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This booklet gives information on Courses offered in the Faculty of Pure and Applied Sciences at the Cave Hill Campus of the University of the West Indies (Barbados). For courses offered at the other Campuses, please see Faculty booklets for the Mona (Jamaica) and St. Augustine (Trinidad & Tobago) Campuses.

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Introduction to the Faculty

The University of the West Indies is a regional and international institution primarily serving the needs of the Commonwealth Caribbean. Established in 1948 at Mona, Jamaica, as a college in special relationship with the University of London, it received full university status in 1962, as an independent degree-granting institution. In 1960, a second campus was established at St Augustine, Trinidad, and in 1963 teaching started in Barbados, first at a temporary site at the Bridgetown Port and in 1964 at the Cave Hill Campus.

Sciences have been taught at the Cave Hill Campus of the University of the West Indies from its inception. The Faculty was formerly known as the Faculty of Natural Sciences and later the Faculty of Science & Technology before settling on the current name of the Faculty of Pure & Applied Sciences. Our full-time Academic Staff are mainly Caribbean nationals but we are also very much an international Faculty with about one third of our lecturers drawn from countries far and wide. Our degree programmes are well-respected regionally and internationally with many of our graduates working or pursuing further studies overseas. The Faculty comprises three sections:-

- Department of Biological & Chemical Sciences – undergraduate & graduate programmes
- Department of Computer Science, Mathematics & Physics – undergraduate & graduate programmes
- Centre for Resource Management and Environmental Studies (CERMES) – graduate programmes

In the undergraduate BSc programme, courses are offered in all major scientific disciplines, with first year courses also taught at Tertiary Level Colleges in Antigua and St. Lucia. Students may Major in one or two disciplines and current enrollment in the Faculty is just over one thousand undergraduates, most of whom are full-time students.

Science graduates may register for the research degrees of M.Phil. and Ph.D. under the supervision of a member of the Academic Staff. The Faculty also offers two taught MSc programmes, the well-established MSc in Natural Resource and Environmental Management and the MSc in Electronic Commerce.

The research interests in the Faculty are diverse, addressing both fundamental questions in Science as well as finding scientific solutions to real life problems facing Caribbean people. Faculty members also constitute an unmatched source of expertise to Governments, Non-Governmental Organisations and the Private Sector in providing technical advice.

The Sports Agronomy Research Unit (SARU), within the Department of Biological & Chemical Sciences, conducts basic and contract research and provides consultancy services in the area of living grass surfaces for sporting and recreational activities. It complements the UWI Centre for Cricket Excellence.

Through collaboration with the Caribbean Institute for Meteorology and Hydrology, the Faculty offers a Major in Meteorology within the BSc degree.

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Semester I

Sunday, August 24, 2008 Semester I begins

Monday, September 1, 2008 Teaching Starts

Friday, November 28, 2008 Teaching ends

Monday, December 1, 2008 Semester I examinations
begin

Friday, December 19, 2008 Semester I examinations
ends

Semester I ends

Semester II

Sunday, January 25, 2009 Semester II begins

Monday, January 26, 2009 Teaching starts

Friday, April 24, 2009 Teaching ends

Tuesday, April 27, 2009 Semester II examinations
begins

Friday, May 15, 2009 Semester II examinations
end

Semester II ends

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Application Procedure

Applications for entry to all Faculties must be received on or before January 10 of the year in which the applicant wishes to enter and should be accompanied by:

- (i) Certified evidence of all examinations passed;
- (ii) A signed statement from parent/guardian agreeing that the applicant shall become an undergraduate in the Faculty;
- (iii) A signed statement from parent/guardian or from a responsible Individual or authority that funds will be available for the payment of fees;
- (iv) An application fee of Bd\$30.00.

Students are encouraged to apply on-line at www.cavehill.uwi.edu. Application forms may also be obtained from the Student Affairs Section at Cave Hill or other campuses of the UWI.

Table 1: Minimum CAPE (or equivalent) qualifications for entry to 3-Year BSc Science Programmes

BSc Major in	Required CAPE Passes
Biochemistry	Biology & Chemistry
Biology ¹	Biology & Chemistry
Ecology	Biology & Chemistry
Microbiology	Biology & Chemistry
Chemistry ¹	Chemistry & another subject
Computer Science ¹	Mathematics & another subject
Information Technology (IT)	Mathematics & another subject
Mathematics ¹	Mathematics & another subject
Electronics	Mathematics or Physics
Physics	Mathematics or Physics & another subject
Meteorology	Mathematics & Physics
BSc Options²	
Computer Science (or IT) & Accounting	Mathematics & another subject
Computer Science (or IT) & Economics	Mathematics & another subject
Computer Science (or IT) & Management	Mathematics & another subject
Mathematics & Economics	Mathematics & another subject
Mathematics & Accounting	Mathematics & another subject
Science & Management	Mathematics & requirements as for the Science Major
Science & Psychology	Requirements as for the Science Major

¹Double Major also offered.

²Numbers taking these Options are restricted

INTERNATIONAL EXCHANGE/ STUDY ABROAD PROGRAMME

The exchange programme allows students to spend one or two semesters abroad at overseas universities in order to broaden their experience, understanding and perception. Such exchanges typically take place in Year 2 or Semester I, Year 3, of the BSc degree and the application deadline is December 1st of the year prior to the exchange.

UWI students, while at exchange Universities, continue as regular full-time students of the University of the West Indies. They pay UWI tuition and other fees and pursue matching and approved courses for credit. Credits earned abroad are transferred to UWI and applied to regular Faculty degree requirements in accordance with Regulation 39. For study abroad the requirements may vary.

Interested students are advised to consult the International Exchange/Study Abroad brochure available from the Admissions Section of Student Affairs. This contains a current list of Universities with which UWI has entered into cooperative arrangements for study exchanges. Programmes of study must be pre-approved by the Dean.

PRIZES AWARDED ANNUALLY IN THE FACULTY OF PURE AND APPLIED SCIENCES

THE GRAHAM GOODING BIOLOGY PRIZE

The prize consists of a commemorative scroll and voucher for **BDS \$ 600.00** to be spent on books related to the Biological Sciences.

It will be awarded to the best student majoring in the Biological Sciences (Biochemistry, Biology, Ecology, Microbiology) based on the student's performance (minimum B+ average) in the courses comprising the Biological major.

R. L. SEALE & CO. LTD. PRIZE IN CHEMISTRY

This prize consists of a book voucher of **BDS \$600.00** and a commemorative scroll. It is awarded to the best student (who meets the standard) on the basis of performance during the final two years of the programme.

SYSTEMS CONSULTING LTD. (SCL) PRIZES IN

- (a) *Computer Science*
- (b) *Computer Science and Accounting or Computer Science and Management*

These prizes consist of a cash voucher of **BDS \$1500** to be spent on computer-related materials.

Students must have completed Year 1 of the Pure and applied Sciences Programme; and have fulfilled the Year 1 requirements for the major in Computer Science or Computer Science and Accounting or Computer Science and Management and have attained the highest average grade which must be at least B+.

None of these courses should have been repeated.

SCL will offer each Prizewinner a three-month paid work attachment at SCL after graduation.

SYSTEMS CONSULTING LTD. (SCL) PRIZE IN MATHEMATICS

The prize consists of a voucher of BDS \$ 500 to be spent on books on Mathematics and related fields.

Students must be graduating in the current year, have majored in Mathematics and have attained the highest average marks in the Mathematics courses relevant to themajor with an overall average grade of at least B+.

None of the courses should have been repeated.

MOORE PARAGON PRIZE IN PHYSICS

The prize consists of a voucher for books and/or student materials, of a value of **BDS \$500**. The prize will be awarded annually to the student who obtains the highest average marks in the First Year courses offered in Physics, provided that the student obtains, at least a B+ average and continues within the degree programme in the Faculty of Pure and Applied Sciences, Cave Hill.

None of the courses should have been repeated.

MOORE PARAGON PRIZE IN ELECTRONICS

This prize consists of a voucher for books and/or student materials of a value of **BDS \$500**. The prize will be awarded annually to the student who obtains the highest average marks in the First Year courses offered in Electronics, provided that the student obtains, at least a B+ average and continues within the degree programme in the Faculty of Pure and Applied Sciences, Cave Hill.

None of these courses should have been repeated.

FACULTY PRIZE

This prize consists of a voucher of BDS \$ 500 to be spent on books. It is awarded to the Part I/Level I student with the best academic performance.

DEAN'S PRIZES, FACULTY OF PURE AND APPLIED SCIENCES

There shall be two (2) Prizes awarded annually, called the Dean's Prizes, Faculty of Pure and Applied Sciences. The Prizes shall be awarded to two (2) students registered in the Faculty of Pure and Applied Sciences who:

- (a) have obtained at least an A average grade over 64 credits in the Faculty of Pure and Applied Sciences courses at Levels II/III.
- (b) should be nominated by their Department and interviewed by an Interdisciplinary panel. The names shall be inscribed on an appropriate plaque to be displayed in the Faculty Office.

The value of the Prizes shall be

FIRST PRIZE (Bds) \$900.00

SECOND PRIZE (Bds) \$500.00

THE PFIZER CARIBBEAN SCIENCE PRIZE

Valued at BDS \$1000, it is open to undergraduate students registered for a major in Biology, Chemistry or their sub-disciplines in the Department of Biological and Chemical Sciences.

GLOSSARY TO THE REGULATIONS

TERM	DEFINITION
1. Science Faculties	The Faculties of Pure and Applied Sciences at Cave Hill and Mona and the Faculty of Science and Agriculture at St. Augustine.
2. Discipline	A body of knowledge encapsulated in a set of courses distinguishable from other such bodies on the basis of criteria such as method of enquiry, axioms, areas of application.
3. Subject	An area of study traditionally assigned to the purview of a department.
4. Course	A body of knowledge circumscribed by a syllabus to be imparted to students by sundry teaching methods and usually followed by an examination.
5. Faculty Courses	All courses except Foundation and Co-curricular courses.
6. In-Faculty Courses	All Faculty courses originating in the Science Faculties.
7. Out-of-Faculty Courses	All Faculty courses originating in Faculties other than the Science Faculties.
8. Foundation Courses	Broad-based courses, three of which must be taken, and which provide a general foundation of knowledge.
9. Programme	A selection of courses (designed to achieve pedagogical goals) the taking of which is governed by certain regulations and the satisfactory completion of which (determined by such regulations) makes a candidate eligible for the award of a degree/diploma/certificate.
10. Level	A measure of the standard of a course, designated at UWI by the first digit in the course number.
11. Part	A stage of a programme: (i) Part I (Introductory Stage) comprises Preliminary and Level I Courses (ii) Part II (Advanced Stage) comprises Level 2 and 3 courses
12. Credit	Hour = 1 hour lecture/tutorial/problem class Per week OR 2 hours laboratory session per week, for a Semester.
13. Major	32 credits from prescribed courses at Levels 2 & 3 (as defined)
14. Minor	16 credits of prescribed courses at Levels 2 & 3 (as defined).

TERM	DEFINITION
15. Option	A prescribed programme, comprising in-Faculty and, in some cases, out-of-Faculty courses, leading to a specific degree.
16. Elective	A course within a programme taken by choice of the student.
17. Marginal Failure	A score for the overall examination of a course which is not more than 5 marks below the minimum pass mark for that course.
18. Supplemental Exam	A re-sit of an examination of a course which is not more than 5 marks below the minimum pass mark for that course.
19. Supplementary Oral	An oral examination, offered on recommendation of Department and Faculty, to candidates who have Registered a marginal failure in a Level 2 or 3 course.
20. Pre-requisite	A course which must be passed before another course for which it is required may be pursued.
21. Anti-requisites	Two courses of which credit may be granted for only one.
22. Semester GPA	Grade point average (GPA) computed on the basis of all courses done in a semester, without reference to weighting except in terms of credits. (The terms Grade Point, GPA, Quality Hours and Quality Points are defined in the UWI Grade Point Average Regulations Booklet).
23. Honours GPA	Weighted grade point average used to determine the class of degree. This GPA is computed on the basis of all courses done in the Advanced art (Levels 2 & 3) of the degree programme, weighted with respect to credit and to earned quality hours.
24. Cumulative GPA	Grade point average obtained by dividing the total grade point earned by the total quality hours for which the student has registered for any period of time excluding courses taken on a Pass/Fail basis, audited courses, courses taken for Preliminary credit, incomplete and in-progress courses.

GENERAL REGULATIONS FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

All students of the University are subject to the General Regulations for Students approved by the Senate of the UWI. Where there is conflict between the regulations of any Faculty and the University Regulations, the University Regulations shall apply.

A. Qualification for Admission

1. In order to be admitted to the **four-year degree programme**, candidates must satisfy the University requirements for Matriculation (see the UWI General Regulations for Students) **and** have passed Elementary Mathematics at CSEC General Proficiency level at Grades I, II or, since 1998, Grade III (or equivalent) plus at least two of the disciplines listed in Appendix I(b).
2. In order to be admitted to the **three-year degree programme**, candidates must satisfy the University requirements for Matriculation (see the UWI General Regulations for Students) and have passed Mathematics and two approved science subjects (Appendix I(b) at CSEC General Proficiency level at Grades I, II or, since 1998, Grade III (or equivalent) **and**
 - (a) Have obtained passes in two two-Unit subjects at CAPE, both Units at Grade V or better (or equivalent). One of the CAPE subjects must be an Approved Science subject (see Appendix Ia).**or**
 - (b) Have an approved Associate Degree with a GPA of 2.5 (or equivalent) or higher, from a Tertiary Level Institution.

(N.B. Candidates must also satisfy Departmental Requirements).

B. Outline of the Degree Programme

3. The degree of BSc is awarded on the basis of a programme of studies comprising combinations of courses in Science disciplines, together with certain Foundation courses. Approved Out-of-Faculty (see Glossary) courses may be included.
4. The Science Faculties offer the following Bachelors degrees in Science (the terms Major, Minor, Option *etc.*, are defined in the Glossary):
 - (a) **A general degree with a single major** (32 credits from Levels 2 and 3) or a **double major** in two Science disciplines (2x32 credits from Levels 2 and 3). (See Appendix II for a list of Science Majors offered).
 - (b) **A general degree with a single major** in a Science discipline **plus**
 - (i) one or two minors from other distinct Science disciplines (each **16** credits from Levels 2 and 3) **or**
 - (ii) a major or one or two minors from other Faculties. **Out-of-Faculty Majors and minors are governed by the regulations of the Faculty of origin.**
 - (c) **Options** comprising a prescribed set of departmental, inter-departmental or inter-faculty courses which satisfy the requirements for a specific degree (see Appendix VI).
 - (d) **Special Degrees** offered by the Science Faculties as listed by the respective departments. (Mona only)
5. The following types of courses, which may consist of both theoretical and practical parts, are offered by the University:

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- (a) Courses taught by the Science Faculties (**in-Faculty courses**) include Preliminary (Level 0) and Levels 1, 2 and 3 courses. (Preliminary courses may be used to satisfy entry requirements of Regulation 2 above, but do not contribute towards the requirements for the award of a degree.)
 - (b) **Service courses**, which provide students with basic techniques and skills needed for dealing with the academic programme.
 - (c) Approved **Out-of-Faculty courses** which may contribute toward the requirements for the award of a degree.
 - (d) **Foundation courses** (see Appendix III) which are given throughout the University to augment the general education of students.
 - (e) **Co-curricular activities** approved for credit by Academic Board. A maximum of **three** credits of co-curricular activities may be included as part of the credits required for the award of a degree, but shall not be taken into account in the determination of the Cumulative GPA or the class of degree. They may not be substituted for Foundation Courses. Co-curricular credits gained in excess of **three** will be entered on the student's transcript but will not contribute toward the requirements for the degree.
6. Courses normally extend over not more than one semester, but in special cases may extend over two semesters. The contact hours for a course are expressed in terms of Credit Hours (credits) and the credit-rating of a course is determined by the Faculty which administers the course. (See Appendix IV).
7. In order to be eligible for award of the Science Faculties' degrees, candidates **must**:
- (a) have been in satisfactory attendance for a period equivalent to at least **six** semesters of full-time

study from entry into Level 1;
and

- (b) have passed courses totaling a **minimum** of **101** credits from Level 1, 2 and 3 Faculty and Foundation courses for the general degree as follows:

Level 1	24
Level 2 and Level 3	60
Level 1 to Level 3 (additional)	8
Foundation courses	<u>9</u>
	<u>101</u>

- (i) A minimum of **16** credits (18 credits at Mona) at Level 1 **and 32** credits at Levels 2 and 3 must be taken from in-Faculty courses.
 - (ii) Specific Options or Programmes (e.g. Special degrees, Double Majors or Major/Minor combinations) may require more than **101** credits (see Appendix VI)
 - (iii) Exemptions from specific parts of the degree programme may be obtained under the provisions of Section I: Exemptions & Transfers (below).
- (c) have a Cumulative GPA of at least **1.00**.

C. Registration

8. A student pursuing a degree in the Faculty may register full-time or part-time. **A student who is in full-time employment may pursue a degree on a part-time basis only. No allowances, with respect to attendance at classes, laboratories, tutorials or examinations, will be made for students on the basis of conditions of their employment.**
9. Students must register for courses at the beginning of the academic year. Time limits governing changes in

registration are as outlined in the student handbooks for each Campus. A student is deemed to be registered for a course only after his/her financial obligations to the University have been fulfilled.

10. Registration for any course (except audited courses) automatically implies entry for the associated examinations. A student who fails to attend the examinations without having previously withdrawn from the course (see Reg.9), or without having tendered evidence of illness at the time of the examinations, certified by a medical practitioner recognized by the University, will be deemed to have failed the course.

Medical certificates must reach the Campus Registrar no later than seven days after the date of the examination concerned.

11. A student who has passed a course will not be permitted to re-register for that course.

D. Progress through the Programme

- 12 (a) Students admitted into the four-year degree programme (Reg.1) who have already obtained **one** CAPE/GCE A-level pass (or equivalent) in an approved science subject, may be permitted to register for up to **12** credits of Level 1 courses.
- (b) Students admitted into the three-year degree programme (Reg.2) who satisfy the pre-requisites, may register for **12** credits in **one** of the Preliminary subjects offered in the Science Faculties or by Distance, for the purpose of obtaining prerequisites for entry into certain Level 1, 2 or 3 courses.
- (c) Students may not register for Preliminary courses in a subject which overlaps substantially with any CAPE/GCE A-Level courses (or equivalent) previously passed.

13. (a) Full-time Part I students are required to register for a minimum of fifteen credits from Faculty courses per semester plus one Foundation course, that is, 33 credits over Semesters I and II.
- (b) In order to satisfy the minimum requirement for entry to Part II, a student must normally pass a minimum of 24 credits in Level 1 Faculty courses. At least 16 of these credits (18 at Mona and 15-16 in Agriculture) must be from in-Faculty courses.
- (c) A student who has passed the minimum number of required in-Faculty Level 1 credits in the first two semesters of full-time study may, on the recommendation of the Dean and subject to Reg.14, be allowed to register for a limited number of Part II courses.
- (d) Exemptions from some courses may be obtained on the basis of the regulations contained in Section I, Exemptions & Transfers.
- (e) The minimum number of credits for which a full-time Part II student must register in any one semester is 13.
- (f) The normal load for a full-time Part II student is 16 advanced course credits per semester, plus one Foundation course, that is, 35 credits over Semesters I and II.
14. The maximum number of credits for which a student may register is as follows:
- (a) In the case of Part I students:
- (i) for full-time registration, 18 credits from Preliminary/ Introductory level courses in any one semester, plus one Foundation course per semester, that is, 42 credits over Semesters I and II.
- (ii) for part-time registration, 12 credits per

semester from Faculty courses, plus one Foundation course, that is, 27 credits over Semesters I and II.

- (b) In the case of Part II students:
- (i) for full-time registration, with the permission of the Dean, 20 credits from Faculty courses plus one Foundation course per semester.
 - (ii) for part-time registration, **12** credits per semester from Faculty courses, plus **one** Foundation course, that is, **27** credits over Semesters I and II.
- (c) Full-time students who require more than **20** but not more than **24** credits in order to graduate, have satisfied all Foundation course requirements, and are exempt from coursework in at least one course may, with the Dean's permission, register for the required credits.

15. (a) Students must make a final declaration of their proposed major(s) and/or minor(s) by the end of the registration period of the semester in which they intend to graduate.
- (b) Students must graduate as soon as they have met the requirements for the degree for which they are registered.

E. Examinations

16. In order to pass a course, a student must have been in satisfactory attendance at the course and must have satisfied the examiners in the associated examinations.
17. The examination associated with each course shall be conducted mainly by means of written and/or practical papers, normally taken at the end of the semester in which the candidate has registered for the courses

concerned. However, oral examinations as well as performance in course work in the form of essays, in-course tests, research papers, projects, or continuous assessment of theoretical and/or practical work may contribute towards the final grade awarded in a course.

18. When practical papers and/or practical coursework contribute towards an examination, candidates must satisfy the examiners in both the theoretical and practical aspects of the course. On the basis of performance in the practical component of the course, a candidate may, on the recommendation of the Department concerned, be exempted from the practical part of the examination.
19. A candidate who marginally fails the examination associated with a Preliminary or Level 1 course may, if recommended by the relevant Department, be granted permission by the Board of Examiners to sit a Supplemental Examination. Such permission will be given on the basis of the performance of the candidate in the courses concerned.
20. A Part II student who marginally fails a course needed for advancement or for graduation, having satisfied the Departmental requirements, may, at the discretion of the Faculty Board of Examiners, be offered a Supplementary Oral. Any candidate who satisfies the examiners in a Supplementary Oral will be given the minimum passing grade in the course. No more than **eight** credits may be gained through Supplementary Orals.
21. A candidate who fails the examination associated with a course may be given permission to repeat the course and the examination on a subsequent occasion.
- (a) In the event that such a candidate has satisfied the examiners in the theory or practical coursework, the candidate may, on the recommendation of the relevant Department, be exempted from the theory or practical coursework passed. If such a

recommendation has been made, the candidate may apply to the Dean for permission to take the examination without attending the course (Exam Only).

- (b) A Part I student who fails a course twice will not **normally** be allowed to repeat this course again. Examinations associated with the Summer Programme are counted as repeats; Supplemental Examinations are not.

22. The Academic Board of a candidate's Campus on the recommendation of the Faculty Board concerned, may debar the candidate from writing the examination associated with a course if the candidate has not attended and/or performed satisfactorily in the course. **The grade for such a candidate will be recorded as Absent Fail.**

F. GPA¹ and Class of Degree

23. (a) A Semester grade point average which includes all approved courses for which the student is registered in a semester, whether passed or failed, will be calculated for the determination of academic standing.
- (b) A **Cumulative grade point average** which includes all courses completed **excluding** those taken on a Pass/Fail basis, audited courses, Preliminary courses and courses designated I or IP will be calculated and recorded on the student's transcript.
- (c) An **Honours grade point average** including all Level 2 and 3 courses, whether passed or failed, will be calculated for determination of the class of the degree. (See Appendix V for the relationship between marks, grade point average and class of degree).

24. All courses included in the computation of the grade point averages in Regulation 23, are weighted according to their credit rating.

G. Leave of Absence and Voluntary Withdrawal

25. (a) A student who wishes to be absent from the Faculty for a semester or more may apply for Leave of Absence, through the Dean, to the campus Academic Board, stating the reasons for the application.
- (b) Leave of Absence will not be granted for more than **two** consecutive semesters in the first instance. However, students may apply for an extension of leave.
- (c) Leave of Absence will not be granted for more than **four** consecutive semesters.
- (d) Applications for Leave of Absence or extension thereof should normally be submitted by the end of the registration period in the relevant semester.
26. A student who registers for no courses during a semester without having obtained Leave of Absence will be deemed to have withdrawn from the Faculty.
27. A student who voluntarily withdraws from the university and who applies for re-admission within **five** years shall be granted exemption and credit for all courses previously passed unless the Department concerned declares that the material covered in a course has become outdated. All grades previously obtained except those for courses declared outdated shall be used in the determination of the GPA of such a student.

¹ The table for conversion of numerical marks to letter grades for GPA purposes is presented in Appendix V (Table 2).

H. Time Limits for Completion and Enforced Withdrawals

28. For the purposes of Regulations 29 & 30 below, any semester in which a student is registered part-time including the Summer session, will be counted as half of a semester of full-time study. After the total of equivalent full-time study has been obtained in this way, it will be rounded down to a whole number.
29. Students will be required to withdraw from the Faculty if in any two successive semesters they fail to gain passes in Faculty courses equivalent to at least:
- Part I** Eleven (11) credits, if registered full-time.
Six (6) credits, if registered part-time.
- Part II** Eight (8) credits, if registered full-time.
Four (4) credits, if registered part-time.
30. (a) A student whose Semester Grade Point Average is less than or equal to 0.75 will be deemed to be performing unsatisfactorily and will be placed on warning.
- (b) A student on warning whose Semester grade point average is less than or equal to **0.75** will be required to withdraw from the Faculty.
31. (a) Students admitted to the programme under Reg.2 shall complete the requirements for the degree in a minimum of six or a maximum of ten semesters of full-time study.
- (b) Students admitted to the programme under Reg.1 shall complete the requirements for the degree in a minimum of **eight** or a maximum of **twelve** semesters of full-time study.
- (c) Students who cannot complete the programme within the maximum periods given in (a) and (b) above will normally be required to withdraw from the Faculty at the end of the academic year in which the maximum is reached.
32. In the event that a student has exhausted the maximum periods mentioned in Reg.31 above, but still requires for the completion of the degree programme,
- Either:**
- (a) passes in courses totalling no more than **eight** credits,
- or:**
- (b) passes in Foundation courses only,
- the Faculty Board may at its discretion recommend to Academic Board an extension of the period of study by **one** or **two** semesters.
33. For the purposes of Regulations 28 to 32 above, any semester for which a student has obtained Leave of Absence from the Faculty shall not be counted (see Reg.25).
34. Notwithstanding Regulations 28 to 33 above, Academic Board may, on the recommendation of the Faculty Board, require the student to withdraw from the Faculty at the end of any semester on grounds of persistent neglect of work and/or repeated failure in examinations.
35. A student required to withdraw from one Faculty:
- (a) may register immediately in another, if in the opinion of the student and the Dean of the receiving Faculty this is desirable and the student satisfies that Faculty's entry requirements;
- (b) will be required automatically to withdraw from the University if not granted registration in another Faculty; and

- (c) may not register in the ensuing Academic Year, for any courses in the Faculty from which (s)he had been required to withdraw.
 - (d) if readmitted and required to withdraw for a second time, will not be considered for readmission until a minimum period of **five** years has elapsed.
36. A student who was required to withdraw for reasons of failure to progress may be readmitted to the Faculty on the following conditions:
- (a) A minimum of **one** year has passed since the date of withdrawal
 - (b) The Faculty is satisfied that the circumstances attending the reasons for the withdrawal have altered substantially.
 - (c) All grades previously obtained, except for courses to be repeated (having been deemed outdated), shall continue to apply for the purpose of determining the student's GPA.
 - (d) Subject to UWI Grade Point Average Regulation 11, courses pursued at an institution other than the UWI during the period of withdrawal may be eligible for credit.
 - (e) Courses pursued in the UWI Summer School during the period of withdrawal shall be included in all relevant grade point average calculations if the student re-enters the UWI.

I. Exemptions and Transfers

37. Holders of degrees from approved universities, or candidates, who have partially fulfilled the requirements of such degrees, may apply to the Board for Undergraduate Studies, through the Faculty Board of the candidate's campus, for exemption from Level 1

courses. Each such application will be considered on its own merit.

38. Students on transfer between different BSc degree programmes or from other programmes of study within the University may, on the basis of passes already obtained, and on the recommendation of the Departments concerned, be exempted from some or all of the Level 1 courses, and some of the Level 2 and/or Level 3 courses. Students exempted from all Level 1 courses may complete the degree programme in a minimum of four or a maximum of eight semesters of full-time study from the time of transfer. Students exempted from all Level 1 courses and some Level 2 and/or Level 3 courses may complete the degree programme in a minimum of two semesters of full-time study from the time of transfer.
39. (a) A student who wishes to take academic courses as an exchange/transfer student at an institution other than the UWI and to apply those credits toward the degree must obtain written approval in advance from the Dean. Failure to obtain written approval in advance may preclude the acceptance of the credits.
- (b) A student must have a minimum GPA of **3.00** by the end of Semester II to be approved as an exchange/transfer student in the following academic year.
- (c) Where the course to be taken is to be substituted for a UWI course, the content of the course must be certified by the relevant Department as being equivalent to the UWI course. Course outlines and syllabuses must be provided by the student in order to permit the evaluation of the course content.
- (d) A student may **not** take courses for degree credit at an institution other than the UWI during the semester (including the succeeding summer)

in which he or she completes or is expected by the Faculty to complete the requirements for graduation from the UWI.

J. Aegrotat Degree

40. (a) A candidate who, by reason of illness, was prevented from attending examinations or part of the examinations associated with a Level 2 or 3 course in the year of anticipated graduation may apply to the Board for Undergraduate Studies through the University Registrar, for an Aegrotat pass in the course. Such an application will be granted only if all the following conditions are satisfied:
- (i) The appropriate Head of Department reports that, on the basis of the candidate's performance during the period preceding the examinations, the candidate was expected to pass the examinations concerned and has satisfactorily completed any associated course work.
 - (ii) The application reaches the University Registrar not later than 30 days after the date of the last paper in the examination concerned.
 - (iii) The application is accompanied by a medical certificate attesting to the illness and issued by a medical practitioner recognized for this purpose by the University.
- (b) No grade will be awarded in respect of an Aegrotat pass, and a candidate having been awarded an Aegrotat pass will not be allowed to re-enter the examination for the course concerned on a subsequent occasion. An Aegrotat pass may not be used to satisfy a pre-requisite for other Level 2 and/or Level 3 courses.
- (c) A student who, having satisfactorily completed the degree programme, includes Aegrotat passes in courses counted for the degree programme, will be eligible for the award of an Aegrotat degree if both of the following conditions are satisfied:
- (i) The courses in which Aegrotat passes have been granted (and which need to be counted toward the award of the degree) are equivalent to no more than **24** credits.
 - (ii) No more than **16** credits mentioned in (i) above arise from courses making up the candidate's major.
 - (iii) The Aegrotat degree will be awarded without Honours.

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APPENDIX I

(a) List of approved Science CAPE / GCE A-Level subjects.

- Applied Mathematics *
- Biology
- Chemistry
- Computer Science
- Environmental Science
- Further Mathematics *
- Geography
- Geology
- Physics
- Pure & Applied Mathematics
- Pure Mathematics*

*The following cannot be counted together:

- (i) Further Mathematics with Applied Mathematics CAPE/GCE A-Level;
- (ii) Mathematics (Pure and Applied) with Pure Mathematics or Applied Mathematics at CAPE/GCE A-Level.

