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## COMPETENCY BASED CURRICULUM

**CERTIFICATE COURSE ON** 

# FUNDAMENDALS OF INT APPLICATION & MAINTENANCE



# **SECTOR: ELECTRONICS & HARDWARE**



# FUNDAMENTALS OF IOT APPLICATION AND MAINTENANCE

### **Duration: 240 Hours**

# **NSQF LEVEL- 3.5**

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#### **1. COURSE INFORMATION**

#### **1.1 GENERAL**

This course has been developed for CTS/CITS trainees to take up as optional courses during course of study for technical and behavioural upgradation of trainees to meet industry related job roles. During the 240 hours duration of Fundamentals of IoT Application and Maintenance course, a candidate is trained on professional skills & knowledge related to job role. The Broad components covered during the course are given below:

During the course, the trainee will identify and select different wireless communication modules and topology to generate and record the data. They will learn to identify and test wireless network component such as Bluetooth module /Wifi Module/GSM Module. They will perform installation, configuration and check working of IOT devices, network, database, app and web services. They will learn to monitor environmental parameters like Temperature, Humidity, Air Quality etc.

#### **1.2 COURSE STRUCTURE**

Table below depicts the distribution of training hours across various course elements during a period of 6 weeks: -

S No.	Course Element	Notional Training Hours
1.	Professional Skill (Trade Practical)	180
2.	Professional Knowledge (Trade Theory)	60
	Total	240

#### **1.3 ASSESSMENT & CERTIFICATION**

The trainee will be tested for his skill, knowledge and attitude during the period of course through assessment at the end of the course through skill testing at Training Center & CBT through examination conducted by DGT.

The minimum pass percentage for skill test is 60% and for theory will be 33% as in main CTS examination.



2. JOB ROLE

**IoT System Operation and Maintenance Technician** include installers and servicers who install, repair and maintain telecommunications equipment, data transmission equipment, cables, antennae and conduits and repair, fit and maintain computers not elsewhere classified.

#### Reference NCO-2015:

7422.9900: Information and Communications Technology Installers and Servicers, Other;

#### Mapped NOS:

- i) ELE/N9505
- ii) ELE/N9506
- iii) ELE/N9507
- iv) ELE/N9508
- v) ELE/N9509
- vi) ELE/N9510



# **3. GENERAL INFORMATION**

Name of the Trade	Fundamentals of IoT Application and Maintenance
Reference NCO - 2015	7422.9900
NOS Covered	ELE/N9505, ELE/N9506, ELE/N9507, ELE/N9508, ELE/N9509,
	ELE/N9510
NSQF Level	3.5
Duration of Craftsmen	240 Hours
Training	
Entry Qualification	10 <sup>th</sup> Class passed and pursuing/ passed out Electronic Mechanic, CHNM, ICTSM, Instrument Mechanic under CTS and Electronic Mechanic, Instrument Mechanic, CHNM under CITS.
Unit Strength (No. of	As per affiliated mapped trade of IoT Technician (Smart Agriculture),
Student), Space Norms	IoT Technician (Smart Healthcare), IoT Technician (Smart City) under
and Power Norms	CTS
Instructors Qualification f	or:
1. Fundamentals of IoT	B.Voc/Degree in Electronics/ Electronics and Telecommunication/
Application and	Electronics and communication/Electronics and Instrumentation
Maintenance	Engineering from AICTE/UGC recognized Engineering College/
	university with one-year experience in the relevant field.
	Diploma (3 years) in Electronics/ Electronics and telecommunication/
	Electronics and communication/Electronics and Instrumentation
	from AICTE/recognized board of technical education or relevant
	Advanced Diploma (Vocational) from DGT with two years' experience in the relevant field
	OR
	NTC/NAC passed in the Trade of "IoT Technician (Smart City)" or "IoT
	Technician (Smart Healthcare)" or "IoT Technician (Smart
	Agriculture)" With three years' experience in the relevant field.
	Essential Qualification:
	Relevant Regular / RPL variants of National Craft Instructor Certificate
	(NCIC) under DGT.
List of Tools and Equipment	As per Annexure – I



#### **4. LEARNING OUTCOME**

Learning outcomes are a reflection of total competencies of a trainee and assessment will be carried out as per the assessment criteria.

