MA263-10 Multivariable Analysis

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Department
Warwick Mathematics Institute
Level
Undergraduate Level 2
Module leader
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Credit value
10
Module duration
10 weeks
Assessment
Multiple
Study location
University of Warwick main campus, Coventry

Description

Introductory description

Mathematical Analysis is the heart of modern Mathematics. This module is the final in a series of modules where the subject of Analysis is rigorously developed in many dimensional setting.

Module aims

extend the analysis of one variable from the first year to the multivariable context.

Outline syllabus

This is an indicative module outline only to give an indication of the sort of topics that may be covered. Actual sessions held may differ.

- Different notions of differentiability of functions of several variables
- Chain rule, (generalised) mean value inequality and other properties of differentiable functions
- Inverse Function Theorem and Implicit Function Theorem, with applications to regular curves and hypersurfaces
- Higher Dimensional Riemann Integration
- Vector Fields and the theorems of Green, Gauss and Stokes, with some applications to

PDEs.
- Maxima, minima and saddles and constrained critical points.

Learning outcomes

By the end of the module, students should be able to:

- learn the basic concepts, theorems and calculations of multivariable analysis
- understand the Implicit and Inverse Function Theorems and their applications
- acquire a working knowledge of vector fields and the Integral Theorems of Vector Calculus
- learn how to analyse and classify critical points using Taylor expansions

Indicative reading list

Reading lists can be found in Talis

Subject specific skills

Multivariable Analysis gives students tools to do rigorous Analysis in higher dimensional spaces. Students will learn definitions, theorems and calculations with vector-valued functions of many variables, for instance, Inverse and Implicit Function Theorems, vector fields, maxima, minima and saddles.

Transferable skills

Students will acquire key reasoning and problem solving skills, empower them to address new problems with confidence.

Study

Study time

Type	Required
Lectures	30 sessions of 1 hour (30%)
Seminars	9 sessions of 1 hour (9%)
Private study	61 hours (61%)
Total	100 hours

Private study description

Working on assignments, going over lecture notes, text books, exam revision.

Costs

No further costs have been identified for this module.

Assessment

You do not need to pass all assessment components to pass the module.

Assessment group D1

	Weighting	Study time	Eligible for self-certification
Assignments	15%		No
Centrally-timetabled examination (On-campus)	85%		No

- Answerbook Pink (12 page)

Assessment group R1

	Weighting	Study time	Eligible for self-certification
In-person Examination - Resit	100%		No

- Answerbook Pink (12 page)

Feedback on assessment

Marked homework (both assessed and formative) is returned and discussed in smaller classes. Exam feedback is given.

Past exam papers for MA263

Availability

Courses

This module is Core for:

- Year 2 of UMAA-G105 Undergraduate Master of Mathematics (with Intercalated Year)
- Year 2 of UMAA-G103 Undergraduate Mathematics (MMath)

This module is Core optional for:

- Year 2 of UMAA-G100 Undergraduate Mathematics (BSc)
- Year 2 of UMAA-G103 Undergraduate Mathematics (MMath)
- Year 2 of UMAA-G1NC Undergraduate Mathematics and Business Studies
- Year 2 of UMAA-G1N2 Undergraduate Mathematics and Business Studies (with Intercalated Year)
- Year 2 of UMAA-G101 Undergraduate Mathematics with Intercalated Year

This module is Option list A for:

- Year 2 of UMAA-GL11 Undergraduate Mathematics and Economics
- Year 2 of UECA-GL12 Undergraduate Mathematics and Economics (with Intercalated Year)