 4: Work, Energy & Power		
• Work done by a constant force & a variable force		
- Kinetic Energy		
- Work-Energy Theorem		
- Power		
Notion of Potential Energy		
- Potential Energy of a Spring		
- Conservative Forces		
- Conservation of Mechanical Energy (Kinetic & Potential Energies)		
- Non-Conservative Forces		
- Motion in a Vertical Circle		
- Elastic & Inelastic Collisions in 1 & 2 Dimensions		
Unit 5: Motion of System of Particles and Rig	id Body	
Centre of Mass of a two-particle System		

- Momentum Conservation & Centre of Mass Motion	
- Centre of Mass of a Rigid Body	
- Centre of Mass of Uniform Rod	
 Moment of a Force - Torque, Angular Momentum 	
- Conservation of Angular Momentum with some Examples	
Equilibrium of Rigid Bodies	
- Rigid Body Rotation & Equation of Rotational Motion	
- Comparison of Linear and Rotational Motions	
- Moment of Inertia	
- Radius of Gyration	
- Values of MI for simple geometrical objects (No Derivation)	
- Statement of Parallel and Perpendicular Axes Theorems & their applications	
Unit 6: Gravitation	
• Kepler's Laws of Planetary Motion	
- The Universal Law of Gravitation	
- Acceleration due to Gravity & its variation with altitude & depth	
Gravitational Potential Energy	
- Gravitational Potential	
- Escape Velocity	
- Orbital Velocity of a Satellite - Geostationary Satellites	
Unit 7: Properties of Bulk Matter	
• Elastic Behavior	
- Stress-Strain relationship	

- Hooke's Law	
- Young's Modulus	
- Bulk Modulus	
- Shear	
- Modulus of Rigidity	
- Poisson's Ratio	
- Elastic Energy	
• Viscosity	
- Stoke's Law	
- Terminal Velocity	
- Reynold's Number	
- Streamline & Turbulent Flow	
- Critical Velocity	
 Bernoulli's Theorem & its applications 	
• Surface energy & Surface Tension	
- Angle of Contact	
- Excess of Pressure	
 Application of Surface Tension ideas to drops, bubbles & Capillary Rise 	
• Heat	
- Temperature	
- Thermal Expansion	
 Thermal Expansion of Solids, Liquids & Gases 	
- Anomalous expansion	

- Specific Heat Capacity: Cp, Cv - Caloriemetry	
- Change of State - Latent Heat	
Heat Transfer - Conduction & Thermal Conductivity	
- Convection & Radiation	
- Qualitative ideas of Black Body Radiation	
- Wein's Displacement Law	
- Green House Effect	
• Newton's Law of Cooling & Stefan's Law	
Unit 8: Thermodynamics	
• Thermal Equilibrium & Definition of Temperature (Zeroth Law of Thermodynamics)	
- Heat, Work & Internal Energy	
- First Law of Thermodynamics	
- Isothermal & Adiabatic Process	
• Second Law of Thermodynamics: Reversible & Irreversible processes	
- Heat Engines & Refrigerators	
Unit 9: Behavior of Perfect Gas & Kinetic The	ory
• Equation of State of a perfect gas	
- Work done on compressing a gas	
• Kinetic Theory of Gases	
- Assumptions	
- Concept of Pressure	
- Kinetic Energy & Temperature	

- Degrees of Freedom	
- Law of Equipartition of Energy (Statement) & application to specific Heat Capacities of Gases	
- Concept of Mean Free Path	
Unit 10: Oscillations & Waves	
Periodic Motion - Period, Frequency, Displacement as a function of Time	
- Periodic Functions	
- Simple Harmonic Motion (SHM) & its Equation	
- Phase, Oscillations of a spring - restoring force & force constant	
- Energy in SHM - Kinetic & Potential Energies	
- Simple Pendulum - Derivation of Expression for its Time Period	
- Free, Forced & Damped Oscillations(Qualitative Ideas)	
- Resonance	
• Wave Motion	
- Longitudinal & Transverse Waves	
- Speed of Wave Motion	
- Displacement Relation for a Progressive Wave	
- Principle of Superposition of Waves	
- Reflection of Waves	
- Standing Waves in Strings & Organ Pipes	
- Fundamental Mode & Harmonics	
- Beats	
- Doppler Effect	
PHYSICS - CLASS XII SYLLABU	JS

Unit 1: Electrostatics	
• Electric Charges & their Conservation	
 Coulomb's Law - Force between two point charges 	
- Forces between Multiple Charges	
- Superposition Principle & Continuous Charge Distribution	
• Electric Field	
- Electric Field due to a Point Charge	
- Electric Field Lines	
- Electric Dipole	
- Electric Field due to a Dipole	
- Torque on a Dipole in a Uniform Electric Field	
• Electric Flux	
 Statement of Gauss's Theorem & its applications to find field due to infinitely long straight wire 	
- Uniformly charged infinite plane sheet & uniformly charged thin spherical shell (Field inside & outside)	
• Electric Potential	
- Potential Difference	
- Electric Potential due to a Point Charge	
- A Dipole & System of Charges	
- Equipotential Surfaces	
- Electric Potential Energy of a System of Two Point Charges & of Electric Dipoles in an Electrostatic Field	
• Conductors & Insulators	