(b) List of Approved Science CSEC General Proficiency/GCE O-Level subjects:

- Additional Mathematics
- Biology
- Chemistry
- Computer Science
- Geography
- Information Technology (General)
- Integrated Science
- Physics

APPENDIX II

List of Majors in the UWI Science Faculties:

- Agriculture
- Alternative Energy
- Applied Chemistry
- Biochemistry *
- Biology *
- Biotechnology
- Botany
- Chemistry *
- Computer Science
- Earth Science
- Ecology *
- Electronics *
- Environmental Biology
- Experimental Biology
- Food Chemistry
- Geology
- Information Technology *
- Mathematics *
- Meteorology *
- Microbiology *
- Molecular Biology
- Physics *
- Zoology

* Offered at Cave Hill

APPENDIX III

FOUNDATION COURSES

FOUN0100	–	Fundamentals of Written English
¹ FOUN1001	–	English for Academic Purposes
¹ FOUN1008	–	Rhetoric II: Writing for Special Purposes
FOUN1101	–	Caribbean Civilization
² FOUN1210	–	Science, Medicine & Technology in Society
FOUN1301	–	Law, Governance, Economy & Society

¹Both courses cannot be taken – students must choose one or the other

²Not **normally** available to Science Faculty Students

FOUN0100 FUNDAMENTALS OF WRITTEN ENGLISH (0 Credits)

This course is required for all students entering the University who are not exempted from the Proficiency Test and have not taken it or failed it.

FOUN1001 ENGLISH FOR ACADEMIC PURPOSES (3 Credits)

This course is designed to equip students with the study and research skills they will need in order to get the maximum benefit from all their courses at the University; to familiarize them with the linguistic situation in the Caribbean and break down certain misconceptions they usually have about it and to introduce students to the rhetorical modes of discourse.

FOUN1008 RHETORIC II; WRITING FOR SPECIAL PURPOSES (3 Credits)

This course is designed to equip students across the disciplines (particularly the Social Sciences, Law, Pure and Applied Sciences) with skills in business, technical and scientific writing.

FOUN1101 CARIBBEAN CIVILIZATION (3 Credits)

This course is designed to develop an awareness of the main process of cultural development in Caribbean societies, highlighting the factors, the problematics and the creative output that have fed the emergence of Caribbean identities; to develop a perception of the Caribbean as wider than island nations or linguistic blocs; to stimulate students' interest in, and commitment to Caribbean civilization and to further their self-determination.

FOUN1210 SCIENCE, MEDICINE AND TECHNOLOGY IN SOCIETY (3 Credits)

The overall aim of the course is to develop the ability of the student to engage in an informed manner in public discourse on matters pertaining to the impact of science, medicine and technology on society. The course will help students to appreciate the essential characteristics of the scientific method as a mode of enquiry into nature and to understand why it provides the foundations of the technological world.

FOUN1301 LAW, GOVERNANCE, ECONOMY AND SOCIETY (3 Credits)

This is a multi-disciplinary course of the Faculty of Social Sciences which is designed mainly for non-Social Sciences students. The course will introduce students to some of the major institutions in Caribbean society. It will expose them to both historical and contemporary aspects of Caribbean society, including Caribbean legal, political and economic systems. In addition, Caribbean culture and Caribbean social problems are discussed.

APPENDIX IV

FPAS CREDIT TABLE

The following table describes the approximate weekly contact hours for one-semester (thirteen teaching weeks) courses. One credit is obtained for every hour of lecture/tutorial/problem class per week **OR** two hours laboratory sessions per week, for a semester. A normal full-time load in Part I is **16-18** credits per semester (excluding Foundation courses). A normal load for a student in Part II (Advanced) is **16** credits (four **4**-credit courses) per semester (excluding Foundation courses).

		LABORATORY COURSES (Weekly Hours)			NON-LABORATORY COURSES (Weekly Hours)		CREDITS
		LECTURE	TUTORIAL	LABORATORY	LECTURE	TUTORIAL	
PART I	PRELIM	3	1	4-6	5	1	6
	LEVEL 1	3	1	4-6	5	1	6
		2	1	2-3	3	1	4
PART II	LEVELS 2 & 3	2	1	2-3	3	1	4
		2	0	4			4

APPENDIX V

GRADING SYSTEM

Table 1: Mark-to-Grade Conversion & Quality Points (GPA SYSTEM)

Grade	Mark (%)	QP	Grade	Mark (%)	QP
A+	86 – 100	4.3	C+	53 – 56	2.3
A	70 – 85	4.0	C	50 – 52	2.0
A–	67 – 69	3.7	C–	47 – 49	1.7
B+	63 – 66	3.3	D+	43 – 46	1.3
B	60 – 62	3.0	D	40 – 42	1.0
B–	57 – 59	2.7	F	0 – 39	0

Table 2: GPA to Honours Conversion

Class of Honours	Cumulative GPA
First	3.60 and above
Upper Second	3.00 – 3.59
Lower Second	2.00 – 2.99
Pass	1.00 – 1.99

APPENDIX VI

OPTIONS IN CONJUNCTION WITH OTHER FACULTIES

A. Programmes with the Faculty of Social Sciences

Under an agreement with the Faculty of Social Sciences, a limited number of students will be allowed to pursue the following cross-Faculty programmes, subject to timetable restrictions:-

- Computer Science & Accounting
- Computer Science with Accounting
- Computer Science & Economics
- Computer Science with Economics
- Computer Science & Management
- Computer Science with Management
- Information Technology & Accounting
- Information Technology with Accounting
- Information Technology & Economics
- Information Technology with Economics
- Information Technology & Management
- Information Technology with Management
- Mathematics and Accounting
- Mathematics with Accounting
- Mathematics & Economics
- Mathematics with Economics
- Science Major & Management
- Science Major with Management

COMPUTER SCIENCE AND ACCOUNTING:

LEVEL I

COMP1105	Computer Programming I
COMP1115	Computer Programming II
MATH1100	Basic Mathematics
MATH1110	Applied Statistics
ACCT1002	Introduction to Financial Accounting
ACCT1003	Cost and Management Accounting I
ECON1001	Introduction to Microeconomics
ECON1002	Introduction to Macroeconomics
MGMT1001	Principles of Management

AND

ELET1110	Digital Electronics
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OR

FOUR (4) Level I Credits from any Faculty

AND

FOUN1001	English for Academic Purposes
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OR

FOUN1008	Rhetoric II: Writing for Special Purposes
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LEVEL II

COMP2105	Discrete Mathematics
COMP2115	Information Structures
COMP2125	Computer Architecture
COMP2145	Software Engineering I
ACCT2014	Financial Accounting I
ACCT2015	Financial Accounting II
MGMT2023	Financial Management
FOUN1101	Caribbean Civilization

**LEVEL II ACCOUNTING ELECTIVES
AND Six (6) Credits From:**

ACCT2018	Government Accounting
MKTG2001	Principles of Marketing
MGMT2005	Microcomputer Applications for Business
MGMT2008	Organisational Behaviour
MGMT2020	Managerial Economics
MGMT2006	Management Information Systems I
MGMT2021	Business Law I

LEVEL III

COMP3100	Operating Systems
COMP3180	Algorithm Design and Analysis
ACCT2017	Intermediate Cost Accounting
ACCT3043	Auditing
FOUN1301	Law, Governance and Society

And One Level III COMP course

And One Level II/III COMP course

AND Either

ACCT3040	Accounting Theory
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OR

ACCT3041	Advanced Financial Accounting
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AND Six (6) Credits from Accounting Electives:

ACCT3015	Accounting Information Systems
ACCT3039	Cost & Management Accounting II
ACCT3040	Advanced Accounting Theory
ACCT3041	Advanced Financial Accounting
ACCT3044	Advanced Auditing
MGMT3023	Independent Study
MGMT3024	Managerial Communications
MGMT3048	Financial Management II
MGMT3049	Financial Institutions and Markets
MGMT3052	Taxation and Tax Management
MGMT3072	Services Sector Accounting

COMPUTER SCIENCE WITH ACCOUNTING

LEVEL I COMP1105 Computer Programming I
 COMP1115 Computer Programming II
 MATH1100 Basic Mathematics
 MATH1110 Applied Statistics
 ACCT1002 Introduction to Financial Accounting
 ACCT1003 Cost & Management Accounting I
 ECON1001 Introduction to Microeconomics
 ECON1002 Introduction to Macroeconomics
 MGMT1001 Principles of Management

And

ELET1110 Digital Electronics

or

FOUR (4) Level I Credits from any Faculty

LEVEL II COMP2105 Discrete Mathematics
 COMP2115 Information Structures
 COMP2125 Computer Architecture
 COMP2145 Software Engineering I
 ACCT2014 Financial Accounting I
 ACCT2015 Financial Accounting II
 ACCT2017 Management Accounting

LEVEL III COMP3100 Operating Systems
 COMP3180 Algorithm Design and Analysis
 ACCT3043 Auditing

AND

ACCT3040 Accounting Theory

or

ACCT3041 Advanced Financial Accounting

**and One Level III COMP course
 and One Level II/III COMP course
 and Fourteen (14) Level II/III Credits**

FOUN FOUN 1008 Rhetoric II: Special Purposes
OR
 FOUN 1001 English for Academic Purposes
AND
 FOUN 1101 Caribbean Civilization
 FOUN1301 Law, Governance and Society

COMPUTER SCIENCE AND ECONOMICS

LEVEL I COMP1105 Computer Programming I
 COMP1115 Computer Programming II
 MATH1100 Basic Mathematics
 MATH1110 Applied Statistics
 ECON1001 Introd. to Microeconomics
 ECON1002 Introd. to Macroeconomics

AND Eight (8) Level I Credits

LEVEL II COMP2105 Discrete Mathematics
 COMP2115 Information Structures
 COMP2125 Computer Architecture
 COMP2145 Software Engineering I
 ECON2000 Intermed. Microeconomics I
 ECON2001 Intermed. Microeconomics II
 ECON2002 Intermed. Macroeconomics I
 ECON2003 Intermed. Macroeconomics II
 ECON2008 Statistical Methods I

LEVEL III COMP3100 Operating Systems
 COMP3180 Algorithm Design and Analysis
 ECON3049 Econometrics I

One Level III COMP course

One Level II/III COMP course

Four Level II/III ECON courses

FOUN FOUN 1008 Rhetoric II: Special Purposes
OR
 FOUN 1001 English for Academic Purposes
AND
 FOUN 1101 Caribbean Civilization
 FOUN1301 Law, Governance and Society

COMPUTER SCIENCE WITH ECONOMICS

- LEVEL I** COMP1105 Computer Programming I
 COMP1115 Computer Programming II
 MATH1100 Basic Mathematics
 MATH1110 Applied Statistics
 ECON1001 Introd. to Microeconomics
 ECON1002 Introd. to Macroeconomics
AND Eight (8) Level I Credits
- LEVEL II** COMP2105 Discrete Mathematics
 COMP2115 Information Structures
 COMP2125 Computer Architecture
 COMP2145 Software Engineering I
 ECON2000 Intermed. Microeconomics I
 ECON2001 Intermed. Microeconomics II
 ECON2002 Intermed. Macroeconomics I
 ECON2003 Intermed. Macroeconomics II
AND One Level II/III ECON course
- LEVEL III** COMP3100 Operating Systems
 COMP3180 Algorithm Design and Analysis
One Level III COMP course
One Level II/III COMP course
And Fifteen Level II/III credits
- FOUN** FOUN 1008 Rhetoric II: Special Purposes
OR
 FOUN 1001 English for Acad. Purposes
AND
 FOUN 1101 Caribbean Civilisation
 FOUN1301 Law, Governance and Society

COMPUTER SCIENCE AND MANAGEMENT

- LEVEL I**
 COMP1105 Computer Programming I
 COMP1115 Computer Programming II
 MATH1100 Basic Mathematics
 MATH1110 Applied Statistics
 ACCT1002 Introduction to Financial Accounting
 ACCT1003 Cost and Management Accounting I
 ECON1001 Introduction to Microeconomics
 ECON1002 Introduction to Macroeconomics
 MGMT1001 Principles of Management
AND
 ELET1110 Digital Electronics
OR
 FOUR (4) Level I Credits from any Faculty
- AND**
 FOUN1001 English for Academic Purposes
OR
 FOUN1008 Rhetoric II: Writing for Special Purposes
- LEVEL II**
 COMP2105 Discrete Mathematics
 COMP2115 Information Structures
 COMP2125 Computer Architecture
 COMP2145 Software Engineering I
 MKTG2001 Principles of Marketing
 MGMT2006 Information Systems I
 MGMT2008 Organisational Behaviour
 MGMT2020 Managerial Economics
 MGMT2023 Financial Management
 MGMT2026 Production & Operations Management
AND
 FOUN1101 Caribbean Civilization
- LEVEL III**
 COMP3100 Operating Systems
 COMP3180 Algorithm Design and Analysis
 MGMT3017 Human Resources Management

AND

FOUN1301 Law, Governance and Society

AND

One Level III COMP course

One Level II/III COMP course

AND Nine (9) Credits from LEVEL III Electives:

ACCT3015	Accounting Information Systems
ACCT3039	Advanced Management & Cost Accounting
MGMT3011	Management Information Systems II
MGMT3018	Industrial Relations
MGMT3022	Organisational Development
MGMT3033	Business, Government and Society
MGMT3037	International Business
MGMT3038	Cross-National Management
MGMT3045	Business Law II
MGMT3048	Financial Management II
MGMT3049	Financial Institutions and Markets
MGMT3052	Taxation and Tax Management
MGMT3053	International Financial Management
MGMT3056	Project Management
MGMT3058	New Venture Management
MGMT3075	Public Enterprise Management
MGMT3076	Managing Financial Institutions
MKTG3000	Marketing Management
MKTG3001	International Marketing Management
MKTG3002	Marketing Research
MKTG3009	Services Marketing

COMPUTER SCIENCE WITH MANAGEMENT

LEVEL I

COMP1105 Computer Programming I
COMP1115 Computer Programming II
MATH1100 Basic Mathematics
MATH1110 Applied Statistics
ACCT1002 Introduction to Financial Accounting
ACCT1003 Cost & Management Accounting I
ECON1001 Introduction to Microeconomics
ECON1002 Introduction to Macroeconomics
MGMT1001 Principles of Management

AND

ELET1110 Digital Electronics

OR

FOUR (4) Level I Credits from any Faculty

AND

FOUN1001 English for Academic Purposes

OR

FOUN1008 Rhetoric II: Writing for Special Purposes

LEVEL II

COMP2105 Discrete Mathematics
COMP2115 Information Structures
COMP2125 Computer Architecture
COMP2145 Software Engineering I
MKTG2001 Principles of Marketing
MGMT2006 Management Inform. Systems I
MGMT2008 Organizational Behaviour
MGMT2023 Financial Management
FOUN1101 Caribbean Civilization

LEVEL III

COMP3100 Operating Systems
COMP3180 Algorithm Design and Analysis
MGMT3017 Human Resources Management
FOUN1301 Law, Governance and Society

AND

One Level II COMP course

One Level II/III COMP course

AND

Fourteen (14) Level II/III credits

**INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY AND
ACCOUNTING**

LEVEL I

COMP1105	Computer Programming I
COMP1115	Computer Programming II
MATH1100	Basic Mathematics
MATH1110	Applied Statistics
ACCT1002	Introduction to Financial Accounting
ACCT1003	Management and Cost Accounting I
ECON1001	Introduction to Microeconomics
ECON1002	Introduction to Macroeconomics
MGMT1001	Principles of Management

AND

ELET1110	Digital Electronics
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OR

FOUR (4) Level I Credits from any Faculty

AND

FOUN1001	English for Academic Purposes
FOUN1008	Rhetoric II: Writing for Special Purposes

LEVEL II

COMP2105	Discrete Mathematics
COMP2115	Information Structures
COMP2145	Software Engineering I
COMP2160	Object-Oriented Programming
ACCT2014	Financial Accounting I
ACCT2015	Financial Accounting II
MGMT2023	Financial Management
FOUN1101	Caribbean Civilization

AND Six (6) Credits from Accounting Electives:

ACCT2018	Government Accounting
MKTG2001	Principles of Marketing
MGMT2005	Microcomputer Applications for Business
MGMT2008	Organisational Behaviour
MGMT2020	Managerial Economics
MGMT2006	Management Information Systems I
MGMT2021	Business Law I

LEVEL III

FOUN1301	Law, Governance and Society
COMP3160	Database Management Studies
COMP3170	Web-Based Applications
ACCT2017	Intermediate Cost Accounting
ACCT3043	Auditing

AND

ACCT3040	Accounting Theory
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OR

ACCT3041	Advanced Financial Accounting
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AND

One Level III COMP course

One Level II/III COMP course

AND Six (6) Credits from Accounting Electives:

ACCT3015	Accounting Information Systems
ACCT3039	Cost & Management Accounting II
ACCT3040	Advanced Accounting Theory
ACCT3041	Advanced Financial Accounting
ACCT3044	Advanced Auditing
MGMT3023	Independent Study
MGMT3024	Managerial Communications
MGMT3048	Financial Management II
MGMT3049	Financial Institutions and Markets
MGMT3052	Taxation and Tax Management
MGMT3072	Services Sector Accounting

INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY WITH ACCOUNTING

LEVEL I COMP1105 Computer Programming I
COMP1115 Computer Programming II
MATH1100 Basic Mathematics
MATH1110 Applied Statistics
ACCT1002 Intro to Financial Accounting
ACCT1003 Cost & Management Accounting I
ECON1001 Introduction to Microeconomics
ECON1002 Introduction to Macroeconomics
MGMT1001 Principles of Management

AND

ELET1110 Digital Electronics

OR

FOUR (4) Level I Credits from any Faculty

AND

FOUN1001 English for Academic Purposes

OR

FOUN1008 Rhetoric II: Writing for Special Purposes

LEVEL II COMP2105 Discrete Mathematics
COMP2115 Information Structures
COMP2145 Software Engineering I
COMP2160 Object-Oriented Programming
ACCT2014 Financial Accounting I
ACCT2015 Financial Accounting II
ACCT2017 Management Accounting
FOUN1101 Caribbean Civilization

LEVEL III COMP3160 Database Management Studies
COMP3170 Web-Based Applications
ACCT3043 Auditing
FOUN1301 Law, Governance and Society

AND

One Level III COMP course

One Level II/III COMP course

AND

ACCT3040 Accounting Theory

OR

ACCT3041 Advanced Financial Accounting

AND

Fourteen (14) Level II/III Credits

INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY AND ECONOMICS

LEVEL I COMP1105 Computer Programming I
COMP1115 Computer Programming II
MATH1100 Basic Mathematics
MATH1110 Applied Statistics
ECON1001 Introd. to Microeconomics
ECON1002 Introd. to Macroeconomics

AND Eight (8) Level I Credits

LEVEL II COMP2105 Discrete Mathematics
COMP2115 Information Structures
COMP2145 Software Engineering I
COMP2160 Object-Oriented Programming
ECON2000 Intermed. Microeconomics I
ECON2001 Intermed. Microeconomics II
ECON2002 Intermed. Macroeconomics I
ECON2003 Intermed. Macroeconomics II
ECON2008 Statistical Methods I

LEVEL III COMP3160 Database Management Studies
COMP3170 Web-Based Applications
ECON3049 Econometrics I

One Level III COMP course

One Level II/III COMP course

Four Level II/III ECON courses

FOUN FOUN 1008 Rhetoric II: Special Purposes

OR

FOUN 1001 English for Acad. Purposes

AND

FOUN 1101 Caribbean Civilisation

FOUN1301 Law, Governance and Society

INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY WITH ECONOMICS

LEVEL I COMP1105 Computer Programming I
 COMP1115 Computer Programming II
 MATH1100 Basic Mathematics
 MATH1110 Applied Statistics
 ECON1001 Introd. to Microeconomics
 ECON1002 Introd. to Macroeconomics
AND Eight (8) Level I Credits

LEVEL II COMP2105 Discrete Mathematics
 COMP2115 Information Structures
 COMP2145 Software Engineering I
 COMP2160 Object-Oriented Programming
 ECON2000 Intermed. Microeconomics I
 ECON2001 Intermed. Microeconomics II
 ECON2002 Intermed. Macroeconomics I
 ECON2003 Intermed. Macroeconomics II
One Level II/III ECON course

LEVEL III COMP3160 Database Management Studies
 COMP3170 Web-Based Applications
One Level III COMP course
One Level II/III COMP course
And Fifteen (15) Level II/III credits

FOUN FOUN 1008 Rhetoric II: Special Purposes
OR
 FOUN 1001 English for Acad. Purposes
AND
 FOUN 1101 Caribbean Civilisation
 FOUN1301 Law, Governance and Society

INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY AND MANAGEMENT

LEVEL I
 COMP1105 Computer Programming I
 COMP1115 Computer Programming II
 MATH1100 Basic Mathematics
 MATH1110 Applied Statistics
 ACCT1002 Introduction to Financial Accounting
 ACCT1003 Cost and Management Accounting I
 ECON1001 Introduction to Microeconomics
 ECON1002 Introduction to Macroeconomics
 MGMT1001 Principles of Management

AND
 ELET1110 Digital Electronics
OR
 FOUR (4) Level I Credits from any Faculty

AND
 FOUN1001 English for Academic Purposes
OR
 FOUN1008 Rhetoric II: Writing for Special Purposes

LEVEL II
 COMP2105 Discrete Mathematics
 COMP2115 Information Structures
 COMP2145 Software Engineering I
 COMP2160 Object-Oriented Programming
 MKTG2001 Principles of Marketing
 MGMT2006 Information Systems I
 MGMT2008 Organisational Behaviour
 MGMT2020 Managerial Economics
 MGMT2023 Financial Management
 MGMT2026 Production & Operations Management

AND
 FOUN1101 Caribbean Civilization

LEVEL III

COMP3160 Database Management Studies
COMP3170 Web-Based Applications
MGMT3017 Human Resources Management

AND

FOUN1301 Law, Governance and Society

AND

One Level III COMP course
One Level II/III COMP course

AND Nine (9) Credits from Level III Electives:

ACCT3015 Accounting Information Systems
ACCT3039 Advanced Management & Cost Accounting
MGMT3011 Management Information Systems II
MGMT3018 Industrial Relations
MGMT3022 Organisational Development
MGMT3033 Business, Government and Society
MGMT3037 International Business
MGMT3038 Cross-National Management
MGMT3045 Business Law II
MGMT3048 Financial Management II
MGMT3049 Financial Institutions and Markets
MGMT3052 Taxation and Tax Management
MGMT3053 International Financial Management
MGMT3056 Project Management
MGMT3058 New Venture Management
MGMT3075 Public Enterprise Management
MGMT3076 Managing Financial Institutions
MKTG3000 Marketing Management
MKTG3001 International Marketing Management
MKTG3002 Marketing Research
MKTG3009 Services Marketing

INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY WITH MANAGEMENT

LEVEL I

COMP1105 Computer Programming I
COMP1115 Computer Programming II
MATH1100 Basic Mathematics
MATH1110 Applied Statistics
ACCT1002 Introduction to Financial Accounting
ACCT1003 Cost & Management Accounting I
ECON1001 Introduction to Microeconomics
ECON1002 Introduction to Macroeconomics
MGMT1001 Principles of Management

AND

ELET1110 Digital Electronics

OR

FOUR (4) Level I Credits

LEVEL II

COMP2105 Discrete Mathematics
COMP2115 Information Structures
COMP2145 Software Engineering I
COMP2160 Object-Oriented Programming
MKTG2001 Principles of Marketing
MGMT2006 Management Inform. Systems I
MGMT2008 Organizational Behaviour
MGMT2023 Financial Management

LEVEL III

COMP3160 Database Management Systems
COMP3170 Web-Based Applications
MGMT3017 Human Resources Management

AND

One Level III COMP course
One Level II/III COMP course

AND

Fourteen (14) Level II/III credits

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FOUN 1008 Rhetoric II: Special Purposes

OR

FOUN 1001 English for Academic Purposes

AND

FOUN 1101 Caribbean Civilization

FOUN1301 Law, Governance and Society

MATHEMATICS AND ACCOUNTING

LEVEL I ACCT1002 Introduction to Financial Accounting
ACCT1003 Cost & Mangt. Accounting I
ECON1001 Introduction to Microeconomics
ECON1002 Introduction to Macroeconomics
MGMT1001 Principles of Management
MATH1100 Basic Mathematics
MATH1110 Applied Statistics
MATH1120 Calculus I
MATH1130 Calculus II
AND
COMP1105 Computer Programming I
OR
COMP1005 Computer Applications

LEVEL II MATH2100 Abstract Algebra
MATH2110 Linear Algebra
MATH2120 Analysis & Methods I
MATH2130 Ord. Differential Equations
ACCT2014 Financial Accounting I
ACCT2015 Financial Accounting II
MGMT2023 Financial Management

AND Six (6) Credits From:
ACCT2018 Government Accounting
MKTG2001 Principles of Marketing
MGMT2005 Microcomputer Appl. for Business
MGMT2008 Organisational Behaviour
MGMT2020 Managerial Economics
MGMT2006 Mangt. Inform. Systems I
MGMT2021 Business Law I

LEVEL III Two Level III MATH courses
Two Level II/III MATH courses
ACCT2017 Intermediate Cost Accounting
ACCT3043 Auditing
AND
ACCT3040 Accounting Theory
OR
ACCT3041 Advanced Financial Accounting

AND Six (6) Credits From:
ACCT3015 Accounting Info. Systems
ACCT3039 Cost & Mangt. Accounting II
ACCT3040 Advanced Accounting Theory
ACCT3041 Adv. Financial Accounting
ACCT3044 Advanced Auditing
MGMT3023 Independent Study
MGMT3024 Managerial Communications
MGMT3048 Financial Management II
MGMT3049 Fin. Institutions and Markets
MGMT3052 Taxation and Tax Mangt.
MGMT3072 Services Sector Accounting

FOUN FOUN 1008 Rhetoric II: Special Purposes
OR
FOUN 1001 English for Academic Purposes
AND
FOUN 1101 Caribbean Civilization
FOUN1301 Law, Governance and Society

MATHEMATICS WITH ACCOUNTING

LEVEL I ACCT1002 Introduction to Financial Accounting
 ACCT1003 Cost & Mangt. Accounting I
 ECON1001 Introduction to Microeconomics
 ECON1002 Introduction to Macroeconomics
 MGMT1001 Principles of Management
 MATH1100 Basic Mathematics
 MATH1110 Applied Statistics
 MATH1120 Calculus I
 MATH1130 Calculus II

AND

COMP1105 Computer Programming I

OR

COMP1005 Computer Applications

LEVEL II MATH2100 Abstract Algebra
 MATH2110 Linear Algebra
 MATH2120 Analysis & Methods I
 MATH2130 Ord. Differential Equations
 ACCT2014 Financial Accounting I
 ACCT2015 Financial Accounting II
 ACCT2017 Intermediate Cost Accounting

LEVEL III **Two Level III MATH courses**
Two Level II/III MATH courses

ACCT3043 Auditing

AND

ACCT3040 Accounting Theory

OR

ACCT3041 Adv. Financial Accounting

AND Fourteen (14) Level II/III credits

FOUN FOUN 1008 Rhetoric II: Special Purposes
OR
 FOUN 1001 English for Academic Purposes
AND
 FOUN 1101 Caribbean Civilization
 FOUN1301 Law, Governance and Society

MATHEMATICS AND ECONOMICS

LEVEL I MATH1100 Basic Mathematics
 MATH1120 Calculus I
 MATH1130 Calculus II
 MATH1110 Applied Statistics
 COMP1105 Computer Programming I
 ECON1001 Introd. to Microeconomics
 ECON1002 Introd. to Macroeconomics
AND Four (4) Level I Credits

LEVEL II MATH2100 Abstract Algebra
 MATH2110 Linear Algebra
 MATH2120 Analysis & Methods I
 MATH2130 Ord. Differential Equations
 ECON2000 Intermed. Microeconomics I
 ECON2001 Intermed. Microeconomics II
 ECON2002 Intermed. Macroeconomics I
 ECON2003 Intermed. Macroeconomics II
 ECON2008 Statistical Methods I

LEVEL III ECON3049 Econometrics I
Four Level II/III ECON courses
Two Level III MATH courses
Two Level II/III MATH courses

FOUN FOUN 1008 Rhetoric II: Special Purposes
OR
 FOUN 1001 English for Acad. Purposes
AND
 FOUN 1101 Caribbean Civilisation
 FOUN1301 Law, Governance and Society

MATHEMATICS WITH ECONOMICS

LEVEL I MATH1100 Basic Mathematics
MATH1120 Calculus I
MATH1130 Calculus II
MATH1110 Applied Statistics
COMP1105 Computer Programming I
ECON1001 Introd. to Microeconomics
ECON1002 Introd. to Macroeconomics

AND Four (4) Level I Credits

LEVEL II MATH2100 Abstract Algebra
MATH2110 Linear Algebra
MATH2120 Analysis & Methods I
MATH2130 Ord. Differential Equations
ECON2000 Intermed. Microeconomics I
ECON2001 Intermed. Microeconomics II
ECON2002 Intermed. Macroeconomics I
ECON2003 Intermed. Macroeconomics II
AND One Level II/III ECON course

LEVEL III Two Level III MATH courses
Two Level II/III MATH courses
AND Fifteen Level II/III credits

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OR
FOUN 1001 English for Acad. Purposes
AND
FOUN 1101 Caribbean Civilisation
FOUN1301 Law, Governance and Society

SCIENCE AND MANAGEMENT

**LEVEL I Required Level 1 Courses for
Science Major plus**

MATH1100 Basic Mathematics
MATH1110 Applied Statistics
ACCT1002 Introd. to Financial Accounting
ACCT1003 Cost & Mangt. Accounting I
ECON1001 Introd. to Microeconomics
ECON1002 Introd. to Macroeconomics
MGMT1001 Principles of Management

**LEVELS II & III Thirty-two (32) credits of required
Level II/III Courses for Science
Major plus**

MKTG2001 Principles of Marketing
MGMT2006 Mangt. Info. Systems I
MGMT2008 Organisational Behaviour
MGMT2020 Managerial Economics
MGMT2023 Financial Management
MGMT2026 Prodn. & Operations Mangt.
MGMT3017 Human Resources Mangt.

SCIENCE AND MANAGEMENT

AND Nine (9) Credits from LEVEL III ELECTIVES

ACCT3015 Accounting Info. Systems
ACCT3039 Adv. Mangt. & Cost Account.
MGMT3011 Mangt. Info. Systems II
MGMT3018 Industrial Relations
MGMT3022 Organisational Development
MGMT3033 Business, Govt. and Society
MGMT3037 International Business
MGMT3038 Cross-National Management
MGMT3045 Business Law II
MGMT3048 Financial Management II
MGMT3049 Financial Instit. and Markets
MGMT3052 Taxation and Tax Mangt.
MGMT3053 Intl. Financial Management
MGMT3056 Project Management
MGMT3058 New Venture Management
MGMT3075 Public Enterprise Mangt.
MGMT3076 Managing Fin. Institutions
MKTG3000 Marketing Management
MKTG3001 Intl. Marketing Management
MKTG3002 Marketing Research
MKTG3009 Services Marketing

FOUN FOUN1008 Rhetoric II: Special Purposes
OR
FOUN1001 English for Acad. Purposes
AND
FOUN1101 Caribbean Civilization
FOUN1301 Law, Governance and Society

SCIENCE WITH MANAGEMENT

LEVEL I Required Level 1 Courses for Science Major plus

MATH1100 Basic Mathematics
MATH1110 Applied Statistics
ACCT1002 Introd. to Financial Accounting
ACCT1003 Cost & Mangt. Accounting I
ECON1001 Introd. to Microeconomics
ECON1002 Introd. to Macroeconomics
MGMT1001 Principles of Management

LEVELS II & III Thirty-two (32) credits of required Level II/III Courses for Science Major plus

MKTG2001 Principles of Marketing
MGMT2006 Mangt. Info. Systems I
MGMT2008 Organisational Behaviour
MGMT2023 Financial Management
MGMT3017 Human Resources Management
And Fourteen (14) Level II/III Credits

FOUN FOUN1008 Rhetoric II: Special Purposes
OR
FOUN1001 English for Acad. Purposes
AND
FOUN1101 Caribbean Civilization
FOUN1301 Law, Governance and Society

B. Programmes with the Faculty of Humanities & Education

Under an agreement with the Faculty of Humanities & Education, a limited number of students will be allowed to pursue the following programmes, subject to timetable restrictions:-

- Science Major & Psychology Major
- Science Major with Psychology Minor
- Science Major with Spanish Minor
- Science Major with Education Minor

The Psychology Major comprises 30 credits of specified advanced courses while the Psychology and Spanish Minor each comprise 15 credits of specified advanced courses.

