



## **ANALYSIS OF PROGRAMMES FEEDBACK BY STUDENTS**

### **Data analysis - Methodology**

Students (UG & PG programmes) feedback on their programme content in terms of eight variables like adequacy of syllabus, library holdings, relevance of content, and so forth was obtained, and for which a well conceived questionnaire was administered to them after pretesting. The student's rating on the eight variables had three levels such as 'more adequate' (with the score-5) 'adequate' (with the score of 3) and 'Inadequate' (with the score of 1). From the above interval rating scale, mean value/ average was calculated for the eight variables put together for the UG programmes and PG programmes of the College for the study period of five years, i.e. 2013-14 to 2017-18.

A portrait of mean value of programme content for UG, PG and all the programmes of the College is laid beneath.



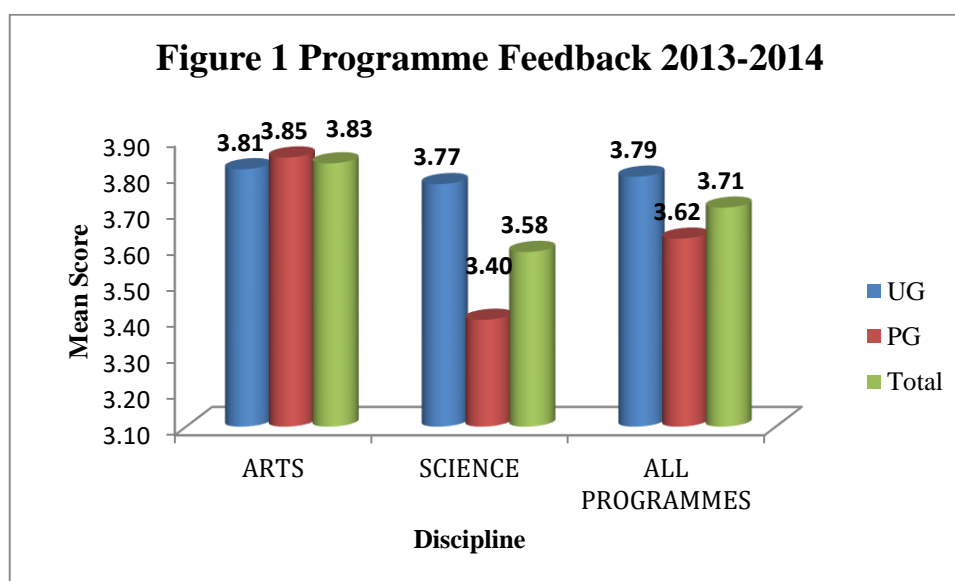
**Academic Year 2013 - 2014**

Table 1: Mean of The Programmes - 2013-14

2013 -2014	<b>DISCIPLINE</b>	<b>UG</b>	<b>PG</b>	<b>Total</b>
	ARTS	3.81	3.85	3.83
	SCIENCE	3.77	3.40	3.58
	ALL PROGRAMMES	3.79	3.62	3.71

Source: Primary Data

The analysis reveals that the average of UG arts programmes, UG science programmes and all UG arts and science programmes, as well as all UG arts and science programmes was registered at 3.81, 3.77 and 3.79 respectively in the year 2013-14. Furthermore in the same period, the mean value of PG arts programmes, PG science programmes, and all PG arts and science programmes combined together was worked out at 3.85, 3.40 and 3.62 respectively. It could also be seen that the mean score programmes respectively for the total of UG arts and PG arts programmes, total of UG science and PG science programmes, as well as sum of all the programmes the College was 3.83, 3.58 and 3.71 in the year 2013-14. It is inferred from the above analysis that the students of all the UG & PG programmes of the college in the year 2013-14 consider that based on the eight variables the programmes content is adequate as the average is greater than 3.00. Figure 1 captures this phenomenon.





