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Appendices
to
Teaching and Examination regulations:
Master's degree programme
in
Applied Mathematics
2016-2017



Appendix I Teaching outcomes of the degree programme (art. 1.3)

The learning outcomes consist of general learning outcomes with respect to both knowledge and skills (which are applicable for the Master's degree programme in Mathematics as well) which are supplemented with programme-specific learning outcomes. For each learning outcome a reference to the Dublin descriptors is given between brackets.

The master graduate in Applied Mathematics:

- A1. has an understanding of the most important concepts of the field, [applying knowledge and understanding]
- A2. is able to contribute to the scientific advancement of a subfield of mathematics, [applying knowledge and understanding]
- A3. is able to use abstract thinking and mathematical modelling to get to the root of a problem and thus recognize whether existing methods are applicable, or to ascertain that new methods must be developed, [applying knowledge and understanding]
- A4. is able to function in multidisciplinary teams, [applying knowledge and understanding]
- A5. is familiar with the social and ethical aspects of applying mathematics in practice, [judgement]
- A6. understands the scientific relevance of problem definitions and results, and the validity of the scientific method, [judgement]
- A7. is able to describe solutions in both general and formal mathematical terms, [communication]
- A8. is able to express him- or herself well both orally and in writing, [communication]
- A9. is able to evaluate the scientific literature so as to keep their knowledge up to date. [learning]

In addition, the master graduate in Applied Mathematics:

- T1. has general knowledge of the theories, methods and techniques in the field of applied mathematics, [knowledge and understanding]
- T2. has specialized knowledge in at least one of the following subfields of applied mathematics: [knowledge and understanding]
 - a. Computational Science and Numerical Mathematics
 - b. Systems, Control and Optimization,
- T3. has wide experience with the mathematical modelling of problems from actual practice, [applying knowledge and understanding]
- T4. has extensive experience with using the relevant mathematical tools. [applying knowledge and understanding]

Appendix II Specializations of the degree programme (art. 2.2)

The degree programme has the following tracks:

- Computational Mathematics
- Systems and Control



Appendix III Content of the degree programme (art. 2.3)

The degree programme has the following tracks:

- Computational Mathematics
- Systems and Control

The degree programme comprises 120 ECTS.

The requirements on the programme are the following.

<i>Parts</i>	<i>Constraints</i>	<i>ECTS</i>
Group of three compulsory modules, followed jointly by all Master students Mathematics and Applied Mathematics	The following three modules are compulsory: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Mathematics and its Environment <input type="checkbox"/> Mathematical Modeling Colloquium <input type="checkbox"/> Complexity and Networks 	15
Group of five modules either from the track Computational Mathematics or the track Systems and Control.	<p>Track Computational Mathematics:</p> <p>The following four modules are compulsory:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Computational Fluid Dynamics (annual) • Modeling of Fluids (every two years, 2017-2018) • Numerical Bifurcation Analysis of Large Scale Systems (every two years, from the Mastermath Programme, 2016-2017) • Numerical Linear Algebra (annual, from the Mastermath Programme) <p>Track Systems and Control</p> <p>The following five modules are compulsory:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Robust Control (annual) • Convex Optimization (every two years, 2016-2017) • Modeling and Identification (every two years, 2017-2018) • Modeling and Control of Complex Engineering Systems (annual) • Systems & Control (annual, from the Mastermath Programme) 	≥ 25
A group of three modules of 'guided choice'.	Three modules have to be chosen from the lists of compulsory modules of any of the tracks in Mathematics and Applied Mathematics. In addition, students that follow the track	≥ 15



	<p>Computational Mathematics can also choose one or more of these three courses from the following list of modules:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Parallel Algorithms (Mastermath), • Numerical Methods Stationary PDES (Mastermath) • C/C++ Part 2 (RuG) • Scientific Visualisation (RuG) • Computational Quantum Physics (RuG) • Molecular Dynamics (RuG) • Modeling and Simulation (RuG) • Mathematical Biology (Mastermath) • Introduction to Numerical Bifurcation Analysis of ODEs and Maps (Mastermath) • Stochastic Differential Equations (Mastermath) • Complex Networks (Mastermath) <p>Students that follow the track Systems and Control can also choose one or more of these three courses from the following list of modules:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Analysis and Control of Smart Systems (Industrial Engineering and Management RuG) <input type="checkbox"/> Robotis for IEM (idem) <input type="checkbox"/> Advanced Digital and Hybrid Control Systems (idem) 	
A group of three modules of 'free choice'	Free choice out of modules on Master level, relevant for the master Mathematics (at the discretion of the Exam Committee)	15
Final Research Project	Research project in the specialization track	35
Internship	Internship in Applied Mathematics	15



The Mathematics and Applied Mathematics modules given at the University of Groningen are

module	offered	ECTS	practical
Caput Algebra and Geometry	annual	5	
Geometry and Topology	every two years	5	
Geometry and Differential Equations	every two years	5	
Caput Differential Geometry	annual	5	
Modeling of Fluids	every two years	5	x
Caput Dynamical Systems and Chaos	every two years	5	
Caput Mathematical Physics	every two years	5	
Computational Fluid Dynamics	annual	5	x
Contemporary Statistics with Applications	every two years	5	
Hamiltonian Mechanics	annual	5	
Final Research Project (P-variant only)	annual	50	
Mathematical Research Project (M-variant only)	annual	30	
Modelling and Identification	every two years	5	
Modeling and Control of Complex Nonlinear Engineering Systems	annual	5	
Robust Control	annual	5	
Statistical Genomics	every two years	5	
Mathematical Modeling Colloquium	annual	5	
Mathematics and its Environment	annual	5	
Complexity and Networks	annual	5	
Mathematical Modeling Colloquium	annual	5	
Statistical Consulting	annual	5	
Refresher Course in Statistics	annual	5	

For information on the modules of the Mastermath programme see <http://www.mastermath.nl>.



For information on the modules of programmes of the University of Groningen other than the master programmes Mathematics and Applied Mathematics see the teaching and examination regulations of the corresponding programme.

Appendix IV Electives (art. 2.4)

See Appendix III.

Appendix V Entry requirements and compulsory order of examinations (art. 3.4)

The entry requirement for the Final Research Project (35 ects) and Internship (15 ects) is a successful completion of 45 ects of modules of the master's degree programme in Applied Mathematics.

Appendix VI Admission to the degree programme and different specializations (art. 5.1.1 + art. 5.2)

Holders of the following Bachelor's degree from the University of Groningen are considered to have sufficient knowledge and skills and will be admitted to the Master's degree programme in Applied Mathematics:

- BSc Mathematics
- BSc Applied Mathematics



Appendix VII

Application deadlines for admission (art. 5.6.1)

Deadline of Application	Non-EU students	EU students
Nanoscience	February 1st 2017	May 1 st 2017
Behavioural and Cognitive Neurosciences	May 1st 2017	May 1st 2017
Biomolecular Sciences (topprogramme)	May 1st 2017	May 1st 2017
Evolutionary Biology (topprogramme)	May 1st 2017	May 1st 2017
Remaining FMNS Masters	May 1st 2017	May 1st 2017

Decision deadlines (art. 5.6.3)

Deadline of Decision	Non-EU students	EU students
Nanoscience	June 1st 2017	June 1st 2017
Behavioural and Cognitive Neurosciences	June 1st 2017	June 1st 2017
Biomolecular Sciences (topprogramme)	June 1st 2017	June 1st 2017
Evolutionary Biology (topprogramme)	June 1st 2017	June 1st 2017
Remaining FMNS Masters	November 1st 2017	November 1st 2017