In addition, students must satisfy the requirements of their Science Major and complete a minimum total of 101 credits.

SCIENCE AND PSYCHOLOGY

LEVEL I

Students entering this programme in 2008/9 are advised that changes are planned and that the levels II & III requirements are likely to change from what is shown below.

Sixteen (16) credits from Level 1 Science Courses plus

PSYC1003	Introduction to Psychology
PSYC1004	Introduction to Social Psychology
PSYC1013	Introduction to Research Methods
PSYC1012	Introduction to Developmental Psychology
PSYC1???	History of Psychology

LEVELS II & III

Thirty-two (32) credits of required Level II/III Courses for Science Major plus

PSYC2003	Physiological Psychology
PSYC2012	Developmental Psychology
PSYC2010	Statistics And Research Design I
PSYC2014	Statistics And Research Design II
PSYC2004	Personality Theory & Assessment I
PSYC3004	Experimental and Applied Psychology
PSYC2020	Pathopsychology
PSYC3011	Research Paper In Psychology* (6 credits)

AND ONE of the following Electives:

PSYC2009	Learning Theory And Practice
PSYC3006	Philosophical Psychology
PSYC3013	Contemporary Issues In Social Psychology
PSYC3014	Industrial & Organisational Psychology
PSYC3017	Personality Theory & Assessment II
PSYC3018	Forensic Psychology
PSYC3019	Clinical & Counselling Psychology
ECOL3452	Behavioural Ecology

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FOUN1008 Rhetoric II: Special Purposes

OR

FOUN1001 English for Acad. Purposes

AND

FOUN1101 Caribbean Civilization

FOUN1301 Law, Governance and Society

*Students registered for a Science Research Project course (BIOC3950, BIOL3950, CHEM3500, CHEM3505, COMP 3910, ECOL3950, ELET 3160, MATH3300, MICR3950, PHYS3106) must replace PSYC3011 by 6 credits from the electives listed above.

SCIENCE WITH PSYCHOLOGY

Students entering this programme in 2008/9 should be aware these level II & III requirements are likely to change

LEVEL I

Twenty-four (24) credits from Level 1 Science Courses plus

PSYC1003 Introduction to Psychology
PSYC1004 Introduction to Social Psychology
PSYC1013 Introduction to Research Methods
PSYC1012 Introduction to Developmental Psychology
PSYC1??? History of Psychology

LEVELS II & III*

Thirty-two (32) credits of required Level II/III Courses for Science Major plus

PSYC2003 Physiological Psychology
PSYC2012 Developmental Psychology
PSYC2010 Statistics And Research Design I
PSYC2014 Statistics And Research Design II
PSYC2004 Personality Theory & Assessment I
PSYC3004 Experimental and Applied Psychology
PSYC2020 Pathopsychology
PSYC3011 Research Paper In Psychology* (6 credits)

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FOUN1008 Rhetoric II: Special Purposes

OR

FOUN1001 English for Acad. Purposes

AND

FOUN1101 Caribbean Civilization

FOUN1301 Law, Governance and Society

SCIENCE WITH SPANISH

LEVEL I

Twenty-four (24) credits from Level I Science Courses plus

SPAN1001 Spanish Language IA

SPAN1002 Spanish Language IB

LEVELS II & III

Thirty-two (32) credits of required Level II/III Courses for Science Major plus

SPAN2001 Spanish Language IIA

SPAN2002 Spanish Language IIB

SPAN2214 Hispanic Culture

SPAN3502 Business Spanish

SPAN3503 Spanish for Tourism

AND Fifteen (15) Level II/III credits

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FOUN1008 Rhetoric II: Special Purposes

OR

FOUN1001 English for Acad. Purposes

AND

FOUN1101 Caribbean Civilization

FOUN1301 Law, Governance and Society

SCIENCE WITH EDUCATION

LEVEL I

Twenty-four (24) credits from Level I Science Courses plus

EDPS1001 Introduction to Human Development

LEVELS II & III

Thirty-two (32) credits of required Level II/III Courses for the Science Major plus

EDCU2101 Introduction to Curriculum, Theory, Planning & Practice

EDRS2201 Introduction to Research Methods

EDSO3102 Social Context of Education

And ONE of the following:-

EDPH2016 Philosophy of Education

EDME2211 Testing, Measurement & Evaluation I

EDMA2111 The Structure and Nature of Mathematics

EDSC2110 The Structure and Nature of Science

EDEA2304 Introduction to Educational Administration

EDSE2924 Introduction to Special Education

And ONE of the following:-

EDTK3304 Media & Technology in Education

EDTE3404 Issues in Teacher Education

AND Eighteen (18) Level II/III credits

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FOUN1008 Rhetoric II: Special Purposes

OR

FOUN1001 English for Acad. Purposes

AND

FOUN1101 Caribbean Civilization

FOUN1301 Law, Governance and Society

DEPARTMENT OF BIOLOGICAL AND CHEMICAL SCIENCES

SEMESTER I

PRELIMINARY

CHEM0615 Preliminary Chemistry I
BIOL0051 Biology I

YEAR I

BIOL1051 Biodiversity I
BIOL1052 Biodiversity II
CHEM1010 Fundamentals of Chemistry
ERSC1002 Oceans and Climate
(See under METE1200 Oceans & Climate)

YEAR II

BIOC2351 Biochemistry I
BIOL2053 Physiology of Plants and Animals
BIOL2151 Genetics I
ECOL2451 Population Ecology
ECOL2453 Caribbean Island Biogeography
MICR2251 General Microbiology
CHEM2020 Practical Chemistry II
CHEM2300 Physical Chemistry I
CHEM2400 Analytical Chemistry I
ERSC2002 Climatology

YEAR III

BIOC3251 Microbial Biochemistry
BIOC3354 Biochemistry of Human Disease
BIOL3023 Coral Reef Biology
BIOL3152 Bioinformatics
ECOL3452 Behavioural Ecology
ECOL3454 Fisheries Biology
MICR3059 Immunobiology
MICR3253 Biology of Viruses
CHEM3100 Inorganic Chemistry II
CHEM3145 Bonding in Inorganic Chemistry
CHEM3200 Organic Chemistry II
CHEM3500 Chemistry Project
CHEM3515 Environmental Chemistry

SEMESTER II

CHEM0625 Preliminary Chemistry II
BIOL0052 Biology II

BIOL1151 Introductory Genetics
BIOC1351 Introductory Biochemistry
CHEM1020 Introductory Chemistry
ERSC1001 Dynamic Earth

BIOC2352 Biochemistry II
BIOL2152 General Molecular Biology
ECOL2452 Community Ecology
ECOL2454 Marine Biology
MICR2252 Eukaryotic micro-organisms
CHEM2010 Practical Chemistry I
CHEM2100 Inorganic Chemistry I
CHEM2200 Organic Chemistry I
ERSC2003 Oceanography

BIOC3053 Cell Signalling
BIOC3352 Biochemistry III
BIOL3053 Developmental Physiology
ECOL3451 Human Ecology and Conservation
ECOL3453 Crop Ecology
MICR3251 Food Microbiology
MICR3252 Microbial Ecology
MICR3258 Pathogenic micro-organisms
CHEM3135 Bio-Inorganic Chemistry
CHEM3210 Bioorganic & Medicinal Chemistry
CHEM3300 Physical Chemistry II
CHEM3415 Analytical Chemistry II
CHEM3500 Chemistry Project

YEAR-LONG COURSES

CHEM3505	Chemistry Research Project
BIOC3950	Biochemistry Research Project
BIOL3950	Biology Research Project
ECOL3950	Ecology Research Project
MICR3950	Microbiology Research Project

DEPARTMENT OF COMPUTER SCIENCE, MATHEMATICS & PHYSICS

SEMESTER I

PRELIMINARY

MATH0101	Preliminary Mathematics I
PHYS0070	Preliminary Physics I

YEAR I

COMP1005	Computer Applications
COMP1105	Computer Programming I
COMP1115	Computer Programming II
COMP1125	Introduction to UNIX
ELET1100	Circuit Analysis
ELET1110	Digital Electronics
MATH1100	Basic Mathematics
MATH1110	Applied Statistics
MATH1120	Calculus I
PHYS1100	Mechanics

YEAR II

COMP2105	Discrete Mathematics
COMP2115	Information Structures
COMP2125	Computer Architecture
COMP2135	Systems Software
COMP2145	Software Engineering
COMP2150	Computer Networks I
COMP2160	Object-Oriented Programming
ELET2100	Microprocessors I
ELET2130	Digital Communications I
MATH2100	Abstract Algebra

SEMESTER II

PRELIMINARY

MATH0102	Preliminary Mathematics II
PHYS0071	Preliminary Physics

COMP1105	Computer Programming I
COMP1115	Computer Programming II
COMP1130	Web Technology Fundamentals
ELET1120	Basic Electronics
ELET1110	Digital Electronics
MATH1100	Basic Mathematics
MATH1110	Applied Statistics
MATH1120	Calculus I
MATH1130	Calculus II
PHYS1101	Electricity and Magnetism
PHYS1102	Optics, Thermodynamics & Modern Physics

COMP2105	Discrete Mathematics
COMP2115	Information Structures
COMP2125	Computer Architecture
COMP2145	Software Engineering I
COMP2160	Object-Oriented Programming
ELET2110	Circuit Simulation
ELET2120	Discrete Device Electronics
MATH2110	Linear Algebra
MATH2130	Ordinary Differential Equations

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MATH2120	Analysis and Methods	MATH2150	Mathematical Statistics
MATH2140	Probability Theory	PHYS2102	Solid State Physics
PHYS2100	Mathematical Methods in Physics	PHYS2103	Classical Mechanics
PHYS2101	Quantum Mechanics and Special Relativity	PHYS2105	Computational Physics I
PHYS2106	Advanced Physics/Technology Lab. I	PHYS2107	Advanced Physics / Technology Laboratory II

YEAR III

COMP3100	Operating Systems	COMP3115	Information Systems
COMP3135	Programming Languages	COMP3125	Artificial Intelligence
COMP3140	Software Engineering II	COMP3155	Computer Networks II
COMP3180	Algorithm Design and Analysis	COMP3160	Database Management Systems
COMP3210	Electronic Commerce	COMP3170	Web-based Applications
COMP3220	Human-Computer Interaction	COMP3240	Introduction to Distributed Systems
COMP3250	Computer Graphics I	COMP3230	Network & Computer Security
COMP3910	Computer Science Research Project	COMP3910	Computer Science Research Project
ELET3110	Control and Instrumentation	ELET3100	Microprocessors II
ELET3120	Communication Circuits	ELET3140	Microcomputers and Control
ELET3130	Introduction to DSP	ELET3151	Digital Communications II
ELET3160	Electronics Research Project	ELET3160	Electronics Research Project
MATH3130	Optimization Theory	MATH3100	Multivariate Analysis
MATH3160	Number Theory	MATH3120	Numerical Analysis
MATH3180	Introduction to Topology	MATH3150	Complex Variables
Math3190	Matrix Analysis	MATH3170	Advanced Algebra
MATH3210	Mathematical Logic	MATH3460	Statistical Theory II
PHYS3100	Quantum Mechanics	PHYS3101	Electrodynamics
PHYS3106	Physics Research Project	PHYS3102	Optics and Lasers
		PHYS3105	Statistical Mechanics
		PHYS3106	Physics Research Project

METEOROLOGY

METE1000	Introduction to Physical Meteorology & Weather Observation	METE1100	Introduction to Dynamic Meteorology & Weather Systems
METE1200	Oceans & Climate	METE2001	Physical Meteorology II
METE2000	Physical Meteorology I	METE2200	Synoptic Meteorology I
METE2100	Dynamic Meteorology I	METE3300	Tropical Meteorology
METE3100	Dynamic Meteorology II	METE3400	Weather Radars and Satellites
METE3200	Synoptic Meteorology II	METE3410	Applications of Meteorology

COURSES TYPICALLY OFFERED AT SUMMER SCHOOL OF RELEVANCE TO SCIENCE STUDENTS

FACULTY OF HUMANITIES AND EDUCATION

FOUN1101	Caribbean Civilization
FOUN1001	English for Academic Purposes
FOUN1008	Rhetoric II – Writing for Special Purposes
PSYC1003	Introduction to Psychology
PSYC1004	Introduction to Social Psychology
PSYC2009	Learning Theory and Practice

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BIOC1351	Introductory Biochemistry
BIOL0051	Biology I
BIOL0052	Biology II
BIOL1051	Biodiversity I
BIOL1052	Biodiversity II
BIOL1151	Introductory Genetics
CHEM0615	Preliminary Chemistry I
CHEM0625	Preliminary Chemistry II
CHEM1010	Fundamentals of Chemistry
CHEM1020	Introductory Chemistry
COMP1105	Computer Programming I
COMP1115	Computer Programming II
COMP2105	Discrete Mathematics
COMP2115	Information Structures
COMP3100	Operating Systems
COMP3140	Software Engineering II
COMP3160	Database Management Systems
COMP3910	Computer Research Project
ELET1100	Circuit Analysis
ELET1110	Digital Electronics
ELET1120	Basic Electronics
MATH0101	Preliminary Mathematics I
MATH0102	Preliminary Mathematics II
MATH1100	Basic Introductory Mathematics

MATH1110	Applied Statistics
MATH1120	Calculus I
MATH1130	Calculus II
MATH2100	Abstract Algebra
MATH2110	Linear Algebra
MATH2120	Analysis and Methods
MATH2130	Ordinary Differential Equations
MATH2140	Introduction to Probability
MATH2150	Mathematics Statistics
PHYS0070	Preliminary Physics
PHYS0071	Preliminary Physics II
PHYS1100	Mechanics
PHYS1101	Electricity and Magnetism
PHYS1102	Optics, Thermodynamics & Modern Physics
PHYS2101	Quantum Theory & Special Relativity

FACULTY OF SOCIAL SCIENCES

Department of Economics

ECON1001	Introduction to Microeconomics
ECON1002	Introduction to Macroeconomics
ECON1003	Maths for Social Sciences I
ECON1004	Maths for Social Sciences II
ECON1005	Introductory Statistics
ECON2000	Intermediate Microeconomics
ECON2001	Intermediate Microeconomics I
ECON2002	Intermediate Macroeconomics II
ECON2003	Intermediate Macroeconomics III
ECON2008	Statistical Methods I
ECON2020	The Caribbean Economy
ECON3007	International Finance
ECON3011	Economics of Financial Institutions
ECON3049	Econometrics I
ACCT1002	Introduction to Financial Accounting

ACCT1003	Introduction to Cost and Management Accounting
ACCT2014	Financial Accounting I
ACCT2015	Financial Accounting II
ACCT2017	Management Accounting
ACCT3039	Cost and Management Accounting
ACCT3040	Accounting Theory
ACCT3043	Principles of Auditing
MGMT1001	Principles of Management
MKTG2001	Principles of Marketing
MGMT2005	Microcomputer Applications for Business
MGMT2006	Management Information Systems
MGMT2008	Organisational Behaviour
MGMT2020	Managerial Economics
MGMT2021	Business Law I
MGMT2026	Production and Operations Management
MGMT3011	Management Information Systems II
MGMT3017	Human Resources Management
MGMT3018	Industrial Relations
MGMT3031	Business, Strategy and Policy
MGMT3033	Business, Government and Society

BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES

The Department of Biological & Chemical Sciences offers Single Majors in Biochemistry, Biology, Ecology and Microbiology as well as a Double Major in Biology. The Level II/III courses used for a Biology, Biochemistry, Ecology and/or Microbiology major cannot be used to simultaneously satisfy the requirements for a second biological major or a Biochemistry, Biology, Ecology or Microbiology minor.

MAJOR IN BIOCHEMISTRY:

LEVEL I

BIOC1351	Introductory Biochemistry
BIOL1051	Biodiversity I
BIOL1151	Introductory Genetics
CHEM1010	Fundamentals of Chemistry
CHEM1020	Introductory Chemistry

LEVEL II

BIOC2351	Biochemistry I
BIOC2352	Biochemistry II
BIOL2151	Genetics I
BIOL2152	General Molecular Biology

LEVEL III

BIOC3251	Microbial Biochemistry
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AND Twelve (12) Credits from:

BIOC3053	Cell Signalling
BIOC3254	Biochemical Plant Pathology
BIOC3352	Biochemistry III
BIOC3354	Biochemistry of Human Disease
BIOC3950	Biochemistry Research Project
BIOL3152	Bioinformatics
CHEM3135	Bio-inorganic Chemistry
CHEM3210	Bioorganic & Medicinal Chemistry

A Student Majoring in Biochemistry cannot also major in Microbiology.

MINOR IN BIOCHEMISTRY

[Sixteen (16) Credits]:

BIOC2352 Biochemistry II

AND Twelve (12) Credits from:

BIOC2351 Biochemistry I*
BIOC3053 Cell Signalling
BIOC3251 Microbial Biochemistry*
BIOC3254 Biochemical Plant Pathology
BIOC3352 Biochemistry III
BIOC3354 Biochemistry of Human Disease
BIOC3950 Biochemistry Research Project
BIOL3152 Bioinformatics
CHEM3135 Bio-inorganic Chemistry

*A student taking a major in Microbiology cannot use BIOC2351 or BIOC3251 to satisfy the requirements for a Biochemistry minor.

MAJOR IN BIOLOGY:

LEVEL I

BIOC1351 Introductory Biochemistry
BIOL1051 Biodiversity I
BIOL1052 Biodiversity II
BIOL1151 Introductory Genetics

LEVELS II & III

BIOL2053 Physiology of Plants & Animals
BIOL3053 Developmental Physiology

AND

BIOL2151 Genetics I
MICR2251 General Microbiology

OR

BIOC2351 Biochemistry I
BIOC2352 Biochemistry II

OR

ECOL2451 Population Ecology
ECOL2452 Community Ecology

OR

BIOC2351 Biochemistry I
BIOL2152 General Molecular Biology

OR

MICR2251 General Microbiology
MICR2252 Eukaryotic Micro-organisms

AND Twelve (12) Credits from:

BIOC3053 Cell Signaling
BIOC3251 Microbial Biochemistry
BIOC3254 Biochemical Plant Pathology
BIOC3352 Biochemistry III
BIOC3354 Biochemistry of Human Disease
BIOC3950 Biochemistry Research Project
BIOL3023 Coral Reef Biology
BIOL3152 Bioinformatics
BIOL3950 Biology Research Project
ECOL3451 Human Ecology and Conservation
ECOL3452 Behavioural Ecology
ECOL3453 Crop Ecology
ECOL3454 Fisheries Biology

ECOL3950	Ecology Research Project
MICR3059	Immunobiology
MICR3251	Food Microbiology
MICR3252	Microbial Ecology
MICR3253	Biology of Viruses
MICR3258	Pathogenic Micro-organisms
MICR3950	Microbiology Research Project

AND Four (4) Credits from:

BIOC2351	Biochemistry I
BIOC2352	Biochemistry II
BIOL2058	Tropical Ornamental Plants
BIOL2151	Genetics I
BIOL2152	General Molecular Biology
BIOL2950	Biology Elective
ECOL2055	Horticulture
ECOL2451	Population Ecology
ECOL2452	Community Ecology
ECOL2453	Caribbean Island Biogeography
ECOL2454	Marine Biology
MICR2251	General Microbiology
MICR2252	Eukaryotic Micro-organisms
BIOC3053	Cell Signaling
BIOC3251	Microbial Biochemistry
BIOC3254	Biochemical Plant Pathology
BIOC3352	Biochemistry III
BIOC3354	Biochemistry of Human Disease
BIOL3023	Coral Reef Biology
BIOL3053	Developmental Physiology
BIOL3152	Bioinformatics
ECOL3451	Human Ecology and Conservation
ECOL3452	Behavioural Ecology
ECOL3453	Crop Ecology
ECOL3454	Fisheries Biology
MICR3059	Immunobiology
MICR3251	Food Microbiology
MICR3252	Microbial Ecology
MICR3253	Biology of Viruses
MICR3258	Pathogenic Micro-organisms

DOUBLE MAJOR IN BIOLOGY

LEVEL I

BIOC1351	Introductory Biochemistry
BIOL1051	Biodiversity I
BIOL1052	Biodiversity II
BIOL1151	Introductory Genetics

LEVELS II & III

BIOL2053	Physiology of Plants & Animals
BIOL3053	Developmental Physiology

AND

BIOL2151	Genetics I
MICR2251	General Microbiology

OR

BIOC2351	Biochemistry I
BIOC2352	Biochemistry II

OR

ECOL2451	Population Ecology
ECOL2452	Community Ecology

OR

BIOC2351	Biochemistry I
BIOL2152	General Molecular Biology

OR

MICR2251	General Microbiology
MICR2252	Eukaryotic Micro-organisms

AND Eight (8) Credits from:

BIOC3950	Biochemistry Research Project
BIOL3950	Biology Research Project
ECOL3950	Ecology Research Project
MICR3950	Microbiology Research Project

AND Forty (40) Credits from:

BIOC2351	Biochemistry I
BIOC2352	Biochemistry II
BIOL2058	Tropical Ornamental Plants
BIOL2151	Genetics I
BIOL2152	General Molecular Biology
BIOL2950	Biology Elective
ECOL2055	Horticulture

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ECOL2451	Population Ecology
ECOL2452	Community Ecology
ECOL2453	Caribbean Island Biogeography
ECOL2454	Marine Biology
MICR2251	General Microbiology
MICR2252	Eukaryotic Micro-organisms
BIOC3053	Cell Signalling
BIOC3251	Microbial Biochemistry
BIOC3254	Biochemical Plant Pathology
BIOC3352	Biochemistry III
BIOC3354	Biochemistry of Human Disease
BIOL3023	Coral Reef Biology
BIOL3152	Bioinformatics
ECOL3451	Human Ecology and Conservation
ECOL3452	Behavioural Ecology
ECOL3453	Crop Ecology
ECOL3454	Fisheries Biology
MICR3059	Immunobiology
MICR3251	Food Microbiology
MICR3252	Microbial Ecology
MICR3253	Biology of Viruses
MICR3258	Pathogenic Micro-organisms

MINOR IN BIOLOGY [Sixteen (16) Credits]:

BIOL2053	Physiology of Plants & Animals
BIOL3053	Developmental Physiology

AND Eight (8) Credits from:

BIOC2351	Biochemistry I
BIOC2352	Biochemistry II
BIOL2058	Tropical Ornamental Plants
BIOL2151	Genetics I
BIOL2152	General Molecular Biology
BIOL2950	Biology Elective
ECOL2055	Horticulture
ECOL2451	Population Ecology
ECOL2452	Community Ecology
ECOL2453	Caribbean Island Biogeography
ECOL2454	Marine Biology
MICR2251	General Microbiology
MICR2252	Eukaryotic Micro-organisms
BIOC3053	Cell Signalling
BIOC3251	Microbial Biochemistry
BIOC3254	Biochemical Plant Pathology
BIOC3352	Biochemistry III
BIOC3354	Biochemistry of Human Disease
BIOL3023	Coral Reef Biology
BIOL3053	Developmental Physiology
BIOL3152	Bioinformatics
ECOL3451	Human Ecology and Conservation
ECOL3452	Behavioural Ecology
ECOL3453	Crop Ecology
ECOL3454	Fisheries Biology
MICR3059	Immunobiology
MICR3251	Food Microbiology
MICR3252	Microbial Ecology
MICR3253	Biology of Viruses
MICR3258	Pathogenic Micro-organisms

MAJOR IN ECOLOGY:

LEVEL I

BIOC1351	Introductory Biochemistry
BIOL1051	Biodiversity I
BIOL1052	Biodiversity II
BIOL1151	Introductory Genetics

LEVEL II

ECOL2451	Population Ecology
ECOL2452	Community Ecology
ECOL2453	Caribbean Island Biogeography

AND

ECOL2055	Horticulture
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ECOL2454	Marine Biology
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LEVEL III

ECOL3451	Human Ecology and Conservation
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AND Twelve (12) Credits from:

BIOL3023	Coral Reef Biology
ECOL3452	Behavioural Ecology
ECOL3453	Crop Ecology
ECOL3454	Fisheries Biology
ECOL3950	Ecology Research Project
MICR3252	Microbial Ecology

MINOR IN ECOLOGY [Sixteen (16) Credits]:

ECOL2451	Population Ecology
ECOL2452	Community Ecology
ECOL2453	Caribbean Island Biogeography

AND

ECOL2055	Horticulture
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OR

ECOL2454	Marine Biology
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MAJOR IN MICROBIOLOGY:

LEVEL I

BIOC1351	Introductory Biochemistry
BIOL1051	Biodiversity I
BIOL1052	Biodiversity II
BIOL1151	Introductory Genetics

LEVEL II

BIOC2351	Biochemistry I
BIOL2151	Genetics I
MICR2251	General Microbiology
MICR2252	Eukaryotic Micro-organisms

LEVEL III

BIOC3251	Microbial Biochemistry
MICR3252	Microbial Ecology

AND Eight (8) Credits from:

BIOC3254	Biochemical Plant Pathology
MICR3059	Immunobiology
MICR3251	Food Microbiology
MICR3253	Biology of Viruses
MICR3258	Pathogenic Micro-organisms
MICR3950	Microbiology Research Project

A student taking a Major in Microbiology cannot also Major in Biochemistry.

MINOR IN MICROBIOLOGY [Sixteen (16) Credits]:

MICR2251	General Microbiology
MICR2252	Eukaryotic Micro-organisms

AND Eight (8) Credits from:

BIOC3251	Microbial Biochemistry
BIOC3254	Biochemical Plant Pathology
MICR3059	Immunobiology
MICR3251	Food Microbiology
MICR3252	Microbial Ecology
MICR3253	Biology of Viruses
MICR3258	Pathogenic Micro-organisms
MICR3950	Microbiology Research Project

PRELIMINARY BIOLOGICAL COURSES

BIOL0051 – BIOLOGY I (6-P Credits)

Pre-requisite: None

Syllabus **Cellular Activities:** Subcellular organisation. Cell membrane structure and function. Biological chemistry – water and living systems, carbohydrates, lipids, proteins and amino acids, enzymes as catalysts, nucleic acids.
Genetics: The genetic material. Nuclear division. Patterns of inheritance. Mutation. Genetic engineering.
Reproduction Systems: Examples of bacterial and fungal reproduction and viral replication. Angiosperm sexual and asexual reproduction. Human reproduction.

Teaching: Three lectures, one tutorial and three hours of practicals per week.

Method of Examination: Final Theory Examination (3 hours) 60%
Two in-course Tests 20%
Laboratory reports 20%

BIOL0052 – BIOLOGY II (6-P Credits)

Pre-requisite: None

Syllabus: **The organism and the environment:** Acquisition of energy - autotrophic, holozoic, saprophytic and parasitic nutrition. Cellular respiration - glycolysis, the Krebs cycle, anaerobic respiration. Ecosystems - structure, function, population interactions. Environmental change & evolution - variation in populations, evolution and natural selection. Humanecology - biodiversity and its value, anthropogenic pollution.
Systems and their maintenance: Exchanges with the environment - respiratory gas exchange and excretion. Plant and animal transport systems. Chemical coordination in plants and animals. Nervous coordination in mammals - nervous tissue, conduction and transmission of nerve impulses, the CNS. Support and movement - supporting tissue in plants and tropisms, skeletal diversity and movement in animals.

Teaching: Three lectures, one tutorial and three hours of practicals per week.

Method of Examination: Final Theory Examination (3 hours) 60%
Two in-course tests 20%
Laboratory reports 20%

LEVEL I BIOLOGICAL COURSES

BIOC1351 – INTRODUCTORY BIOCHEMISTRY

(4 credits)

Prerequisite: **Either** CAPE Chemistry Unit 1 **or** CHEM0615 **or** an approved equivalent.

Syllabus: Cell fractionation and basic analytical techniques. Elementary thermodynamics. ATP synthesis by substrate level, oxidative and photophosphorylation. Properties of H₂O and aqueous solutions; pH; buffers. Structure and properties of nucleotides and nucleic acids. Structure and properties of amino acids. Protein structure and function. Enzymes. Elementary enzyme kinetics; reversible enzyme inhibition. Structure and properties of lipids. Monosaccharide structure and conformation. Disaccharides and polysaccharides. Glycolysis and the TCA cycle.

Teaching: Two lectures, one tutorial and (the equivalent of) three hours of practical per week.

Method of Examination:	Final Theory Examination (3 hours)	50%
	Mid-semester test	10%
	Tutorial Assignments / Essays	15%
	Practical reports	25%

BIOL1051 – BIODIVERSITY I (4 credits)

Pre-requisite: CAPE Biology Unit 1 or 2 or BIOL0051 or BIOL0052 **or** CAPE Environmental Science & CSEC Biology.

Syllabus: **Evolution:** “Theories” of Evolution: Genesis; Linnaeus; Lamarck; Darwin-Wallace; Neo-Darwinism. Mechanisms: selection, mutation, migration, genetic drift, isolation mechanisms, hybridisation. Fossilisation and the fossil record, speciation and the time continuum.

Ecology: Populations and communities. Habitat and niche. The Ecosystem Concept: energy flow; nutrient cycles; food chains and webs. Relationships: competition; predator-prey; types of symbioses.

Diversity and Classification: Fundamental principles of Taxonomy; Units of Classification; The species as the basic unit of classification; Scientific names of species; The Species Concept. Classical, numerical and molecular taxonomy; Biosystematics and Cladistics.

Microorganisms: Introduction to structure and classification of viruses, bacteria and fungi.

Plants: A systematic review of the plant kingdom.

Teaching: Two lectures, one tutorial and three hours of practical per week.

Method of Examination:	Final Theory Examination (2 hours)	50%
	In-course test(s)	15%
	Tutorial Assignments	10%
	Practical reports	25%

BIOL1052 – BIODIVERSITY II (4 credits)

Pre-requisite: CAPE Biology Unit 1 or 2 or BIOL0051 or BIOL0052 **or** CAPE Environmental Science & CSEC Biology.

Syllabus: A systematic review of the animal kingdom, with emphasis on the major groups. Animal body plans: germ layers, levels of organisation, symmetry, metamerism, cephalisation. Characteristics of major groups; adaptive radiation; vertebrate evolution.

Teaching: Two lectures, one tutorial and three hours of practical per week.

Method of Examination:	Final Theory Examination (3 hours)	50%
	Tutorial essays	10%
	Practical Test(s)	15%
	Practical reports	25%

BIOL1151 – INTRODUCTORY GENETICS (4 credits)

Prerequisite: CAPE Biology Unit I or BIOL0051 **or** CAPE Environmental Science & CSEC Biology.

