

## University of Pretoria Yearbook 2019

## Calculus 143 (WTW 143)

| Qualification          | Undergraduate  |
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| Faculty                | Faculty of Natural and Agricultural Sciences   |
| Module credits         | 8.00   |
| Programmes             | BCom Extended programme  |
|                        | BEd Intermediate Phase Teaching  |
|                        | BEd Senior Phase and Further Education and Training Teaching   |
|                        | BSc Extended programme - Mathematical Sciences   |
|                        | BSc Extended programme - Physical Sciences   |
| Service modules        | Faculty of Engineering, Built Environment and Information Technology   |
|                        | Faculty of Education   |
|                        | Faculty of Economic and Management Sciences  |
| Prerequisites          | BSc Extended programme and BEd programmes: WTW 133 BCom Extended programme: Students with WST 133 concurrently with WTW 143: WTW 133. Students with STK 133 concurrently with WTW 143: at least 65% for WTW 133. |
| Contact time           | 3 lectures per week, Foundation Course, 1 tutorial per week  |
| Language of tuition    | Module is presented in English   |
| Department             | Mathematics and Applied Mathematics  |
| Period of presentation | Semester 2   |

## **Module content**

Functions: exponential and logarithmic functions, natural exponential and logarithmic functions, exponential and logarithmic laws, exponential and logarithmic equations, compound interest. Limits: concept of a limit, finding limits numerically and graphically, finding limits algebraically, limit laws without proofs, squeeze theorem without proof, one-sided limits, infinite limits, limits at infinity, vertical, horizontal and slant asymptotes, substitution rule, continuity, laws for continuity without proofs. Differentiation: average and instantaneous change, definition of derivative, differentiation rules without proofs, derivatives of polynomials, chain rule for differentiation, derivatives of trigonometric, exponential and logarithmic functions, applications of differentiation: extreme values, critical numbers, monotone functions, first derivative test, optimisation.

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