



FACULTY OF SCIENCE AND HEALTH

Programme Regulations 2021-2022

Programme Title BSc in Actuarial Mathematics

Programme Code ACM

Offered on a full-time or part-time basis Full-time

Note: Programme Regulations should be read in conjunction with Marks and Standards which can be found at <https://www.dcu.ie/ovpaa/Policies-and-Regulations.shtml>

1. Programme Specific Rules and Requirements

1.1 Calculation for the Award Classification

The calculation of the final year award classification includes contributions from previous years' results as follows:

<i>Year/Subject contribution</i>	<i>Contribution to the award classification</i>
Year 2	25%
Year 3	15%
Year 4	60%

1.2 Module Calculation

There are modules on this programme where the module mark will be calculated as the greater of (a) the weighted average of the continuous assessment percentage mark and the terminal examination percentage mark or (b) the terminal examination mark.

These modules are listed below:

<i>Module Code</i>	<i>Module Title</i>
MS103	Linear Mathematics I
MS104	Linear Mathematics II
MS113	Integral Calculus
MS114	Sequences and Series
MS205	Calculus of Several Variables

MS217	Linear Algebra
MS231	Analysis 2
MS211	Introduction to Differential Equations
MS232	Probability II
MS408	Probability and Finance II (Intermediate)
MS437	Probability and Finance I (Intermediate)
MS434	Optimisation

2. Derogations from Marks and Standards

A minimum of 40% must be achieved in both the examination and continuous assessment elements for an overall pass in the following modules:

<i>Module Code</i>	<i>Module Title</i>
MS117	Probability I
MS226	Statistics I
MS228	Statistics II
MS318	Financial Mathematics
MS338	Actuarial Modelling
MS349	Financial and Actuarial Models

3. Progression

3.1 Credits for progression

Students must have successfully completed a minimum of 60 credits in a study period in order to progress to the next study period.

Students must successfully complete a minimum of 65 credits in Year 4 to be awarded the BSc in Actuarial Mathematics.

All students progressing to year 3 in 2021/2022 must have successfully completed either MS119 or MS119A.

3.2 Carrying of modules

Students will not be permitted to carry modules under any circumstances.

4. Compensation

Compensation may apply, within the regulations specified in Marks and Standards, to all modules except the following:

<i>Module Code</i>	<i>Module Title</i>
EF113	Introduction to Microeconomics
EF114	Introduction to Macroeconomics

MS117	Probability 1
MS226	Statistics I
AC316	Accounting 1
MS228	Statistics II
EF316	Accounting 2
MS308	Stochastic Modelling
MS318	Financial Mathematics
MS338	Actuarial Modelling I
MS349	Financial and Actuarial Models
IN314	INTRA ACM
MS427	Financial Economics I
MS449	Risk Theory
MS428	Financial Economics II
MS447	Time Series (Intermediate)
MS448	Life Contingencies

5. Resit Categories

The resit categories of modules on this programme and an explanation of those categories can be found at:

https://www101.dcu.ie/registry/module_contents.php?function=4&programme=ACM&yr=2022