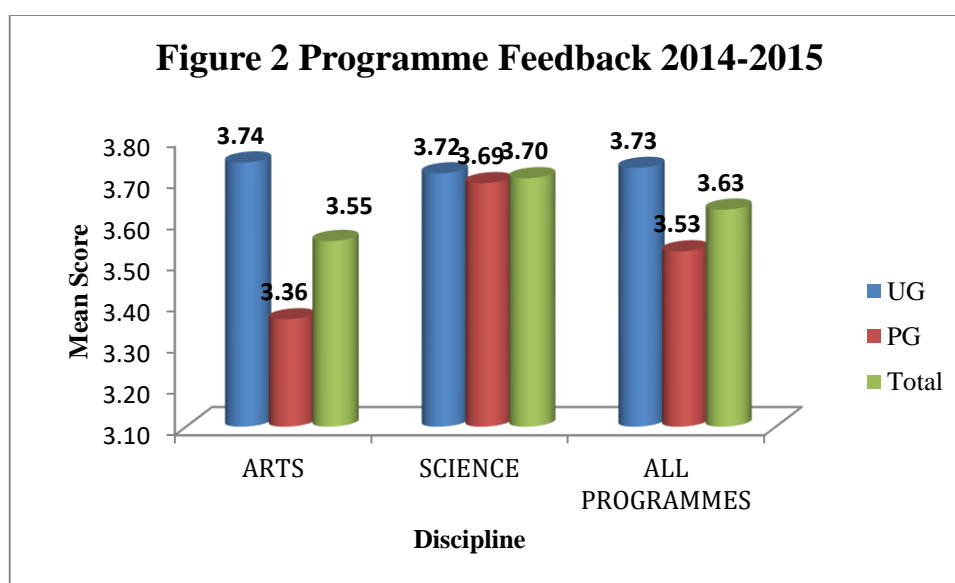
**Academic Year 2014 - 2015**

Table 2: Mean Value of the programmes -2014-15

2014 -2015	<b>DISCIPLINE</b>	<b>UG</b>	<b>PG</b>	<b>Total</b>
	ARTS	3.74	3.36	3.55
	SCIENCE	3.72	3.69	3.70
	ALL PROGRAMMES	3.73	3.53	3.63

Source : Primary Data

The investigation unveils that the mean value of UG arts programmes, UG science programmes and all UG arts and science programmes recorded at 3.74, 3.72 and 3.73 respectively in the academic year 2014-15. Further delve into the matter unfolds that during the same period, the average of PG arts and PG science programmes as well as the aggregate PG arts and PG science programmes stood at 3.36, 3.69, and 3.53 respectively. It is also understood that the average respectively for the total of UG arts programmes & PG arts programmes, total of UG science and PG science programmes, and sum of all the programmes of the college was 3.83, 3.53 and 3.71 in the year 2014-15. A striking disclosure of the above analysis is that the students of all the UG and PG programmes of the College in the year 2014-15 report that the programmes content is adequate as the average is greater than 3. Figure 2, bears a solid evidence to this fact.





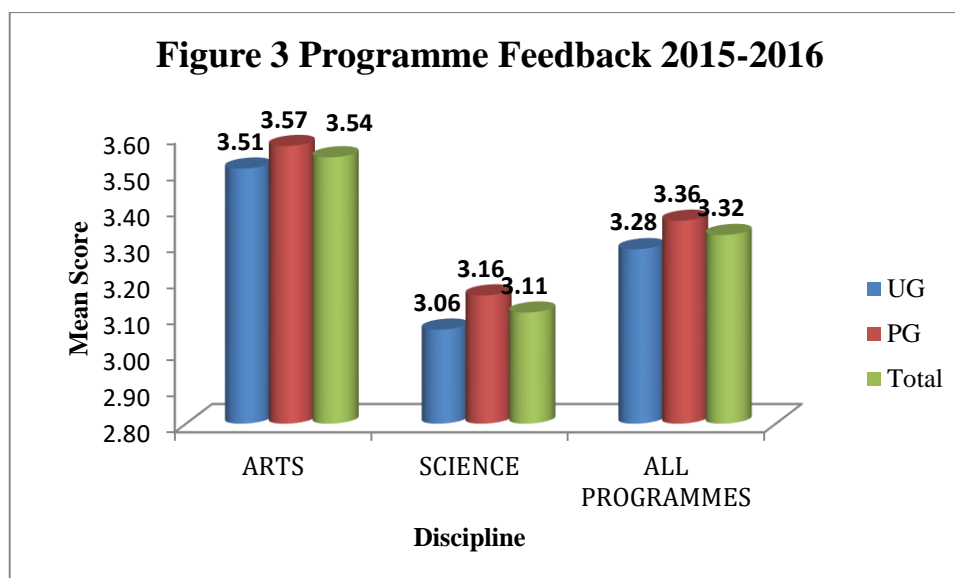
**Academic Year 2015 - 2016**

Table 3: Mean Value of The Programmes -2015-16

2015 -2016	<b>DISCIPLINE</b>	<b>UG</b>	<b>PG</b>	<b>Total</b>
	ARTS	3.51	3.57	3.54
	SCIENCE	3.06	3.16	3.11
	ALL PROGRAMMES	3.28	3.36	3.32