#### **LEARNING OUTCOMES**

- 1. Identify different IoT Applications with IoT architecture also Identify, test and interconnect components/parts of IoT system. (NOS: ELE/N9505)
- 2. Select and interface various types of sensors based on the applications used in Smart City. (NOS: ELE/N9506)
- 3. Identify and test Wired & Wireless communication medium such as RS485, Ethernet, Wi-Fi, GSM, GPRS, RF etc. and Communication protocol. (NOS: ELE/N9507)
- 4. Write application logic for IoT Applications using No-code Block Programming software. (NOS: ELE/N9508)
- 5. Perform installation, configuration and check working of IOT devices, network, database, app and web services. Monitor environmental parameters like Temperature, Humidity. (NOS: ELE/N9509)
- 6. Establish and troubleshoot IoT connectivity of devices to cloud having multiple communication medium, protocols, device management and monitoring. (NOS: ELE/N9510)



# 5. SYLLABUS

SYLLABUS – FUNDAMENTALS OF IOT APPLICATION AND MAINTENANCE						
	Duration: 240 Hours					
Duration Weeks	Reference Learning outcome		Professional Skills (Trade Practical)	Professional Knowledge (Trade Theory)		
Professional Skill 18 Hrs.;	Identify different IoT Applications with IoT	1.	Connect and test Arduino with ESP-32, Raspberry-pi	Internet of Things detailed explanation and applications		
Professional	architecture also Identify, test and		board to computer and execute sample programs	in smart city & their distinctive advantages - smart		
Knowledge 12 Hrs.	interconnect components/parts of	2.	from the example list. Upload computer code to	environment, smart street light and smart water & waste		
	IoT system.		the physical board (Microprocessor,	management. What is an IOT? What makes		
		2	Microcontroller) to blink a simple LED.	embedded system an IOT? Role and scope of IOT in		
		3.	Write and upload computer code to the IoT	marketplace.		
		4.	Gateway to sound buzzer. Design a Circuit and	hubs etc. Wireless – RFID,		
			sensor – LDR with IoT	Different functional building		
			LED based on light	blocks of IOT architecture.		
		5.	Rig up the Circuit and	Arduino development board, Pin diagram, Functional		
			upload a program to Control a relay and switch	diagram, Hardware familiarization and operating		
			on/off LED light using IoT Gateway	instructions.		
		6.	Make Circuit and upload a program to Interface of	Raspberry Pi-based IoT Gateway, pin and port		
			LCD display with a IoT Gateway to display	diagram, dedicated ports for SPI, I2C, UART & USB, Analog		
		7.	characters. Rig up the circuit and	& Digital ports/pins, dedicated Keypad & Camera ports, Relay		
			upload a program to	& Motor Controller		
			sensor-with a loT Gateway	instructions		
			to display temperature on			



			the LCD / mobile interface	Integrated development
		8.	Set up Circuit and upload	Environment, Running
			program to Interface DC	Programs on IDE, simple
			motor (actuator) with IoT	Programming concepts.
			Gateway to control	
			on/off/forward/reverse	
			operations.	
		9.	Rig up Circuit and upload	
			program on IoT Gateway to	
			switch on/off two lights	
			using relay.	
Professional	Select and interface	10.	Identify and select	Principle of operation of
Skill 24 Hrs.;	various types of		appropriate sensor as per	various sensors used in Smart
	sensors based on the		requirement.	city; their roles and
Professional	applications used in	11.	Determine air quality and	characteristics.
Knowledge	Smart City.		use noise pollution	Selection of appropriate
06 Hrs.			Sensors.	sensor as per requirement.
		12.	Measure PM2.5 and PM10	Use of air quality and noise
			levels using	pollution Sensors.
			Electrochemical Sensors.	Measurement of PM2.5 and
		13.	Explore sensors used in	PM10 levels using
			weather monitoring	Electrochemical Sensors for
			system. Measure air	pollution control in smart
			temperature, humidity,	environment.
			atmospheric pressure	Explore sensors used in
		14.	Install and configure IP	weather monitoring system.
			Cameras.	Measurement and record
				of Information such as air
				temperature, wind speed,
				dew point temperature,
				atmospheric pressure etc.
				at predetermined intervals
				by Weather Stations.
				Introduction to IP Cameras
Professional	Identify and test	15.	Identify the interfacing of	Introduction to, Block of
Skill 48 Hrs.;	Wired & Wireless		Bluetooth module to	Zigbee, Introduction to
	communication		create local sensor	Concept of interfacing of
Professional	medium such as		network.	Bluetooth module to local
Knowledge	RS485, Ethernet, Wi-	16.	Interface GSM module to	sensor network, interfacing of
12 Hrs.	Fi, GSM, GPRS, RF etc.		make node as a gateway.	GSM modules and other
	and Communication	17.	Apply IoT Gateway using	gateways.



