

30200 - Introduction to computers

Información del Plan Docente

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Subject	30200 - Introduction to computers
Faculty / School	110 - Escuela de Ingeniería y Arquitectura 326 - Escuela Universitaria Politécnica de Teruel
Degree	443 - Bachelor's Degree in Informatics Engineering 439 - Bachelor's Degree in Informatics Engineering
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Year	1
Semester	First semester
Subject Type	Basic Education

Module

1.General information

1.1.Aims of the course

1.2.Context and importance of this course in the degree

1.3.Recommendations to take this course

2.Learning goals

2.1.Competences

2.2.Learning goals

2.3.Importance of learning goals

3.Assessment (1st and 2nd call)

3.1.Assessment tasks (description of tasks, marking system and assessment criteria)

4.Methodology, learning tasks, syllabus and resources

4.1.Methodological overview

The learning process that is designed for this course is based on:

Escuela de Ingeniería y Arquitectura de Zaragoza:

Classroom activities

Lectures 30 h

Problem based learning 15 h

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Laboratory sessions 15 h

Autonomous activities

Practical work 8 h

Personal study 72 h

Evaluation activities

Final exam 4 h

Laboratory tests 6 h

Escuela Universitaria Politécnica de Teruel:

Classroom activities

Lectures 30 h

Problem based learning 15 h

Laboratory sessions 10 h

Practical work 25h (groups of two-three students)

Autonomous activities

Practical work and personal study 70 h

Evaluation activities

Exams 4 h

4.2.Learning tasks

Lectures: 30 h

Problem based learning: 15 h

Escuela de Ingeniería y Arquitectura del Campus Río Ebro:

Laboratory sessions: 15 h

Logic design simulator and combinational circuits (1 session)

Representation of information and encapsulated circuits (1 session)

Propagation times of logic gates (1 session)

Combinational components (1 session)

Analysis and design of sequential systems (1 session)

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Máquina Sencilla (2 sessions)

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Laboratory sessions: 10 h

Introduction. Simplifying functions

Combinational blocks

Sequential systems

Design of sequential systems

Introduction to Digital Computer (*Máquina Sencilla*)

Escuela de Ingeniería y Arquitectura del Campus Rio Ebro:

Practical work: 8 h

Escuela Universitaria Politécnica del Campus de Teruel:

Practical work: 25 h

Teacher will supervise practical work of students divided into groups during 25h.

4.3.Syllabus

Introduction and mathematical background

Boolean Algebra

Logic gates

Technological constraints

Numerical representation

Representation of natural numbers

Representation of integer numbers

Basic arithmetic operations with integer numbers

Representation of real numbers

Combinational systems

Analysis

Design

Combinational blocks

Sequential systems

Analysis

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Design
Memory elements
Critical path and cycle time
Sequential blocks
Introduction to digital computer: *Máquina Sencilla*
Estructure and operation
Instruction set architecture
Processing unit
Control unit

4.4.Course planning and calendar

Classroom session scheduling

Escuela de Ingeniería y Arquitectura del Campus Rio Ebro:

15 weeks

- Lectures and problem based learning: 3 h / week
- Laboratory sessions 2 h / 2 weeks

Escuela Universitaria Politécnica del Campus de Teruel:

15 weeks

- Lectures and problem based learning: 3 h / week
- Laboratory sessions 2 h / 2 weeks
- Practical work (see calendar)

4.5.Bibliography and recommended resources