Source: Primary Data

The survey discloses that the mean of UG arts programmes, UG science programmes and the combined UG arts and sciences programmes stood at respectively 3.15, 3.06, and 3.26 in 2015-16. Further probe sheds light that during the same year, the mean value of PG arts programmes, PG science programmes, and the aggregate PG arts and science programmes worked out respectively at 3.57, 3.16, and 3.36. It may also be inferred that the mean score respectively for the total of UG arts programmes and PG arts programmes, total of UG science and PG science programmes, and the sum of all the programmes of the College was 3.54, 3.11, and 3.32 in the same period. It is a clear manifestation from the above finding that in the year 2015-16, the students of all the UG and PG programmes hold the view the programmes content is adequate as the average is greater than 3.00. Figure 3 depicts this event.





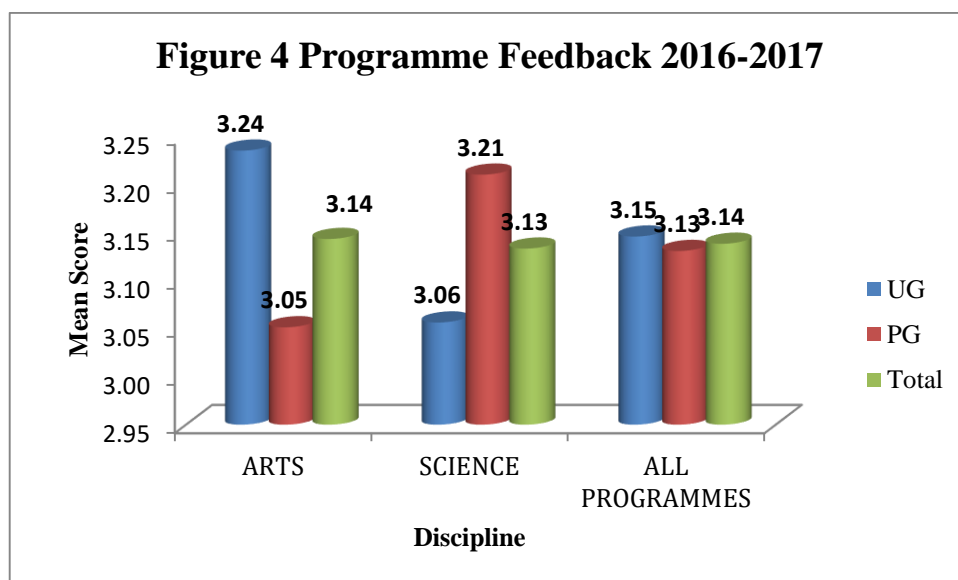
**Academic Year 2016 - 2017**

Table 4: Mean Value of The Programmes - 2016-17

	<b>DISCIPLINE</b>	<b>UG</b>	<b>PG</b>	<b>Total</b>
2016 -2017	ARTS	3.24	3.05	3.14
	SCIENCE	3.06	3.21	3.13
	ALL PROGRAMMES	3.15	3.13	3.14

Source : Field Survey

The analysis has brought to surface glaringly that the average of UG arts programmes, UG science and the combined UG arts and science programmes was respectively 3.24, 3.06, and 3.15 during the period 2016-17. It is evident also that during the same period, the average for PG arts programmes, PG science programmes and the aggregate PG arts and science programmes stood at respectively 3.05, 3.21, and 3.13. Furthermore, the mean value respectively for the total of UG arts and PG arts programmes, total of UG science and PG science programmes, and the sum of all the programmes of the college was 3.14, 3.13, and 3.14 during the same year. It is understood from the above analysis that in 2016-17, the students of all the UG & PG programmes of the college consider content is adequate (as the mean is >3.00). Figure 4 portrays this fact.





