

MODULE SPECIFICATION

Part 1: Information						
Module Title	Found	Foundation Mathematical Structures				
Module Code	UFMFFG-15-0		Level	Level 3		
For implementation from	2019-	2019-20				
UWE Credit Rating	15		ECTS Credit Rating	7.5		
Faculty		ty of Environment & nology	Field	Engineering, Design and Mathematics		
Department	FET [FET Dept of Engin Design & Mathematics				
Module type:	Stand	Standard				
Pre-requisites		None				
Excluded Combinations		None				
Co- requisites		None				
Module Entry requirements		None				

Part 2: Description

Educational Aims: See Learning Outcomes.

Outline Syllabus: Logic:

Propositional and predicate logic.

Logical equivalence and logical implication.

Validity of arguments and proof by natural deduction.

Sets. Functions and Relations:

Introduction to sets, functions and relations and their applications

Set operations: e.g. union, complement, Cartesian product, power-sets.

Cardinality of sets.

Composition of functions. Injective, surjective, bijective functions. Inverse functions.

Some real-valued functions and their properties – e.g. powers, logarithms, radix conversions.

Composition of relations. Relations on a set. Reflexive, symmetric, transitive relations.

Representation by matrices.

Modelling sets, functions and relations by visual representations.

Counting:

Sum rule, product rule, principle of inclusion-exclusion, binomial coefficient.

STUDENT AND ACADEMIC SERVICES

Graph Theory:

Introduction to Graph Theory and its applications as a modelling tool, including simple and directed graphs. Counting walks of given length. Isomorphic graphs. Representation by matrices.

Teaching and Learning Methods: Contact Hours:

Contact: 36

Assimilation and skill development:54

Coursework:15 Exam preparation: 45

Total: 150

Part 3: Assessment

Component A: a two hour end of module examination has been chosen to test the understanding and knowledge of the fundamentals of discrete mathematical structures under controlled conditions.

Component B assessment: e-Assessments.

E-assessments will be used to allow students to gauge their progress by receiving immediate feedback.

One e-assessment will be based on directed reading to encourage independent learning. The second e-assessment is aimed at reinforcing the module content, partially in preparation for the examination.

First Sit Components	Final Assessment	Element weighting	Description
Online Assignment - Component B		25 %	E-assessment
Examination - Component A	✓	75 %	Examination (2 hours)
Resit Components	Final Assessment	Element weighting	Description
Online Assignment - Component B		25 %	E-Assessment
Examination - Component A	✓	75 %	Examination (2 hours)

Part 4: Teaching and Learning Methods					
Learning Outcomes	On successful completion of this module students will achieve the follo	wing learning o	outcomes:		
	Module Learning Outcomes		Reference		
	Communicate mathematical concepts using the language of discrete	mathematics	MO1		
	Solve problems in the application of predicate and propositional logic				
	Define and manipulate sets using standard operations	MO2 MO3			
	Determine key properties of simple functions and relations and perforunary operations on these data structures.	MO4			
	Implement basic counting techniques such as the product rule and the coefficient	e binomial	MO5		
	Solve simple problems in the application of graph theory		MO6		
Contact Hours	Independent Study Hours:				
	Independent study/self-guided study	11	4		
	Total Independent Study Hours:	11	4		
	Scheduled Learning and Teaching Hours:				
	Face-to-face learning	30	ô		
	Total Scheduled Learning and Teaching Hours:	30	6		
	Hours to be allocated	15	0		
	Allocated Hours	15	0		
Reading List	The reading list for this module can be accessed via the following link: https://uwe.rl.talis.com/modules/ufmffg-15-0.html				

Part 5: Contributes Towards
This module contributes towards the following programmes of study: