

### CURRICULUM APPROVAL PROCESS: LEVELS OF SCRUTINY

	New Courses	Substantive Revisions	Technical Revisions	Outline Updates	Course Deletions/Inactivations
	Honors Courses	Title (major)	Course ID clean-up	Title (minor)	Course Deletions
	New Courses	Units/Hours (increase)	Units/Hours (decrease)	Description (minor)	Course Inactivations
		Description (major)	Pre-Req/Co-Req (correction/delete)	Text (minor/update)	
$\Box$		Pre-Req/Co-Req (added)	Recommended Prep		
Types		Course Repetition (added/increased)	Co-Listing		
es of		Fees (added)	Pass/No Pass		
of Changes			Not Degree Applicable		
ang			Transfer Credit		
es			Distance Education		
			Field Trips (required/removed)		
			Course Repetition (removed/reduced)		
			Other		
Levels of Scrutiny	Honors				
	GE Validation	GE Validation	GE Validation	GE Validation	
	Tech Review	Tech Review	Tech Review	Tech Review	Tech Review
	Curriculum Committee	Curriculum Committee	Curriculum Committee	Curriculum Committee	Curriculum Committee
	DTRW	DTRW			
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	State	State			
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### Title 5, Section 55002.5 Hours to Unit Relationship

# COURSE OUTLINE OF RECORD HOUR CALCULATION FOR 17.5 WEEK SEMESTER

### **3 TYPES OF COURSES:**

### 1. LECTURE:

1 unit lecture course = 1 hour in class, plus 2 hours out of class study (3 hours weekly)

#### 2. LABORATORY:

1 unit laboratory course = 3 hours in class only (3 hours weekly)

### 3. LECTURE and LABORATORY:

4 units (3 units Lecture and 1 unit Lab) = 3 hours lecture, plus 6 hours out of class study and 3 hours laboratory (12 hours weekly)

### 1. LECTURE:

UNITS	LECTURE				
	The following chart is based on a 17.5 week semester				
Units	Weekly Lecture (In Class) Hours	Weekly Study (Out of Class) Hours	Total Semester Contact (In Class) Hours	Total Semester (Out of Class)Hours	Total Semester Hours (in class + out of class)
.5	.5	1	8.75 hours	17.5 hours	26.25 hours
1.0	1	2	17.5 hours	35 hours	52.50 hours
1.5	1.5	3	26.25 hours	52.50 hours	78.75 hours
2.0	2	4	35 hours	70 hours	105 hours
2.5	2.5	5	43.75 hours	87.50 hours	131.25 hours
3.0	3	6	52.5 hours	105 hours	157.50 hours
3.5	3.5	7	61.25 hours	122.50 hours	183.75 hours
4.0	4	8	70 hours	140 hours	210 hours
4.5	4.5	9	78.75 hours	157.50 hours	236.25 hours
5.0	5	10	87.5 hours	175 hours	262.50 hours
5.5	5.5	11	96.25 hours	192.50 hours	288.75 hours
6.0	6	12	105 hours	210 hours	315 hours
8.0	8	16	140 hours	280 hours	420 hours

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### 2. LABORATORY:

UNITS	LABORATORY			
	The following chart is based on a 17.5 week semester			
Units	Weekly Laboratory (In Class) Hours	Total Semester Hours		
.5	1.5 hours	26.25 hours		
1.0	3 hours	52.50 hours		
1.5	4.5 hours	78.75 hours		
2.0	6 hours	105 hours		
2.5	7.5 hours	131.25 hours		
3.0	9 hours	157.50 hours		
3.5	10.5 hours	183.75 hours		
4.0	12 hours	210 hours		
4.5	13.5 hours	236.25 hours		
5.0	15 hours	262.50 hours		
5.5	16.5 hours	288.75 hours		
6.0	18 hours	315 hours		
8.0	24 hours	420 hours		

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#### 3. LECTURE and LABORATORY COMBINATION COURSE:

For all lecture <u>and</u> laboratory combination courses, the total semester hours <u>must</u> be reflected in the COR to include hours for in-class study (lecture content), out of class study (outside assignments) and laboratory (lab content).

