Module Code	MA3013	Title	Applied Statistics			
Credits	02	Hours/ Week	Lectures	02	Pre-requisites	MA1023/
			Lab/Tutorials	_		MA2073

## **Learning Outcomes**

At the end of this module the student should be able to,

- Identify the role of probability and statistics in their discipline area.
- Perform a range of statistical procedures related to the manipulation and interpretation of data.
- Distinguish between types of statistical tests that may me used to analyze data.
- Demonstrate basic knowledge of assessing the appropriateness of statistical models.
- Demonstrate practical expertise associated with the use of statistical package in performing basic statistical procedure.

# **Outline Syllabus**

# **Discrete and continuous random variables:**

- Bivariate distributions.
- Moment generating function.
- Introduction to ML estimators.
- Basic properties of Geometric, Hyper geometric, Exponential and Gamma, distributions.
- Student's t-distribution.
- Fisher's distribution and Chi square distribution.

#### **Statistical Inference:**

- Sampling distributions, central limit theorem, confidence intervals for mean and variance.
- Hypothesis tests. Goodness-of-fit tests and contingency table.
- Simple linear regression.
- Least square estimation and hypothesis tests in simple linear regression.

## **Practical Work:**

Use of MINITAB for statistical testing and regression analysis.