	protocol.		WiFi and Ethernet.	IoT Gateway using WiFi and
		18.	Check UART	Ethernet.
			Communication,	Application of GPS satellites in
			Communication, I2C	Location Sensors.
			Protocol device interfacing	Creation of a combine sensor
			SPI Protocol device	appropriate for local climate
			interfacing, Ethernet	monitoring.
			configuration, Wi-Fi AP and	Concept of Weather Stations.
			Router interfacing.	
		19.	Test the smart phone and	
			its features, use of sensors	
			& usage.	
		20.	Check the bluetooth	
			module along and explore	
			the possibility of pairing	
			with Android Smart Phone.	
		21.	Check the GSM Module	
			and its interconnections.	
		22.	Test GPS module.	
		23.	Check Wifi module.	
		24.	Configure and Test Local	
			Area Networks over	
			Ethernet & Wi-Fi.	
Professional	Write application	25.	Write and execute Simple	Features of Block
Skill 24 Hrs.;	logic for IoT		block programs for	Programming interface,
	Applications using No-		mathematical & text	supported sensors and
Professional	code Block		operations on IoT Gateway	devices, understanding
Knowledge	Programming	26.	Write and test block	commonly used blocks for
06 Hrs.	software.		programs for interfacing	logical, mathematical, text &
			various sensors with IoT	other routine operations,
			Gateway, execute and	blocks for cloud connectivity,
			demonstrate results on	study of auto-generated code,
			cloud using web/mobile	downloading/transferring the
			application interface	code to IoT Gateway
Professional	Perform installation,	27.	Check IoT Gateway using	IoT gateway with internet and
Skill 18 Hrs.;	configuration and		Wi-Fi and Ethernet.	WiFi
	check working of IOT	28.	Manage directories and	Cloud and Server
Professional	devices, network,		files.	Configuration for IoT.
Knowledge	database, app and	29.	Test Cloud and Server	IoT Web and Application
12 Hrs.	web services. Monitor		Configuration for IoT.	Development Tools for IoT.
	environmental	30.	Test IoT Web and	Principle of operation,



	parameters like		Application Development	selection and installation of
	Temperature,		Tools for IoT.	Carbon dioxide sensors,
	Humidity.	31.	Power up the smart	Oxygen sensors.
			Energy Meter (similar	Volatile organic compound
			device) as per the device	sensor
			manual.	Selection and Installation of
		32.	Select and Install Carbon	Air temperature, Air humidity
			dioxide sensors.	and atmospheric pressure, UV
		33.	Identify and Install Oxygen	sensor, Nitric Oxide (NO),
			sensors.	Hydrogen Sulphide, Sulphur
		34.	Identify and Install Air	Dioxide, Carbon Monoxide,
			temperature, Air humidity	Ozone Soil Moisture and Soil
			atmospheric pressure	Temperature sensor.
		35.	Select and Install	Study and test of Magnetic
			Ozone Soil Moisture and	field for smart parking, IR for
			Soil Temperature sensor.	human presence.
		36.	Demonstrate ultrasonic	Study and test of Hall Effect
			and IR sensor for smart	(doors and windows
			parking, PIR for human	openings),
			presence.	
Professional	Establish and	37.	Setup Ethernet IoT Data	Device connectivity over cloud
Skill 48 Hrs.;	troubleshoot IoT		Acquisition system,	and troubleshooting.
	connectivity of		connect to cloud and	
Professional	devices to cloud		verify.	IoT device and its parameter
Knowledge	having multiple	38.	Setup WiFi loT Data	configuration
12 Hrs.	communication		Acquisition system,	Cloud Device Management
	medium, protocols,		connect to cloud and	and troubleshooting.
	device management		verify	Understanding of IoT enabled
	and monitoring.	39.	Setup Cellular (GSM /	Dashboard, Web/Mobile
			GPRS) IoT Data Acquisition	interfaces.
			system, connect to cloud	
			and verify	
		40.	Explore IoT Cloud	
			Configuration utility.	
		41.	Create / modify	
			organization, Connect	
			devices over cloud.	
		42.	Configuration of	
			parameters, alarms,	
			notifications on cloud	
			platform.	



