ETY207 – Linear Algebra

COURSE OUTLINE

(1) GENERAL

SCHOOL	SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING
ACADEMIC UNIT	DEPARTMENT OF MATERIALS SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING
LEVEL OF STUDIES	UNDERGRADUATE
COURSE CODE	ETY207 **SEMESTER** 2
COURSE TITLE	Linear Algebra

INDEPENDENT TEACHING ACTIVITIES *if credits are awarded for separate components of the course, e.g. lectures, laboratory exercises, etc. If the credits are awarded for the whole of the course, give the weekly teaching hours and the total credits*	**WEEKLY TEACHING HOURS**	**CREDITS**
Lectures	5	4
Add rows if necessary. The organization of teaching and the teaching methods used are described in detail at (d).		

COURSE TYPE *general background, special background, specialized general knowledge, skills development*	General background
PREREQUISITE COURSES:	NO
LANGUAGE OF INSTRUCTION and EXAMINATIONS:	LECTURES IN GREEK, PRESENTATION IN ENGLISH/GREEK
IS THE COURSE OFFERED TO ERASMUS STUDENTS	NO
COURSE WEBSITE (URL)	http://ecourse.uoi.gr/course/view.php?id=2382

(2) LEARNING OUTCOMES

Learning outcomes
The course learning outcomes, specific knowledge, skills and competences of an appropriate level, which the students will acquire with the successful completion of the course are described.
Consult Appendix A
- *Description of the level of learning outcomes for each qualifications cycle, according to the Qualifications Framework of the European Higher Education Area*
- *Descriptors for Levels 6, 7 & 8 of the European Qualifications Framework for Lifelong Learning and Appendix B*
- *Guidelines for writing Learning Outcomes*

The main objective of the course is to familiarize the students with the fundamental concepts of Linear Algebra and their applications to engineering problems.

The course provides a background mathematical knowledge for the understanding of specialized courses in the field of Materials Science and Engineering that follow.

The course introduces to the study of:
- o   Matrices and Matrix Operations
- o   Determinants
- o   Linear Transformations
- o   Systems of Linear Equations
- o   Applications of Linear Algebra in engineering problems

By completing the course, the students are expected to have acquired the following:

Knowledge:

o   Have a good **understanding** of the fundamental concepts of Linear Algebra and its applications to physical and engineering problems.

Abilities:

o   To collect, organize and evaluate interdisciplinary information obtained from various sources

o   To organize scientific information and present it effectively

o   To solve problems in an organized way using brainstorming meetings

o   To work in groups, manage meetings, write agenda and minutes

Skills:

o   Around organizing interdisciplinary meetings

o   Around teamwork, capturing key information, selecting appropriate actions for optimal scientific and technological results

General Competences

Taking into consideration the general competences that the degree-holder must acquire (as these appear in the Diploma Supplement and appear below), at which of the following does the course aim?

Search for, analysis and synthesis of data and information, with the use of the necessary technology	*Project planning and management*
Adapting to new situations	*Respect for difference and multiculturalism*
Decision-making	*Respect for the natural environment*
Working independently	*Showing social, professional and ethical responsibility and sensitivity to gender issues*
Team work	*Criticism and self-criticism*
Working in an international environment	*Production of free, creative and inductive thinking*
Working in an interdisciplinary environment	*......*
Production of new research ideas	*Others...*
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o   Good understanding and treatment of physical problems
o   Improving skills in scientific calculations
o   Search for, analysis and synthesis of data and information, with the use of the necessary technology
o   Production of free, creative and inductive thinking
o   Team work
o   Decision-making
o   Adapting to new situations
o   Project planning and management
o   Criticism and self-criticism

(3) SYLLABUS

- Systems of Linear Equations and Matrices
- Determinants
- Euclidean Vector Spaces
- Eigenvalues and Eigenvectors
- Linear Transformations
- Applications of Linear Algebra

(4) TEACHING and LEARNING METHODS - EVALUATION

DELIVERY *Face-to-face, Distance learning, etc.*	Face-to-face in the class
USE OF INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATIONS TECHNOLOGY *Use of ICT in teaching, laboratory education, communication with students*	Use of PC for data and information, preparation of deliverables, communication of the team using email/social media/ecourse platform

Activity	Semester workload
Lectures	52
Self-study	48
Course total	100

TEACHING METHODS
The manner and methods of teaching are described in detail.
Lectures, seminars, laboratory practice, fieldwork, study and analysis of bibliography, tutorials, placements, clinical practice, art workshop, interactive teaching, educational visits, project, essay writing, artistic creativity, etc.
The student's study hours for each learning activity are given as well as the hours of non-directed study according to the principles of the ECTS

STUDENT PERFORMANCE EVALUATION
Description of the evaluation procedure
Language of evaluation, methods of evaluation, summative or conclusive, multiple choice questionnaires, short-answer questions, open-ended questions, problem solving, written work, essay/report, oral examination, public presentation, laboratory work, clinical examination of patient, art interpretation, other
Specifically-defined evaluation criteria are given, and if and where they are accessible to students.

LANGUAGE OF EVALUATION: Greek

METHOD OF EVALUATION:
Written exam (solving problems) at the end of the semester.

(5) ATTACHED BIBLIOGRAPHY

Suggested bibliography:

- Strang, G, Γραμμική Άλγεβρα και Εφαρμογές, Πανεπιστημιακές Εκδόσεις Κρήτης
- Καδιανάκης, Ν, Καρανάσιος, Σ, Γραμμική Άλγεβρα και Αναλυτική Γεωμετρία, Διαθέτης Ν. Καδιανάκης
- Χρυσάκης, Θ, Γραμμική Άλγεβρα και Αναλυτική Γεωμετρία, Διαθέτης Θ. Χρυσάκης