- Free Charges & Bound Charges inside a Conductor	
- Dielectrics & Electric Polarization	
- Capacitors & Capacitance	
- Combinations of Capacitors in Series & Parallel	
- Capacitance of a Parallel Plate Capacitor with & without Dielectric Medium between the Plates	
- Energy stored in a Capacitor	
- Van de Graff Generator	
Unit 2: Current Electricity	
• Electric Current	
- Flow of Electric Charges in a Metallic Conductor - Drift Velocity & Mobility & their relation with Electric Current	
- Ohm's Law	
- Electric Resistance	
- V-I Characteristics (Linear & Non- Linear)	
- Electrical Energy & Power	
- Electrical Resistivity & Conductivity	
• Carbon Resistors	
- Color Code of Carbon Resistors	
- Series & Parallel Combinations of Resistors	
- Temperature Dependence of Resistance	
• Internal Resistance of a Cell	
- Potential Difference & EMF of a Cell	
- Combination of Cells in Series & in Parallel	

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- Magnetic Dipole Moment of a Revolving		
Electron		
- Magnetic Field Intensity due to a Bar		
Magnet - along axis & perpendicular		
- Torque on a Bar Magnet in a uniform Magnetic Field		

- Bar Magnet as an Equivalent Solenoid	
- Magnetic Field Lines	
- Earth's Magnetic Field & Magnetic Elements	
• Para-, Dia- & Ferro- Magnetic substances with examples	
• Electromagnets & Factors affecting their strengths	
- Permanent Magnets	
Unit 4: Electromagnetic Induction & Alternati	ng Currents
Electromagnetic Induction	
- Faraday's Law	
- Induced EMF & Current	
- Lenz's Law	
- Eddy Currents	
- Self & Mutual Inductance	
Alternating Currents	
- Peak & RMS value of Alternating Current/Voltage	
- Reactance & Impedance	
- LC Oscillations (Qualitative)	
- LCR Series Circuit	
- Resonance	
- Power in AC Circuits	
- Wattle's Current	
AC Generator & Transformer	
Unit 5: Electromagnetic Waves	

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Need for Displacement Current	
• Electromagnetic Waves & their Characteristics (Qualitative)	
- Transverse Nature of Electromagnetic Waves	
• Electromagnetic Spectrum - Radio Waves, Micro Waves, Infrared, Ultraviolet, X- Rays, Gamma Rays - elementary uses	
Unit 6: Optics	
• Reflection of Light	
- Spherical Mirrors	
- Mirror Formula	
- Refraction of Light	
- Total Internal Reflection & its applications	
- Optical Fibres	
- Refraction at Spherical Surfaces	
- Lenses	
- Thin Lens Formula	
- Lens-maker's Formula	
- Magnification	
- Power of a Lens	
- Combination of Thin Lenses in Contact	
- Combination of a Lens & a Mirror	
- Refraction & Dispersion of Light through a Prism	
Scattering of Light - Blue color of Sky	
- Reddish Appearance of Sun at Sunrise & Sunset	
Optical Instruments	

- Human Eye	
- Image Formation & Accommodation	
- Correction of Eye Defects (Myopia & Hypermetropia) using Lenses	
Microscopes & Astronomical Telescopes (Reflecting & Refracting) & their Magnifying Powers	
• Wave Optics	
- Wavefront & Huygen's Principle	
- Reflection & Refraction of Plane Wave at a Plane Surface using Wavefronts - Proof of Laws of Reflection & Refraction using Huygen's Principle	
- Interference	
- Young's Double Hole Experiment & Expression for Fringe Width	
- Coherent Sources and sustained interference of light	
Diffraction due to a single slit	
- Width of Central Maximum	
Resolving power of Microscopes & Astronomical Telescopes	
- Polarization	
- Plane Polarized Light	
- Brewster's Law	
- Uses of Plane Polarized Light & Polaroids	
Unit 7: Dual Nature of Matter & Radiation	
• Photoelectric Effect	
- Hertz & Lenard's Observations	
- Einstein's Photoelectric Equation - Particle Nature of Light	
• Matter Waves - Wave Nature of Particles	

- de Broglie's Relation	
- Davisson - Germer Experiment (Conclusion Only)	
Unit 8: Atoms & Nuclei	
Alpha -Particle scattering experiments	
- Rutherford's Model of Atom	
- Bohr Model	
- Energy levels	
- Hydrogen Spectrum	
- Composition & size of Nucleus	
- Atomic Masses	
- Isotopes	
- Isobars	
- Isotones	
Radioactivity - Alpha, Beta & Gamma particles/rays & their properties	
- Decay Law	
- Mass - Energy Relation	
- Mass Defect	
- Binding Energy per Nucleon & its variation with Mass Number	
- Nuclear Fission & Fusion	
Unit 9: Electronic Devices	
• Energy Bands in Solids (Qualitative)	
- Conductors, Insulators & Semiconductors	
- Semiconductor Diode - <i>I-V</i> characteristics in forward & reverse bias	

