

25203 - Basic mathematics for environmental studies

Syllabus Information

Academic Year: 2019/20

Subject: 25203 - Basic mathematics for environmental studies

Faculty / School: 201 -

Degree: 571 - Degree in Environmental Sciences

ECTS: 6.0

Year: 1

Semester: First Four-month period

Subject Type: Basic Education

Module:

1.General information

1.1.Aims of the course

The subject and its expected results respond to the following approaches and objectives:

It is intended, with the teaching of this subject, to provide mathematical tools that serve as a basis to construct and / or study certain mathematical models related to environmental phenomena.

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 methodology followed in this course is oriented towards the achievement of the learning objectives. A wide range of teaching and learning tasks are implemented, such as lectures, problem-solving sessions and practice sessions.

4.2.Learning tasks

This course is organized as follows:

- **Lectures.** The teacher will explain the topics of the course according to the syllabus.
- **Problem-solving sessions.** These sessions are participative.
- **Practice sessions.** Problems similar to exam ones are solved working in small groups. These sessions are supervised by teachers. Studying the recommended bibliography is a useful task.
- **Autonomous work and study** is essential for the student.

4.3.Syllabus

This course will address the following topics:

- **Topic 1.** MATRIX THEORY AND VECTORIAL SPACES
- **Topic 2.** SYSTEMS OF LINEAR EQUATIONS. NUMERICAL APPLICATIONS
- **Topic 3.** MINIMAL SQUARES AND INTERPOLATION
- **Topic 4.** EIGENVALUES AND EIGENVECTORS. APPLICATIONS
- **Topic 5.** DIFFERENTIAL CALCULUS
- **Topic 6.** INTEGRAL CALCULATION
- **Topic 7.** DIFFERENTIAL EQUATIONS
- **Topic 8.** SYSTEMS OF DIFFERENTIAL EQUATIONS

4.4.Course planning and calendar

It is estimated that an average student should devote to this subject, 6 ECTS, a total of 150 hours. With this provision, load hours by week and by student are reflected in the following schedule.

Type activity/Week	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
Classroom activity											
Lectures	1	2	2		1	2		2	2	2	2
Problem-solving	1	2	2	2	3	2	2	2		2	2
Practice sessions				2	2			2			2
Exams							2		2		
Evaluation											
Non face-to-face activity											
Autonomous work:	2	3	3	3	2	3	4	4	4	3	3
Team work:	2	1	1	1	1	2				1	
TOTAL	6	8	8	8	9	9	8	10	8	8	9

Type activity/Week	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	Total
Classroom activity								68
Lectures	2	2			1	2	2	25
Problem-solving		2				2	1	25
Practice sessions						2		10
Exams					2		2	8
Evaluation								
Non face-to-face activity								82
Autonomous work	3	3	5	5	2	3	4	68
Team work	2	1				1		13

TOTAL	8	8	8	8	8	10	9	150

Further information concerning the timetable, classroom, office hours, assessment dates and other details regarding this course will be provided on the first day of class or please refer to the Faculty of Sciences website and Moodle.

4.5. Bibliography and recommended resources

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