



COURSE OUTLINE

(1) GENERAL

SCHOOL	School of Technology		
ACADEMIC UNIT	Department of Environmental Sciences		
LEVEL OF STUDIES	Undergraduate		
COURSE CODE	AY101	SEMESTER	1st
COURSE TITLE	MATHEMATICS I		
INDEPENDENT TEACHING ACTIVITIES	WEEKLY TEACHING HOURS	CREDITS	
Teaching Hours	6	5	
COURSE TYPE	General background		
PREREQUISITE COURSES	None		
LANGUAGE OF INSTRUCTION and EXAMINATIONS	Greek		
IS THE COURSE OFFERED TO ERASMUS STUDENTS	No		
COURSE WEBSITE (URL)	https://eclass.uth.gr/courses/ENV_U_101/		

(2) LEARNING OUTCOMES

Learning outcomes
<p>Upon successful completion of the course, students will have acquired the first basic knowledge of mathematics required to attend a Level 6 study programme in general, and more specifically to attend a series of other courses in the Environmental Sciences study programme. Specifically, they will have gained knowledge on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Analytical Geometry, concerning vectors, lines, levels, conical sections and coordinate systems in space. • Linear Algebra, that will allow them to work with tables, solve linear equation systems, and find eigenvalues and eigenvectors. • Mathematical Analysis of real functions of a variable, that can be applied with limits, continuously, derivatives and integrals of a function, and sequences and series.
General Competences
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Search for, analysis and synthesis of data and information, with the use of the necessary technology • Decision-making • Working independently • Team work • Criticism and self-criticism • Production of free, creative and inductive thinking

(3) SYLLABUS

<p><u>Analytical Geometry:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Vectors, dot product and cross product of vectors, direction cosine, vector projection to vector. • Linear equation, point distance from a line, equation of a plane, distance of a point from a plane. Conic sections, ellipse, hyperbola, circle, parabola. • Coordinate systems and transformations. <p><u>Linear Algebra:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Matrices, algebra of matrices, inverses and symmetric matrices. Determinants. • Linear systems, Cramer method and Gauss method. • Vector spaces, linear independence, basis. Linear plots, base change. • Eigenvalues and eigenvectors. <p><u>Analysis of Functions of One Variable:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Introduction to real functions of one real variable. Function Categories: Exponential, Logarithmic, Trigonometric, Hyperbolic, Inverse trigonometric. • Function limits and continuity. Derivatives and function study. The meaning of differential.
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- Integrals - Antiderivation. Basic methods of integration.
- Definite Integrals. Integration Techniques – Applications
- Improper Integrals. Excising Criteria. Integration Methods.
- Sequences. Numerical Series. Dynamical Series. Taylor – Maclaurin Series.

(4) TEACHING and LEARNING METHODS – EVALUATION

DELIVERY	Face-to-face	
USE OF INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATIONS TECHNOLOGY	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Use of PowerPoint slides • View material in video • Communication with students via e-mail • Use of asynchronous distance learning (e-class) 	
TEACHING METHODS	Activity	Semester workload
	Lectures	52
	Laboratory practice	26
	Study and analysis of bibliography	35
	Essay writing	12
	Course total (25 hours workload per credit)	125
STUDENT PERFORMANCE EVALUATION	<p>Students' performance is evaluated in the Greek language. The final grade is determined by:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A written exam (at the end of the semester) that contributes 90% to the final grade, applying one or more of the following evaluation methods: Multiple choice questions, short-answer questions, problem solving. • Students' participation in laboratory practice activities and the preparation and delivery of related written assignments (during the semester) that contribute 10% to the final grade. <p style="text-align: center;">Final Grade =90% Exam Grade + 10% Assignments Grade</p>	

(5) ATTACHED BIBLIOGRAPHY

- Georgiou, D., Iliadis, S., & Megaritis, A. (2018) *Real Analysis*, (3rd ed). Thessaloniki: TZIOLA Publications (in Greek)
- Mylonas, N., Schoinas, C., & Pappaschoinopoulos, G. (2016) *Calculation of Functions of a Variable and Linear Algebra*, (2nd ed). Thessaloniki: TZIOLA Publications (in Greek)
- Rassias, Th. (2017) *Mathematics I*, (2nd ed). Athens: TSOTRAS Publications (in Greek)