Contents of the Course Units

Course Title	Basic Mathematics			Course Code	BST 11012		
Year	1	Semester	1	Credits	02	Theory (hr)	20
						Practical (hr)	20
						Independent	
						Learning (hr)	

Aim of the Course:

To provide students with the mathematical concepts that are applicable to the discipline of biosystems technology

Intended Learning Outcomes:

After completion of this course, the learner should be able to:

- Interpret the data using different types of functions and graphs.
- Apply the Set Theory to make inferences.
- Solve a system of linear equations using matrices.
- Solve problems using calculus.

Course Capsule:

Theory

Number line: integers, irrational numbers, rational numbers, natural numbers, prime numbers; Element of set theory notation: Set builder form, Equality of two sets, Disjoint sets, Finite and Infinite sets, Union and intersection of sets, set operations, Venn diagrams; Introduction to Matrix algebra; Solving system of equations using Cramer's Rule; Introduction to function: Domain, Codomain and Range of a function, Types of functions and their properties, Graphs of functions, General equation for a straight line, Parabola, Circle; Introduction to calculus: Limits, Differentiation, Integration and their applications

Practical

Application of Set Theory to solve real world problems; Solve system of equation by using Matrix algebra; Brake even analysis; Finding out critical points of a function; Introduction to calculus: Limits, Differentiation, Integration and their applications

Assessment:

Continuous assessment: 30% End semester assessment: 70%