Syllabus: **The Nature of the Genetic Material:** Experimental evidence implicating the nucleic acids. DNA structure - experimental evidence & theory. DNA conformation. **DNA Replication and Assortment:** Semi-conservative. Modes of replication. The replication fork in *Escherichia coli*. DNA polymerases. The cell cycle. Organisation of eukaryotic chromatin. Mitosis and meiosis. Mendelism. Linkage and Recombination. **The Genetic Material as an Information Carrier:** The Central Dogma. Colinearity. Transcription and translation in prokaryotes & eukaryotes. Gene expression/regulation -*lac* and/or *trp* operons in *E. coli*.

Population Genetics: Gene pools; Transmission of genes between generations; Hardy-Weinberg (2 and 3 alleles); Selection pressures; selection against a recessive allele; mutation and migration.

Teaching: Two lectures, one tutorial and three hours of practical per week.

Method of Examination:	Final Theory Examination (2 hours)	50%
	Mid-semester test	15%
	Tutorial Assignments	10%
	Practical reports	25%

LEVEL II BIOLOGICAL COURSES

BIOC2351 – BIOCHEMISTRY I (4 credits)

Pre-Requisites: BIOC1351 Introductory Biochemistry &
 CHEM0625 Preliminary Chemistry II

Syllabus: **Enzymes:** Enzyme kinetics. Catalytic mechanisms. Use of kinetics to elucidate catalytic mechanisms. Models of allosteric enzymes. Regulation of enzyme activity.
Vitamins: Structure and activity of water-soluble and lipid-soluble vitamins.
Carbohydrate Metabolism: Metabolic pathways and their regulation including glycolysis, tricarboxylic acid cycle, gluconeogenesis, biosynthesis of polysaccharides, glyoxylate pathway and pentose phosphate pathway. Dark reactions of photosynthesis.
Lipid Metabolism: Metabolic pathways and their regulation - β -oxidation, fatty acid biosynthesis. Biological membranes and transport.
Nitrogen Metabolism: Overview of amino acid catabolism and biosynthesis. Urea cycle. Nitrogen fixation. Amino acids as biosynthetic precursors.
Nucleic Acids: DNA replication. Protein synthesis. Regulation of prokaryotic gene expression.

Teaching: Two one-hour lectures and one three-hour practical class per week.

Method of Examination:	Final Theory Examination (3 hours)	60%
	In-Course Test(s)/Assignment(s)	20%
	Practical Reports	20%

BIOC2352 – BIOCHEMISTRY II (4 credits)

Pre-requisite: BIOC2351 Biochemistry I

Syllabus: **Metabolic regulation:** Regulatory enzymes, control of enzyme activity. Hormonal regulation of mammalian metabolism. Chemical classes of hormones. Molecular aspects of hormonal signal transduction. Integration of metabolic regulation. Regulation of fuel metabolism.
Biochemical Methods: Molecular spectroscopic methods. Infrared, Raman, NMR, fluorescence UV-vis, circular dichroism. Mass Spectroscopic methods. Review of electrophoresis. Chromatographic methods. Radiotracer methods. Electrochemistry and sensors. Enzymatic methods.
Toxicology: Overview of toxicology. Environmental toxicology. Biological fate of pesticides and other potential environmental pollutants. Regulatory concerns. Metabolism and toxicology of xenobiotics, including pharmacologicals and food additives.

Teaching: Two one-hour lectures and one five hour practical every other week.

Method of Examination:	Final Theory Examination (3 hours)	60%
	In-course test(s) / Assignment(s)	20%
	Practical reports	20%

BIOC2950 – BIOCHEMISTRY ELECTIVE (4 credits)

Pre-requisites: None

Syllabus: An advanced course in Biochemistry taken as an exchange student at an approved institution and pre-approved by the Dean.

BIOL2053 – PHYSIOLOGY OF PLANTS & ANIMALS (4 credits)

Prerequisites: BIOL1052 Biodiversity II and BIOC1351 Introductory Biochemistry

Syllabus: **Plants:** Functional anatomy of flowering plants. Water relations, mineral nutrition, transpiration, gas exchange. Photosynthesis and translocation.
Animals: Physiological processes in animals. Circulation, gas exchange, osmotic regulation, acquisition of energy, thermoregulation.

Teaching: Two one-hour lectures, one tutorial and three hours of practicals per week

Method of Examination:	Final Theory Examination (3 hours)	70%
	In-course Tests/Assignments	10%
	Practical Reports	20%

BIOL2057 – BIOLOGY FIELD COURSE (2 credits)

Pre-requisites: BIOL1051 Biodiversity I & BIOL1052 Biodiversity II

Syllabus: A practical introduction to Caribbean flora and fauna, including the use of ecological methods.

Teaching: A five day residential course on a Caribbean island.

Method of Examination:	An assessment of the student's field note book	100%
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BIOL2058 – TROPICAL ORNAMENTAL PLANTS (4 credits)

Pre-requisites: BIOL 1051 Biodiversity I and BL 1052 Biodiversity II

Syllabus: This course is a survey of tropical ornamental plants and their families. Students will learn the identification, horticultural classification, cultural requirements and best horticultural use of the cultivated garden flora. Cultivated, domesticated and wild plants will be compared. Morphological features necessary for plant identification will be taught.

Note: Field sessions will occur at Andromeda Botanic Gardens and other sites of horticultural interest around Barbados.

Teaching: Four 1½-hour lectures, and four 3-hour field sessions per week for four weeks.

Method of Examination:	Theory Examination (2 hours)	33%
	One Practical Examination	34%
	Learning Log	33%

BIOL2151 – GENETICS I (4 credits)

Pre-requisites: BIOC1351 Introductory Biochemistry &
 BIOL1151 Introductory Genetics

Syllabus: **Gene structure and expression:** The modern concept of the gene in prokaryotes and eukaryotes. Transcription and processing of RNA.
Genome organisation: In prokaryotes and eukaryotes. Extranuclear genomes.
Genetic mutation: Isolation and analysis of mutants. Mutagens. DNA repair.
Transmission genetics: Mendelian principles. Linkage and recombination. Lysis, lysogeny and crossing in bacteriophages. Conjugation, transduction and transformation in bacteria. Sexual and parasexual analyses in fungi. Genetic analysis in higher eukaryotes. Maternal effects and extranuclear genetics.
Genetic recombination: Breakage and reunion. Models for generalised recombination and gene conversion. Site-specific recombination. Transposons.

Teaching: Two lectures, one-three hour practical and one tutorial per week.

Method of Examination:	Final Theory Examination (3 hours)	60%
	Practical reports	20%
	In-course Test(s)/Assignment(s)	20%

BIOL2152 – GENERAL MOLECULAR BIOLOGY
 (4 credits)

Pre-requisite: BIOL2151 Genetics I

Syllabus: **Isolation and analysis of nucleic acids and proteins:** Isolation methods. Detection and quantification of DNA, RNA and proteins. Electrophoretic techniques. Restriction and modification systems. Restriction endonucleases. Physical mapping. Hybridisation techniques. Sequencing.
Genetic manipulation: Plasmid and bacteriophage cloning vectors. Cloning strategies. Gene libraries. Gene transfer systems. *In vitro* mutagenesis.
Gene Expression: Promoter-probe plasmids. Expression vectors. *In situ* hybridization and immunofluorescent detection methods. *In vitro* translation.

Teaching: Two lectures, three hours of practicals and one tutorial per week.

Method of Examination:	Final Theory Examination (3 hours)	60%
	Practical reports	20%
	In-course Test(s)/Assignment(s)	20%

BIOL2950 – BIOLOGY ELECTIVE (4 credits)

Pre-requisites: None

Syllabus: An advanced course in the Biological Sciences taken as an exchange student at an approved institution and pre-approved by the Dean.

ECOL2055 – HORTICULTURE (4 credits)

Pre-requisites: BIOL1051 Biodiversity I & BIOL1052 Biodiversity II

Syllabus: Horticulture is reviewed from a scientific base, exploring the environmental, genetic and cultural manipulation of plants for food (fruits and vegetables), pleasure (ornamentals) and recreation (turf). Sessions begin with a brief survey of horticulture and its significance locally and worldwide. These progress to study representative plant groups through stages in plant production, from propagation to growth through development both of the whole plant and of the population. In lectures, tutorials and practicals, plant responses to variations in soil / substrate type, water, minerals, light temperature, genotype and the presence of other organisms (pest, diseases and weeds) as well as spacing, pruning and imposed stress will be considered. Methods for analysing plant productivity in terms of quality and quantity are introduced and discussed.

Teaching: Two lectures, one tutorial and three hours of practical per week.

Method of Examination:	Final Theory Examination (2 hours)	50%
	Practical reports	20%
	Tutorial essays, case studies, presentations	30%

ECOL2451 – POPULATION ECOLOGY (4 credits)

Pre-requisites: BIOL1051 Biodiversity I & BIOL1052 Biodiversity II

Syllabus: Life tables. Exponential and logistic population growth. Population regulation. Deterministic and stochastic theories of life history evolution. Evolution and consequences of dispersal. Habitat selection. Quantitative ecological methods. Population dynamics and resource exploitation.

Teaching: Two lectures, one tutorial and three hours of practical per week.

Method of Examination:	Final Theory Examination (3 hours)	70%
	Project Report/Essay	30%

ECOL2452 – COMMUNITY ECOLOGY (4 credits)

Pre-requisite: ECOL2451 Population Ecology

Syllabus: Neutralism, commensalism, proto-cooperation, mutualism. Interference and exploitation competition. Competition equations. Niche characteristics. Competitive exclusion. Character displacement. Predator/prey interactions. Optimal foraging. Food web structure. Community stability. Plant-animal interactions – frugivory and pollination. Population models and parasitoid-host systems. Community changes. Quantitative ecological methods. Palaeoecology.

Teaching: Two lectures, one tutorial and three hours of practical per week.

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Method of Examination: Final Theory Examination (3 hours) 70%
Project report/Essay 30%

ECOL2453 – CARIBBEAN ISLAND BIOGEOGRAPHY (4 Credits)

Pre-requisites: BIOL1051 Biodiversity I & BIOL1052 Biodiversity II

Syllabus: Plate tectonics, island formation and Caribbean geology. Climate patterns (past and present). Equilibrium theory of island biogeography. Species turnover. Taxon cycle. The major habitat types found in the Caribbean - location, structure, anthropogenic influences and typical species. Reviews of distribution, evolution and ecology of selected taxonomic groups. Field survey methods.

Teaching: Two lectures, one tutorial and one practical per week.

Method of Examination: Final Theory Examination (3 hours) 50%
Mid-term Test 10%
Field Notebook 40%

ECOL2454 – MARINE BIOLOGY (4 credits)

Pre-requisite: ECOL2451 Population Ecology.

Syllabus: Basic oceanography - tidal cycles, waves, ocean circulation and seawater chemistry. Global distributions, zonation and adaptations of sublittoral, intertidal planktonic, nektonic and deep sea organisms. Sampling techniques.

Teaching: Two lectures, one tutorial and three hours of practical per week.

Method of Examination: Final Theory Examination (3 hours) 70%
Practical Reports 20%
In-course Test(s)/Assignment(s) 10%

ECOL2950 – ECOLOGY ELECTIVE (4 credits)

Pre-requisites: None

Syllabus: An advanced course in the Ecological Sciences taken as an exchange student at an approved institution and pre-approved by the Dean.

MICR2251 – GENERAL MICROBIOLOGY (4 credits)

Pre-requisites: BIOL1051 Biodiversity I & BIOC1351 Introductory Biochemistry

Syllabus: This course is an introduction to microorganisms: Bacteria, Archaea, Algae, Fungi, Protozoa and Viruses. Topics presented include: the structure and function of microorganisms, microbial reproduction, physiology, taxonomy, behaviour and ecology. Techniques for the isolation, cultivation, enumeration and control of microorganisms are introduced. Some aspects of applied microbiology are covered.

Teaching: Two lectures, one tutorial and three hours of practical per week.

Method of Examination: Final Theory Examination (3 hours) 60%
Practical Reports 30%
In-course Test(s)/Assignment(s) 10%

MICR2252 – EUKARYOTIC MICROORGANISMS

(4 credits)

Pre-requisite: MICR2251 General Microbiology

Syllabus: An introduction to the biology of the eukaryotic microorganisms: algae, fungi, and protista. Structure and function, reproduction, physiology, behaviour, and ecology.

Teaching: Two lectures, one tutorial and three hours of practical per week.

Method of Examination:	Final Theory Examination (3 hours)	60%
	Practical Reports	30%
	In-course test(s)/Assignment(s)	10%

MICR2950 – MICROBIOLOGY ELECTIVE (4 credits)

Pre-requisites: None

Syllabus: An advanced course in Microbiology taken as an exchange student at an approved institution and pre-approved by the Dean.

LEVEL III BIOLOGICAL COURSES

BIOC3053 – CELL SIGNALLING (4 credits)

Pre-requisite: BIOL2152 General Molecular Biology.

Syllabus: **Intracellular signalling:** ion fluxes and electrical fields, establishment of cell polarity.

Intercellular signalling: Chemical messengers in “lower” organisms. The evolution of hormones. General aspects of hormone action.

Animal systems: signal transduction by G proteins. Steroid hormone action.

Plant systems: the molecular basis of plant hormone action.

Teaching: Two lectures and three hours of practicals per week.

Method of Examination:	Final Theory Examination (3 hours)	70%
	Practical reports	20%
	In-course test(s)/Assignment(s)	10%

BIOC3251 – MICROBIAL BIOCHEMISTRY

(4 credits)

Pre-requisite: BIOC2351 Biochemistry I.

Syllabus: Alternatives to the glycolytic pathway for sugar metabolism in micro-organisms. Fermentation; diversity of products in bacteria. Bacterial phosphoenolpyruvate: sugar phosphotransferase system. Glyoxylate cycle. Anaplerotic pathways unique to micro-organisms. Anoxygenic photosynthesis. Lithotrophy.

Aerobic respiration. Nitrogen fixation.
Regulation of activities and cellular
levels of microbial enzymes.

Teaching: Two lectures, one tutorial and three hours of
practical per week.

Method of	Final Theory Examination (3 hours)	60%
Examination:	Practical report(s)	30%
	In-course test(s)/Assignment(s)	10%

BIOC3254 – BIOCHEMICAL PLANT PATHOLOGY
(4 Credits)

Pre-requisites: MICR2251 (BL23B) General Microbiology
and BIOL2151 (BL24A) Genetics I.

Syllabus: Penetration of plants by pathogens. Role of
pathogen-produced cell-wall degrading
Enzymes and toxins in pathogenesis.
Disease-induced changes in host metabolism
and Physiology. Growth regulator imbalance
in plant diseases. Crown gall tumor
formation. Mechanisms of disease resistance.
Specificity of plant-pathogen interactions.

Teaching: Two lectures, one tutorial and three hours of
practicals per week.

Method of	Final Theory Examination (3 hours)	60%
Examination:	In-course Test(s)/Assignment(s)	20%
	Practical reports	20%

BIOC3352 – BIOCHEMISTRY III (4 Credits)

Pre-requisites: BIOC2351 Biochemistry I & BIOC2352
Biochemistry II

Syllabus: The areas of study may vary from year to

year but will usually include;-Clinical
biochemistry and techniques, biological
membranes and transport, food
biochemistry, protein structure and function,
molecular chaperones.

Teaching: Two one-hour lectures and one three hour
practical every week.

Method of	Final Theory Examination (3 hours)	60%
Examination:	In-course test(s) /Assignment(s)	20%
	Practical reports	20%

**BIOC3354 – BIOCHEMISTRY OF HUMAN
DISEASE** (4 credits)

Prerequisite: BIOC2351 Biochemistry I

Syllabus: The areas of study will focus on a variety of
human diseases such as: HIV/AIDS,
cardiovascular disease, diabetes, obesity,
various cancers, liver disease, kidney disease,
various syndromes and deficiencies including
in-born errors of metabolism. Various
aspects of the biochemistry will be studied
for the diseases, with a highlight of the latest
ground-breaking research in the area. The
areas studied will include specific biochemical
pathways, key proteins and enzymes that
play a role in the disease, and linkage of
these pathways with the presentation of the
symptoms of the disease.

Teaching: Two one-hour lectures, one hour tutorial and
three hours of practical per week

Method of	Final Theory Examination (3 hours)	60%
Examination:	In-course test(s)/Assignment(s)	20%
	Practical reports	20%

BIOC3950 – BIOCHEMISTRY RESEARCH PROJECT (8 credits)

Pre-requisites: BIOL2151 Genetics I, BIOL2152 General Molecular Biology, BIOC2351 Biochemistry I & BIOC2352 Biochemistry II

Restrictions: Not to be taken with BIOL3950 Biology Research Project, MICR3950 Microbiology Research Project or ECOL3950 Ecology Research Project

Syllabus: A practical project in Biochemistry carried out under the supervision of a staff member. Students will be allocated one of the available research topics and are expected to spend not less than 144 hours in field/laboratory studies. The project will be presented both orally in the form of a short seminar and in a written report. Three typed and bound copies of the written report must be presented.

Method of Examination:	Supervisor's Assessment	15%
	Seminar	15%
	Project Report	70%

BIOL3023 – CORAL REEF BIOLOGY (4 credits)

Pre-requisite: ECOL2454 Marine Biology

Syllabus: **Biology of scleractinian corals:** Anatomy, skeletal morphology, calcification and skeletogenesis, endosymbiosis with zooxanthellae, modes of feeding, reproduction and recruitment, environmental factors that influence growth and distribution. **Ecology of coral communities:** Theory of coral reef formation, types of reef. Reef community structure and zonation. Dynamics of coral communities including diversity/

stability relationships, keystone species, algal-herbivore and predator prey interactions, inter-specific competition, succession, and disturbance. A survey of the major groups of reef-associated organisms including other coelenterates, porifera, molluscs, echinoderms, fishes, and algae.

Emphasis will be on Caribbean coral reefs, but comparisons will be made among reefs from other regions.

Practical Work: Laboratory exercises on taxonomy and physiology of corals and other reef-associated organisms. Field exercises, with extensive in-water work, on coral reef community structure and dynamics.

Teaching: Two one-hour lectures, one tutorial and three hours of practicals per week

Method of Examination:	One 2-hour theory paper	60%
	Laboratory reports	30%
	In-course practical tests	10%

BIOL3053 – DEVELOPMENTAL PHYSIOLOGY (4 credits)

Prerequisite: BIOL 2053 Physiology of Plants & Animals

Restrictions: Cannot be taken by those who have passed BL 22A Animal Physiology or BL 22B Plant Physiology

Syllabus: **Plants:** Internal and external regulation of flowering plant growth and development including phytohormones. **Animals:** Human growth and development. Reproduction. Overview of prenatal and postnatal development. Integrative systems. In depth analysis of selected processes in plant and animal development.

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Teaching: Two one-hour lectures, one tutorial and three hours of practicals per week

Method of Examination: Final Theory Examination (3 hours) 70%
In-course tests/assignments 10%
Project reports 20%

BIOL3152 – BIOINFORMATICS (4 Credits)

Pre-requisite: BIOL2152 General Molecular Biology

Syllabus: Common types of genomic and proteomic data including DNA and protein sequences, motifs, domains, patterns, secondary structure and folding classes, tertiary structure. DNA and protein sequence analysis including analysis of homology, identification of motifs and domains, pair-wise and multiple alignments including global and local alignments. Dynamic programming algorithms for sequence alignment, prediction of secondary structure, prediction of gene structure. Methods of phylogenetic analysis. The distribution of data through public databases, data formats, and end-user applications for manipulation and analysis including use of PAM250 scoring matrix, BLOSUM 62, scoring matrix, FASTA, BLAST, PSI-BLAST, PHI-BLAST, PSSM, Smith-Waterman dynamic Programming.

Teaching: Two lectures, one tutorial, and three hours of practical per week

Method of Examination: Final Theory Examination (3 hours) 60%
In-course test(s)/Assignment(s) 40%

BIOL3950 – BIOLOGY RESEARCH PROJECT
(8 credits)

Pre-requisites: 16 credits from Level II Biological courses.
Only available to final year students majoring in Biology.

Restrictions: Not to be taken with BIOC3950 Biochemistry Research Project, MICR3950 Microbiology Research Project or ECOL3950 Ecology Research Project

Syllabus: A practical project in Biology carried out under the supervision of a staff member. Students will be allocated one of the available research topics and are expected to spend not less than 144 hours in field/laboratory studies. The project will be presented both orally in the form of a short seminar and in a written report. Three typed and bound copies of the written report must be presented.

Method of Examination: Supervisor's Assessment 15%
Seminar 15%
Project Report 70%

ECOL3451 – HUMAN ECOLOGY AND CONSERVATION (4 credits)

Pre-requisites: ECOL2451 Population Ecology & ECOL2452 Community Ecology.

Syllabus: **Human population growth** - Historical trends, the momentum of population growth, population projections, carrying capacity.
Conservation - Conservation as sustainable exploitation of natural resources. Conservation as avoidance of environmental deterioration. Caribbean case studies of

pollutants and land use and coastal zone practices as sources of environmental deterioration. Global trends in environmental deterioration. Conservation as maintenance of biological diversity - endangered habitats, endangered species.

Teaching: Two lectures and three hours of practical per week.

Method of Examination:	Final Theory Examination (3 hours)	70%
	Project Report/Essay	30%

ECOL3452 – BEHAVIOURAL ECOLOGY (4 credits)

Pre-requisites: ECOL2451 Population Ecology & ECOL2452 Community Ecology.

Syllabus: Environmental and genetic effects on behaviour. Individual and group selection. Group living and social systems. Territoriality and dominance hierarchies. Kin and reciprocal altruism. Contest behaviour and evolutionary stable strategies. Mate choice and sexual selection. Parent-offspring conflict. Interspecific comparisons of parental investment.

Teaching: Two lectures and three hours of practical per week.

Method of Examination:	Final Theory Examination (3 hours)	70%
	Project Report/Essay	30%

ECOL3453 – CROP ECOLOGY (4 credits)

Pre-requisites: ECOL2452 Community Ecology & BIOL1151 Introductory Genetics

Syllabus: Autecology of selected crop species and their evolution, propagation and breeding. Interactions of crop species with weed, pest, disease and beneficial organisms in the agroecosystem. Control of weeds, diseases and pests by cultural, chemical and biological means. Integrated pest management.

Teaching: Two lectures, one tutorial and three hours of practical per week.

Method of Examination:	Final Theory Examination (3 hours)	60%
	Project Report	20%
	Essay	20%

ECOL3454 – FISHERIES BIOLOGY (4 credits)

Pre-requisites: ECOL2451 Population Ecology, ECOL2452 Community Ecology & ECOL2454 Marine Biology

Syllabus: Global trends in fisheries yields and consumption patterns. Caribbean fisheries and current legislation. Methods for determining stock structure, migration and stock abundance. Indices of abundance. Stock dynamics, Stock-recruitment relationships. Surplus production and yield per recruit models for predicting fishery yields.

Teaching: Two lectures and three hours of practicals per week.

Method of Examination:	Final Theory Examination (3 hours)	70%
	Practical Reports	20%
	In-course test(s)/Assignment(s)	10%

ECOL3950 – ECOLOGY RESEARCH PROJECT

(8 credits)

Pre-requisites: ECOL2451 Population Ecology, ECOL2452
 Community Ecology & ECOL2453
 Caribbean Island Biogeography

Restrictions: Not to be taken with BIOL3950 Biology
 Research Project, MICR3950 Microbiology
 Research Project or BIOC3950 Biochemistry
 Research Project

Syllabus: A practical project in Ecology carried out
 under the supervision of a staff member(s).
 Students will be allocated one of the available
 research topics and are expected to spend not
 less than 144 hours in field/laboratory studies.
 The project will be presented both orally in
 the form of a short seminar and in a written
 report. Three typed, and bound copies of the
 written report must be presented.

Method of	Supervisor's assessment	15%
Examination:	Seminar	15%
	Project Report	70%

MICR3059 – IMMUNOBIOLOGY (4 credits)

Pre-requisites: BIOC1351 Introductory Biochemistry &
 BIOL2151 Genetics I

Syllabus: The mammalian immune system. Cells and
 organs involved in the immune response.
 Cell biology of phagocytosis. Structure and
 functions of the immunoglobulins. Phylogeny
 of the immune system. Immunoprophylaxis.

Teaching: Two lectures and three hours of practical and
 one tutorial per week.

Method of	Final Theory Examination (3 hours)	80%
Examination:	In-course Test(s)/Assignments	20%

MICR3251 – FOOD MICROBIOLOGY (4 credits)

Pre-requisites: MICR2251 General Microbiology &
 MICR2252 Eukaryotic Microorganisms

Syllabus: Factors regulating the development of food
 microorganisms and methods to control these
 factors. Food pathogens and microorganisms
 deteriorating the major food types. Good
 practices in alimentary transformations. Food
 contamination and intoxications.

Teaching: Two lectures, one tutorial and three hours of
 practical per week.

Method of	Final Theory Examination (3 hours)	60%
Examination:	Practical report(s)	30%
	In-course test(s)/Assignment(s)	10%

MICR3252 – MICROBIAL ECOLOGY (4 credits)

Pre-requisites: **Either** MICR2251 General Microbiology &
 MICR2252 Eukaryotic Microorganisms or
 ECOL2451 Population Ecology, ECOL2452
 Community Ecology & ECOL2453
 Caribbean Island Biogeography

Syllabus: Ecology and evolution. Ecology of
 individuals. Microbial population and
 community ecology. Biofilms. Biogeochemical
 cycles. Species interactions.

Teaching: Two lectures, one tutorial and three hours of
 practical per week.

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Method of Examination:	Final Theory Examination (3 hours)	60%
	Practical Report(s)	30%
	In-course test(s)/Assignment(s)	10%

MICR3253 – BIOLOGY OF VIRUSES (4 credits)

Pre-requisites: MICR2251 General Microbiology & BIOL2151 Genetics I

Syllabus: The nature of viruses. Structure of viruses. Viroids. Prions. Medical virology – viral diseases of humans, mode of transmission, symptoms, pathogenesis, control measures, vaccination, antiviral drugs, interferon
Plant viruses – disease symptoms, control measures. Molecular virology: entry and exit of viruses from host cells; RNA virus replication; DNA virus replication viral oncogenesis

Teaching: Two lectures, one tutorial and three hours of practicals per week.

Method of Examination:	Final Theory Examination (3 hours)	60%
	Practical reports	30%
	In-course test(s)/Assignment(s)	10%

MICR3258 – PATHOGENIC MICRO-ORGANISMS
(4 credits)

Pre-requisites: MICR2251 General Microbiology & BIOL2151 Genetics I.

Syllabus: The normal microbial flora of the human body. Opportunistic infections. The pathogenesis of infectious diseases. Special properties of pathogenic micro-organisms. Virulence determinants - adhesins, impedins.

Identification of pathogenic microbes and laboratory diagnosis of infectious diseases. Epidemiology and control of infections. Principles of anti-microbial chemotherapy.

Teaching: Two lectures and one tutorial per week and three hour practicals including attachment to a Medical Laboratory.

Method of Examination:	Final Theory Examination (3 hours)	70%
	Practical Report	10%
	In-course Test(s)/Assignment(s)	20%

MICR3950 – MICROBIOLOGY RESEARCH PROJECT (8 credits)

Pre-requisites: MICR2251 General Microbiology, BIOL2151 Genetics I, BIOC2351 Biochemistry I & MICR2252 Eukaryotic Micro-organisms

Restrictions: Not to be taken with BIOC3950 Biochemistry Research Project, BIOL3950 Biology Research Project or ECOL3950 Ecology Research Project

Syllabus: A practical project in Microbiology carried out under the supervision of a staff member. Students will be allocated one of the available research topics and are expected to spend not less than 144 hours in field/laboratory studies. The project will be presented both orally in the form of a short seminar and in a written report. Three typed and bound copies of the written report must be presented.

Method of Examination:	Supervisor's assessment	15%
	Seminar	15%
	Project Report	70%

CHEMISTRY

The Department of Biological & Chemical Sciences offers a Single Major, Double Major and Minor in Chemistry.

MAJOR IN CHEMISTRY:

LEVEL I

CHEM1010 Fundamentals of Chemistry
CHEM1020 Introductory Chemistry

LEVEL II

CHEM2010 Practical Chemistry I (2 credits)
CHEM2020 Practical Chemistry II (2 credits)
CHEM2100 Inorganic Chemistry I
CHEM2200 Organic Chemistry I
CHEM2300 Physical Chemistry I
CHEM2400 Analytical Chemistry I

LEVEL III

CHEM3500 Chemistry Project (4 credits)

or in exceptional circumstances:

CHEM3505 Chemistry Research Project (8 credits)

And Eight (8) credits from:

CHEM3100 Inorganic Chemistry II
CHEM3200 Organic Chemistry II
CHEM3300 Physical Chemistry II

MINOR IN CHEMISTRY

(Sixteen (16) Credits):

CHEM2010 Practical Chemistry I (2 credits)
CHEM2020 Practical Chemistry II (2 credits)
CHEM2100 Inorganic Chemistry I
CHEM2200 Organic Chemistry I
CHEM2300 Physical Chemistry I

DOUBLE MAJOR IN CHEMISTRY:

LEVEL I

CHEM1010 Fundamentals of Chemistry
CHEM1020 Introductory Chemistry

LEVEL II

CHEM2010 Practical Chemistry I (2 credits)
CHEM2020 Practical Chemistry II (2 credits)
CHEM2100 Inorganic Chemistry I
CHEM2200 Organic Chemistry I
CHEM2300 Physical Chemistry I
CHEM2400 Analytical Chemistry I

LEVEL III

CHEM3505 Chemistry Research Project (8 credits)

AND Thirty-six (36) Credits From:

BIOC2351 Biochemistry I
CHEM2950 Chemistry Elective
CHEM3100 Inorganic Chemistry
CHEM3135 Bioinorganic Chemistry
CHEM3145 Bonding in Inorganic Chemistry
CHEM3200 Organic Chemistry II
CHEM3210 Bioorganic & Medicinal Chemistry
CHEM3300 Physical Chemistry II
CHEM3415 Analytical Chemistry III
CHEM3515 Environmental Chemistry

PRELIMINARY CHEMISTRY COURSES

CHEM0615 – PRELIMINARY CHEMISTRY I

(6 P-credits)

Prerequisite: None

Syllabus: A course of 39 lectures, associated tutorials and a maximum of 39 hours of laboratory work on the fundamentals of Chemistry and elementary Organic Chemistry.

Fundamentals of Chemistry: Atomic theory of matter. The mole concept, chemical equations and stoichiometry. Electron configurations of the elements: the Periodic Table. Properties of isolated atoms. Chemical bonding and energy changes. Classification of bonds. Molecular structures. Interactions between molecules.

Organic Chemistry: Structures, formulae and nomenclature of organic compounds. Introduction to reaction mechanisms. Functional groups and their reactions: hydrocarbons, halides, alcohols, amines, carbonyl compounds, carboxylic acids and their derivatives, including aliphatic and aromatic systems. Polymers.

Teaching: Three lectures, one tutorial and three hours of practical work per week.

Examination:	Final examination (3 hours)	60 %
	In-course test(s) / assignment(s)	20 %
	Practicals	20 %

CHEM0625 – PRELIMINARY CHEMISTRY II

(6 P-credits)

Prerequisite: None

Syllabus: A course of 39 lectures, associated tutorials and a maximum of 39 hours of laboratory work on elementary Physical Chemistry and Inorganic Chemistry.