- Diode as a Rectifier	
- I-V Characteristics of LED	
- Photodiode, Solar Cell & Zener	Diode
- Zener Diode as a Voltage Regul	ator
- Junction Transistor, Transisto Action	r
- Characteristics of a Transisto	r
- Transistor as an Amplifier (Co Emitter Configuration) & Oscil	
Logic Gates (OR, AND, NOT, NAN NOR)	D &
- Transistor as a Switch	

CHEMISTRY

CLASS XI SYLLABUS	
Unit 1: Some Basic Concepts of Chemistry	
• General Introduction: Importance & Scope of Chemistry	
Laws of Chemical Combination	
- Dalton's Atomic Theory	
- Concept of Elements, Atoms & Molecules	
• Atomic & Molecular Masses	
- Mole Concept & Molar Mass	
- Percentage Composition & Empirical & Molecular Formula	
- Chemical Reactions	
- Stoichiometry & Calculations based on Stoichiometry	
Unit 2: Structure of Atom	

- Atomic Number Testones (Testones	
- Atomic Number, Isotopes & Isobars	
- Concept of Shells & Subshells	
- Dual nature of Matter & Light	
- de Broglie's Relationship	
- Heisenberg's Uncertainity Principle	
- Concept of Orbital	
- Quantum Numbers	
- Shapes of s, p & d Orbitals	
- Aufbau Principle	
- Pauli Exclusion Principle	
- Hund's Rule	
- Electronic Configuration of Atoms	
- Stability of half filled & completely filled Orbitals	
Unit 3: Classification of Elements & Periodic properties	ity in
Modern Periodic Law and Long Form of Periodic Table	
- Periodic Trends in properties of elements -	
Atomic Radii	
Ionic Radii	
Ionization Enthalpy	
Electron Gain Enthalpy	
Electronegativity	
Valence	
Unit 4: Chemical Bonding & Molecular Structure	e

• Valence electrons	
- Ionic Bond	
- Covalent Bond	
- Bond Parameters	
- Lewis Structure	
- Polar Structure of Covalent Bond	
- Valence Bond Theory	
- Resonance	
- Geometry of Molecules	
- VSEPR Theory	
- Concept of Hybridization involving s , $p \& d$ orbitals	
- Shapes of some simple molecules	
- Molecular Orbital Theory of homonuclear diatomic molecules (Qualitative)	
- Hydrogen Bond	
Unit 5: States of Matter: Gases & Liquids	
- Three States of Matter	
- Intermolecular Interactions	
- Types of Bonding	
- Melting & Boiling Points	
- Role of Gas Laws elucidating the concept of the molecule	
- Boyle's Law	
- Charle's Law	
- Gay Lussac's Law	

- Avogadro's Law	
- Ideal Behavior of Gases	
- Empirical derivation of Gas Equation	
- Avogadro number	
- Ideal Gas Equation	
- Kinetic Energy & Molecular speeds (elementary idea)	
- Deviation from Ideal Behavior	
- Liquefaction of Gases	
- Critical Temperature	
• Liquid State	
- Vapour Pressure	
- Viscosity & Surface Tension (Qualitative)	
Unit 6: Thermodynamics	
First Law of Thermodynamics	
- Internal Energy & Enthalpy	
- Heat Capacity & Specific Heat	
- Measurement of ΔU & ΔH	
- Hess's Law of Constant Heat Summation	
- Enthalpy of -	
Bond Dissociation	
Combustion	
Formation	
Atomization	

Sublimation	
Phase transition	
Ionization	
Solution	
Dilution	
Introduction of Entropy as State Function	
- Second Law of Thermodynamics	
- Gibbs Energy change for spontaneous & non-spontaneous process	
- Criteria for Equilibrium & Spontaneity	
Third Law of Thermodynamics	
Unit 6: Equilibrium	
Equilibrium in Physical & Chemical processes	
- Dynamic nature of Equilibrium	
- Law of Chemical Equilibrium	
- Equilibrium Constant	
- Factors affecting Equilibrium - Le Chatelier's Principle	
- Ionic Equilibrium	
Ionization of acids & bases	
Strong & weak Electrolytes	
- Degree of Ionization	
- Ionization of Polybasic acids	
- Acid Strength	
- Concept of pH	

- Hydrolysis of Salts (Elementary Idea)		
- Buffer Solutions		
- Henderson equation		
- Solubility Product		
- Common Ion Effect (with Illustrative Examples)		
Unit 7: Redox reactions		
Concept of Oxidation & Reduction		
- Redox reactions		
- Oxidation Number		
- Balancing Redox reactions in terms of loss & gain of electrons		
- Change in Oxidation numbers		
Unit 9: Hydrogen		
• Occurrence, Isotopes, Preparation, Properties & Uses - Hydrides - Ionic, Covalent &		
Interstitial - Physical & Chemical properties of Water		
- Heavy Water		
- Hydrogen Peroxide - preparation, reactions, uses & structure		
Unit 10: s -Block Elements (Alkali & Alkaline	Earth Met	cals)
• Group I & Group 2 elements		
- General introduction		
- Electronic Configuration		
- Occurrence		
- Anomalous properties of the first element of each group		