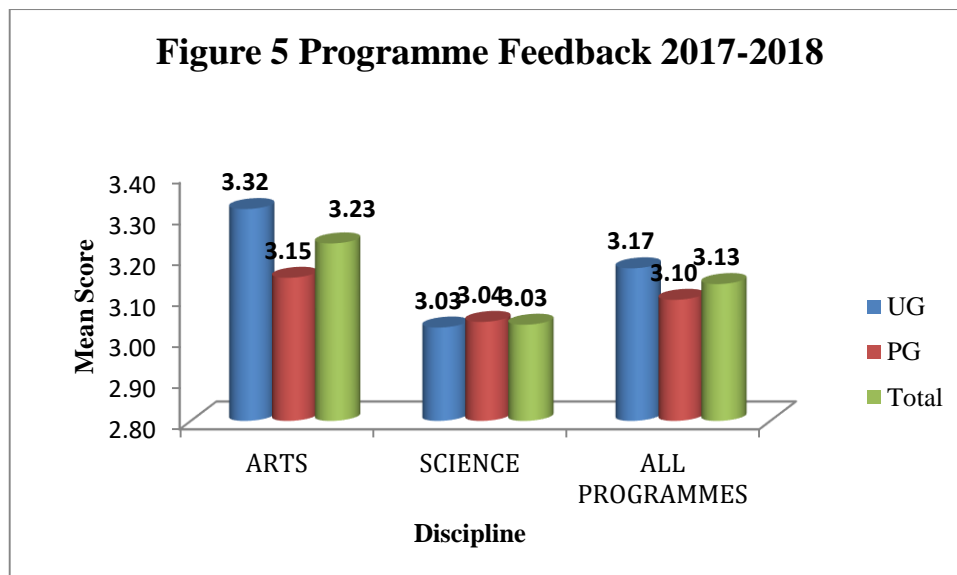
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Table 5: Mean Value of the Programmes - 2017-18

	<b>DISCIPLINE</b>	<b>UG</b>	<b>PG</b>	<b>Total</b>
2017 -2018	ARTS	3.32	3.15	3.23
	SCIENCE	3.03	3.04	3.03
	ALL PROGRAMMES	3.17	3.10	3.13

Source: Field Survey

It is of clear manifestation from table 5 that the mean of UG arts programmes, UG science programmes, and the combined UG arts and science programmes recorded at respectively 3.32, 3.03, and 3.17 in 2017-18. It is understood also that in the year 2017-18, the mean of PG arts programmes, PG science programmes and the aggregate PG arts and science programmes was respectively 3.15, 3.04, and 3.10. In addition, the average respectively for the total of UG arts and PG arts programmes, total of UG science and PG science programmes, and the sum total of all the programmes of the college registered at 3.23, 3.03, and 3.13 in 2017-18. It is perspicacious; the students of all the UG & PG programmes of the College in the year 2017-18, hold the view that their programme content is adequate as the mean value is greater than 3.00.





**Overall feedback for five years**

**(Academic Year 2013 – 2014 to 2017 – 2018)**

Table 6 depicts the picture of mean value for consolidated responses of UG and PG programmes students for all the five years put together.

Table 6: Overall Mean Value For All The 5 Year

	<b>DISCIPLINE</b>	<b>UG</b>	<b>PG</b>	<b>Total</b>
Overall 2013 -2018	ARTS	3.52	3.40	3.46
	SCIENCE	3.33	3.30	3.31
	ALL PROGRAMMES	3.42	3.35	3.39

Source: Primary Data

An outstanding revelation of the analysis is that the overall average of five years for all the UG arts programmes, PG arts programmes, and combined UG and PG arts programmes was respectively 3.52,3.40, and 3.46 (more than 3.00). Concerning the science programmes, the overall mean of five years for all the UG science programmes, PG science programmes, and combined UG and PG science programmes respectively was 3.33,3.30, and 3.31 (>3.00). Further probe into the matter unveils that the overall mean for all arts and science programmes, all PG arts and science programmes, as well as all UG and PG arts & science programmes combined together was respectively 3.42,3.35, and 3.35 (>3.00). This pinpoints to the fact that regardless of the discipline, all the UG ( arts & sciences) and PG (arts & sciences) programmes students of the College in all the five years of study period report that the programmes content is adequate (mean value >3.00). Figure 6 is a pointer to this fact.

