

Course Specifications

Course Title:	Calculus
Course Code:	150 Math-4
Program:	Preparatory Year
Department:	Basic Sciences
College:	Deanship of Preparatory Year
Institution:	Najran University



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A. Course Identification

1. Credit hours: 4			
2. Course type			
a.	University <input type="checkbox"/>	College <input type="checkbox"/>	Department <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
b.	Required <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Elective <input type="checkbox"/>	Others <input type="checkbox"/>
3. Level/year at which this course is offered: Second Level			
4. Pre-requisites for this course (if any): none			
5. Co-requisites for this course (if any): none			

6. Mode of Instruction (mark all that apply)

No	Mode of Instruction	Contact Hours	Percentage
1	Traditional classroom		80
2	Blended		
3	E-learning		20
4	Correspondence		
5	Other		

7. Actual Learning Hours (based on academic semester)

No	Activity	Learning Hours
Contact Hours		
1	Lecture	45
2	Laboratory/Studio	
3	Tutorial	30
4	Others (specify)	
	Total	75
Other Learning Hours*		
1	Study	45
2	Assignments	60
3	Library	15
4	Projects/Research Essays/Theses	
5	Others (specify)	30
	Total	150

* The length of time that a learner takes to complete learning activities that lead to achievement of course learning outcomes, such as study time, homework assignments, projects, preparing presentations, library times

B. Course Objectives and Learning Outcomes

1. Course Description

This course is designed to cover the Differential Calculus. It includes limits, continuity, derivatives, and the applications of derivatives. The types of functions studied include algebraic, trigonometric, exponential and logarithmic.



2. Course Main Objective

Students are expected to have strong and sound understanding of the differentiation calculus in term of its concepts, techniques and theorems. Students are expected to apply them on studying the behavior of a function.

3. Course Learning Outcomes

CLOs		Aligned PLOs
1	Knowledge:	
1.1	Define the limit and the continuity of a function, and its derivative on the real numbers.	
1...		
2	Skills :	
2.1	Evaluate the limits of a function, as x approaches to any real number a .	
2.2	Determine the continuity of a function either at a point or on an interval.	
2.3	Find the derivative of functions (in 1 st degree, or high degree).	
2.4	Apply the derivative of functions for studying the behavior of functions and sketching their curves.	
2.5		
3	Competence:	
3.1		
3.2		
3.3		
3.4		
3.5		

C. Course Content

No	List of Topics	Contact Hours
1. Limits and Continuity		
2.1	Definition of Limits	5
2.2	Limits Laws	5
2.3	Limits Involving Infinity	5
2.4	Continuity of Functions	5
2. The Derivative		
3.1	The Limit definition of derivative & the Tangent Line Problem	5
3.2	Differentiation Rules	5
3.3	Derivative of Trigonometric Functions	5
3.4	The Chain Rule	5
3.5	Derivative of Logarithmic and Exponential Functions	
3.6	Implicit Differentiation	5
3.7	Higher Order Derivatives	5
3.8	The Derivative of Inverse Functions	
3. Application of Derivative		
4.1	The Mean Value Theorem	5
4.2	Extreme Values of Functions	5
4.3	Monotonic Behavior of Functions	5



4.4	Concavity and the Inflection Points	5
Total		75

D. Teaching and Assessment

1. Alignment of Course Learning Outcomes with Teaching Strategies and Assessment Methods

Code	Course Learning Outcomes	Teaching Strategies	Assessment Methods
1	Knowledge:		
1.1	Define the limit and the continuity of functions, and its derivatives on the real numbers system	- Lecture - Cooperative learning - Problem solving - Brain storming - Self-Learning	Midterm Exams Final Exam
1...			
2	Skills :		
2.1	Evaluate the limits of a function, as x approaches to any real number a .		
2.2	Determine the continuity of a function either at a point or on an interval.		
2.3	Find the derivative of functions (in 1 st degree, or high degree)		
2.4	Apply the derivative of functions for studying the behavior of functions and sketching their curve.		
2.5			
2.6			
3	Competence:		
3.1			
3.2			

2. Assessment Tasks for Students

#	Assessment task*	Week Due	Percentage of Total Assessment Score
1	1 st midterm Exam	7 th week	20
2	2 nd midterm Exam	11 th week	20
3	Assignments & Quizzes	During classes	10
4	Final Exam	At the end	50

*Assessment task (i.e., written test, oral test, oral presentation, group project, essay, etc.)

E. Student Academic Counseling and Support

Arrangements for availability of faculty and teaching staff for individual student consultations and academic advice :

- Office Hours
- Blackboard



F. Learning Resources and Facilities

1. Learning Resources

Required Textbooks	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Differentiation Calculus, Ibraheem Alolyan, et al , The King Saud University, 3rd Edition Year: 2018.
Essential References Materials	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Anton, H; Bivens, I & Davis, S. Calculus Early Transcendentals, Ninth Edition, Wily & Sons, 2009. Thomas, Calculus, Pearson Education , Addison Wesley, 2004.
Electronic Materials	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> https://www.ck12.org/book/CK-12-Calculus-Concepts/section/1.7/ https://zr9558.files.wordpress.com/2013/10/thomas_-calculus.pdf
Other Learning Materials	

2. Facilities Required

Item	Resources
Accommodation (Classrooms, laboratories, demonstration rooms/labs, etc.)	Classroom
Technology Resources (AV, data show, Smart Board, software, etc.)	Data Show – Smart Board Free software as (Geogebra) https://www.geogebra.org/graphing
Other Resources (Specify, e.g. if specific laboratory equipment is required, list requirements or attach a list)	No need

G. Course Quality Evaluation

Evaluation Areas/Issues	Evaluators	Evaluation Methods
Effectiveness of teaching and assessment	Students	Questioner (Indirect)
achievement of course learning outcomes	Program Leaders	Software (Direct)
Quality of learning resources	all	Questioner (Direct)

Evaluation areas (e.g., Effectiveness of teaching and assessment, Extent of achievement of course learning outcomes, Quality of learning resources, etc.)

Evaluators (Students, Faculty, Program Leaders, Peer Reviewer, Others (specify)

Assessment Methods (Direct, Indirect)



H. Specification Approval Data

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