- Diagonal Relationship	
- Trends in the variation of properties (s/as ionization Enthalpy, Atomic & Ionic Radii)	
- Trends in Chemical Reactivity with Oxygen, Water, Hydrogen & Halogens; uses	
 Preparation & properties of some important compounds 	
 Sodium Carbonate, Sodium Chloride, Sodium Hydroxide & Sodium Hydrogen Carbonate 	
- Biological importance of Sodium & Potassium	
• Industrial use of Lime & Limestone	
- Biological importance of Mg & Ca	
Unit 11: Some p-Block Elements	
 General introduction to p-Block Elements 	
• Group 13 elements	
- General introduction	
- Electronic Configuration	
- Occurrence	
- Variation of properties	
- Oxidation States	
- Trends in Chemical reactivity	
- Anomalous properties of first element of the group	
- Boron - some imp. Comp	
Borax	
Boric acids	
Boron Hydrides	

 Aluminium - uses, reactions with acids & alkalies 		
• Group 14 elements -		
- General introduction		
- Electronic configuration		
- Occurrence		
- Variation of properties		
- Oxidation states		
- Trends in Chemical reactivity		
- Anomalous behavior of first element		
- Carbon -		
Allotropic forms		
Physical & chemical properties		
Uses of some important compounds		
Oxides		
• Important compounds of Silicon & a few uses -		
- Silicon Tetrachloride		
- Silicones		
- Silicates		
- Zeolites		
Unit 12: Organic Chemistry - Some basic princ	iples &	techniques
General introduction		
- Methods of purification - qualitative & quantitative analysis		
- Classification & IUPAC nomenclature of Organic compounds		

• Electronic displacements in a Covalent Bond -	
- Inductive effect	
- Electrometric effect	
- Resonance & Hyper conjugation	
Homolytic & Heterolytic Fission of a Covalent Bond -	
- Free Radicals	
- Carbocations	
- Carbanions	
- Electrophiles & Nucleophiles	
- Types of Organic reactions	
Unit 13: Hydrocarbons	
• Alkanes	
- Nomenclature	
- Isomerism	
- Confirmations (Ethane only)	
- Physical properties	
- Chemical reactions including Free Radical mechanism of Halogenation	
- Combustion & Pyrolysis	
• Alkenes	
- Nomenclature	
- Structure of Double Bond (Ethene)	
- Geometrical Isomerism	
- Physical properties	

- Methods of preparation	
- Chemical reactions	
- Addition of Hydrogen, Halogen, Water, Hydrogen Halides (Markovnikov's addition & Peroxide effect)	
- Ozonolysis	
- Oxidation	
- Mech. Of Electrophilic addition	
Aromatic Hydrocarbons	
- Introduction	
- IUPAC nomenclature	
- Benzene -	
Resonance	
Aromacity	
- Chemical properties -	
Mech of Electrophilic substitution -	
Nitration	
Sulphonation	
Halogenation	
Friedel Craft's alkylation & acylation	
- Directive influence of functional group in Mono-substituted Benzene	
- Carcinogenicity & Toxicity	
Unit 14: Environmental Chemistry	
Environmental pollution	
- Air, Water & Soil pollution	

- Chemical reactions in Atmosphere	
- Smog	
- Major atmospheric pollutants	
- Acid Rain	
- Ozone & its reactions	
- Effects of depletion of Ozone layer	
- Greenhouse effect & Global Warming	
- Pollution due to industrial wastes	
- Green Chemistry as an alternative tool for reducing pollution	
- Strategy for control of environmental pollution	

CHEMISTRY CLASS XII SYLLABUS

Unit 1: Solid State	
Classification of Solids based on different binding forces	
- Molecular, Ionic, Covalent & Metallic solids	
- Amorphous & Crystalline solids (elementary idea)	
- Unit Cell in two dimensional & three dimensional lattices	
- Calculation of Density in Unit Cell	
- Packing in solids	
- Packing Efficiency, Voids	
- Number of Atoms per Unit Cell in a cubic Unit Cell	
- Point Defects	
- Electrical & magnetic properties	
- Band theory of metals	

- Conductors, Semiconductors & Insulators	
Unit 2: Solutions	,
• Types of Solutions	
- Expression of Concentration of Solutions of Solids in Liquids	
- Solubility of Gases in Liquids	
- Solid Solutions	
- Colligative properties - relative lowering of Vapor Pressure	
- Raoult's Law	
- Elevation of Boiling Point	
- Depression of Freezing Point	
- Osmotic Pressures	
- Determination of Molecular Masses using Colligative properties	
- Abnormal Molecular Mas	
- Van Hoff factor	
Unit 3: Electrochemistry	
• Redox reactions	
- Conductance in electrolytic solutions	
- Specific & Molar conductivity with concentration	
- Kohlrausch's Law	
- Electrolysis & Laws of Electrolysis (elementary idea)	
- Dry cell	
- Electrolytic cells & Galvanic cells	
- Lead accumulator	