### **3 Unit Combination Course Variations**

**3 Units (.5 unit lecture, 2.5 unit laboratory)** = .5 hour lecture (plus 1 hours of out of class), and 7.5 hours laboratory.

**Total Weekly Hours = 9/ Total Semester Hours = 157.75** 

Catalog description

Hours: .5 lecture, 7.5 laboratory (8 weekly contact hours)

**3 Units (1 unit lecture, 2 unit laboratory)** = I hour lecture (plus 2 hours of out of class), and 6 hours laboratory

**Total Weekly Hours = 9/ Total Semester Hours = 157.75** 

Catalog description

Hours: 1 lecture, 6 laboratory (7 weekly contact hours)

**3 Units (1.5 unit lecture, 1.5 unit laboratory)** = 1.5 hour lecture (plus 3 hours of out of class), and 4.5 hours laboratory

**Total Weekly Hours = 9/ Total Semester Hours = 157.75** 

Catalog description

Hours: 1.5 lecture, 4.5 laboratory (6 weekly contact hours)

**3 Units (2 unit lecture, 1 unit laboratory)** = 2 hour lecture (plus 4 hours of out of class), and 3 hours laboratory

**Total Weekly Hours = 9/ Total Semester Hours = 157.75** 

Catalog description

Hours: 2 lecture, 3 laboratory (5 weekly contact hours)

**3 Units (2.5 unit lecture, .5 unit laboratory)** = 2.5 hour lecture (plus 5 hours of out of class), and 1.5 hours laboratory

**Total Weekly Hours = 9/ Total Semester Hours = 157.75** 

Catalog description

Hours: 2.5 lecture, 1.5 laboratory (4 weekly contact hours)

Reference: Title 5, Section 55002.5 - Program and Course Approval Handbook (PCAH) 2013.

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### Alphabetical List of Acronyms

Acronym Definition

AA Associate in Arts

**AA-T** Associate in Arts for Transfer

ACCJC Accreditation Commission for Community and Junior Colleges

AS Associate in Science

**AS-T** Associate in Science for Transfer

ASCCC Academic Senate for California Community Colleges

ASSIST Articulation System Stimulating Interinstitutional Student Transfer

C-ID Course Identification

CAHSEE California High School Exit Exam

**CB** Course Basic

**CCC** California Community Colleges

**CDCP** Career Development and College Preparation

COR Course Outline of Record

CPEC California Postsecondary Education Commission

**CSU** California State University

**CSU-GE-Breadth** California State University General Education – Breadth

CTE Career Technical Education

DAS Division of Apprenticeship

DED Data Element Dictionary

DSPS Disabled Students Programs and Services

EDD Employment Development Department

**ESL** English as a Second Language

ETAC Educational Technologies Advancement Committee

FII Fund for Instructional Improvement

FTES Full-time Equivalent Students

**HBA** Hours by Arrangement

ICAS Intersegmental Committee of Academic Senates

IGETC Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum

JAC Joint Apprenticeship Committee

Labor Market Information

LMID Labor Market Information Division

MIS Management Information Systems

NPA Nursing Practice Act

OES Occupational Employment Statistic

PCAH Program and Course Approval Handbook

**RN** Registered Nurse

**RSI** Related and Supplemental Instruction

## Alphabetical List of Acronyms

Acronym	Definition
SACC	System Advisory Committee on Curriculum
SAM	State Administrative Manual
SB	Senate Bill
SCANS	Secretary of Labor's Commission on Achieving Necessary Skills
SOC	Standard Occupational Classification
STEM	Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics
TBA	To be Arranged
TCSU	Transfer California State University (CSU)
TMC	Transfer Model Curriculum
TOP	Taxonomy of Programs
UC	University of California
WASC	Western Association of Schools and Colleges