Physical Chemistry: Properties of solids, liquids, gases and solutions. Laws of thermochemistry. Energetics of reactions: Hess' Law, thermodynamic cycles. Kinetics: rates and mechanisms of reactions. Equilibria in gas phase and solution reactions including acid-base, redox and precipitation. Principles of electrochemistry.

Inorganic Chemistry: Periodicity of chemical behaviour: dependence on electron configuration. Properties and reactions of the main group elements and their compounds, with emphasis on hydrogen, Groups 1,2 and 17, and Periods ($n=2$) and ($n=3$). First row transition metals and coordination complexes. Industrial processes and environmental considerations.

Teaching: Three lectures, one tutorial and three hours of practical work per week.

Examination:	Final examination (3 hours)	60 %
	In-course test(s) / assignment(s)	20 %
	Practicals	20 %

LEVEL I CHEMISTRY COURSES

CHEM1010 – FUNDAMENTALS OF CHEMISTRY

(6 Credits)

Prerequisite: CHEM0615 Preliminary Chemistry I & CHEM0625 Preliminary Chemistry II, or CAPE Chemistry Units 1 & 2, or equivalent.

Syllabus: A course of 39 lectures, associated tutorials and 52 hours of practical work, on the fundamental aspects of Chemistry.
Basic Principles: Molecular energetics; An introduction to spectroscopy.
Atoms and Diatomic Molecules: Atomic structure and properties; Bonding in diatomic molecules.

Teaching: Three lectures, one tutorial and four hours of practical work per week.

Method of Examination:	Final examination (3 hours)	60 %
	In-course test(s) / assignment(s)	20 %
	Practicals	20 %

CHEM1020 – INTRODUCTORY CHEMISTRY

(6 Credits)

Prerequisite: CHEM0615 Preliminary Chemistry I and CHEM0625 Preliminary Chemistry II, **or** CAPE Chemistry Units 1 & 2, or equivalent.

Syllabus: An introductory course of 39 lectures, associated tutorials and 52 hours of practical work, on Inorganic, Organic and Physical Chemistry.

Inorganic Chemistry: Matter in bulk; Coordination complexes; Periodicity in main group chemistry.

Organic Chemistry: Hydrocarbons; Halides, alcohols, ethers and amines; Carbonyl compounds, carboxylic acids and their derivatives.

Physical Chemistry: Thermochemistry; Kinetics; Electrochemistry.

Teaching: Three lectures, one tutorial and four hours of practical work per week.

Method of Examination:	Final examination (3 hours)	60 %
	In-course test(s) / assignment(s)	20 %
	Practicals	20 %

LEVEL II CHEMISTRY COURSES

CHEM2010 – PRACTICAL CHEMISTRY I

(2 Credits)

Prerequisite: CHEM1010 Fundamentals of Chemistry & CHEM1020 Introductory Chemistry

Syllabus: A course of sixty (60) hours of practical work selected from the disciplines of Analytical Chemistry, Inorganic Chemistry, Organic Chemistry.

Teaching: Five hours of practical classes per week.

Method of Practical work 60%
Examination: In-course tests and assignments 40%

CHEM2020 – PRACTICAL CHEMISTRY II (2 Credits)

Prerequisite: CHEM1010 Fundamentals of Chemistry & CHEM1020 Introductory Chemistry

Syllabus: A course of sixty (60) hours of practical work selected from the disciplines of Inorganic Chemistry and Organic Chemistry and Physical Chemistry.

Teaching: Five hours of practical classes per week.

Method of Practical work 60%
Examination: In-course tests and assignments 40%

CHEM2100 – INORGANIC CHEMISTRY I (4 Credits)

Prerequisite: CHEM1010 Fundamentals of Chemistry & CHEM1020 Introductory Chemistry

Syllabus: A course of 36 lectures and associated tutorials, surveying the chemistry of the main group and d-block transition elements.
Main Group Chemistry: A survey of the structures, properties and reactions of the s- and p-block elements, and their compounds, including hydrides, oxides, halides, polymers and technologically important materials.
Transition Metals: A survey of the properties and reactions of the first row transition metals and their compounds, with emphasis on the effects of the non-degeneracy of the d-orbitals in complexes and on technologically important materials.

Teaching: Three lectures and one tutorial per week.

Method of Final examination (3 hours) 60%
Examination: In-course tests and assignments 40%

CHEM2200 – ORGANIC CHEMISTRY I (4 Credits)

Prerequisite: CHEM1010 Fundamentals of Chemistry & CHEM1020 Introductory Chemistry

Syllabus: A course of 36 lectures and associated tutorials on the essential areas of Organic Chemistry.
Reaction mechanisms: Energetics, kinetics and the investigation of mechanisms. Substitution, elimination and addition reactions. Linear free energy relationships
Stereochemistry: Stereoisomerism and chirality. Fischer convention. Conformation and stereochemistry of ring compounds.

Dynamic stereochemistry.

Spectroscopy: The application of spectroscopic techniques in elucidating the structures of organic molecules.

Aromatics: Aromatic and heteroaromatic chemistry. Electrophilic and nucleophilic substitution. Polynuclear aromatic hydrocarbons (PAH's). Radical halogenation and oxidation of alkyl benzenes.

Synthesis: Principles of organic synthesis: carbanions and their use in carbon-carbon bond formation. Organometallic reagents in organic synthesis.

Teaching: Three lectures and one tutorial per week.

Method of Examination: Final examination (3 hours): 60%
In-course tests and assignments: 40%

CHEM2300 – PHYSICAL CHEMISTRY I (4 Credits)

Prerequisite: CHEM1010 Fundamentals of Chemistry & CHEM1020 Introductory Chemistry

Syllabus: A course of 36 lectures and associated tutorials, surveying thermodynamics, properties of matter, molecular spectroscopy and electrochemistry.

Teaching: Three lectures and one tutorial per week.

Method of Examination: Final examination (2 hours) 60%
In-course tests and assignments 40%

CHEM2400 – ANALYTICAL CHEMISTRY I (4 Credits)

Prerequisite: CHEM1010 Fundamentals of Chemistry & CHEM1020 Introductory Chemistry

Syllabus: A course of 36 lectures and associated tutorials, surveying the essential areas of analytical chemistry: methodology and sampling; statistical methods; the use of spectroscopic, electrochemical, and chromatographic techniques.

Teaching: Three lectures and one tutorial per week

Method of Examination: Final examination (2 hours) 60%
In-course tests and assignments 40%

CHEM2950 – CHEMISTRY ELECTIVE (4 Credits)

Pre-requisites: None

Syllabus: An advanced course in Chemistry taken as an exchange student at an approved institution and pre-approved by the Dean.

LEVEL III CHEMISTRY COURSES

CHEM3100 – INORGANIC CHEMISTRY (4 credits)

Prerequisites: CHEM2100 Inorganic Chemistry I

Syllabus: This final year inorganic chemistry course covers topics in the applications of group theory to problems in bonding and spectroscopy, the use of spectroscopic techniques in Inorganic Chemistry, organometallic chemistry of main group and transition elements and rates and mechanisms of inorganic reactions. The course requires a sound grounding in descriptive inorganic chemistry.

Teaching: Three lectures and one tutorial per week.

Method of Examination: Final examination (3 hours) 60%
In-course tests and assignments 40%

CHEM3135 – BIOINORGANIC CHEMISTRY (4 credits)

Prerequisites: CHEM2100 Inorganic Chemistry I or
CHEM2115 Main Group Chemistry &
CHEM3115 Transition Metal Chemistry I

Syllabus: Importance of metal ions in the environment. Basic concepts of ions in aqueous solutions. Determination of hydration numbers by NMR spectroscopy. Redox potentials of cations. Acidity and polymerization of aquocations. The chemical and physical factors controlling the elements of life energy in biological systems and hydrogen biochemistry, the role

of biological macromolecules and polymers. The roles of some individual elements in biology and medicine sodium, potassium and chlorine.

The chemistry of thallium, lead and chromium, molybdenum enzymes, cofactors and model systems. The chemistry of cobalt and iron complexes and their role in biological systems with respect to electron transfer reactions in aqueous media.

Teaching: Two lecturers, one tutorial and four hours of practicals per week.

Method of Examination: Final Theory Examination (2 hours) 60%
In-course test(s)/Assignment(s) 20%
Practicals 20%

CHEM3145 – BONDING IN INORGANIC CHEMISTRY (4 credits)

Prerequisites CHEM2100 Inorganic Chemistry I or
CHEM2115 Main Group Chemistry

Syllabus: Laws of groups and their application to symmetry elements and symmetry operations, character tables, irreducible and reducible representations, LGO/MO approach to bonding in small molecules including examples with π bonding and with bridging atoms and transition metal complexes. Applications of group theory to spectroscopy. Bonding dissociation energies. Electronegativity and its effects, Van Arkel-Ketelaar bond triangle. Use of d-orbitals in bonding by main group elements. Charge distribution in molecules and complex ions: methods of calculation. Group electronegativities.

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Teaching: Three lectures and one two-hour tutorial per week.

Method of Examination: Final Theory Examination (2 hours) 60%
In-course test(s)/Assignment(s) 40%

CHEM3200 – ORGANIC CHEMISTRY II (4 credits)

Pre-requisites: CHEM2200 Organic Chemistry I or
CHEM2215 Basic Organic Chemistry

Syllabus: This course aims to develop an understanding of the basic synthesis reactions used in Organic Synthesis. Students will be taught to identify advantages and limitations associated with generally applied methodologies of compound classes and to propose mechanisms for the general reactions covered in the course. General principles of retrosynthetic analysis will be used to design simple synthetic schemes for synthesis of target molecules, including important natural products and drug targets.

Teaching: The teaching approaches used will include lectures, tutorials and student presentations

Method of Examination: Final Theory Examination (3 hours) 60%
In-course test(s)/Assignment(s) 20%
Weekly assignments 10%
Presentations 10%

CHEM3210 – BIOORGANIC & MEDICINAL CHEMISTRY (4 credits)

Pre-requisite: CHEM2200 Organic Chemistry I or
CHEM2215 Basic Organic Chemistry

Restrictions: Not available to persons who have passed
CHEM3225 Natural Products Chemistry or

CHEM3235 Bioorganic Chemistry.

Syllabus: The aim of this course is to give students an understanding of the basic principles used in the synthesis of compounds of biological importance, an overview of the major classes of secondary metabolites found in nature, and an introduction to medicinal chemistry. The advantages and disadvantages of different approaches to the synthesis of the biologically important compounds will be discussed, while modern methods for the study of natural products and medicinal chemistry will be emphasized.

Teaching: Three lectures and one tutorial per week.

Method of Examination: Final Examination (2 hours) 60%
In-Course Tests/Quizzes 20%
In-Course Assignments 20%

CHEM3300 – PHYSICAL CHEMISTRY II (4 credits)

Pre-requisite: CHEM2300 Physical Chemistry I or
CHEM2315 Physical Chemistry II

Syllabus: This final year physical chemistry course covers topics in advanced spectroscopy and fundamental theoretical aspects of chemical kinetics, quantum mechanics and statistical thermodynamics. This course also requires a sound grounding in basic mathematics as well as the calculus.

Teaching: Three lectures and one tutorial per week.

Method of Examination: Final Theory Examination (2 hours) 60%
In-course test(s)/Assignment(s) 40%

CHEM3415 – ANALYTICAL CHEMISTRY III

Prerequisites: CHEM2415 Analytical Chemistry II

Syllabus: A survey of advanced instrumental techniques, applications, and data analysis, selected from the following: chromatographic methods, including gas chromatography; mass spectrometry, high performance liquid chromatography (HPLC); atomic absorption spectroscopy (AAS) and atomic emission spectroscopy (AES); use of diode array spectroscopy, including Fourier transform infrared (FTIR) and Raman spectroscopy; electrochemical methods, including potentiometric, conductometric; biochemical methods, including enzymatic protein sequencing, and fluorescence; thermogravimetric methods and differential scanning calorimetry; fundamentals of crystallography, including origin of systematic absences, intensity of diffraction, and comparison of monochromatic and Laue methods; fluorescence, including energy transfer, quenching and fluorescence anisotropy statistics; multiplexing; experimental design; use of computers to analyse data. Students will complete an instrumentation related project worth 15% of the course grade. The project will include approximately 20 hours of lab work.

Teaching: Two lectures, one tutorial and three hours of practicals per week.

Method of Examination:	Final Theory Examination (2 hours)	60%
	In-course test(s)/Assignment(s)	10%
	Practicals	15%
	Project	15%

CHEM3500 – CHEMISTRY PROJECT (4 credits)

Pre-requisites: CHEM2100 Inorganic Chemistry I, CHEM2200 Organic Chemistry I, CHEM2300 Physical Chemistry I, CHEM2400 Analytical Chemistry I, CHEM2010 Practical Chemistry I and CHEM2020 Practical Chemistry II

Syllabus: A pass in this 4-credit research project is required for a major in Chemistry. The course consists of a research project carried out under the supervision of a member of staff. Duration of the project is one semester, and students are expected to spend at least 72 hours on laboratory and/or computational work. Each student will be required to give a seminar on completion of the project and submit two copies of a typed report.

Method of Examination:	Supervisor's Assessment	15%
	Seminar	15%
	Project Report	70%

CHEM3505 – CHEMISTRY RESEARCH PROJECT
(8 credits)

Pre-requisites: CHEM2100 Inorganic Chemistry I, CHEM2200 Organic Chemistry I, CHEM2300 Physical Chemistry I, CHEM2400 Analytical Chemistry I, CHEM2010 Practical Chemistry I and CHEM2020 Practical Chemistry II

Description: A practical project carried out under the supervision of a member of staff. The project will run throughout the academic year and students are expected to spend at least 144 hours on laboratory work. Students will

be directed to an initial survey of relevant literature and will present brief outlines of their planned research. Each student will be required to give a seminar on completion of the project as well as submit three typed and bound copies of a written report.

Enrolment will be limited to those students who have demonstrated good practical skills and an aptitude for research or are pursuing a double major in chemistry.

Method of	Supervisor's Assessment	15%
Examination:	Seminar	15%
	Project Report	70%

CHEM3515 – ENVIRONMENTAL CHEMISTRY

(4 credits)

Prerequisites: CHEM2010 Practical Chemistry I, CHEM2020 Practical Chemistry II and CHEM2400 Analytical Chemistry I

Syllabus: **The atmosphere:** Regions of the atmosphere, reactions and properties. Stratospheric chemistry. Tropospheric chemistry - smog, photochemical. Atmospheric aerosols. Urban pollution, indoor air pollution. The chemistry of global climate.

The hydrosphere: Physical and chemical properties of water. Distribution of species in aquatic systems. Acid base chemistry. CO₂ carbonate equilibrium. Organic matter and metals. Environmental chemistry of colloids and surfaces. Microbiological processes. Water pollution and waste-water treatment chemistry.

The terrestrial environment: Soil properties – soil formation and properties, chemical and physical. Soil pollution and soil quality.

The biosphere and xenobiotics: Global biogeochemical cycles. Persistent organic pollutants, toxic metals, pesticides. Toxicological Chemistry. Emerging Issues. Other environmental concerns. Sampling and analysis – an overview of the fundamentals of environmental sampling design, sampling techniques and quality assurance/quality control (QA/QC) essential to acquire quality environmental data.

Teaching: Two lectures, one tutorial and three hours of practicals per week.

Method of	Final Theory Examination (3 hours)	60%
Examination:	In-course test(s)/Assignment(s)	20%
	Practicals	20%

COMPUTER SCIENCE & INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

The Department of Computer Science, Mathematics & Physics offers a Major, Double Major and Minor in Computer Science and a Major and Minor in Information Technology. In association with the Faculty of Social Sciences, the Options of a Double Major combining Computer Science or Information Technology with Accounting or Management are also offered to select students (See Appendix VI Options, p 36).

MAJOR IN COMPUTER SCIENCE:

LEVEL I

COMP1105	Computer Programming I
COMP1115	Computer Programming II
MATH1100	Basic Introductory Mathematics

AND

ELET1110	Digital Electronics (Not required but strongly recommended)
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OR

Four (4) Level I credits from this Faculty

LEVEL II

COMP2105	Discrete Mathematics
COMP2115	Information Structures
COMP2125	Computer Architecture
COMP2145	Software Engineering I

LEVEL III

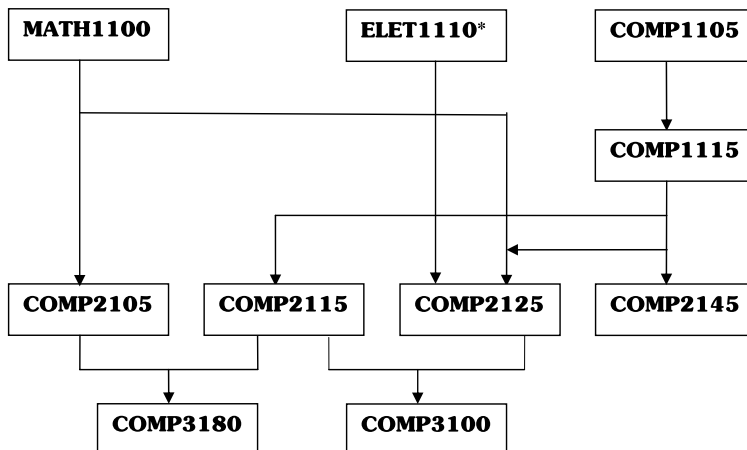
COMP3100	Operating Systems
COMP3180	Algorithm Design and Analysis

AND Eight (8) Credits (including at least one Level III course) from:

COMP2135	Systems Software
COMP2150	Computer Networks I
COMP2160	Object-Oriented Programming
COMP2950	Computer Science Elective
COMP3115	Information Systems
COMP3125	Artificial Intelligence
COMP3135	Programming Languages
COMP3140	Software Engineering II
COMP3155	Computer Networks II
COMP3160	Data Base Management Systems
COMP3170	Web-Based Applications
COMP3190	Special Topics in Computer Science
COMP3200	Compiler Theory
COMP3210	Electronic Commerce
COMP3220	Human-Computer Interaction
COMP3230	Network and Computer Security

COMP3240	Introduction to Distributed Computing
COMP3250	Computer Graphics I
COMP3260	Computer Graphics II
COMP3910	Computer Science Research Project

**Minimum Course Requirements for B.Sc. (Major in Computer Science)
 or the Computer Science Component of a Double Major**



* Not required but strongly recommended.

Two from (at least one must be from Level III courses):

COMP2135	COMP3125	COMP3170	COMP3230
COMP2150	COMP3135	COMP3190	COMP3240
COMP2160	COMP3140	COMP3200	COMP3250
COMP2950	COMP3155	COMP3210	COMP3260
COMP3115	COMP3160	COMP3220	COMP3910

MINOR IN COMPUTER SCIENCE

[Sixteen (16) Credits]:

At Least Eight (8) Credits From:

COMP2105 Discrete Mathematics
COMP2115 Information Structures
COMP2125 Computer Architecture
COMP2145 Software Engineering I
COMP3100 Operating Systems
COMP3180 Algorithm Design and Analysis

AND At Most Eight (8) Credits from:

COMP2135 Systems Software
COMP2150 Computer Networks I
COMP2160 Object-Oriented Programming
COMP2950 Computer Science Elective
COMP3115 Information Systems
COMP3125 Artificial Intelligence
COMP3135 Programming Languages
COMP3140 Software Engineering II
COMP3155 Computer Networks II
COMP3160 Data Base Management Systems
COMP3170 Web-Based Applications
COMP3190 Special Topics in Computer Science
COMP3200 Compiler Theory
COMP3210 Electronic Commerce
COMP3220 Human-Computer Interaction
COMP3230 Network and Computer Security
COMP3240 Introduction to Distributed Computing
COMP3250 Computer Graphics I
COMP3260 Computer Graphics II
COMP3910 Research Project

N.B: Students are not allowed to take both
COMP3115 Information Systems and
MGMT3011 Management Information
Systems II for credit.

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MAJOR IN INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY:

LEVEL I

COMP1105	Computer Programming I
COMP1115	Computer Programming II
MATH1100	Basic Introductory Mathematics

AND

ELET1110	Digital Electronics (Not required but strongly recommended)
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OR

Four (4) Level I credits from this Faculty

LEVEL II

COMP2105	Discrete Mathematics
COMP2115	Information Structures
COMP2145	Software Engineering I
COMP2160	Object-Oriented Programming

LEVEL III

COMP3160	Database Management Systems
COMP3170	Web-Based Applications

AND Eight (8) Credits (including at least one Level III course) from:

COMP2125	Computer Architecture
COMP2135	Systems Software
COMP2150	Computer Networks I
COMP2950	Computer Science Elective
COMP3100	Operating Systems
COMP3115	Information Systems
COMP3125	Artificial Intelligence
COMP3135	Programming Languages
COMP3140	Software Engineering II
COMP3155	Computer Networks II
COMP3180	Algorithm Design and Analysis
COMP3190	Special Topics in Computer Science
COMP3200	Compiler Theory
COMP3210	Electronic Commerce
COMP3220	Human-Computer Interaction
COMP3230	Network and Computer Security
COMP3240	Introduction to Distributed Computing
COMP3250	Computer Graphics I

COMP3260	Computer Graphics II
COMP3910	Computer Science Research Project

**MINOR IN INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY
[Sixteen (16) Credits]:**

At Least Eight (8) Credits From:

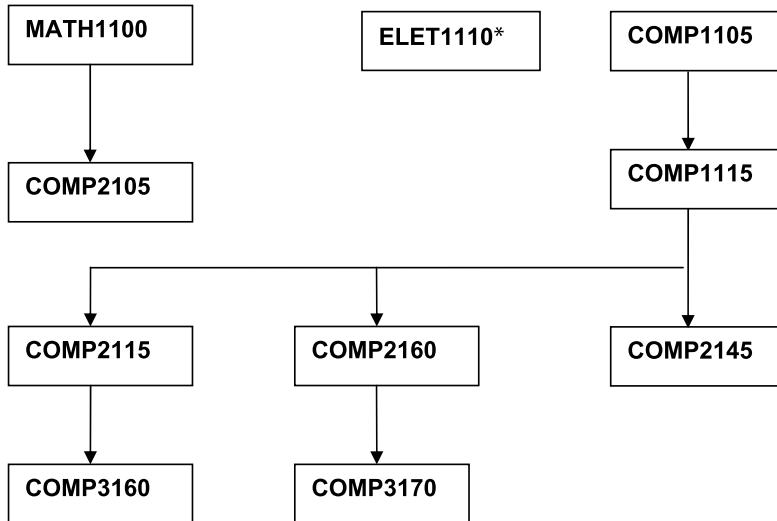
COMP2105	Discrete Mathematics
COMP2115	Information Structures
COMP2145	Software Engineering I
COMP2160	Object-Oriented Programming
COMP3160	Database Management Systems
COMP3170	Web-Based Applications

AND At Most Eight (8) Credits From:

COMP2125	Computer Architecture
COMP2135	Systems Software
COMP2150	Computer Networks I
COMP2950	Computer Science Elective
COMP3100	Operating Systems
COMP3115	Information Systems
COMP3125	Artificial Intelligence
COMP3135	Programming Languages
COMP3140	Software Engineering II
COMP3155	Computer Networks II
COMP3180	Algorithm Design and Analysis
COMP3190	Special Topics in Computer Science
COMP3200	Compiler Theory
COMP3210	Electronic Commerce
COMP3220	Human-Computer Interaction
COMP3230	Network and Computer Security
COMP3240	Introduction to Distributed Computing
COMP3250	Computer Graphics I
COMP3260	Computer Graphics II
COMP3910	Research Project

N.B.: Students are not allowed to take both COMP3115 Information Systems and MGMT3011 Management Information Systems II for credit.

**Minimum Course Requirements for B.Sc. (Major in IT)
 or the IT Component of a Double Major**



Two from (at least one must be from Level III courses):

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|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| COMP2125 | COMP3160 | COMP3190 | COMP3250 |
| COMP2135 | COMP3125 | COMP3200 | COMP3260 |
| COMP2150 | COMP3135 | COMP3210 | COMP3910 |
| COMP2950 | COMP3140 | COMP3220 | |
| COMP3100 | COMP3155 | COMP3230 | |
| COMP3115 | COMP3180 | COMP3240 | |

DOUBLE MAJOR IN COMPUTER SCIENCE:

LEVEL I

COMP1105 Computer Programming I
COMP1115 Computer Programming II
MATH1100 Basic Introductory Mathematics

AND

ELET1110 Digital Electronics (Not required but strongly recommended)

OR

Four (4) Level I credits from this Faculty

LEVEL II/III

COMP2105 Discrete Mathematics
COMP2115 Information Structures
COMP2125 Computer Architecture
COMP2145 Software Engineering I
COMP2150 Computer Networks I
COMP2160 Object-Oriented Programming
COMP3100 Operating Systems
COMP3155 Computer Networks II
COMP3160 Database Management Systems
COMP3180 Algorithm Design and Analysis
COMP3910 Computer Science Research Project

AND Twenty (20) level II/III credits as indicated:

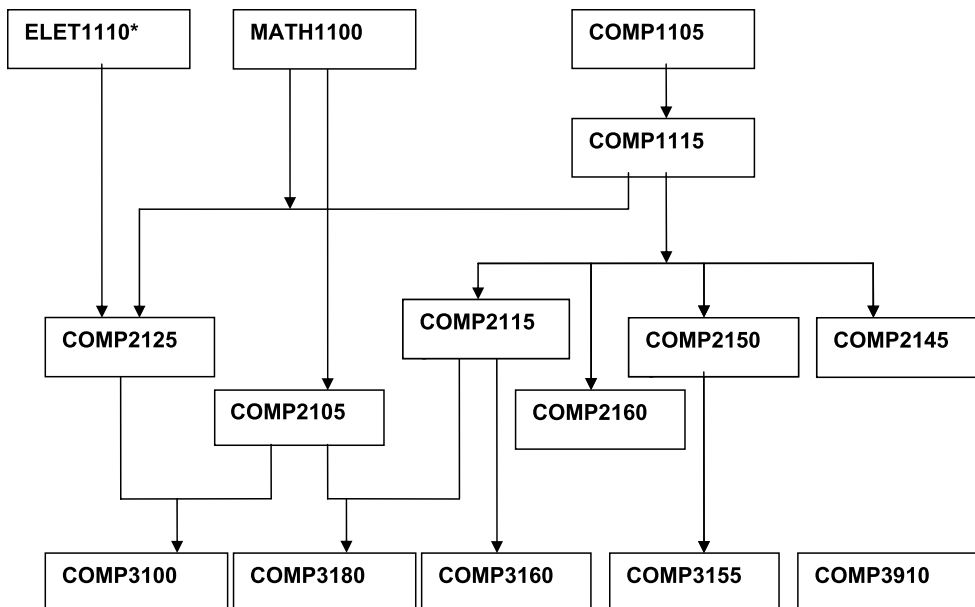
At most Eight (8) credits from:

COMP2135 Systems Software
COMP2950 Computer Science Elective
ELET2100 Microprocessors I
ELET2130 Digital Communications I
PHYS2104 Neural Networks

At least Twelve (12) Credits From:

COMP3115 Information Systems
COMP3125 Artificial Intelligence
COMP3135 Programming Languages
COMP3140 Software Engineering II
COMP3170 Web-Based Applications
COMP3190 Special Topics in Computer Science
COMP3200 Compiler Theory
COMP3210 Electronic Commerce
COMP3220 Human-Computer Interaction
COMP3230 Network and Computer Security
COMP3240 Introduction to Distributed Computing
COMP3250 Computer Graphics I
COMP3260 Computer Graphics II
ELET3100 Microprocessors II
ELET3151 Digital Communications II

Minimum Course Requirements for B.Sc. (Double Major in Computer Science)



At least three from:

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|----------|----------|----------|
| COMP3115 | COMP3190 | COMP3240 |
| COMP3125 | COMP3200 | COMP3250 |
| COMP3135 | COMP3210 | COMP3260 |
| COMP3140 | COMP3220 | ELET3100 |
| COMP3170 | COMP3230 | ELET3151 |

* **Not required but strongly recommended.**

LEVEL I COMPUTER SCIENCE COURSES

COMP1005 - COMPUTER APPLICATIONS

(4 Credits)

Pre-requisite: None (but registration restricted to non-majors in Computer Science or Information Technology)

Overview: An introduction to the fundamental concepts of computing and computers with a particular emphasis on providing a broad overview of the field of Computer Science.

Syllabus: Problem Solving and Programming (Algorithmic development, coding using a high-level language)
 Application Programming (Databases, spreadsheets, report generation)
 Fundamental Topics (Computer Architecture, operating systems, database Systems and information retrieval, human-computer communication, software engineering, networks, artificial intelligence, current trends and research).

Teaching; Three (3) lectures and one tutorial per week.

Method of Examination: Final Theory Examination (2 hours) 60%
 In-course Tests/Assignments 40%

COMP1105 – COMPUTER PROGRAMMING I

(4 Credits)

Pre-requisite: None

Overview; An introduction treatment of computer programming with an emphasis on problem analysis, algorithmic development and the fundamental principles of programming.

Syllabus: Basic Computer Architecture (Central processor, main and secondary memory, Input/output devices) Integrated Development Environments (Editors, Compilers, debuggers, libraries)

Problem Solving (top-down design, stepwise refinement, sorting and searching)
 Files (Standard input/output, sequential text files)
 Data Types (integers, reals, characters, strings)
 Operators (Assignment, arithmetic, relational, Boolean, precedence rules)
 Control Structures (Sequencing, iteration, selection)
 Data Structures (Linear arrays) Modules (Functions, Values and reference parameters, scope rules)

Teaching: Three (3) lectures, one tutorial and two (2) hours of labs per week.

Method of Examination: Final Theory Examination (3 hours) 60%
 In-course Tests/Assignments 40%

COMP1115 – COMPUTER PROGRAMMING II

(4 Credits)

Pre-requisite: COMP1105 Computer Programming I

Overview: An intermediate treatment of computer programming with an emphasis on modular design and basic data structures.

Syllabus: Problem Solving (Recursion, randomness)
Files (Direct and indexed files)
Data Types (Enumerated types, type definitions)
Data Structures (Structures, multidimensional arrays, systems, pointers)
Basic Abstract Data Types (Lists, stacks, queues)
Pointers (Dynamic memory allocation)
Classes and Data Abstraction

Teaching: Three (3) lectures, one tutorial and two (2) hours of labs per week

Method of Examination: Final Theory Examination (3 hours) 60%
In-course Tests/Assignments 40%

COMP1125 – INTRODUCTION TO UNIX

(4 Credits)

Pre-requisite: None

Syllabus: The role of UNIX, its current uses and applications and the UNIX family of operating systems. Interacting with UNIX – graphical and command line interfaces. File creation and their management. Navigating Directories - UNIX directory hierarchy, maintaining directories and locating files. Working with the C shell – wildcards, command history

facility. Developing and executing shell scripts. Accessing servers remotely and transferring data. Data manipulation – selecting, searching, sorting, counting and trimming. Customizing and monitoring of the system.

Teaching: Three lectures and two hours of lab per week.