- EMF of a cell	
- Standard Electrode Potential	
- Relation between Gibbs energy change & EMF of a cell	
- Fuel cells	
- Corrosion	
Unit 4: Chemical Kinetics	
• Rate of a reaction (average & Instantaneous)	
- Factors affecting rates of reactions	
- Concentration, Temperature Catalyst	
- Order & Molecularity of a reaction	
- Rate Law & Specific Rate Constant	
- Integrated Rate Equations & Half Life (only for zero & first order reactions)	
- Concept of Collision Theory (elementary idea)	
- Activation Energy	
- Arrhenious Equation	
Unit 5: Surface Chemistry	
• Adsorption	
- Physiosorption & Chemisorption	
- Factors affecting adsorption of Gases on solids	
- Catalysis Homogeneous & Heterogeneous	
- Activity & Selectivity	
- Enzyme Catalysis	
- Colloidal State	

- Distinction between True Solutions,		
Colloids & Suspensions		
- Lyophillic, Lyophobic Multimolecular & Macromolecular Colloids		
- Properties of Colloids		
- Tyndall effect		
- Brownian movement		
- Electrophoresis		
- Coagulation		
- Emulsions & types of emulsions		
Unit 6: General Principles & Processes of Isc	lation o	f Elements
• Principles & methods of Extraction -		
- Concentration, Oxidation, Reduction,		
Electrolytic method & Refining - Occurrence & principles of extraction		
of -		
Aluminium		
Copper		
Zinc		
Iron		
Unit 7: p-Block Elements		
• Group 15 elements		
- General introduction		
- Electronic Configuration		
- Occurrence		
- Oxidation states		
- Trends in Physical & Chemical properties		

- Preparation & properties of Ammonia & Nitric Acid	
- Oxides of Nitrogen (structure only)	
- Phosphorus -	
Allotropic forms	
Compounds of Phosphorus	
Preparation & properties of Phosphine	
Halides (PCl ₃ , PCl ₅)	
Oxoacids (elementary idea)	
• Group 16 elements	
- General introduction	
- Electronic configuration	
- Oxidation states	
- Occurrence	
- Trends in Physical & Chemical properties	
- Dioxygen	
Preparation	
Properties & uses	
Classification of Oxides	
- Ozone	
- Sulphur	
Allotropic forms	
Compounds of Sulphur	
Preparation	

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Properties & uses of Sulphur dioxide	
- Sulphuric Acid	
Industrial process of manufacture	
Properties & uses	
Oxoacids of Sulphur (structures only)	
• Group 17 elements	
- General introduction	
- Electronic Configuration	
- Oxidation states	
- Occurrence	
- Trends in Physical & Chemical properties	
- Compounds of Halogens	
Preparation	
Properties & uses of Chlorine & Hydrochloric Acid	
Interhalogen compounds	
Oxoacids of Halogens (structures)	
• Group 18 elements	
- General introduction	
- Electronic Configuration	
- Occurrence	
- Trends in Physical & Chemical properties	
- Uses	
Unit 8: d & f Block elements	

General introduction	
- Electronic Configuration	
- Characteristics of Transition Metals	
- General trends in properties of the first row transition metals -	
Metallic character	
Ionization Enthalpy	
Oxidation States	
Ionic Radii	
Color	
Catalytic property	
Magnetic properties	
Interstitial compounds	
Alloy formation	
- Preparation & properties of K ₂ Cr ₂ O ₇ & KMnO ₄	
• Lanthanides	
- Electronic Configuration	
- Oxidation states	
- Chemical Reactivity	
- Lanthanide Contraction & it's consequences	
• Actinides	
- Electronic Configuration	
- Oxidation states	
- Comparison with Lanthanides	

Unit 9: Coordination Compounds	
- Introduction	
- Ligands	
- Coordination number	
- Color	
- Magnetic properties & shapes	
- IUPAC nomenclature of Mononuclear Coordination Compounds - Isomerism (structural &	
stereo) bonding	
- Werner's theory VBT, CFT	
- Importance of coordination compounds (in qualitative analysis, biological systems)	
Unit 10: Haloalkanes & Haloarenes	
• Haloalkanes	
- Nomenclature	
- Nature of C - X bond	
- Physical & Chemical properties	
- Mechanism of Substitution reactions	
- Optical rotation	
• Haloarenes	
- Nature of C - X bond	
- Substitution reactions (directive influence of Halogen for monosubstituted compounds only)	
• Uses & environmental effects of	

- Trichloromethane	
- Iodoform	
- Freons	
- DDT	
Unit 11: Alcohols, Phenols & Ethers	
• Alcohols	
- Nomenclature	
- Methods of preparation	
- Physical & chemical properties (1 ⁰ alcohols only)	
- Identification of 1°,2° & 3° alcohols	
- Mechanism of Dehydration	
- Uses (specially Methanol & Ethanol)	
• Phenols	
- Nomenclature	
- Methods of preparation	
- Physical & chemical properties	
- Acidic nature of Phenol	
- Electrphilic Substitution reactions	
- Uses of Phenols	
• Ethers	
- Nomenclature	
- Methods of preparation	
- Physical & chemical properties	

