

SAULT COLLEGE OF APPLIED ARTS & TECHNOLOGY

SAULT STE. MARIE, ONTARIO

COURSE OUTLINE

Course Title: MATHEMATICS
Code No.: MTH 413
Program: COMPUTER SCIENCE, ELECTRICAL & ELECTRONICS TECHNOLOGY
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PHILOSOPHY/GOALS:

When the student has successfully completed this course he will have demonstrated an acceptable ability to pass tests based upon the course contents as listed elsewhere. If, after completing the course, the student takes further courses (or employment) in which he is required to apply this material he should then, through practice, be able to develop a good command of this subject matter.

METHOD OF ASSESSMENT (GRADING METHOD):

The students will be assessed by tests. These tests will include periodic tests based upon blocks of subject matter and may, at the instructor's discretion include unannounced surprise tests on current work and/or a final test on the whole course. A letter grade will be based upon a student's weighted average of his test results. See also the mathematics department's annual publication "To the Mathematics Student" which is presented to the students early in each academic year.

TEXTBOOK(S):

Washington - "Basic Technical Mathematics with Calculus"
Benjamin Cummings

Objectives:

The basic objective is for the student to develop an understanding of the methods studied, knowledge of the facts presented and an ability to use these in the solution of problems. For this purpose exercises are assigned. Tests will reflect the sort of work contained in the assignments. The level of competency demanded is the level required to obtain an overall passing average on the tests. The material to be covered is listed on the following page(s).

NOTE:

The two year technician students and the three year technology students will all take this course. In the semester 2 they will separate with the technology students taking Mth 426 and the technician students taking 126. A higher standard of achievement will be required of the student who wishes to enter 426

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 First Semester

Topic No.	No, of Classes	Topic Description	Assignments	References
4		<u>Scientific Notation, Estimation & Uiinensionai Analysis</u> -exact and approximate numbers -scientific notation & estimation of answers -practical problems -dimensional problems -conversion of units & the (SI) metric system	Text Exercises B1, B2, B3, 04, 1-5	Text App, B, C 1-5
12		<u>Review of Basic Algebra</u> -special products & factoring -operations with fractions -linear equations in one unknown -problems based on linear equations -exponents and radicals	Text Exercises 1-1 to 1-4, 1-6, 5-1 to 5-8, 10-1 to -7	Text Ch. 1 5, 10
7		<u>Review of Basic Trigonometry</u> -angles & systems of measurement -functions of 30, 45, 50 -use of the calculator -solution of right triangles	Text Exercises 3-1 to 3-6	Text Ch. 3
8		<u>Introduction to Complex Numbers</u> -real & imaginary numbers -operations with complex numbers -geometric representation of complex numbers -trigonometric, polar & exponential numbers -powers and roots of complex numbers -demoivre's theorem	Text Exercises 11-1 to 11-8	Text Ch. 4

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		<u>Systems of Linear Equations</u> -solving systems of two equations in two unknowns a) graphically, b) algebraically, c) by determinants -solving systems of three equations in three unknowns a) algebraically b) by determinants	Text Exercises 4-1 to 4-7	Text Ch. 4
		<u>Variation</u> -ratio and proportion -variation	Text Exercises 17-1 to 17-3	Text Ch. 17