Method of Examination: Final Theory Exam 60%
In course Test/Assignments 40%

COMP1130 – WEB TECHNOLOGY FUNDAMENTALS (4 Credits)

Pre-requisite: None

Overview: An introduction to the major Internet components, protocols, and technologies utilized for the development and support of e-commerce applications.

Syllabus: The Internet
Overview of Web Application Architectures
Hypertext Markup Language (HTML)
Web Server Applications
Java in the Enterprise
E-Business
Security

Teaching: Three (3) lectures, one tutorial and two (2) hours of labs per week

Method of Examination: Final Theory Examination (2 hours) 60%
In-course Tests/Assignments 40%

LEVEL II COMPUTER SCIENCE COURSES

COMP2105 – DISCRETE MATHEMATICS

(4 Credits)

Pre-requisite: MATH1100 Basic Mathematics

Overview: A continued introduction to the mathematical foundations of Computer Science.

Syllabus: Predicate Calculus (Universal and existential quantifiers, proofs, logical equivalences and inferences).
 Asymptotic Analysis and Notation (O , θ and Ω)
 Recurrence Relations (Homogeneous, non-homogeneous, change of variable)
 Mathematical induction
 Elementary Combinatorics (permutations and combinations, Binomial Theorem, Pigeonhole principle).

Elementary Graph Theory (Paths, cycles and connectivity, classes of graphs, trees, minimum spanning trees, depth-first and breadth-first traversals, adjacency and incident matrices)

Finite State Machines (State graphs/tables, regular sets, recognizers, Kleene's theorem, machine minimization).

Teaching: Three (3) lectures and one tutorial per week.

Method of Examination: Final Theory Examination (2 hours) 60%
 In-course Tests/Assignments 40%

COMP2115 – INFORMATION STRUCTURES

(4 Credits)

Pre-requisite: COMP1115 Computer Programming II

Overview: An advanced treatment of computer programming with an emphasis on the design and implementation of abstract data types.

Syllabus: Abstract Data Types (Lists, queues, stacks, trees)
 Indices (Open /closed hash tables, hash functions, collision resolution schemes)
 Dictionaries (Binary search trees, AVL-trees, splay trees, B-trees)
 Graphs (Adjacency matrices/lists, mapping functions)
 Sets (Forest, path compression, weighted unions).

Teaching: Three (3) lectures, one tutorial and two (2) hours of labs per week.

Method of Examination: Final Theory Examination (2 hours) 60%
 In-course Tests/Assignments 40%

COMP2125 – COMPUTER ARCHITECTURE

(4 Credits)

Pre-requisite: (COMP1115 Computer Programming II & MATH1100 Basic Mathematics)
or ELET1110 Digital Electronics

Overview: An example of the salient features of modern computer architectures.

Syllabus: Instruction Sets and Execution
 Pipelining
 Addressing Modes

Memory Hierarchies
Caching
RISC vs CISC Architecture
Interrupt Processing
I/O Processing

Teaching; Three (3) lectures and one tutorial per week.

Method of Final Theory Examination (2 hours) 60%
Examination: In-course Tests/Assignments 40%

COMP2135 – SYSTEMS SOFTWARE(4 Credits)

Pre-requisite: COMP1115 Computer Programming II

Overview: An introduction to the fundamental concepts of modern operating systems from the perspective of the systems programmer and with a particular emphasis on the use of operating systems calls.

Syllabus: Programming Tools (Structure and use of: Compilers, linkers, debuggers, profilers and preprocessors)
Process Management (Overview of processes and threads, creating and using child processes, creating and using pipes)
File Management (Overview of file management, manipulating file attributes, binary I/O, streamed I/O, redirection of standard I/O, use of shell redirection operators, filters, atomic operations, directory manipulation)
Memory Management (Memory layout of a program, advanced memory, Array and pointer manipulations, command line arguments and environment variables)
Device Management (Accessing and managing I/O devices)

Teaching; Three (3) lectures and one tutorial per week.

Method of Final Theory Examination (2 hours) 60%
Examination: In-course Tests/Assignments 40%

COMP2145 – SOFTWARE ENGINEERING I
(4 Credits)

Pre-requisite: COMP1115 Computer Programming II

Overview: An introduction to the principal concepts of software engineering with a particular emphasis on the software development process.

Syllabus: Software Development (Requirements analysis, specifications, design, implementation, validation and verification, maintenance)
Product and Project Documentation (user manuals, internal documentation).
Software Development Approaches (e.g. prototyping, agile development)
Testing Strategies (black box, white box, usability)

Teaching: Three (3) lectures and one tutorial per week.

Method of Final Theory Examination (2 hours) 60%
Examination: In-course Tests/Assignments 40%

COMP2150 – COMPUTER NETWORKS I

(4 Credits)

Pre-requisite: COMP1115 Computer Programming II

Overview: An introduction to digital communication systems and local area networks, with a view to providing the foundation for the advanced computer network course(s).

Syllabus: Data Communication Fundamentals
 The ISO References Model
 Transmission Media
 Interface Standards
 Asynchronous and Synchronous Transmission
 Communications Control Devices
 Data Compression
 Error Detection Methods
 Framing Methods
 Flow Control
 Network Topology
 LAN Technologies – including Wireless LANs

Teaching; Three (3) lectures and one tutorial per week.

Method of Final Theory Examination (2 hours) 60%
 Examination: In-course Tests/Assignments 40%

COMP2160 – OBJECT-ORIENTED

PROGRAMMING (4 Credits)

Pre-requisite: COMP1115 Computer Programming II

Overview: A comprehensive introduction to the object-oriented paradigm with a particular emphasis on the class design and design patterns.

Syllabus: Fundamental Concepts (Encapsulation, information hiding, classes and objects, inheritance, polymorphism, dynamic binding)
 Fundamentals of Class Design (Inheritance vs composition relationships, constructors and destructors, copy constructors, selectors, modifiers)
 Design by Contract (Exception handling, assertions)
 Advanced Concepts (Abstract and concrete classes, frame-works and design patterns)
 Applications using Class Libraries

Teaching: Three (3) lectures, one tutorial and two (2) hours of labs per week.

Method of Final Theory Examination (2 hours) 60%
 Examination: In-course Tests/Assignments 40%

COMP2950 – COMPUTER SCIENCE ELECTIVE

(4 Credits)

Pre-requisites: None

Syllabus: An advanced course in Computer Science taken as an exchange student at an approved institution and pre-approved by the Dean.

LEVEL III COMPUTER SCIENCE COURSES

COMP3100 – OPERATING SYSTEMS (4 Credits)

Pre-requisite:	COMP2115 Information Structures & COMP2125 Computer Architecture	
Overview:	An introduction to the fundamental concepts of modern operating systems.	
Syllabus:	Evolution of Operating Systems Characteristics of Modern Operating Systems Process Management (Processes and threads, process synchronization, scheduling, deadlock) Memory Management (Memory partitioning, paging, virtual memory segmentation) File Management (File organization, file system implementation, example file systems) Device Management (I/O devices, device drivers, I/O design issues, disk-scheduling) Security (Security threats, protection mechanisms, trusted systems)	
Teaching:	Three (3) lectures and one tutorial per week.	
Method of Examination:	Final Theory Examination (2 hours)	60%
	In-course Tests/Assignments	40%

COMP3115 – INFORMATION SYSTEMS (4 Credits)

Pre-requisite:	COMP2145 Software Engineering I	
Restriction:	Not available to students who have passed MGMT3011 – Management Information Systems II	
Overview:	An introduction to information systems and systems development with a particular emphasis on the role of information systems/information technology for development.	
Syllabus:	Evolution of Information Technology, Impact of Information Technology on Business Information and Information Systems Systems Planning, Development and Implementation Delivery of Information Services	
Teaching:	Three (3) lectures and one tutorial per week.	
Method of Examination:	Final Theory Examination (2 hours)	60%
	In-course Tests/Assignments	40%

COMP3125 – ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE (4 Credits)

Pre-requisite:	COMP2105 Discrete Mathematics & COMP2115 Information Structures	
Overview:	An introduction to the fundamental concepts of artificial intelligence with a particular emphasis on knowledge representation and searching.	
Syllabus:	Problems and Search (Problem spaces, heuristic search), Knowledge Representation	

(Predicate logic, rule-based systems, Reasoning, slot-and-filler)
Advanced Topics (Game playing, natural language, planning, learning)
Applications (Expert systems, software agents, programming-by-example)
Software Development Approaches (e.g. prototyping, agile development)
Testing Strategies (black box, white box, usability)

Teaching: Three (3) lectures and one tutorial per week.

Method of Final Theory Examination (2 hours) 60%
Examination: In-course Tests/Assignments 40%

COMP3135 – PROGRAMMING LANGUAGES
(4 Credits)

Pre-requisite: COMP2115 Information Structures

Overview: An introduction to the major concepts of programming language
Design with a particular emphasis on the imperative, functional,
Logic, object-oriented and concurrent paradigms of programming.

Syllabus: Imperative Programming (Basic Semantics, data types control structures)
Object-Oriented Programming (Objects, classes and methods, Inheritance, polymorphism)
Functional Programming (Referential transparency, recursion, types and Polymorphism, lambda calculus)
Logic Programming (Predicate calculus and logical deduction, unification and resolution, non-determinism and back-tracking)

Scripting Languages (Regular expressions)
Concurrent Programming (Communication and synchronization)

Teaching: Three (3) lectures and one tutorial per week.

Method of Final Theory Examination (2 hours) 60%
Examination: In-course Tests/Assignments 40%

COMP3140 – SOFTWARE ENGINEERING II
(4 Credits)

Pre-requisite: COMP2145 Software Engineering I

Overview: A further examination of software engineering with a particular emphasis on project management, including the issues and techniques involved, as well as the management of on-going projects.

Syllabus: Application of Project Management to Software Projects,
Approaches to Project Management
Project Selection and Feasibility Analysis
Project Cost Estimation
Planning and Resource Scheduling
Control Techniques
Quality Assurance
Team Management

Teaching: Three (3) lectures and one tutorial per week.

Method of Final Theory Examination (2 hours) 60%
Examination: In-course Tests/Assignments 40%

COMP3155 – COMPUTER NETWORKS II

(4 Credits)

Pre-requisite: COMP2150 Computer Networks I

Overview: A further exploration of general networking concepts, focusing on the higher layers of the ISO protocol stack. In particular, routing, internetworking with TCP/IP and network security. Network design issues as well as management issues are also explored.

Syllabus: The ISO Reference Model – layer 3 and above
Internetworking with TCP/IP
WAN Technologies e.g. ATM, Frame Relay
Quality of Service in Communications Networks
Network Security
Network Design
Network Performance
Network Management

Teaching: Three (3) lectures and one tutorial per week.

Method of Examination: Final Theory Examination (2 hours) 60%
In-course Tests/Assignments 40%

COMP3160 – DATABASE MANAGEMENT SYSTEMS

(4 Credits)

Pre-requisite: COMP2115 Information Structures

Overview: An introduction to database management systems with a particular emphasis on the relational database model.

Syllabus: Principles of Database Design (Logical and Physical schemas, Data independence, entity-relationship model)

Relational Database Systems (Data normalization, data description Languages, query languages)
Advanced Database Concepts (Distributed databases, object-oriented Databases, data warehousing)

Teaching: Three (3) lectures, one tutorial and two (2) hours of labs per week.

Method of Examination: Final Theory Examination (2 hours) 60%
In-course Tests/Assignments 40%

COMP3170 – WEB-BASED APPLICATIONS

(4 Credits)

Pre-requisite: COMP2160 Object-Oriented Programming

Overview: An introduction to the fundamentals of web applications development with a particular emphasis on client-server applications, database connectivity, networking considerations and security.

Syllabus: Overall Client-Server Model
Client Side Programming (Development of browser software, Client side scripting)
Networking (TCP/IP, HTTP, sockets, datagrams, routing issues)
Server Side Programming (GFI, server side scripting, web services)
Database Connectivity (Server to database connectivity issues)
Security (Policy development, physical security, securing web applications)
Design Issues (User interface factors, hardware issues)

Teaching: Three (3) lectures, one tutorial and two (2) hours of labs per week.

Method of Examination: Final Theory Examination (2 hours) 60%
 In-course Tests/Assignments 40%

COMP3180 – ALGORITHM DESIGN AND ANALYSIS (4 Credits)

Pre-requisite: COMP2105 Discrete Mathematics & COMP2115 Information Structures

Overview: An introduction to the design and analysis of sequential algorithms with a particular emphasis on the paradigms of algorithmic design and their application to diverse problem areas.

Syllabus: Analysis of Algorithms: computational models, time and space complexities, worst-case and expected complexities, lower and upper bounds; Techniques for designing efficient algorithms: recursion, divide-and-conquer, balancing, dynamic programming, and branch-and-bound; Problems on sets and sequences including sorting and selection; string matching; Matrix and Boolean matrix multiplication; Graph algorithms; The classes of P, NP and NP-Complete problems.

Teaching: Three (3) lectures and one tutorial per week.

Method of Examination: Final Theory Examination (2 hours) 60%
 In-course Tests/Assignments 40%

COMP3190 – SPECIAL TOPICS IN COMPUTER SCIENCE (4 Credits)

Pre-requisite: Restricted to Finalists majoring in Computer Science.

Overview: An advanced treatment of an applied or theoretical area of Computer Science that reflects the current concerns and/or research interest of the Department.

Syllabus: Topics will be drawn from the principles of programming languages, operating systems, information systems, graphics, artificial intelligence, software engineering, networks, logic, computability and complexity theory, algorithms, program verification, discrete mathematics and any other area of current interest.

Teaching: Three (3) lectures and one tutorial per week.

Examination: Final Theory Examination (2 hours) 60%
 In-course Tests/Assignments 40%

COMP3200 – COMPILER THEORY (4 Credits)

Pre-requisite: COMP2115 Information Structures

Overview: An introduction to compiler theory with a particular emphasis on the Phases of compiler construction.

Syllabus: Interpreters vs. Compilers
 Lexical Analysis (Recognition and specification of tokens finite, Automata, regular expressions, symbol tables)
 Syntax Analysis (Intermediate and final code generation,

Intermediate representations, code generators)
Code Optimization (Flow graphs, data flow analysis, transformations)

Teaching: Three (3) lectures and one tutorial per week.

Method of Examination:	Final Theory Examination (2 hours)	60%
	In-course Tests/Assignments	40%

COMP3210 – ELECTRONIC COMMERCE
(4 Credits)

Pre-requisite: COMP2160 Object-Oriented Programming

Overview: Provides a comprehensive introduction to electronic commerce.

Syllabus: Internet concepts and technology
Economic foundation of electronic commerce
Storefronts, shopping carts and Landing pages
Order processing
Pricing and payment processing
Security issues
Shipping and handling
Products, Internet marketing and legal issues

Teaching: Three (3) lectures and one tutorial per week.

Method of Examination:	Final Theory Examination (2 hours)	60%
	In-course Tests/Assignments	40%

COMP3220 – HUMAN-COMPUTER INTERACTION
(4 Credits)

Pre-requisite: COMP2115 Information Structures & COMP2145 Software Engineering I

Overview: An introduction to the design, evaluation and implementation of human-computer interfaces. With the continual growth of computer use in every facet of daily life, the need for truly usable human-computer interfaces is paramount. This course is intended for students wishing to gain an understanding of the issues involved with the successful implementation of human-computer interfaces.

Syllabus: Historical overview of human-computer interaction. Current and future developments in the area of human-computer interaction. Relationship to computer science and software engineering. Influences on interface design. General models and guidelines. Methods of designing interfaces. Software and hardware interface implementation. Mechanisms of evaluation.

Teaching: Three (3) hours of lectures and two (2) hours of labs per week.

Method of Examination:	Final Theory Examination (2 hours):	60%
	In-course Tests/Assignments:	40%

COMP3230 – NETWORK AND COMPUTER SECURITY (4 Credits)

Pre-requisite: COMP2105 Discrete Mathematics & COMP2150 Computer Networks I

Overview: An introduction to cryptographic algorithms, security protocols and security engineering. As computers become increasingly inter-networked, and as the information and resources stored on networked computers become more valuable, the need to develop security mechanisms that are scalable, flexible, and easy to use has increased. This course is intended for students wishing to gain an understanding of security engineering, common cryptographic algorithms and common security protocols.

Syllabus: Introduction to cryptography. Symmetric-key encryption and authentication. Public-key encryption and authentication. Cryptographic hash functions. Message authentication codes and digital signatures. Key distribution and certification. Authorization and access control. Security protocols. Storage security. Web security. Payment systems. Email security. Digital rights management. Social issues such as usability, privacy and risk assessment.

Teaching: Three (3) hours of lectures and two (2) hours of labs per week.

Method of Examination: Final Theory Examination (2 hours): 60%
 In-course Tests/Assignments: 40%

COMP3240 – INTRODUCTION TO DISTRIBUTED COMPUTING (4 Credits)

Pre-requisite: COMP2115 Information Structures & COMP2125 Computer Architecture

Overview: This course provides an introduction to Distributed Systems. Since distributed systems have become so pervasive in industry and research, it is necessary to expose students to an introduction of the algorithms and technologies of distributed systems. This course will teach the fundamentals of distributed systems and present systems where these fundamentals have been implemented.

Syllabus: Introduction to Distributed Systems. Communication Mechanism. Distributed Algorithms. Naming. Synchronization. Fault Tolerance. Security. Distributed Files Systems. Distributed File System design and implementation. NFS, Coda. Cluster Computing.

Teaching: Three (3) hours of lectures and two (2) hours of labs per week.

Method of Examination: Final Theory Examination (2 hours): 60%
 In-course Tests/Assignments: 40%

COMP3250 – COMPUTER GRAPHICS I

(4 Credits)

Pre-requisite:	COMP2115 - Information Structures & COMP2105 - Discrete Mathematics
Overview:	This course provides an introduction to the fundamental concepts and techniques used in 2D and 3D computer graphics. It covers both the theory and practice of computer graphics. The lectures and examination will focus on the mathematical foundations of computer graphics, while the lab sessions and programming projects will deal with translating the theory into practice. This course is intended for students wishing to gain an understanding of the issues involved with the successful implementation of computer graphics and an interest in programming techniques for the interactive display of two and three dimensional object
Syllabus:	Output primitives. 2-dimensional transformations and clipping. 3-dimensional display techniques. Representations and transformations. Projection algorithms. 2D Raster Graphics Algorithms. Illumination and color models. Hidden-surface elimination. Bézier and B-Spline curves.
Teaching:	Three (3) hours of lectures and two (2) hours of labs per week.
Method of Examination:	Final Theory Examination (2 hours): 60% In-course Tests/Assignments: 40%

COMP3260 – COMPUTER GRAPHICS II (4 Credits)

Pre-requisite:	COMP3250 - Computer Graphics I
Overview:	This course provides further instructions on the concepts and techniques used in 3D computer graphics. The focus is on animation and real-time rendering techniques, such as those found in computer games. This course is intended for students wishing to write programs to render 3D objects using techniques ranging from simple flat shading to complex ray-shading and to implement techniques of computer animation.
Syllabus:	Rendering. Graphics Rendering Pipeline. Geometric modeling. Curves and Surface Design. Texture Mapping. Terrain Mapping. Detail optimizations. Ray-Tracing. Animation.
Teaching:	Three (3) hours of lectures and two (2) hours of labs per week.
Method of Examination:	Final Theory Examination (2 hours): 60% In-course Tests/Assignments: 40%

**COMP3910 – COMPUTER SCIENCE RESEARCH
PROJECT** (4 Credits)

Pre-requisite: Restricted to Finalists majoring in Computer Science.

Overview: An opportunity for final year students in Computer Science, to apply and Develop their classroom knowledge in a real-world or research environment.

Syllabus: In consultation with and under the supervision of a Faculty member, students are expected to define, investigate and report on an applied or theoretical research topic in Computer Science. The project itself is equivalent to a single Faculty course and must therefore reach that standard in terms of content and research effort. The project should contain some originality in material and evidence of extensive reading and comprehension of the subject area. A proposal and literature review must be submitted no later than the fourth week of Semester II and a final written report must be submitted and presented orally to a panel of at least three Faculty members no later than the last week of classes in Semester II.

N.B. Enrolment will be limited to those students who have demonstrated a sound academic background and an aptitude for research.

Teaching: Three (3) lectures and one tutorial per week.

Method of Examination:	Written Report	60%
	Oral Presentation	20%
	Proposal and Literature Review	20%

EARTH SCIENCES

These courses currently do not lead to a Minor or Major in Earth Sciences.

ERSC1001 – DYNAMIC EARTH (4 credits)

Pre-requisites: None

Syllabus: An introduction to geology and geomorphology with specific reference to the Caribbean. Origin, composition and structure of the Earth and its oceans; basic geological processes that shape the Earth's surface – weathering, erosion, transport and deposition; geomorphological structures and features that result from dynamic and large-scale processes. Rocks and Minerals. Introductory plate tectonics. Geological mapping and field techniques.

Teaching: Two lectures, one tutorial and three hours of labs per week.

Method of Examination:	Theory Examination (2 hours)	60%
	Laboratory	20%
	In-course assignments/tests	20%

ERSC1002 – OCEANS AND CLIMATE (4 credits)

This course is now offered as **METE1200 – Oceans & Climate** (see METEOROLOGY section p. 128).

ERSC2002 – CLIMATOLOGY (4 credits)

Pre-requisites: ERSC1002 Oceans & Climate **or** METE1200 Oceans & Climate **or** METE1010 Introduction to Meteorology I & METE1011 Introduction to Meteorology II

Syllabus: Climate system. Annual and seasonal

temperature distribution. Annual and seasonal precipitation distribution. Atmospheric circulation. Global climate distribution. Regional climate. Climate oscillations. Ocean/atmosphere interactions. Climate change.

Teaching: Two lectures, one tutorial and three hours of labs per week.

Method of Examination:	Theory Examination (2 hours)	60%
	Laboratory	20%
	In-course assignments/tests	20%

ERSC2003 – OCEANOGRAPHY (4 credits)

Pre-requisites: CSEC Chemistry **and** ERSC1002 Oceans & Climate **or** METE1200 Oceans & Climate **or** METE1010 Introduction to Meteorology I & METE1011 Introduction to Meteorology II

Syllabus: Introduction to oceanography. Distribution and formation of the Oceans. Marine sediments. Descriptive chemical oceanography. Physical chemistry of seawater. Dissolved gases in seawater. The carbonate cycle. Nutrients. Minor and trace elements. Biological productivity in the marine environment. The organic carbon cycle. Metal geochemistry. Tracers of processes. Ocean and atmospheric circulation. Waves and tides. Coasts and coastal processes. Anthropogenic impacts & coastal pollution. Marine data interpretation.

Teaching: Two lectures, one tutorial and three hours of labs per week.

Method of Examination:	Theory Examination (2 hours)	60%
	Laboratory	20%
	In-course assignments/tests	20%

ELECTRONICS

The Department of Computer Science, Mathematics & Physics offers a Major and Minor in Electronics.

MAJOR IN ELECTRONICS:

LEVEL I

ELET1100	Circuit Analysis
ELET1110	Digital Electronics
ELET1120	Basic Electronics
MATH1120	Calculus I

And 32 Credits from Level II & III Electronics courses as indicated below.

LEVEL II

At Least Twelve (12) Credits From:

ELET2100	Microprocessors I
ELET2110	Circuit Simulation
ELET2120	Discrete Device Electronics
ELET2130	Digital Communications I

LEVEL III

At Most Twenty (20) Credits (Five Courses) From:

ELET3100	Microprocessors II
ELET3110	Control and Instrumentation
ELET3120	Communication Circuits
ELET3130	Introduction to Digital Signal Processing (DSP)
ELET3140	Microcomputers and Control
ELET3151	Digital Communications II
ELET3160	Electronics Research Project

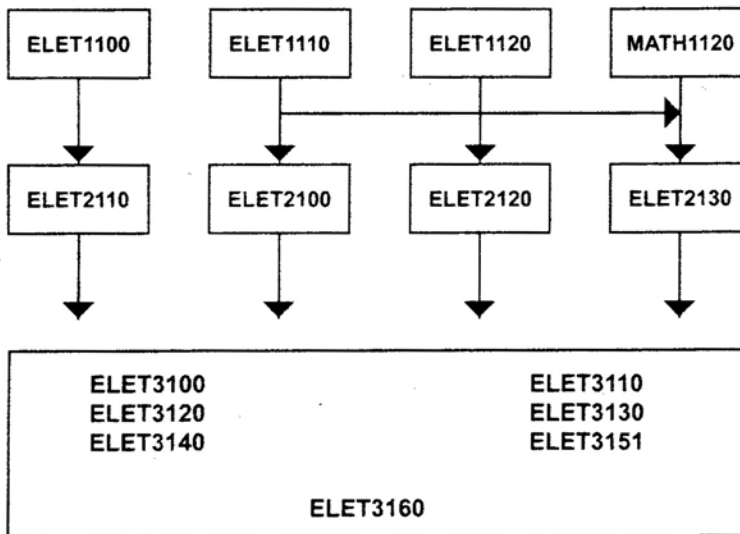
MINOR IN ELECTRONICS

[Sixteen (16) Credits]:

Sixteen (16) Credits (Four Courses) From:

ELET2100	Microprocessors I
ELET2110	Circuit Simulation
ELET2120	Discrete Device Electronics
ELET2130	Digital Communications I
ELET3100	Microprocessors II
ELET3110	Control and Instrumentation
ELET3120	Communication Circuits
ELET3130	Introduction to Digital Signal Processing (DSP)
ELET3140	Microcomputers and Control
ELET3151	Digital Communications II
ELET3160	Electronics Research Project

ELECTRONICS MAJOR



LEVEL I ELECTRONICS COURSES

ELET1100 – CIRCUIT ANALYSIS (4 Credits)

Pre-requisite: CAPE Physics Units I & II or CAPE Pure Mathematics Units I & II

Objectives: An introduction to the theory of circuit analysis of DC & AC networks, and operational amplifiers.

Syllabus: Kirchhoff's laws. DC circuits, alternating voltages. Phasor and complex representation of sinusoids. Impedance and power in AC circuits. Series and parallel circuits. Admittance, impedance and resonance. Mesh current and node voltage analysis. Thevenin's and Norton's theorems, superposition and maximum power transfer theorem. Mutual inductance, circuit transients, bode plots. Operational amplifier circuits - amplifiers, integrators, differentiators, adders, subtractors, multivibrators, waveform generators, power op-amps.

Teaching: Two (2) lectures, one tutorial and three (3) laboratory hours every week.

Method of Examination:	Final Theory Examination (2 hours)	70%
	In-course Tests/Assignments	20%
	Laboratory	10%

ELET1110 – DIGITAL ELECTRONICS (4 Credits)

Pre-requisite: None

Objectives: An introduction to digital logic and its applications.

Syllabus: Binary systems. Logic gates, truth-tables. Combinational logic. Boolean algebra. Karnaugh mapping, minimization, NAND/NOR logic. Binary arithmetic, binary codes, encoders, decoders, code conversion, multiplexer, data selector, demultiplexer, clocks, one-shot Asynchronous & synchronous circuits (latches, flip-flops, asynchronous counters, synchronous counters, applications of counters, shift registers). Design and analysis of asynchronous & synchronous circuits. IC families. Bipolar, MOS, TTL, CMOS, Tri-state, Schmitt trigger. Recent advances of ICs, Analog-to-Digital and Digital-to-Analog conversion, sample & hold, D/A & A/D ICs, introduction to the microprocessor, number systems, floating point representation.

Teaching: Two (2) lectures, one tutorial and three (3) laboratory hours every week.

Method of Examination:	Final Theory Examination (2 hours)	70%
	In-course Tests/Assignments	20%
	Laboratory	10%

ELET1120 – BASIC ELECTRONICS (4 Credits)

Pre-requisite: None

Objectives: An introduction to analog electronic components and how they operate in simple circuits.

Syllabus: Resistors, capacitors, inductors & their applications in circuits. Characteristics and applications of diodes including photodevices. Other semiconductor devices and their applications (SCR, TRIACS, etc...). Transistors (BJT & FETS), how they work and their application in circuits. Simple amplifiers, their design and properties. Basic filters, power supplies and regulators. Analysis of some standard electronic circuits

Teaching: Two (2) lectures, one tutorial and three (3) laboratory hours every week.

Method of Examination:	Final Theory Examination (2 hours)	70%
	In-course Tests/Assignments	20%
	Laboratory	10%

LEVEL II ELECTRONICS COURSES

ELET2100 – MICROPROCESSORS I (4 Credits)

Pre-requisite: ELET1110 Digital Electronics

Objectives: An applied introduction to the microprocessor and computer architecture. Assembly Language and simple interfaces are studied.

Syllabus: Architecture of 8-bit CPU's e.g. INTEL 8085, Instruction set, Registers and their uses, Operation, Busses, Addressing, Data flow, Control section, Interrupts, Stack, Branching, Subroutines, Loops, Serial I/O, Interfacing, Port and memory mapping, Polling, Handshaking, Parallel ports, Serial communications (RS-232), A/D and basic D/A interfacing, device control with simple examples, comparison with other 8-bit CPU's, Introduction to advanced microprocessors.

Teaching: Two (2) lectures four (4) hours of laboratory per week.

Method of Examination:	Final Theory Examination (2 hours)	60%
	In-course Tests/Assignments	20%
	Laboratory	20%

ELET2110 – CIRCUIT SIMULATION (4 Credits)

Pre-requisite: ELET1100 Circuit Analysis

Objectives: An introduction to circuit analysis & design using SPICE simulation software.

Syllabus: Introduction to SPICE, Language syntax, netlists, Source specification and passive element models, Active device modeling, macro models, AC, DC, transient, frequency and Monte Carlo analysis, Issues of convergence and stability.

Teaching: Two (2) contact hours and four (4) laboratory hours per week

Method of Examination:	Final Theory Examination (2 hour)	60%
	In-course Tests/Assignments	20%
	Laboratory	20%

ELET2120 – DISCRETE DEVICE ELECTRONICS
(4 Credits)

Pre-requisite: ELET1120 Basic Electronics

Objectives: A more detailed study of analog circuits and amplifiers.

Syllabus: Hybrid & hybrid-pi equivalent circuits. Difference & cascode amplifiers. Darlington configuration, complementary symmetry amplifiers. Types of feedback & their effects. High & low frequency response of RC coupled amplifiers. Tuned amplifiers, oscillators.

Teaching: Two (2) lectures and four (4) hours of laboratory per week.

Method of Examination:	Final Theory Examination (2 hours)	60%
	In-course Tests/Assignments	20%
	Laboratory	20%

ELET2130 – DIGITAL COMMUNICATIONS I
(4 credits)

Pre-requisite: MATH1120 Calculus I and ELET1110 Digital Electronics

Objective: An introduction to basic digital communication systems.

Syllabus: Fundamentals of digital communications, Fourier analysis, Energy and power spectral density, frequency response, Analog to Digital conversion, Information Theory, Baseband Transmission, Error Control Coding (Block).

Teaching: Two (2) 1-hour lectures and four (4) hours of laboratory per week.

Examination:	Final Theory Examination (2 hours)	60%
	In-course Tests/Assignments	20%
	Laboratory	20%

ELET2950 – ELECTRONICS ELECTIVE (4 credits)

Pre-requisites: None

Syllabus: An advanced course in Electronics taken as an exchange student at an approved institution and pre-approved by the Dean.

LEVEL III ELECTRONICS COURSES

ELET3100 – MICROPROCESSORS II (4 Credits)

Pre-requisite: ELET2100 Microprocessors I

Objectives: Further studies of the microprocessor with emphasis on the PC and interfacing.

