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Clarification regarding conduct of Exams during June / July 2020

University is in receipt of many queries regarding conduct of exams. So following clarifications are issued in connection with the conduct of exams during June/July 2020:

The condition: "Acquiring 70 marks will be equivalent to scoring 100% marks in the examination" is applicable only to regular exams conducted for the even semesters starting with Jan 2020. Hence for question papers for B.Tech S8 (Regular & Supplementary) Exam May 2020 and B.Tech S8 (Hons.) Exam May 2020, this will be applicable.

But for the pending exam of MBA T5 examination and B.Tech S7 (Hons) Exam Dec 2019, maximum marks, duration of exam etc. will be as per already followed regulations, ie exams will be of three hour duration and maximum marks will be 100 (for B.Tech courses) and 60 (for PG courses).

Regarding question paper for B.Tech S8 (Regular & Supplementary) Exam May 2020 and B.Tech S8 (Hons.) Exam May 2020, following points may be noted:

Exam duration will be 2 hrs, 15 minutes (135 minutes) - Question paper and scheme of evaluation will be of usual pattern as in regulation (as followed till now) - Students are required to write answers for 70 mark questions only - But students can attend any questions as per the instructions in the question paper, within the time limit - All the answers written on answer book will be evaluated by examiners as usual - Examiners will write the actual mark obtained on answer book (it may be a mark between zero and hundred) - Examiners will enter scored marks as such in KTU portal, but if the marks obtained is above 70, it will be trimmed to 70. While processing result, KTU portal will convert marks obtained out of 70 to out of 100 (applying a multiplication factor of 1.4285). Based on this, 32 marks scored will be converted to 45.7 (sufficient for a pass), 50 marks scored will be converted to 71.4, 60 marks scored will be converted to 85.7, 70 marks scored will be converted to 100 marks and so on.

The reporting time for forenoon session of exam is 9.30 am and afternoon session is 1.30 pm. For S8 Hons and S8(R&S) exams the F.N. session will be held between 10.15 and 12.30pm and A.N. session will be held between 02.15pm and 04.30pm.

in addition to exams scheduled in July 2020, B.Tech S8 (R,S) Exam will be held during October 2020 also. For students who fail in B.Tech S8 (R,S) Exam May 2020 held in July, B.Tech S8 exam in October 2020 will be treated as supplementary chance. At the same time it will be treated as first chance for students who were absent in July exam of B.Tech S8 (R,S).

Regarding the mark entry of final semester project of 8th semester B.Tech students, 22nd July 2020 will be last day for entering marks of internal and end semester components.



Principals are requested to make available data books / data sheets to students which are necessary for the examination of ME402 - Design of Machine Elements II.

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