		43.	Explore user management	
			roles and security.	
		44.	Observer Device	
			Diagnostics for	
			troubleshooting.	
Examination				



# 6. ASSESSMENT CRITERIA

1. Identify different IoT Iden Applications with IoT and	ntify various IoT Applications in smart city viz. smart street light smart water & waste management.
architecture also Identify, Rec	ognize the functions of various IoT Technician (Smart City) (IoT) lications & their distinctive advantages.
components/parts of IoT	ntify and explore different functional building blocks of IOT bled system / application.
system. (NOS: Exp ELE/N9505) IOT	lore signal flow into IOT enabled system/application as per the architecture.
Con	nect and test Arduino board to computer and execute sample grams from the example list.
Wri	te and upload computer code to the physical Arduino board ro controller to sound buzzer.
Set	up & test circuit to interface potentiometer with Arduino board map to digital values.
Rig	up the circuit and upload a program to interface temperature sor $-1M35$ with a controller to display temperature on the LCD.
Set	up Circuit and upload program to Interface DC motor (actuator)
2. Select and interface Iden	ntify Roles and characteristics of various sensors used in Smart
hased on the applications Self	ect appropriate sensor as per requirement.
used in Smart City (NOS: Det	ermine air quality and use noise pollution Sensors.
ELE/N9506)	asure PM2.5 and PM10 levels using Electrochemical Sensors.
3. Identify and test Wired & Che Wireless communication pair	eck the blue tooth module along and explore the possibility of ring with Android Smart Phone.
medium such as RS485, Che	ck the GSM Module and its interconnections.
Ethernet, Wi-Fi, GSM,	le selection and Termination for Wired Communication
GPRS. RF etc. and	diums: Pin Diagram, Cable Core, characteristics and
Communication protocol. con	cifications, Connector and crimping of various RJ9/RJ11/RJ45 nectors.
(NOS: ELE/N9507) Free wir	quency Band, Gain, Antenna and Modulation selection for eless communication Mediums
Bas Fi.	ic Network Configuration of Local Area Networks - Ethernet, Wi-
4. Write application logic Exp for IoT Applications using and	lain Block Programming interface, features, supported sensors devices
No-code Block Der Programming software.	nonstrate use of commonly required blocks for logical, thematical, text operations on IoT Gateway using a web/mobile



	(NOS: ELE/N9508)	Write and execute on IoT Gateway block programs to interface different sensors and devices. Display results on cloud using web/mobile application interface
5.	Perform installation, configuration and check working of IoT devices, network, database, app and web services. Monitor environmental parameters like Temperature, Humidity, Air Quality etc. (NOS: ELE/N9509)	Sensors Node communication and testing Check IoT Gateway using WiFi and Ethernet. Configure IoT Connectivity using GSM/GPRS networks for MODBUS over MQTT in IoT Applications Configure IoT Connectivity with cloud platform using HTTP, FTP and CoAP. Test Cloud and Server Configuration for IoT. Select and Install Carbon dioxide sensors, Oxygen sensors, Volatile organic compound sensor etc. as per requirement. Identify and Install Air temperature, Air humidity atmospheric pressure and UV sensor.
6.	<ul> <li>Establish and troubleshoot IoT connectivity of devices to cloud having multiple communication medium, protocols and networking topology and device management and monitoring. (NOS:</li> </ul>	Configure and integrate multiple devices with serial protocol working on RS485 MODBUS Master –Slave architecture such as Solar Inverter, Solar Pump Controller, Energy Meter etc.
		Configure cellular IoT Connectivity using GSM/GPRS networks for MODBUS over MQTT in IoT Applications Select, Configure and ascertain various media converters to convert
		serial devices to Ethernet, Wi-Fi and GPRS Devices Select, Configure and ascertain various protocol converters to convert serial as well as networking devices to IoT Devices Create / Modify and Configure IoT Devices and its parameters on
	ELE/N9510)	cloud platform Monitor and Diagnose IoT Devices on cloud platform Configure parameters, alarms, notifications on cloud platform
		Create / Modify organization and users to access device data with user management roles and security



