

SUBJECT TEACHING GUIDE

G734 - Mathematical Methods for Engineering

Degree in Mechanical Engineering

Academic year 2021-2022

1. IDENTIFYING DATA					
Degree	Degree in Mechanical Engineering			Type and Year	Core. Year 2
Faculty	School of Industrial Engineering and Telecommunications				
Discipline	Subject Area: Mathematics Basic Training Module				
Course unit title and code	G734 - Mathematical Methods for Engineering				
Number of ECTS credits allocated	6	Term	Semester based (2)		
Web					
Language of instruction	Spanish	English Friendly	Yes	Mode of delivery	Face-to-face

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3.1 LEARNING OUTCOMES
- Knowledge of basic numerical methods to solve mathematical problems approximately
- Ability to discern the best method among those available for a particular problem, assessing the complexity of the method and the presence and control of numerical errors.
- Knowledge of basic statistical concepts
- Use mathematical software and gain working knowledge with computers and programming environments to tackle problems that arise in engineering applications.

4. OBJECTIVES

Introduce students to mathematical problem solution techniques, making use of numerical and statistical methods applied to model scientific and technical problems

The student must learn how to use mathematics to solve problems that arise in physics and engineering.

6. COURSE ORGANIZATION

CONTENTS

1	Part I: Statistics
1.1	Descriptive statistics
1.2	Probability, random variables and common probability models
1.3	Statistical Quality Control
2	Part II: Numerical methods and optimization
2.1	Basic computer arithmetic
2.2	Approximate solution of non-linear equations
2.3	Polynomial approximation of real-valued functions. Optimization.
2.4	Numerical integration and differentiation
2.5	Numerical integration of Ordinary Differential Equations

7. ASSESSMENT METHODS AND CRITERIA

Description	Type	Final Eval.	Reassessn	%
Part II: Numerical methods and optimization	Work	No	Yes	15,00
Part II: Numerical methods and optimization	Laboratory evaluation	Yes	Yes	25,00
Part I: Statistics	Written exam	No	Yes	25,00
Part I: Statistics	Laboratory evaluation	No	Yes	10,00
Part II: Numerical methods and optimization	Activity evaluation with Virtual Media	No	Yes	25,00
TOTAL				100,00

Observations

In those activities with a given format (report templates, limited space in written exams) there will be a penalty if the student does not conform to the format. Additionally, there will be a penalty when (among others):

- Answers are not justified
- Inadequate use of mathematical terminology and notation

Being especially serious:

- the procedures that show a lack of competence in basic mathematical knowledge
- overlook of meaningless results (e.g. negative probabilities)

Observations for part-time students

Part-time students will follow the same rules as those of the rest of the students.

8. BIBLIOGRAPHY AND TEACHING MATERIALS

BASIC

"Metodos estadísticos para medir, describir y controlar la variabilidad"; Luceño A.; González F.J.; UC

"Métodos Numéricos para Ingenieros"; Chapra S.C.; Canale R.; 2005; Ed. McGraw-Hill.