- Uses		
Unit 12: Aldehydes, Ketones & Carboxylic Acid	S	
• Aldehydes & Ketones		
- Nomenclature		
- Nature of Carbonyl Group		
- Methods of preparation		
- Physical & chemical properties		
- Mechanism of Nucleophilic Addition		
- Reactivity of Alpha Hydrogen in Aldehydes		
- Uses		
• Carboxylic Acids		
- Nomenclature		
- Acidic nature		
- Methods of preparation		
- Physical & chemical properties		
- Uses		
Unit 13: Organic Compounds containing Nitroge	n	
• Amines		
- Nomenclature		
- Classification		
- Structure & methods of preparation		
- Physical & chemical properties		
- Uses		

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- Identification of 1°, 2° & 3° Amines	
• Cyanides & Isocyanides	
Diazonium salts	
- Preparation	
- Chemical reactions & importance in Synthetic Organic Chemistry	
Unit 16: Biomolecules	
• Carbohydrates	
- Classification	
Aldoses	
Ketoses	
- Monosaccharide	
Glucose	
Fructose	
- D-, L- Configuration	
- Oligosaccharides (Sucrose, Lactose, Maltose)	
- Polysaccharides (Starch, Cellulose, Glycogen)	
- Importance	
• Proteins	
- Elementary idea of	
Amino Acids	
Peptide Bond	
Polypeptides	
Proteins	

- 1 ⁰ structure	
- 2 ⁰ structure	
- 3 ⁰ structure	
- 4 ⁰ structure	
- Denaturation of Proteins	
- Enzymes	
Hormones (elementary idea)	
Vitamins-Classification & function	
• Nucleic Acids - DNA & RNA	
Unit 15: Polymers	
• Classification -	
- Natural & Synthetic	
- Methods of Polymerization (addition & condensation)	
- Copolymerization	
- Some important Polymers -	
Natural & Synthetic like-	
Polyesters	
Bakelite	
Rubber	
- Biodegradable & non-biodegradable Polymers	
Unit 16: Chemistry in Everyday Life	
• Chemistry in Medicines	

- Analgesics	
- Tranquilizers	
- Antiseptics	
- Disinfectants	
- Antimicrobials	
- Antifertility Drugs	
- Antibiotics	
- Antacids	
- Antihistamines	
• Chemicals in Food	
- Preservatives	
- Artificial Sweetening Agents	
- Elementary Idea of Antioxidants	
• Cleansing agents	
- Soaps & Detergents	
- Cleansing Action	

BIOLOGY CLASS XI SYLLABUS

Unit 1: Diversity in Living World	
What is living?	
- Biodiversity	
- Need for Classification	
- Three Domains of Life	
- Taxonomy & Systematics	

- Concept of Species & Taxonomical Hierarchy	
- Binomial Nomenclature	
- Tools for study of Taxonomy -	
Museums, Zoos, Herbaria, Botanical Gardens	
Five Kingdom Classification	
- Salient Features & Classification of Monera	
- Protista	
- Fungi	
- Lichens	
- Viruses	
- Viroids	
Salient Features & Classification of Plants into Major Groups -	
Algae	
Bryophytes	
Pteridophytes	
Gymnosperms	
Angiosperms	
- Angiosperms- Classification up to Class	
Unit 2: Structural Organization in Animals &	Plants
Morphology & Modifications	
• Tissues -	
 Anatomy & Functions of different parts of Flowering Plants - 	
Root	

Stem	
Leaf	
Inflorescence -	
Cymose	
Recemose	
Flower, Fruit, Seed	
• Animal Tissues	
- Morphology, Anatomy & Functions of different systems of Cockroach	
Unit 3: Cell Structure & Function	
Cell Theory & cell as the basic unit of Life	
- Structure of Prokaryotic & Eukaryotic cell	
- Plant cell & Animal cell	
- Cell envelope, Cell Membrane, Cell Wall	
• Cell Organelles	
- Structure & Function	
- Endomembrane System -	
Endoplasmic Reticulum	
Golgi Bodies	
Lysosomes	
Vacuoles	
Mitochondria	
Ribosomes	
Plastids	

Micro bodies	
- Cytoskeleton	
Cilia	
Flagella	
Centrioles (Ultrastructure, function)	
- Nucleus	
Nuclear Membrane	
Chromatin	
Nucleolus	
Chemical constituents of living cells	
- Biomolecules	
Structure & Functions of -	
Proteins	
Carbohydrates	
Lipids	
Nucleic Acids	
Enzymes -	
Types,properties,Enzyme Action	
• Cell Division	
- Cell Cycle	
- Mitosis	
- Meiosis	
- Significance of both	

Unit 4: Plant Physiology	
• Transport in Plants	
- Movement of Water, Gases & Nutrients	
- Cell to Cell Transport	
Diffusion	
Facillitated Diffusion	
Active Transport	
- Plant-Water relations	
Imbibition	
Water Potential	
Osmosis	
Plasmolysis	
- Long Distance transport of Water-	
Absorption	
Apoplast	
Symplast	
Transpiration Pull	
Root Pressure	
Guttation	
- Transpiration	
Opening & Closing of Stomata	
- Uptake & Translocation of Mineral Nutrients -	