## **ANNEXURE-I**

LIST OF TOOLS & EQUIPMENT							
Fundamentals of IoT Application and Maintenance							
S No.	Name of the Tools and Equipment	Specification	Quantity				
Same as	IoT Technician (Smart Agriculture), Io	T Technician (Smart Healthcare) and Ic	T Technician				
(Smart C	ity) trade under CTS						
Addition	al Tools and Equipment Required						
1.	Arduino Yun/ESP 32 and Raspberry- pi 4 and above based IoT Gateway can be connected to the cloud, accessories, analog and digital ports, support for stepper motor, servo motors, UART port for serial data communication and separate port for I2C, Integrated RTC, Integrated relays, keypad port Inbuilt DAC and ADC.	Arduino and Raspberry-pi loT system with all accessories sensors and cloud access minimum of 10 sensors	06 sets				
2.	Arduino compatible ethernet shield		6 no.				
3.	Cloud Platform supporting IoT Services such as MQTT	data storage, analysis, and remote access	1 multiuser subscription				
4.	Cloud-Based software for IoT Circuit Designing	create, modify, and test circuit designs before implementing them in real-world devices	1 multiuser subscription				
5.	Cloud-based software for IoT Block Programming	Write software programs using Programmer IDE also with no code programming.	1 multiuser subscription				
6.	Web/Mobile Interface to Manage IoT Application	Execute and run programs in the terminal interface to provide immediate feedback to students on their code performance	1 multiuser subscription				
7.	Cloud based IDE for Python	Development environment for	1 multiuser				
	Programming	writing python program for IoT	subscription				



#### **ANNEXURE-II**

The DGT sincerely acknowledges contributions of the Industries, State Directorates, Trade Experts, Domain Experts and all others who contributed in designing/ revising the curriculum. Special acknowledgement is extended by DGT to the following expert members who had contributed immensely in this curriculum.

List of Expert Members participated in the trade committee meeting for finalizing the course curriculum of Fundamentals of IoT Application and Maintenance under STC on 30.04.2024 at CSTARI, Kolkata

SI. No.	Name and Designation (Shri/Smt./Kumari)	Organization with Address	Remarks
1.	Sunil Kumar Gupta, DDG (ER)	CSTARI, Kolkata	Chairman
2.	G. C. Saha, Joint Director/HoD	CSTARI, Kolkata	Member
3.	Brindaban Das, Deputy Director/HOO	CSTARI, Kolkata	Member
4.	Prodip Mukhopadhyay, former MD WEBEL & Sr. Advisor	MAKAUT, Kolkata	Member
5.	Tapas Kumar Chini, Ex. Senior Professor	SINP, Kolkata & RKM, Belurmath	Member
6.	Aditya Mandal, Head RF Section	VECC, Bidhannagar	Member
7.	Reema Nandi, Associate Manager	Accenture, Unitech Kolkata	Member
8.	S. Chakrabrty	GVR, Kolkata	Member
9.	Biswasjit Jana, Instructor	Don Bosco Technical Institute, Prakcircus	Member
10.	Nishchal, Scientist 'C'	STQC, ERTL(E), Sector-v	Member
11.	Sayan Mondal, Asst. Prof	BIT, Bantala, Kolkata	Member
12.	Patra Kusum Misra, Asst. Prof.	T.C.E Agartala	Member
13.	Niladri Roy, Consultant	TCS	Member
14.	Bijayeelaxmi Panda, Engineer	СТТС	Member
15.	Shekhar Pradhan, Co-Founder & Director of Business Operations	Grok Learning Pvt. Ltd.	Member
16.	Makarand Joshi, Product Manager	Grok Learning Pvt. Ltd.	Member
17.	Himanshu Samal, Global Head Sales & Strategic partnerships	Grok Learning Pvt. Ltd.	Member
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10	Mananjaya Nayak	Central Tool Room and	Member
19.	Engineer (Training Department)	Training Centre, Bhubaneswar	
20.	Akshay Jadhav, Sr Design Engineer	Tata Technologies	Member
21.	Sunil Chore, Managing Director	Simusoft Technologies, Pune	Member



22.	Manohar Sadashiv Desai,	Skill Bahn LLP, Thane,	Member
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