Syllabus: Interfacing - simple & power devices, A/D systems, memory, co-processor. Assembly language programming using 80XXX/Pentium Intel instructions. Microprocessors architecture - a detailed look at the 80XXX Intel family, instruction set, handling interrupts. Microcontrollers and applications.

Teaching: Two (2) contact hours and four (4) laboratory hours, per week

Method of Examination:	Final Theory Examination (2 hours)	60%
	In-course Tests/Assignments	20%
	Laboratory or Project	20%

ELET3110 – CONTROL & INSTRUMENTATION (4 Credits)

Pre-requisite: ELET2120 Discrete Device Electronics

Objectives: A detailed study of control and instrumentation with applications.

Syllabus: Block diagrams, signal flow graphs, frequency response, stability, steady state and transient response. Transducers, controllers and control systems for level, temperature, speed and position control. Sampled systems.

Introduction to computer control and robotics.

Teaching: Two (2) lectures and four (4) hours of laboratory per week.

Method of Examination:	Final Theory Examination (2 hour)	60%
	In-course Tests/Assignments	20%
	Laboratory	20%

ELET3120 – COMMUNICATION CIRCUITS (4 Credits)

Pre-requisite: ELET2120 Discrete Device Electronics

Objectives: **The analysis of circuits and systems used in RF communications.**

Syllabus: High frequency transistors, transformers and filters. HF construction techniques. RF amplifiers, oscillators and frequency synthesisers. Mixers, IF amplifiers. Circuits for modulation and demodulation. Simulating communication circuits.

Teaching: Two (2) lectures and four (4) hours of laboratory per week.

Method of Examination:	Final Theory Examination (2 hour)	60%
	In-course Tests/Assignments	20%
	Laboratory	20%

ELET3130 – INTRODUCTION TO DIGITAL SIGNAL PROCESSING (DSP)

(4 Credits)

Pre-requisite: ELET2110 Circuit Simulation

Objectives: To cover the fundamentals of digital signal processing.

Syllabus: Sampling, Z-Transforms, discrete convolution, DFT, FFT, DCT and related transforms. IIR and FIR digital filters. Approximations to analog filters. Practical implementation of digital filters.

Teaching: Two (2) lectures and four (4) hours of laboratory per week.

Method of Examination:	Final Theory Examination (2 hour)	60%
	In-course Tests/Assignments	20%
	Laboratory	20%

ELET3140 – MICROCOMPUTERS & CONTROL

(4 Credits)

Pre-requisite: ELET2100 Microprocessors I

Objectives: A look at the application of microcomputers for control.

Syllabus: Integrated circuits for serial communications and their properties. Programming the serial ports in higher level languages and on different operating systems. Analog input and output. Programming the parallel and game port. Universal Serial Bus. Controller networks, types and properties. Controlling PC's configured as controllers and Inter-net servers from internet clients.

Teaching: Two (2) lectures and four (4) hours of laboratory per week.

Examination:	Final Theory Examination (2 hours)	60%
	In-course Tests/Assignments	20%
	Laboratory or Project	20%

ELET3151 – DIGITAL COMMUNICATIONS II

(4 credits)

Pre-requisite: ELET2130 Digital Communications I

Objectives: A detailed study of more advanced Digital Communication systems

Syllabus: Signals and Spectra, Bandpass Transmission, Error Control Coding (Convolutional), Satellite Communications, Wireless Communications.

Teaching: Two (2) 1-hour lectures and four (4) hours of laboratory per week.

Method of Examination:	Final Theory Examination (2 hours)	60%
	In-course Tests/Assignments	20%
	Laboratory	20%

ELET3160 – ELECTRONICS RESEARCH PROJECT

(4 Credits)

Pre-requisite: Restricted to Finalists Majoring in Electronics

Objectives: For Final Year students in Electronics to apply and develop their classroom knowledge in a real-world or research environment.

Syllabus: Students will be given a problem for which they must develop a workable electronics solution which should preferably be of

commercial interest. The developed solution should be of sufficient Breadth and depth to make it equivalent to a 4-credit advanced Course in electronics. Solution may include Mathematics and Computer Software but an electronic circuit component is required.

Method of	Proposal and Literature Review	20%
Examination:	Oral Presentation	20%
	Final Written Project Report	60%

MATHEMATICS

The Department of Computer Science, Mathematics & Physics offers a Double Major, Major and Minor in Mathematics as well as a Minor in Statistics.

MAJOR IN MATHEMATICS:

LEVEL I

MATH1100	Basic Introductory Mathematics
MATH1120	Calculus I
MATH1130	Calculus II

AND

COMP1105	Computer Programming I
OR	
COMP1005	Computer Applications

LEVEL II

MATH2100	Abstract Algebra
MATH2110	Linear Algebra
MATH2120	Analysis & Methods I
MATH2130	Ordinary Differential Equations

LEVEL III

Sixteen (16) Credits from Levels II and III courses (including AT LEAST two Level III courses) from:

MATH2140	Probability Theory
MATH2150	Mathematical Statistics
MATH3100	Multivariate Analysis
MATH3110	Design of Experiments
MATH3120	Numerical Analysis
MATH3130	Optimization Theory
MATH3140	Fourier Analysis and PDE
MATH3150	Complex Variables I
MATH3160	Number Theory
MATH3170	Advanced Algebra
MATH3180	Introduction to Topology
MATH3190	Matrix Analysis

MATH3200	Lambda Calculus
MATH3210	Mathematical Logic
MATH3220	Sampling Theory
MATH3230	Lebesgue Measure
MATH3300	Mathematics Research Project
MATH3460	Statistical Theory II

MINOR IN MATHEMATICS

[Sixteen (16) Credits]:

MATH2100	Abstract Algebra
MATH2120	Analysis & Methods I

AND Eight (8) Credits From:

MATH2110	Linear Algebra
MATH2130	Ordinary Differential Equations
MATH2140	Probability Theory
MATH2150	Mathematical Statistics
MATH3100	Multivariate Analysis
MATH3110	Design of Experiments
MATH3120	Numerical Analysis
MATH3130	Optimization Theory
MATH3140	Fourier Analysis and PDE
MATH3150	Complex Variables I
MATH3160	Number Theory
MATH3170	Advanced Algebra
MATH3180	Introduction to Topology
MATH3190	Matrix Analysis
MATH3200	Lambda Calculus
MATH3210	Mathematical Logic
MATH3220	Sampling Theory
MATH3230	Lebesgue Measure
MATH3460	Statistical Theory II

MINOR IN STATISTICS [Sixteen (16) Credits]:

MATH 2140	Probability Theory
MATH 2150	Statistical inference
MATH 3100	Multivariate analysis
MATH 3460	Statistical Theory II

DOUBLE MAJOR IN MATHEMATICS:

LEVEL I

MATH1100	Basic Introductory Mathematics
MATH1120	Calculus I
MATH1130	Calculus II

AND

COMP1105	Computer Programming I
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COMP1005	Computer Applications
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LEVEL II

MATH2100	Abstract Algebra
MATH2110	Linear Algebra
MATH2120	Analysis & Methods I
MATH2130	Ordinary Differential Equations

LEVEL III

Forty-eight (48) Credits from Levels II and III courses:

MATH2140	Probability Theory
MATH2150	Mathematical Statistics
MATH3100	Multivariate Analysis
MATH3110	Design of Experiments
MATH3120	Numerical Analysis
MATH3130	Optimization Theory
MATH3140	Fourier Analysis and PDE
MATH3150	Complex Variables I
MATH3160	Number Theory
MATH3170	Advanced Algebra
MATH3180	Introduction to Topology
MATH3190	Matrix Analysis
MATH3200	Lambda Calculus
MATH3210	Mathematical Logic
MATH3220	Sampling Theory
MATH3230	Lebesgue Measure
MATH3300	Mathematics Research Project
MATH3460	Statistical Theory II

PRELIMINARY MATHEMATICS COURSES

MATH0101 – PRELIMINARY MATHEMATICS I
 (6 P-Credits)

Pre-requisite: CXC Mathematics or equivalent.

Syllabus: **Algebra:** Sets, Cartesian Product, functions, operations, the integers, mathematical induction, algebraic operations on polynomials and rational quadratics, step functions, modulus function.
Geometry: Coordinate geometry, trigonometrical functions and identities, complex numbers, Argand diagram; vectors.
Calculus: Limits, continuity, intermediate-value theorem, gradient of a tangent, differentiation, Mean value theorem and its consequences (motivation, but no proof), curve sketching, integration as inverses of differentiation, fundamental theorem of calculus, techniques of integration, numerical techniques.

Teaching: Five (5) lectures and one tutorial per week.

Examination: Final Theory Examination (3 hours) 80%
 In-course Tests/Assignments 20%

MATH0102 – PRELIMINARY MATHEMATICS II

(6P-Credits)

Pre-requisite: CXC Mathematics or equivalent

Syllabus: **Sequences and Series:** Use of \sum notation, arithmetic and geometric progressions, binomial theorem.
Special functions: Exponential and logarithmic functions as solutions of initial value problems, definition of arbitrary exponential, coordinate transformations, differential and integral calculus applied to transcendental functions.
Elementary first and second order differential equations: Classification, techniques of solution, linear ordinary differential equations with constant coefficients.
Combinatorics and Matrices: Elementary combinatorics, matrices of arbitrary size, determinants. Mathematical modelling: Ordinary differential equations of Physics, Biology, Economics, applications of Mathematics.

Teaching: Five (5) lectures and one tutorial per week.

Method of Examination:	Final Theory Examination (3 hours)	80%
	In-class Tests/Assignments	20%

LEVEL I MATHEMATICS COURSES

MATH1100 – BASIC MATHEMATICS (4 Credits)

Pre-requisites: CAPE Pure Mathematics Units 1 & 2 or MATH0101 & MATH0102 or equivalent.

Objectives: The course provides an introduction to linear algebra, algebraic structures and number systems.

Syllabus: Logic, summation conventions, mathematical induction; sets, relations and functions; equivalence relations, graphs, trees, partial orders; binary operations; number systems, real numbers, complex numbers; counting principles; systems of linear equations, Gaussian elimination; matrices, adjoint and inverse; linear independence.

Teaching: Three (3) lectures and one tutorial per week.

Method of Examination:	Final Theory Examination (3 hours)	75%
	In-class Test(s)/Assignment(s)	25%

MATH1110 – APPLIED STATISTICS (4 Credits)

Pre-requisites: CAPE Pure Mathematics Units 1 & 2 or MATH0101 & MATH0102 or equivalent.

Objective: To acquaint students with the fundamental ideas of modern applied statistics, and provide an opportunity for the students to use a computer in the study of this subject.

Syllabus: Data presentation types of dates, tables and graphs. Numerical summary measures,

measure of central tendency, measure of dispersion and Chebychev's inequality. Probability, operations on events, conditional probability and Bayes' theorem. Probability distributions, binomial, Poisson and normal distributions. Point estimation and confidence interval. Hypotheses testing general concepts, types of errors, power, sample size, one-sided and two-sided tests. Comparisons of means, paired samples and independent samples. Analysis of variance, one-way analysis of variance and multiple comparisons procedures. Contingency tables, chi-square test and odds ratio. Correlation, two-way scatter plot and Pearson's correlation coefficient. Linear regression, concepts, the model and its evaluation. Nonparametric methods, sign tests, Wilcoxon rank sum test and applications. Sampling methods and sources of bias.

Teaching: Three (3) lectures and one tutorial per week.

Method of Examination:	Final Theory Examination (2 hours)	75%
	In-course Tests/Assignments	25%

MATH1120 – CALCULUS I (4 Credits)

Pre-requisite: CAPE Pure Mathematics Units 1 & 2 or MATH0101 & MATH0102 or equivalent.

Objective: To introduce students to the basic properties and applications of real-valued functions of one real variable.

Syllabus: Functions and graphs, limits, continuity, differentiability, the concept of an extremum, curve sketching, antiderivatives, the definite integral, fundamental theorem of calculus, improper integrals, sequences and series.

Teaching: Three (3) lectures and one tutorial per week.

Method of Examination:	Final Theory Examination (2 hours)	75%
	In-class Tests/Assignments	25%

MATH1130 – CALCULUS II (4 Credits)

Pre-requisite: MATH1120 Calculus I

Objective: To introduce basic concepts of vector functions on subsets of Euclidean space.

Syllabus: Function of several variables, vector functions, limits, continuity, and sketching, differentiation, partial derivatives, extrema for functions of 2 and 3 variables, Lagrange multipliers, change of variable and Jacobian, polar, spherical and cylindrical coordinates, double and triple integrals, line and surface integrals.

Teaching: Three (3) lectures and one tutorial per week.

Method of Examination:	Final Theory Examination (2 hours)	75%
	In-class Tests/Assignments	25%

LEVEL II MATHEMATICS COURSES

MATH2100 – ABSTRACT ALGEBRA (4 Credits)

Pre-requisite: MATH1100 Basic Mathematics

Objective: To expose students to fundamentals of mathematical structures.

Syllabus: Elements of logic. Elements of set theory. Relations and functions. Finite permutations. Isomorphisms. Elementary theory of groups, rings and fields.

Teaching: Three (3) lectures and one tutorial per week.

Method of Examination: Final Theory Examination (2 hours) 70%
 In-class Tests/Assignments 30%

MATH2110 – LINEAR ALGEBRA (4 Credits)

Pre-requisite: MATH1100 Basic Mathematics, MATH1120 Calculus I & MATH1130 Calculus II

Objective: To provide an introduction to fundamental concepts in linear algebra.

Syllabus: Elements of sets and functions. Vector spaces, Linear forms. Linear transformations. Matrices and determinants. Systems of linear equations. Quadratic forms.

Teaching: Three (3) lectures and one tutorial per week.

Method of Examination: Final Theory Examination (2 hours) 70%
 In-class Tests/Assignments 30%

MATH2120 – ANALYSIS & METHODS I (4 Credits)

Pre-requisite: MATH1100 Basic Mathematics, MATH1120 Calculus I & MATH1130 Calculus II

Syllabus: The real number system. Countability and topology of the real line; Continuity and differentiability. The Riemann integral. Infinite series and power series.

Teaching: Three (3) lectures and one tutorial per week.

Method of Examination: Final Theory Examination (2 hours) 70%
 In-class Tests/Assignments 30%

MATH2130 – ORDINARY DIFFERENTIAL EQUATIONS (4 Credits)

Pre-requisite: MATH1100 Basic Mathematics, MATH1120 Calculus I & MATH1130 Calculus II

Objective: To introduce students to elementary techniques of solution and classification for ordinary differential equations.

Syllabus: Techniques of solution, applications, and theory of first-order differential equations. Theory and methods of solution for higher-order linear equations. Applications of second-order linear equations from the sciences and engineering. Power series methods for solutions to linear equations. Laplace transform theory, techniques and applications.

Teaching: Three (3) lectures and one tutorial per week.

Method of Examination: Final Theory Examination (2 hours) 70%
In-class Tests/Assignments 30%

MATH2140 – PROBABILITY THEORY (4 Credits)

Pre-requisite: MATH1120 Calculus I & MATH1130 Calculus II

Syllabus: Basic probability theory: Combinational Methods, Laws of probability, conditional probability, independence. Bayes formula; random variables, discrete and continuous distributions, expectations, moments, moment generating functions, functions of random variables, jointly distributed random variable. Special distributions: binomial, geometric, negative binomial, Poisson, hypergeometric, uniform, exponential, gamma, normal,

bivariate normal. Law of large numbers, the central limit theorem.

Teaching: Three (3) lectures and one tutorial per week.

Method of Examination: Final Theory Examination (2 hours) 70%
In-class Tests/Assignments 30%

MATH2150 – MATHEMATICAL STATISTICS (4 Credits)

Pre-requisite: MATH2140 Introduction to Probability

Syllabus: Sampling distributions including chi-square, t, order statistics. Estimation of parameters, likelihood, sufficiency, significance tests. Simple linear regression and correlation. Analysis of Variance. Non- Parametric procedures, elementary principles of experimental design.

Teaching: Three (3) lectures and one tutorial per week.

Method of Examinations: Final Theory examination (2 hours) 70%
In-class Tests/Assignments 30%

MATH2950 – MATHEMATICS ELECTIVE (4 Credits)

Pre-requisites: NONE

Syllabus: An advanced course in Mathematics taken as an exchange student at an approved institution and pre-approved by the Dean.

LEVEL III MATHEMATICS COURSES

MATH3100 – MULTIVARIATE ANALYSIS (4 credits)

Prerequisites: MATH2110 Linear Algebra and MATH2140 Probability Theory.

Syllabus: Notions of multivariate distributions, Bivariate normal distributions, conditional distribution and multiple correlation coefficients, moments. Estimation of the mean vector and covariance matrix of the multivariate normal distributions; inferences concerning the mean vector. Introduction to the T2 statistics and its uses. Discriminant analysis and its applications. Principal components analysis. Cluster analysis.

Teaching: Three lectures and one tutorial per week.

Examination: One 2-hour written paper 60%
Coursework 40%

MATH3110 – DESIGN OF EXPERIMENTS (4 Credits)

Pre-requisites: MATH1110 Applied Statistics & MATH2150 Mathematical Statistics

Syllabus: Need for designing experiments, analysis of completely randomized complete block design, Latin squares. Factorial experiments, nested factorial experiments split, plot design, balanced incomplete block designs.

Teaching: Three (3) lectures and one tutorial per week.

Method of Final Theory Examination (2 hours) 60%
Examination: In-class Tests/Assignments 40%

MATH3120 – NUMERICAL ANALYSIS (4 Credits)

Pre-requisite MATH2110 Linear Algebra or MATH2120 Analysis & Methods I

Syllabus: Types of error, Finite Differences and Interpolation; Numerical Evaluation and Integrals; Numerical solution of Differential equations; Roots of Equations: Linear Systems and Matrices; Construction of Algorithms for Computation.

Teaching: Three (3) lectures and one tutorial per week.

Method of Final Theory Examination (2 hours) 60%
Examination: In-class Tests/Assignments 40%

MATH3130 – OPTIMIZATION THEORY (4 Credits)

Pre-requisite: MATH2110 Linear Algebra

Syllabus: Linear Programming and Duality – Mathematical Structure of the Primal; Equivalent Linear Programmes; Simplex and revised Simplex Techniques; Dual Linear Programmes. Complimentary Slackness, Matrix Theoretic Overview, the Duality Theorem, Special Linear Programmes, - Transportation Problems; Modified Distribution techniques; Construction of Algorithms for Computation.

Teaching: Three (3) lectures and one tutorial per week.

Method of Examination: Final Theory Examination (2 hours) 60%
 In-class Tests/Assignments 40%

MATH3140 – FOURIER ANALYSIS AND PDE
 (4 Credits)

Pre-requisite: MATH2130 Ordinary Differential Equations

Objective: An introduction to the methods of Fourier Analysis and its applications

Syllabus: Orthogonal systems (Fourier, Haar, Bessel, Sturm-Liouville etc.). Periodic functions, Fourier expansion, Fourier coefficients, periodic extension. Fourier series for odd and even functions. Problem of convergence. Dirichlet theorem. Minimal property of partial sums. Bessel's inequality. Parseval's identity. Integration and differentiation of Fourier series. Fourier series in complex form. Multiple Fourier series. Fourier transform its properties. Convolution. Partial differential equations, their classification. Basic differential equations of mathematical physics: wave equation; Laplace equation, heat equation. Application of the Fourier method to the solution of the PDE. The Discrete Fourier transform. The Fast Fourier transform.

Teaching: Three (3) lectures and one tutorial per week.

Method of Examination: Final Theory Examination (2 hours) 60%
 In-class Tests/Assignments 40%

MATH3150 – COMPLEX VARIABLES 1 (4 credits)

Pre-requisite: MATH2120 Analysis & Methods I

Description: This is a first course in the theory and methods of complex variables. Many concepts in complex variable are generalizations of topics in calculus and real analysis, while other results and methods are specific to the subject itself. The material in this course is a blend of mathematical theorems and computational techniques. This course will be of interest to students majoring in mathematics or physics.

Syllabus: Complex numbers, their analysis and geometry. Functions of a complex variable, limits, continuity. Analytic functions and harmonic functions. Complex integration, contour integrals, Cauchy theorems and consequences. Power series, Taylor series and Laurent series. Residue theory and applications.

Teaching: Three (3) lectures and one tutorial per week.

Method of Examination: Final Theory Examination (2 hours) 60%
 In-class Tests/Assignments 40%

MATH3160 – NUMBER THEORY (4 Credits)

Pre-requisite: MATH2100 Abstract Algebra

Objective: To offer a basic course in the fundamentals of the development of formal number systems with applications to Cryptography.

Syllabus: Number systems. Peano's axioms for \mathbb{N} and extensions. Mathematical Induction. Equivalence relations. Quotient systems. Euclidean Algorithm. Linear Diophantine Equations. Congruences. Wilson's theorem. Chinese remainder theorem. Euler totient function. Elements of Cryptography.

Teaching: Three (3) lectures and one tutorial per week.

Method of Examination: Final Theory Examination (2 hours) 60%
 In-class Tests/Assignments 40%

MATH3170 – ADVANCED ALGEBRA (4 Credits)

Pre-requisite: MATH2100 Abstract Algebra

Objective: To build on the foundation laid in MATH2100 by providing an in-depth study of selected topics in groups, rings and fields.

Syllabus: Normal subgroups. Factor groups. Isomorphism theorems. Cayley's theorem. Sylow's theorems. Rings and ideals. Fields.

Teaching: Three (3) lectures and one tutorial per week.

Method of Examination: Final Theory Examination (2 hours) 60%
 In-class Tests/Assignments 40%

MATH3180 – INTRODUCTION TO TOPOLOGY
 (4 Credits)

Pre-requisites: MATH2100 Abstract Algebra & MATH2120 Analysis & Methods I

Objective: This is a first course in point-set topology. The subject of topology grew out of the study of geometric and analytic properties of the real-line and Euclidean space. In particular, topology studies generalizations of the concepts of union, intersection, open intervals, closed intervals, limit points, and continuous functions. The material of topology is a combination of ideas from algebra, analysis and geometry. The emphasis in this course is on mathematical proofs and generalizations. Introduction to topology will be of interest primarily to mathematical students,

Syllabus: Definition of a topological space, examples, continuous functions. Connected spaces and compact spaces. Topology of the real line and Euclidean space. Countability of topological spaces and separation axioms.

Teaching: Three (3) lectures and one tutorial per week.

Method of Examination: Final Theory Examination (2 hours) 60%
 In-class Tests/Assignments 40%

MATH3190 – MATRIX ANALYSIS (4 Credits)

Pre-requisite: MATH2110 Linear Algebra

Objective: This course is designed to expose the student to a number of general results on matrices and to provide techniques for solving difference equations and differential equations and differential equations by formulating such equations as eigen value problems.

Syllabus: Complex matrices. The eigenvalue problem. Simultaneous reduction of quadratic forms. Cayley-Hamilton theorem. The Spectral Theorem, Jordan Canonical Forms. Applications to difference and differential equations.

Teaching: Three (3) lectures and one tutorial per week.

Method of Examination: Final Theory Examination (2 hours) 60%
 In-class Tests/Assignments 40%

MATH3200 – LAMBDA CALCULUS (4 Credits)

Pre-requisite: MATH2100 Abstract Algebra

Syllabus: Lambda calculus, combinatory logic, fixed-point combinators, normal forms, reductions, Church-Rosser theorem, Böhm's theorem, standardization theorem, Mitschke's theorem, recursive functions, undecidability, models, type assignment, logical extensions of the λ -calculus.

Operators, λ -notation, naïve interpretation, λ -terms, free and bound variables, substitution, congruence, reduction, redexes, B-equality, normal forms, Church-Rosser theorem,

combinatory logic, fixed point combinators, Böhm's theorem, standardization theorem, and quasi-leftmost-reduction, Mitschke's theorem.

Recursive functions, Kleene normal form, λ -representation of recursive functions, undecidability of classical first-order logic. Formal theories of equality, extensionality, and reduction, correspondence between λ -calculus and combinatory logic; combinatory algebras, combinatorial completeness, models of λ -calculus, Scott's construction; typed λ -calculus, type assignment, logic based on the λ -calculus, Curry's paradox.

Teaching: Three (3) lectures and one tutorial per week.

Method of Examination: Final Theory Examination (2 hours) 60%
 In-class Tests/Assignments 40%

MATH3210 – MATHEMATICAL LOGIC (4 Credits)

Pre-requisite: MATH2100 Abstract Algebra

Syllabus: Formal languages, derivations, theories, propositional logics, classical propositional logic, independence of axioms; quantification, interpretations, satisfiability and truth, first-order theories, metatheorems and derived rules; completeness, normal forms, formal number theory, number-theoretic functions and relations, primitive recursive and recursive functions. Gödel numbering, Gödel's incompleteness theorem.

Axiomatic set theory, relations and functions, equinumerosity, Schroeder-Bernstein theorem, Cantor's theorem, ordinals,

recursion, cardinals, axiom of choice and well-ordering.

Teaching: Three (3) lectures and one tutorial per week.

Method of Examination: Final Theory Examination (2 hours) 60%
 In-class Tests/Assignments 40%

MATH3220 – SAMPLING THEORY (4 Credits)

Pre-requisite: MATH1110 Applied Statistics & MATH2150 Mathematical Statistics

Syllabus: Basic ideas concerning the design and uses of sample surveys. Sampling techniques: Simple random sampling (with derivations of basic results), Stratified sampling, Cluster sampling, (one and two stage). Systematic sampling. Non-response and missing data in sample surveys. Designing forms and collecting data. Interpretation of data and survey report writing. Topics in the sampling of non-human populations.

Teaching: Three (3) lectures and one tutorial per week.

Method of Examination: Final Theory Examination (2 hours) 60%
 In-class Tests/Assignments 40%

MATH3230 – LEBESGUE MEASURE (4 Credits)

Pre-requisite: MATH2120 Analysis and Methods I

Syllabus: Riemann integration. Lebesgue measure, integration and differentiation, spaces of p-integrable functions, models of convergence, product measures.

Teaching: Three (3) lectures and one tutorial per week.

Method of Examination: Final Theory Examination (2 hours) 60%
 In-class Tests/Assignments 40%

MATH3300 – MATHEMATICS RESEARCH PROJECT (4 Credits)

Pre-requisite: Restricted to Finalists Majoring in Mathematics

Overview: An opportunity for final year students in Mathematics to apply and develop their classroom knowledge in a real-world or research environment.

Syllabus: In consultation with and under the supervision of a Faculty member, students are expected to define, investigate and report on an applied or theoretical research topic in Mathematics. The project itself is equivalent to a single Faculty course and must therefore reach that standard in terms of content and research effort. The project should contain some originality in material and evidence of extensive reading and comprehension of the subject area. A proposal and literature review must be submitted no later than the fourth week of the Semester and a final written report must be submitted and presented orally to a panel of at least three Faculty members

no later than the last week of classes in the same Semester.

N.B. Enrolment will be limited to those students who have demonstrated a sound academic background and an aptitude for research.

Method of Examination:	Written Report	60%
	Oral Presentation	20%
	Proposal and Literature Review	20%

MATH3460 – STATISTICAL THEORY II (4 Credits)

Pre-requisite: MATH2140 Probability Theory and
 MATH2150 Mathematical Statistics

Syllabus: Methods of finding estimators and their properties; Bayesian Inference; Regression Analysis; Time Series Analysis; Testing of Hypothesis; Design of Experiments; Sampling Theory.

Teaching: Three (3) lectures and one tutorial per week.

Method of Examination:	Final Theory Examination (2 hours)	60%
	Class tests/computer assignments	40%

METEOROLOGY

Through our affiliate institution, the Caribbean Institute for Meteorology & Hydrology, a Major and Minor in Meteorology are offered.

MAJOR IN METEOROLOGY:

LEVEL I

METE1000	Introduction to Physical Meteorology & Weather Observations
METE1100	Introduction to Dynamic Meteorology & Weather Systems
METE1200	Oceans & Climate
MATH1120	Calculus I
MATH1130	Calculus II

LEVEL II

METE2000	Physical Meteorology I
METE2001	Physical Meteorology II
METE2100	Dynamic Meteorology I
METE2200	Synoptic Meteorology I

LEVEL III

METE3100	Dynamic Meteorology II
METE3200	Synoptic Meteorology II
METE3300	Tropical Meteorology

AND either:

METE3400	Weather Radar and Satellites
OR	
METE3410	Applications of Meteorology

MINOR IN METEOROLOGY

[Sixteen (16) Credits]:

METE2100 Dynamic Meteorology I
METE2200 Synoptic Meteorology I

AND Four (4) Credits from:

METE2000 Physical Meteorology I
METE2001 Physical Meteorology II

AND Four (4) Credits from:

METE3100 Dynamic Meteorology II
METE3200 Synoptic Meteorology II
METE3300 Tropical Meteorology

Level I METEOROLOGY Courses

METE1000 – INTRODUCTION TO PHYSICAL METEOROLOGY & WEATHER OBSERVATIONS (4 Credits)

Pre-requisites: CAPE Pure Mathematics Units 1 & 2 (or equivalent) & CAPE Physics Unit 1 (or equivalent).

Syllabus: The Atmosphere: composition and structure. Weather elements and instruments. Energy and heat transfer. Radiation and the Earth's atmosphere. Seasonal and daily temperatures. Energy budget. Clouds and precipitation. Thermodynamics. Weather observations. Scalar analysis.

Teaching: Two (2) lectures, one tutorial and two (2) hours of practical per week.

Method of Examination: Final Theory Examination (2 hours) 70%
In-course Tests/Assignments 30%

METE1100 – INTRODUCTION TO DYNAMIC METEOROLOGY & WEATHER SYSTEMS (4 Credits)

Pre-requisites: CAPE Pure Mathematics Units 1 & 2 (or equivalent) & CAPE Physics Unit 1 (or equivalent).

Syllabus: Air pressure and winds. Wind: small-scale and local systems. Wind: global systems. Air masses and fronts. Middle-latitude cyclones. Thunderstorms and tornadoes. Tropical weather systems.

Laboratory classes will include basic scalar analysis, computation exercises of geostrophic gradients and thermal winds, frontal analysis utilizing surface and upper air charts.

Teaching: Two (2) lectures, one tutorial and three (3) hours of practical per week.

Method of Examination: Final Theory Examination (2 hours) 60%
 In-course Tests/Assignments 40%

METE1200 – OCEANS AND CLIMATE (4 Credits)

Pre-requisites: None.

Restriction: Not to be taken with ERSC1002 Oceans & Climate.

Syllabus: Classification of oceans and seas. Topography of ocean floor. Chemistry of the ocean: temperature, salinity and density. The layered structure of the oceans and the Caribbean basin. The circulations of the oceans: wind driven and thermohaline circulation. Ocean and atmospheric interactions: tropical cyclones, monsoon circulation, upwelling, ENSO. Waves and tides. Coastal oceanography. The basic global radiation budget. The climate system components. Drivers of natural climate change. The greenhouse effect. Stratospheric ozone: formation, depletion and uses.

Teaching: Two (2) lectures, one tutorial and two (2) hours of practical per week.