	 	
Transport of Food		
Phloem Transport		
- Mass Flow Hypothesis		
- Diffusion of Gases		
• Mineral Nutrition:		
- Essential Minerals		
- Macro & Micro Nutrients & their role		
- Deficiency Symptoms		
- Mineral Toxicity		
- Elementary idea of Hydroponics (as method to study Mineral Nutrition)		
- Nitrogen Metabolism -		
Nitrogen Cycle		
Biological Nitrogen Fixation		
• Photosynthesis -		
- Photosynthesis as a means of Autotrophic Nutrition		
- Site of Photosynthesis		
- Pigments involved (Elementary idea)		
- Photochemical & Biosynthetic phases of Photosynthesis		
- Cyclic & Non-cyclic Photophosphorylation		
- Chemiosmotic Hypothesis		
- Photorespiration - C3 & C4 Pathways		
- Factors affecting Photosynthesis		
• Respiration -		

- Exchange Gases	
- Cellular Respiration -	
Glycolysis	
Fermentation (Anaerobic)	
TCA Cycle & Electron Transport System (Aerobic)	
- Energy Relations -	
Number of ATP generated	
- Amphibolic Pathways	
- Respiratory Quotient	
Plant Growth & Development -	
- Seed Germination	
- Phases of Plant Growth & Plant Growth Rate	
- Conditions of Growth	
- Differentiation -	
Dedifferentiation	
Redifferentiation	
- Sequence of developmental process in a Plant Cell	
- Growth Regulators -	
Auxin	
Gibberllin	
Cytokinin	
Ethylene	
ABA	

- Seed Dormancy	
- Vernalisation	
- Photoperiodism	
Unit 4: Human Physiology	
• Digestion & Absorption	
- Alimentary Canal & Digestive glands	
- Role of -	
Digestive Enzymes	
Gastrointestinal Hormones	
- Peristalsis	
- Digestion, Absorption, Assimilation of-	
Proteins	
Carbohydrates	
Fats	
- Caloric Value of Proteins, Carbohydrates & Fats	
- Egestion	
- Nutritional & Digestive disorders -	
PEM	
Indigestion	
Constipation	
Vomiting	
Jaundice	
Diarrhoea	

Breathing & Respiration -	
- Respiratory Organs in Animals	
- Respiratory System in Humans	
- Mechanism of Breathing & Regulation	
- Exchange of Gases	
- Transport of Gases	
- Regulation of Respiration	
- Respiratory Volumes	
Disorders related to Respiration -	
Asthma	
Emphysema	
Occupational Respiratory Disorders	
Body Fluids & Circulation -	
- Composition of Blood	
- Blood Groups	
- Coagulation of Blood	
- Composition of Lymph & its functions	
- Human Circulatory System	
Structure of Human Heart & Blood Vessels	
Cardiac Cycle	
Cardiac Output	
ECG	

Double Circulation	
- Regulation of Cardiac Activity	
- Disorders of Circulatory System -	
Hypertension	
Coronary Artery Disease	
Angina Pectoris	
Heart Failure	
Excretory products & their elimination	
- Modes of Elimination -	
Ammonotelism	
Ureotelism	
Uricotelism	
- Human Excretory System	
Structure & Function	
Urine formation	
Osmoregulation	
- Regulation of Kidney Function	
Renin - Angiotensin	
Atrial Natriuretic Factor	
ADH & Diabetes Insipidus	
- Role of other organs in Excretion	
- Disorders	
Uraemia	

Renal Failure	
Reliai rallure	
Renal Calculi	
Nephritis	
Dialysis	
Artificial Kidney	
• Locomotion & Movement	
- Types of Movement	
Ciliary	
Flagellar	
Muscular	
- Skeletal Muscle	
Contractile Proteins & Muscular Contraction	
Skeletal System & its Functions	
- Joints	
- Disorders of Muscular & Skeletal System	
Myasthenia gravis	
Tetany	
Muscular Dystrophy	
Arthritis	
Osteoporosis	
Gout	
Neural Control & Coordination	
- Neuron & Nerves	

- Nervous System in Humans -	
Central Nervous System	
Peripheral Nervous System	
Visceral Nervous System	
- Generation & Conduction of Nerve Impulse	
Reflex Action	
Sense Organs	
- Elementary Structure & Function of -	
Eye	
Ear	
Chemical Coordination & Regulation	
- Endocrine Glands & Hormones	
- Human Endocrine System -	
Hypothalamus	
Pituitary	
Pineal	
Thyroid	
Parathyroid	
Adrenal	
Pancreas	
Gonads	
- Mechanism of Hormone Action	
- Role of hormones as Messengers & Regulators	

- Related Disorders -	
Dwarfism	
Acromegaly	
Cretinism	
Goiter	
Exopthalmic Goiter	
Diabetes	
Addison's Disease	

Class XII Syllabus

Unit 1: Reproduction	
Reproduction in Organisms	
- Reproduction, a characteristic feature of all Organisms	
- Modes of Reproduction -	
Asexual & Sexual	
- Asexual Reproduction Modes -	
Binary Fission	
Sporulation	
Budding	
Gemmule	
Fragmentation	
Vegetative Propagation (Plants)	
Sexual Reproduction in Flowering Plants	
- Flower Structure	

