

**APJ Abdul Kalam Technological University
Thiruvananthapuram**

Abstract

APJAKTU - Provision for Equivalency/Recognition Certificate - Sanctioned - Orders issued.

ACADEMIC SECTION

U.O.No. 65/2020/KTU

Thiruvananthapuram, Dated: 09.01.2020

*Read:-*1. Minutes of the 5th Academic Council Meeting held on 16/08/2019 , item
no.005.4.02.

ORDER

Vide reference cited above, the provision of Equivalency/Recognition Certificate was placed in the 5th Academic Council meeting held on 16/08/2019. The Academic Council discussed and approved the proposal for issuing Equivalency / Recognition Certificates with necessary changes suggested, to be incorporated in the format.

The final format incorporating all the changes suggested by the Academic Council is detailed below:

Srl.No.	Particulars
1	Equivalency/Recognition certificate shall be issued only for the Academic programmes of other universities and against programmes conducted by the University.
2	Regular full time Degrees of Statutory (Govt / Public) Universities / Institutions are normally recognized as equivalent to the corresponding Degree of the University.
3	An exam/Degree shall be recognised as equivalent only if the nomenclature (Branch,Specialisation,etc.) matches with that of the University.
4	The application along with the required fee and documents shall be submitted to the University in the prescribed format.
5	Concerned Board of Studies to which the specific specialization belongs shall consider the application and submit its recommendations to the Academic Council.
6	The Academic Council shall approve or not approve the recommendations of the Board of Studies . If the recommendations of the Board of Studies are not approved by the Academic Council, the same shall be sent back to the Board of Studies for reconsideration, with the reasons for refusal in writing.
	The University shall issue the Equivalency/Recognition Certificate



7	only if the Academic Council approves the recommendations of Board of Studies to issue the Equivalency/Recognition certificate.
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A programme **shall not be recognised** if the recognition index calculated as follows is less than 0.8.

Item No. (a)	Description (b)	KTU (c)	Actual (d)	Item index (Max=1.0) (e)	Remarks (f)
1.	Eligibility for admission (mandatory)	1	0/1	0/1	'0' if inferior '1', if same/superior than KTU
2.	Normal Duration of the programme (mandatory)			(d)/(c)	
3.	Maximum duration of the programme			(c)/(d)	
4.	No. of working days for academic instruction in a semester/trimester			(d)/(c)	
5.	Minimum attendance required (%)			(d)/(c)	
6.	Minimum marks required for internal assessment(%)			(d)/(c)	
7.	Minimum marks required for end semester examination(%)			3*(d)/(c)	
8.	Minimum academic credits required (actual academic credits in column (d) shall be equivalent of KTU credits)			4*(d)/(c)	see the computation given below
9.	Eligibility to continue(semester promotion) (Yes/No)			0/1	'0', if No '1' if same as KTU.
10.	Syllabus contents & standard	100	(% of KTU)	8*(d)/(c)	
11.	Total			xxxx	
				Total of item	



Recognition index		index from item (3)to item (10)= (11e)/20	
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Computation of actual academic credits equivalent to KTU credits: Actual credits earned by the applicant shall be converted to equivalent KTU credits as per the pattern of credits assigned to the courses in KTU ordinance/regulations.

Orders are issued accordingly.

Sd/-

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