

Branch Name:	Civil Engineering
Semester:	IV
Course Code:	BIM401
Course Name:	Fundamentals of BIM, BIM Modeling and Documentation in Revit (Basic Level)
Pre-requisite Course:	Basic knowledge of building construction and computer-aided drafting (CAD)

Course Objective

- The objective of this course is to provide students with a fundamental understanding of Building Information Modeling (BIM) concepts and hands-on experience using Autodesk Revit.
- The course aims to bridge the gap between traditional design processes and modern, digital construction practices.

Teaching Scheme (hours)				Evaluation Scheme (Marks)				
Lecture	Tutorial	Practical	Credit	Theory		Practical		Total
				University Assessment	Continuous Assessment	University Assessment	Continuous Assessment	
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Sr. No	Topic	Teaching Hrs.	Module Weightage
1	Module 1: Introduction to BIM and Revit Software	04	10
	Concept of BIM: Definition, BIM Scope & advantages, and comparison with CAD, Overview of Autodesk Revit & Other BIM Tools		
2	Module 2: Actual Site Measurement & AutoCAD 2D Drawing	08	20
	Students need to identify the small-scale Project like Apartment / Villa / Office/ School / collage etc., Site visit and measure the entire building, create 2D layouts (Plan & Elevations) in AutoCAD, Review the building against the created 2D Plans		
3	Module 3: Revit Interface & Standard	10	10
	Autodesk Revit interface, Revit Architecture & Structure tools understanding, Project setup and template selection, BIM Standard & BIM Modeling Definitions		
4	Module 4: Building Modeling Basics	12	10
	Modeling walls, Column, Beam, floors, roofs, and ceilings, inserting doors, windows, and components, Use of tools like copy, mirror, align, trim, and offset, View management: Plans, sections, elevations		
5	Module 5: Annotation, Documentation & Visualization	10	20
	Dimensions, tags, and text, Schedules: Room, door, window, Sheets, title blocks, and print settings, 3D Visualization		
6	Module 6: Case Studies and Mini Project	12	30
	Industry case studies on BIM implementation, Hands-on mini project: Residential or commercial building model, Project presentation and documentation		

Course Outcome

At the end of this course, the student will be able to

1. Understand the fundamental concepts of BIM and its role in the construction industry.
2. Create 3D BIM models using Revit software.
3. Generate 2D Drawings and Annotation.
4. Utilize visualization tools for design presentations.
5. Develop a complete building model and documentation as a project.

Scope of Course

- Suitable for students aiming for careers in architecture, structural design, and project coordination.
- Prepares learners for industry-standard tools and processes in digital construction and design.
- Useful for preparing for Autodesk Certified Professional (ACP) in Revit Architecture.

Suggested Practical's

Module 1: Introduction to BIM and Revit

1. Explore Revit interface: Create a new project, set up levels and grids.
2. Compare BIM and CAD by preparing a short demo/model in both environments.

Module 2: Site Measurement & AutoCAD 2D Drawing

3. Conduct a site visit to measure a small structure (e.g., classroom/lab/apartment).
4. Draft 2D plans and elevations of the site in AutoCAD.
5. Verify site measurements against drafted drawings and prepare a short report.

Module 3: Revit Interface & Standards

6. Create a Revit project with correct units, templates, and naming conventions.
7. Apply BIM standards by setting up parameters for walls, floors, and components.

Module 4: Building Modeling Basics

8. Model a simple residential unit with walls, doors, windows, floors, roofs, and stairs.
9. Use modification tools (align, copy, trim, mirror, offset) to edit the building.
10. Generate plan, section, and elevation views for the created model.

Module 5: Annotation, Documentation & Visualization

11. Add dimensions, tags, and text annotations to the model.
12. Create schedules (room, door, and window).

13. Prepare title blocks, sheets, and print-ready drawings.

14. Render a 3D visualization (interior/exterior).

Module 6: Case Studies & Mini Project

15. Review an industry BIM case study and present findings.

16. Develop a mini project (residential or commercial model) in Revit.

17. Prepare full project documentation (2D sheets + 3D views + schedules).

18. Final presentation of the mini project with drawings and renders.