Method of Examination: Final Theory Examination (2 hours) 60%
 In-course Tests/Assignments 40%

Level II METEOROLOGY Courses

METE2000 – PHYSICAL METEOROLOGY I (4 Credits)

Pre-requisites: MATH1120 Calculus I & MATH1130 Calculus II **and** METE1000 Introduction to Physical Meteorology & Weather Observations, METE1100 Introduction to Dynamic Meteorology & Weather Systems and METE1200 Oceans & Climate **or** METE1010 Introduction to Meteorology I & METE1011 Introduction to Meteorology II

Syllabus: Thermodynamics of dry air and moist air. Thermodynamic diagrams. Hydrostatics, instability and convection. Formation and growth of cloud droplets by diffusion and condensation. Droplet growth by collision and coalescence. The growth and structure of ice crystals. The size and distribution of droplets and crystals. Widespread and convective precipitation, thunderstorms.

Teaching: Two (2) lectures, one tutorial and two (2) hours of practical per week.

Method of Examination: Final Theory Examination (2 hours) 80%
 In-Class Tests/Assignments 20%

METE2001 – PHYSICAL METEOROLOGY II (4 Credits)

Pre-requisites: MATH1120 Calculus I & MATH1130 Calculus II **and** METE1000 Introduction to Physical Meteorology & Weather Observations, METE1100 Introduction to Dynamic Meteorology & Weather Systems

and METE1200 Oceans & Climate **or**
METE1010 Introduction to Meteorology I &
METE1011 Introduction to Meteorology II

Syllabus: Fundamental physics of radiation. Solar and terrestrial radiation. The heat balance of the earth and atmosphere. Fundamentals of atmospheric electricity. Elementary atmospheric optics. Introduction to the upper atmosphere. Ozone in the atmosphere.

Teaching: Two (2) lectures, one tutorial and two (2) hours of practical per week.

Method of Final Theory Examination (2 hours) 80%
Examination: In-Class Tests/Assignments 20%

METE2100 – DYNAMIC METEOROLOGY I
(4 Credits)

Pre-requisites: MATH1120 Calculus I & MATH1130 Calculus II **and** METE1000 Introduction to Physical Meteorology & Weather Observations, METE1100 Introduction to Dynamic Meteorology & Weather Systems and METE1200 Oceans & Climate **or** METE1010 Introduction to Meteorology I & METE1011 Introduction to Meteorology II

Syllabus: Elementary vector methods in meteorology. Derivation of the equation of motion from Newton's law. The equation of motion in various co-ordinate systems. Simplification of the equation of motion. The conservation of mass and the conservation of total energy. The basic equations with pressure as the vertical coordinate. Horizontal balanced motions; the geostrophic thermal wind. Concepts of circulation and vorticity; the circulation theorems and the vorticity equation and their

applications. Structure and dynamics of the planetary boundary layer.

Teaching: Three (3) lectures and one tutorial per week.

Method of Final Theory Examination (2 hours) 80%
Examination: In-Class Tests/Assignments 20%

METE2200 – SYNOPTIC METEOROLOGY I
(4 Credits)

Pre-requisites: MATH1120 Calculus I & MATH1130 Calculus II **and** METE1000 Introduction to Physical Meteorology & Weather Observations, METE1100 Introduction to Dynamic Meteorology & Weather Systems and METE1200 Oceans & Climate **or** METE1010 Introduction to Meteorology I & METE1011 Introduction to Meteorology II

Syllabus: The general circulation - the mean fields of the atmosphere and their seasonal variation. The characteristics, structure and evolution of mid- latitude frontal systems and cyclones in the lower troposphere. The kinematics of horizontal motion and the computation of kinematic parameters. Analysis of scalar and vector fields. Analysis of mid-latitude synoptic systems. Methods of estimating vertical motion.

Teaching: Two (2) lectures and four (4) hours of practical per week.

Method of Final Theory Examination (2 hours) 80%
Examination: In-Class Tests/Assignments 20%

METE2950 – METEOROLOGY ELECTIVE

(4 credits)

Pre-requisites: None

Syllabus: An advanced course in Meteorology taken as an exchange student at an approved institution and pre-approved by the Dean.

**Level III
METEOROLOGY Courses**

METE3100 – DYNAMIC METEOROLOGY II

(4 Credits)

Pre-requisites: METE2100 Dynamic Meteorology I & METE2200 Synoptic Meteorology I

Syllabus: The dynamics of developing synoptic scale systems in mid-latitudes. The theory and behaviour of pure wave motions in the atmosphere. Introduction to numerical weather prediction; barotropic and filtered baroclinic models; primitive equation models. The physical basis of baroclinic instability and cyclogenesis. The energy cycle and momentum budget of the atmosphere.

Teaching: Three (3) lectures and one tutorial per week.

Method of Examination: Final Theory Examination (2 hours) 80%
In-Class Tests/Assignments 20%

METE3200 – SYNOPTIC METEOROLOGY II

4 Credits)

Pre-requisites: METE2100 Dynamic Meteorology I and METE2200 Synoptic Meteorology I

Syllabus: The three-dimensional structure of mid-latitude cyclones. The Polar front jet stream - structure and characteristics; the role in mid-latitude development. The pressure tendency equation and its applications. Four-dimensional analysis of mid-latitude synoptic systems; use of thickness maps, sounding and cross-sections. Familiarization with and use of numerical products and satellite and radar data in analysis and forecasting.

Teaching: Two (2) lectures and four (4) hours of practical per week.

Method of Final Theory Examination (2 hours) 80%
 Examination: In-Class Tests/Assignments 20%

METE3300 – TROPICAL METEOROLOGY
 (4 Credits)

Pre-requisites: METE2100 Dynamic Meteorology I and METE2200 Synoptic Meteorology I

Syllabus: General circulation of the tropics. The role of the tropics in the heat, energy and momentum budgets of the earth-atmosphere system. Tropical jet streams. Structure and characteristics of the tropical boundary layer and the trade wind inversion. Cumulus convection and scale interaction in the tropics. Structure and characteristics of synoptic scale systems in the tropics. Structure, behaviour and dynamics of tropical cyclones. Analysis of the evolution of tropical weather systems.

Teaching: Three (3) lectures and one tutorial per week.

Method of Final Theory Examination (2 hours) 80%
 Examination: In-Class Tests/Assignments 20%

METE3400 – WEATHER RADARS AND SATELLITES (4 Credits)

Pre-requisites: METE2000 Physical Meteorology I, METE2001 Physical Meteorology II and METE2200 Synoptic Meteorology I

Syllabus: **Radar Meteorology:** Introduction to radar. Radar indicators. Electromagnetic waves.

Propagation of radar waves. Formulation of the radar equation. Precipitation measurements. Interpretation of echoes. Hurricanes as observed by radar. Applications and use of radar data.

Satellite Meteorology: Brief History and basic concepts. Instrumentation and receiving systems. Identification of cloud and weather systems including hurricanes. Applications and use of satellite information. Use of satellite data in combination with radar data.

Teaching: Two (2) lectures, one tutorial and two (2) hours of practical per week.

Method of Final Theory Examination (2 hours) 80%
 Examination: In-Class Tests/Assignments 20%

METE3410 – APPLICATIONS OF METEOROLOGY
 (4 Credits)

Pre-requisites: MATH1120 Calculus I, MATH1130 Calculus II, METE1010 Introduction to Meteorology I, METE1011 Introduction to Meteorology II

Syllabus: **Methods and applications in Climatology:** Climatic applications. Climatic data analysis and processing - frequency and probability distributions, standard error, significance tests, analysis of variance, simple regression and correlation. Introduction to extreme value analysis. Applications of statistical techniques to climate data using computers. **Hydrometeorology:** The water cycle. Analysis of hydrometeorological data for design purposes. Meteorological and hydrological aspects of water management operations. The water balance.

Agrometeorology: Definition, scope and role of Agrometeorology. Dependency of agriculture on climate and soil. Factors which exert influence on climate and soil. Soil physics - terminology. Photosynthesis. Phenology. Partitioning of solar radiation. Soil moisture content and soil moisture tension. Applications to local agrometeorological problems.

Teaching: Two (2) lectures, one tutorial and two (2) hours of practical per week.

Method of Examination:	Final Theory Examination (2 hours)	80%
	In-Class Tests/Assignments	20%

PHYSICS

The Department of Computer Science, Mathematics & Physics offers a Major and Minor in Physics.

MAJOR IN PHYSICS:

LEVEL I

PHYS1100	Mechanics
PHYS1101	Electricity and Magnetism
PHYS1102	Optics, Thermodynamics & Modern Physics
MATH1120	Calculus I

LEVEL II

PHYS2100	Mathematical Methods in Physics
PHYS2101	Quantum Mechanics & Special Relativity
PHYS2103	Classical Mechanics
PHYS2106	Advanced Physics/Technology Laboratory I
PHYS2107	Advanced Physics/Technology Laboratory II

LEVEL III

PHYS3100	Quantum Mechanics
PHYS3101	Electrodynamics
PHYS3105	Statistical Mechanics

AND Four (4) Credits From:

ELET2100	Microprocessors I
ELET2110	Circuit Simulation
ELET2120	Discrete Device Electronics
ELET2130	Digital Communications I
PHYS2102	Solid State Physics
PHYS2104	Neural Networks
PHYS2105	Computational Physics I
PHYS2950	Physics Elective
ELET3100	Microprocessors II
ELET3110	Control and Instrumentation
ELET3120	Communication Circuits
ELET3130	Introduction to Digital Signal Processing (DSP)
ELET3140	Microcomputers and Control
ELET3151	Digital Communications II

ELET3160	Electronics Research Project
PHYS3102	Optics and Lasers
PHYS3103	Astrophysics
PHYS3104	Computational Physics II
PHYS3106	Physics Research Project

MINOR IN PHYSICS (Sixteen (16) Credits):

At Least Eight (8) Credits From:

PHYS2100	Mathematical Methods in Physics
PHYS2101	Quantum Mechanics & Special Relativity
PHYS2103	Classical Mechanics
PHYS2106*	Advanced Physics/Technology Laboratory I
PHYS2107*	Advanced Physics/Technology Laboratory II
PHYS3100	Quantum Mechanics
PHYS3101	Electrodynamics
PHYS3105	Statistical Mechanics

AND At Most Eight (8) Credits From:

PHYS2100	Mathematical Methods in Physics
PHYS2101	Quantum Mechanics & Special Relativity
PHYS2102	Solid State Physics
PHYS2103	Classical Mechanics
PHYS2104	Neural Networks
PHYS2105	Computational Physics I
PHYS2106	Advanced Physics/Technology Laboratory I
PHYS2107	Advanced Physics/Technology Laboratory II
PHYS2950	Physics Elective
PHYS3100	Quantum Mechanics
PHYS3101	Electrodynamics
PHYS3102	Optics and Lasers
PHYS3103	Astrophysics
PHYS3104	Computational Physics II
PHYS3105	Statistical Mechanics
PHYS3106	Physics Research Project

* Students should note that PHYS2106 and PHYS2107 are Practical Courses that are worth Two (2) Credits each.

PRELIMINARY PHYSICS COURSES

PHYS0070 – PRELIMINARY PHYSICS I

(6 P-Credits)

Pre-requisite: None

Objectives: An introduction to Mechanics, Heat and Sound.

Syllabus: SI system and standard units, dimensional analysis, vectors (graphical and analytical) Equilibrium, Newton's first law, third law, friction, motion in a straight line, average and instantaneous velocity & acceleration, accelerated motion, free fall, relative velocity Motion in a plane, projectiles, circular motion, centripetal force, Newton's second law & applications, mass and weight, satellite motion. Work & kinetic energy, gravitational & elastic potential energy, dissipative and conservative forces, power, simple machines moments & torque, couples. Stress, strain, elastic moduli, force constant, Hooke's law, simple harmonic motion (basic concepts), SHM & circular motion, mass-spring system, simple pendulum, pressure in a fluid, pressure gauges, Archimedes principle, surface tension, pressure difference across surface film, contact angle and capillaries, Bernoulli's equation (applications), viscosity, Stoke's law, Reynold's number. The temperature concept, thermometers, scales, thermal expansion and stress. Heat capacity, phase changes, conduction, convection, radiation, Stefan-Boltzman law, ideal radiator, solar energy, ideal gas, equation of state, phase diagrams, triple and critical points, vapour pressure, effect of dissolved substances on freezing and boiling

point, first law of hermodynamics, energy and work, work and heat, adiabatic, isochoric, isothermal and isobaric processes, internal energy, molecular theory of motion, kinetic theory of ideal gas. Mechanical waves, periodic waves, wave speed, travelling waves, mathematical representation, waves at boundaries, standing waves, interference of sound waves, beats, sound intensity, the decibel, the ear & hearing, quality and pitch, Doppler effect, ultrasonics and applications.

Teaching: Three (3) lectures, one tutorial and three (3) hours of practical per week.

Method of Examination:	Final Theory Examination (3 hours)	70%
	In-course Tests/Assignments	20%
	Practical Reports	10%

PHYS0071– PRELIMINARY PHYSICS II

(6 P-Credits)

Pre-requisite: None

Objectives: An introduction to Electricity, Magnetism, Optics, & Modern Physics.

Syllabus: Charge, Coulomb's law, insulators and conductors. Electric field, lines of force, electric potential, potential differences, electron volt (Millikan's experiment, CRO). Capacitance, series and parallel combination, energy in a charge capacitor. Dielectrics, current Resistivity, resistance, EME, work and power, resistors in series and parallel. Kirchhoff's laws, Wheatstone bridge and potentiometer. The magnetic field, lines of force, magnetic flux, motion in a magnetic field. Thomson's measurement of e/m , isotopes and spectrography. Force

on conductor. Torque on a current loop.
The d.c. motor, pivoted- coil galvanometer.
Magnetic field of a long straight wire. Force between parallel conductors, the ampere, induced EMF. Faraday's law, Lenz's law.
Eddy currents The nature of light, speed of light (experimental). Waves and rays.
Refraction and reflection. Snell's law. Total internal reflection. Dispersion. Single surface images Reflection from plane and spherical surfaces, refraction at plane and spherical surfaces. Focal point and length. Graphical and analytical methods. Images as objects.
Thin lens, diverging lens, lensmaker equation. Aberrations, the eye, defects of vision.
Magnifier, camera, projector, compound microscope, telescope, etc. Atomic nucleus, nuclear radiation. Isotopes and isobars, binding energy and stability. Alpha, beta and gamma rays. Decay law, decay constant. Half life, activity, radioactivity series, radioactive shielding, radiation and the life sciences.

Teaching: Three (3) lectures, one tutorial and three hours of practical per week.

Method of Examination:	Final Theory Examination (3 hours)	70%
	In-course Tests/Assignments	20%
	Practical Reports	10%

LEVEL I PHYSICS COURSES

PHYS1100 – MECHANICS (4 Credits)

Pre-requisite: CAPE Physics Unit 1 or CAPE Pure Mathematics Units 1 & 2.

Objectives: Fundamentals of classical particles and wave mechanics.

Syllabus: Kinematics in 1-, 2- and 3-dimensions, full vector analysis. Projectiles Circular motion, dynamics of circular motion. Polar co-ordinates. Newton's laws. Friction. Conical pendulum. Inertial frames of reference. Centripetal forces, velocity-dependent forces (terminal velocity). Gravitation. Kepler's laws. Kinetic and potential energy, work-energy theorem, conservation of energy, power. Linear momentum, elastic and inelastic collision in 1-, 2- and 3-dimensions. Impulse, variable-mass systems. Rotational kinematics, rotational kinetic energy. Torque, angular momentum, rigid bodies. Equilibrium conditions, physical systems as examples of simple harmonic motion. Transverse and longitudinal waves (1-D), intensity, standing waves, sound waves, vibrational resonance, beats. Doppler effect.

Teaching: Two (2) lectures, one tutorial and three (3) hours of practical per week.

Method of Examination:	Final Theory Examination (2 hours)	70%
	In-class Tests/Assignments	20%
	Practical Reports	10%

PHYS1101 – ELECTRICITY & MAGNETISM

(4 Credits)

Pre-requisite: CAPE Physics Unit 1 or CAPE Pure Mathematics Units 1 & 2.

Objectives: Fundamentals of electricity and magnetism.

Syllabus: Electric charge, Coulomb’s law, electric field - E. Charge and dipole in an electric field Motion of charged particles in uniform and non-uniform electric fields. Calculation of E for point charges and charge distributions. Electric flux, Gauss’ law. Calculation of E for symmetrical charge distributions using Gauss’s law. Electric potential, potential difference, work, potential energy, calculation of potential for point charges and charge distributions. Capacitance, RC circuits. Magnetic fields, force on charges and currents in a magnetic field, Hall effect, motion of charged particles in uniform and non-uniform magnetic fields, Ampere’s law, Calculation of magnetic field B for simple field configurations, Biot and Savart law, induced EMF. Lenz’s law, time varying magnetic field and relative motion inductance, LR circuits. Displacement current and Maxwell’s equations. EM waves, E & B fields, energy density and energy flow in EM radiation.

Teaching: Two (2) lectures, one tutorial and three (3) hours of practical per week.

Method of Examination:	Final Theory Examination (2 hours)	70%
	In-class Tests/Assignments	20%
	Practical Reports	10%

PHYS1102 – OPTICS, THERMODYNAMICS & MODERN PHYSICS (4 Credits)

Pre-requisite: CAPE Physics Unit 1 or CAPE Pure Mathematics Units 1 & 2.

Objectives: Fundamentals of optics, thermodynamics, and modern physics.

Syllabus: **Physical Optics:** Fermat’s principle and the derivation of laws of reflection and refraction. Interference of light: Path and phase difference, Young’s double-slit experiment and interference in thin films. Diffraction of light: Single and double slit diffraction, Raleigh’s criteria and the resolution of single-slit and circular aperture. Resolving power of optical instruments. Diffraction grating and missing orders. Polarization of light: Methods of generating polarized light. Double refraction and optical activity.
Thermodynamics: Zeroth law of thermodynamics. Heat, work and the first law of thermodynamics. Applications of the first law to ideal gases. Heat engines and the second law of thermodynamics. Entropy calculations for reversible and irreversible processes.
Modern Physics: Early quantum theory: Blackbody radiation and Planck’s hypothesis. Experimental evidence to support the photon theory of light. Wave-particle duality of light. Wave nature of matter and de Broglie’s hypothesis. Experimental evidence to support de Broglie’s hypothesis. Uncertainty Principle. Early models of the atom and their limitations.

Teaching:	Two (2) lectures and three (3) hours of practical every other week.
Method of Examination:	Final Theory Examination (2 hours) 70%
	In-class Tests/Assignments 20%
	Practical Reports 10%

LEVEL II PHYSICS COURSES

PHYS2100 – MATHEMATICAL METHODS IN PHYSICS (4 credits)

Prerequisites: MATH1120 Calculus I

Objectives: Development of Mathematical Techniques for Physics.

Syllabus: Taylor's Expansion, Partial Differentiation of Multivariate Functions, diagonalization of Matrices, Eigenvectors, Eigenvalues, Elementary functions of Complex Variables, Divergence Theorem, Stokes' Theorem, line Integrals, Surface and Volume Integrals, Fourier Series, Ordinary differential Equations, Laplace Transforms, Introduction to Special functions, Wave Equation, Diffusion Equation.

Teaching: Three (3) lectures and one tutorial per week.

Method of Examination:	Final Theory Examination (2 hours) 80%
	In-course tests / assignments 20%

PHYS2101 – QUANTUM MECHANICS & SPECIAL RELATIVITY (4 Credits)

Pre-requisite: PHYS1100 Mechanics, PHYS1102 Optics, Thermodynamics & Modern Physics, and MATH1120 Calculus I

Objectives: Wave mechanical approach to quantum mechanics: introduction to relativity.

Syllabus: Superposition of states, Wave mechanics, Matrix mechanics, Uncertainty relations, Complementarity, Wave-particle duality, Wave equation, Wave packets. Group velocity, Momentum and position operators, operators. Measurement, expectation values, TISE, Free particle, I-D potentials – squarewell, Finite square well, Step potential, barrier penetration, Numerical solution of the S.E, Ether hypothesis, Einstein’s relativity, Lorentz transformation, Time dilation, Fitzgerald contraction, combination of velocities, Relativistic energy and momentum.

Teaching: Three (3) lectures and one tutorial per week.

Method of Examination: Final Theory Examination (2 hours) 80%
In-class Tests/Assignments 20%

PHYS2102 – SOLID STATE PHYSICS
(4 Credits)

Pre-requisite: PHYS1101 Electricity & Magnetism

Objectives: The theory and properties of solid state physics.

Syllabus: Crystallography: Symmetry, unit cells, Miller indices, Brillouin zones
X-ray diffraction: Solid-state bonding: electrons in periodic potential
Kronig-Penney model.
Fermi Level: Thermal properties of solids.
Electrical conductivity, Intrinsic and extrinsic semiconductors, Insulators, Thermoelectric and galvomagnetic effects, Factors affecting the properties of semiconductors, Basic semiconductor devices, Types of magnetism and magnetic materials.

Teaching: Three (3) lectures and one tutorial per week.

Method of Examination: Final Theory Examination (2 hours) 80%
In-class Tests/Assignments 20%

PHYS2103 – CLASSICAL MECHANICS
(4 Credits)

Pre-requisite: PHYS1100 Mechanics & MATH1120 Calculus I

Objectives: Rigorous theory of classical mechanics with vector calculus.

Syllabus: Full treatment of classical harmonic oscillator: damped and forced oscillations, jerk, coupled oscillators - normal modes (secular equation, normal frequencies, normal coordinates), simulation of 1-D crystal as linear array of coupled oscillators. General wave equation, phase and group velocity. Mechanics of continuous media: waves on a string, surface waves, sound waves, boundary effects. Fluids: statics, kinematics and dynamics of steady flow. Lagrange and Hamiltonian equations of motion. Non inertial frames of reference: accelerated and rotating, Coriolis effect. Rotation of a rigid body: Euler equations of motion. Dynamics of a particle in a central field of force, scattering.

Teaching: Three (3) lectures and one tutorial per week.

Method of Examination: Final Theory Examination (2 hours) 80%
In-class Tests/Assignments 20%

PHYS2104 – NEURAL NETWORKS

(4 Credits)

Pre-requisite:	COMP1115 Computer Programming II and MATH1120 Calculus I						
Objectives:	A first study of neural networks and their applications.						
Syllabus:	<p>Introduction to Neural Networks - Artificial & biological neural networks, signal processing, control, pattern recognition, medicine, speech production, speech recognition, business</p> <p>Introduction to Neural Networks, typical architectures, training techniques, common activation functions.</p> <p>Pattern Classifications - Architecture, biases & thresholds, linear separability, data representation, Hebb net, perceptron, adaline, madaline, applications.</p> <p>Backpropagation Neural Networks - Architecture, algorithm, alternative weight update procedures, alternative activation functions, number of hidden layers, applications.</p> <p>Pattern Association - Training algorithms, hetero-associative net, auto-associative net, iterative auto-associative net, BAM, applications.</p> <p>Competition Based Neural Networks - Fixed weight competitive nets, Kohonen self-organizing maps, learning vector quantisation, counter-propagation, introduction to adaptive resonance theory, applications.</p>						
Teaching:	Two (2) lectures and four (4) hours of laboratory per week.						
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PHYS2105 – COMPUTATIONAL PHYSICS I

(4 Credits)

Pre-requisite:	PHYS1100 Mechanics, PHYS1101 Electricity & Magnetism and MATH1120 Calculus I				
Objectives:	Practical introduction to numerical analysis and computer simulation.				
Syllabus:	<p>Algorithms, flowcharts and pseudocode, organisation, control structures and standards for scientific programming, FORTRAN, C/ C++ , MATLAB and MAPLE, Introduction to UNIX, error, accuracy and stability, Introduction to numerical methods, practical implementation, Roots of equations, interpolation and extrapolation, numerical differentiation and integration, numerical solution of differential equations, Fourier methods, Introduction to computer modelling in Science.</p>				
Teaching:	Two (2) lectures and four (4) hours of laboratory per week.				
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PHYS2106 – ADVANCED PHYSICS / TECHNOLOGY LABORATORY I
(2 credits)

Pre-requisite:	PHYS1100 Mechanics, PHYS1101 Electricity & Magnetism and PHYS1102 Optics, Thermodynamics & Modern Physics
Objectives:	Upon successful completion of the course the student should have gained working experience in the essentials of experimental work, including:

- Collection of Data
- Troubleshooting Apparatus
- Application of Theory to Practical Problems
- Error Analysis
- Researching Background for Experiments
- Writing Proper Laboratory Reports

Syllabus: A minimum of five (5) experiments will be performed, researched and written up in a report format specified by the lecturer. Students will not be allowed to repeat experiments carried out in PHYS2107. At least two (2) experiments will be chosen from each of the following two (2) categories:

- (i) Classical Physics Experiments
- (ii) Experiments in New Technology.

Teaching: Four hours of laboratory per week.

Method of	Written Laboratory Reports (5)	80%
Examination:	Oral Examination	20%

**PHYS2107 – ADVANCED PHYSICS /
TECHNOLOGY LABORATORY II**
(2 credits)

Pre-requisite: PHYS1100 Mechanics, PHYS1101 Electricity & Magnetism and PHYS1102 Optics, Thermodynamics & Modern Physics

Objectives: Upon successful completion of the course the student should have gained working experience in the essentials of experimental work, including:

- Collection of Data
- Troubleshooting Apparatus
- Application of Theory to Practical Problems
- Error Analysis
- Researching Background for Experiments

- Writing Proper Laboratory Reports

Syllabus: A minimum of five (5) experiments will be performed, researched and written up in a report format specified by the lecturer. Students will not be allowed to repeat experiments carried out in PHYS2106. At least two (2) experiments will be chosen from each of the following two (2) categories:

- (i) Classical Physics Experiments
- (ii) Experiments in New Technology.

Teaching: Four hours of laboratory per week.

Method of	Written Laboratory Reports (5)	80%
Examination:	Oral Examination	20%

PHYS2950 – PHYSICS ELECTIVE (4 credits)

Pre-requisites: None

Syllabus: An advanced course in Physics taken as an exchange student at an approved institution and pre-approved by the Dean.

LEVEL III PHYSICS COURSES

PHYS3100 – QUANTUM MECHANICS (4 Credits)

Pre-requisite: PHYS2101 Quantum Mechanics & Special Relativity

Objectives: An advanced study of quantum mechanics and applications.

Syllabus: Operators and eigenvectors, eigenvalue equations, vector spaces, Dirac bra-ket formulation, axioms of quantum mechanics, compatible observables, uncertainty relations. Evolution of states in time. Hamiltonian operator, Ehrenfest's equations, representations and transformations of state vectors. Factorisation method. Harmonic oscillator, general Hamiltonian, normalisation. Free particle in 3-D, angular momentum, parity. Central potentials, isotropic harmonic oscillator, hydrogen atom. Fermions and bosons, the Exclusion Principle. Electron spin, magnetic moment, Perturbation theory. Time-dependent perturbations, transitions to the continuum, density of states. Elastic scattering in 1-D, scattering by a square well, resonances. Interpretation of Q. M. Copenhagen interpretation, alternative interpretations of wave-function collapse, EPR paradox, Bell's theorem.

Teaching: Three (3) lectures and one tutorial per week

Method of Examination:	Final Theory Examination (2 hours)	80%
	In-class Tests/Assignments	20%

PHYS3101 – ELECTRODYNAMICS (4 Credits)

Pre-requisite: PHYS1102 Optics, Thermodynamics & Modern Physics and PHYS2101 Quantum Mechanics & Special Relativity

Objectives: The theory of electromagnetism and applications.

Syllabus: Development of Maxwell's equations. Potentials. E-m waves in free space, conducting medium, plasmas. Reflection of e-m waves from dielectric and metallic boundaries, waveguides, special relativity and electrodynamics. Transformation of electric and magnetic fields.

Teaching: Three (3) lectures and one tutorial per week.

Method of Examination:	Final Theory Examination (2 hours)	80%
	In-class Tests/Assignments	20%

PHYS3102 – OPTICS & LASERS (4 Credits)

Pre-requisite: PHYS2101 Quantum Mechanics & Special Relativity

Objectives: An advanced study of optics and modern applications.

Syllabus: Spatial and temporal coherence. Fraunhofer and Fresnel diffraction. Image formation and processing. Basic principles of lasers, population inversion, stimulated emission, A & B coefficients. Gas, solid-state, liquid & dye lasers. Production of tunable, high-power, high-stability and short-pulse lasers. Applications.

Teaching: Three (3) lectures and one tutorial per week.

Method of Final Theory Examination (2 hours) 80%
 Examination: In-class Tests/Assignments 20%

PHYS3103 – ASTROPHYSICS (4 Credits)

Pre-requisite: PHYS2101 Quantum Mechanics & Special Relativity

Objectives: A study of astrophysics - our solar system and cosmology.

Syllabus: Structure of the sun and planets. Introduction to general relativity. Stellar Evolution Types and evolution of galaxies. Cosmological models.

Teaching: Three (3) lectures and one tutorial per week.

Method of Final Theory Examination (2 hours) 80%
 Examination: In-class Tests/Assignments 20%

PHYS3104 – COMPUTATIONAL PHYSICS II
 (4 Credits)

Pre-requisite: PHYS2105 Computational Physics I

Objectives: A computational physics 'project' course with more advanced simulation techniques.

Syllabus: Elements of parallel processing. Numerical methods, practical implementation. Systems of linear equations, matrices, diagonalisation, decomposition, inversion, eigenvectors, sparse matrices. Numerical solution of partial differential equations. Non linear equations Simulation and modelling, random number generation, Monte Carlo

methods. Elements of Chaos theory, simple chaotic systems, exponents, attractors. Fractals, fractal dimension. Ising model, cellular automata.

Teaching: One lecture and Six (6) hours of practical per week.

Method of Project Report and Oral Presentation 70%
 Examination: Practical Reports 30%

PHYS3105 – STATISTICAL MECHANICS (4 Credits)

Pre-requisite: PHYS2101 Quantum Mechanics & Special Relativity

Objectives: An advanced study of statistical physics and applications.

Syllabus: Models of thermal systems. Probability. Entropy. Internal energy. Temperature Contact with thermodynamics. Chemical potential. Free energy. Heat capacities. Microcanonical Canocial and grand canocial distributions (Boltzmann and Gibbs sums). Quantum statistics. F-D, B-E and Planck distributions. Blackbody radiation. Ideal gas. Fermi gas Density of states. Superfluidity. Bose-Einstein condensation. Phase transitions. Thermodynamics of the superconducting transition.

Teaching: Three (3) lectures and one tutorial per week

Method of Final Theory Examination (2 hours) 80%
 Examination: In-class Tests/Assignments 20%

PHYS3106 – PHYSICS RESEARCH PROJECT

(4 Credits)

Pre-requisite: Restricted to Final Year students, Majoring in Physics.

Objective: Application of classroom knowledge in a real world or research environment.

Syllabus: In consultation with and under the supervision of a Faculty member, students are expected to define, investigate and report on an applied or theoretical research topic in Physics. The project itself is equivalent to a single Faculty course and must therefore reach that standard in terms of content and research effort. The project should contain some originality in material and evidence of extensive reading and comprehension of the subject area. A proposal and literature review must be submitted no later than the fourth week of Semester II and a final written report must be submitted and presented orally to a panel of at least three Faculty members no later than the last week of classes in Semester II.

N.B. Enrolment will be limited to those students who have demonstrated a sound academic background and an aptitude for research.

Method of	Final Written Project Report	80%
Examination:	Oral Presentation	20%

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