- Development of Male & Female Gametophytes	
- Pollination -	
Types, Agencies & Examples	
- Outbreeding devices	
- Pollen-Pistil interaction	
- Double Fertilization	
- Post-Fertilization events -	
Development of Endosperm & Embryo	
Development of Seed & Fruit	
- Special Modes -	
Apomixis	
Parthenocarpy	
Polyembryony	
- Significance of Seed & Fruit Formation	
Human Reproduction	
- Male & Female Reproductive Systems	
- Microscopic Anatomy of Testis & Ovary	
- Gametogenesis - Spermatogenesis & Oogenesis	
- Menstrual Cycle	
- Fertilization	
- Embryo Development up to Blastocyst formation	
- Implantation	
- Pregnancy & Placenta formation	

- Parturition	
- Lactation	
Reproductive Health	
- Need for Reproductive Health & Prevention of Sexually Transmitted Diseases (STD)	
- Birth Control - Need & Methods	
- Contraception & Medical Termination of Pregnancy (MTP)	
- Amniocentesis	
- Infertility & assisted reproductive technologies -	
IVF	
ZIFT	
GIFT	
Unit 2: Genetics & Evolution	
- Heredity & Variation	
- Mendelian Inheritence	
- Deviations from Mendelism -	
Incomplete Dominance	
Codominance	
Multiple Alleles	
Inheritance of Blood Groups	
- Pleiotropy	
- Idea of Polygenic Inheritance	
- Chromosome Theory of Inheritance	
- Chromosomes & Genes	

- Sex Determination - Humans, Birds, Honey Bees	
- Linkage & Crossing Over	
- Sex Linked Inheritance -	
Haemophilia	
Colour blindness	
- Mendelian disorders in humans -	
Thalassemia	
- Chromosomal Disorders in Man -	
Down's Syndrome	
Turner's Syndrome	
Klinefelter's Syndrome	
- Molecular Basis of Inheritance	
- DNA as Genetic Material	
- Structure of DNA & RNA	
- DNA Packaging	
- DNA Replication	
- Central Dogma	
- Transcription	
- Genetic Code	
- Translation	
- Gene Expression & Regulation -	
Lac Operon	
- Genome & Human Genome Project	

- DNA Fingerprinting	
• Evolution	
- Origin of Life	
- Biological Evolution & Evidences from Paleontology	
Comparative Anatomy, Embryology & Molecular Evidence	
- Darwin's Contribution	
- Modern Synthetic Theory of evolution	
- Mechanism of Evolution -	
Variation (Mutation & Recombination)	
Natural Selection (with Examples)	
Types of Natural Selection	
- Gene Flow & Genetic Drift	
- Hardy-Weinberg's Principle	
- Adaptive Radiation	
- Human Evolution	
Unit 3: Biology & Human Welfare	
• Health & Disease	
- Pathogens - Parasites causing Human Diseases -	
Malaria	
Filariasis	
Ascariasis	
Typhoid	
Pneumonia	

Common Cold	
Amoebiasis	
Ringworm	
- Basic Concepts of Immunology -	
Vaccines	
Cancer	
HIV & AIDS	
- Adolescence	
- Drug & Alcohol Abuse	
Improvement in Food Production	
- Plant Breeding	
- Tissue Culture	
- Single Cell Protein	
- Biofortification	
- Apiculture	
- Animal Husbandry	
• Microbes in Human Welfare	
- In Household Food Processing	
- Industrial Production	
- Sewage Treatment	
- Energy Generation	
- Biocontrol Agents & Biofertilizers	
Unit 4: Biotechnology & Its Application	

Principles & Processes of Biotechnology: Genetic Engineering - Recombinant DNA Technology	
 Application of Biotechnology in Health & Agriculture - 	
- Human Insulin & Vaccine Production	
- Gene Therapy	
- Genetically Modified Organisms -	
Bt Crops	
Transgenic Animals	
- Biosafety Issues -	
Biopiracy & Patents	
Unit 5: Ecology & Environment	
Organisms & Environment -	
- Habitat & Niche	
- Population & Ecological Adaptations	
- Population Interactions -	
Mutualism	
Competition	
Predation	
Parasitism	
- Population Attributes -	
Growth	
Birth Rate, Death Rate	
Age Distribution	
• Ecosystem	

- Patterns & Components	
- Productivity & Decomposition	
- Energy Flow	
- Pyramids of Number,Biomass,Energy	
- Nutrient Cycling - Carbon & Phosphorus	
- Ecological Succession	
- Ecological Services -	
Carbon Fixation	
Pollination	
Oxygen Release	
Biodiversity & its Conservation	
- Concept of Biodiversity	
- Patterns of Biodiversity	
- Importance of Biodiversity	
- Loss of Biodiversity	
- Biodiversity Conservation	
- Hotspots	
- Endangered Organisms	
- Extinction	
- Red Data Book	
- Biosphere Reserves	
- National Parks & Sanctuaries	
• Environmental Issues	

- Air Pollution & its Control	
- Water Pollution & its Control	
- Agrochemicals & their effects	
- Solid Waste Management	
- Radioactive Waste Management	
- Greenhouse Effect & Global Warming	
- Ozone Depletion	
- Deforestation	
- 3 Case Studies addressing Environmental Issues	