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Operational research 312 (BOZ 312)

Qualification Undergraduate

Faculty Faculty of Engineering, Built Environment and Information Technology

Module credits 16.00

Programmes BEng Industrial Engineering

BEng Industrial Engineering ENGAGE

Prerequisites No prerequisites.

Contact time 2 discussion classes per week, 4 lectures per week

Language of tuition Module is presented in English

Department Industrial and Systems Engineering

Period of presentation Semester 1

Module content

Introduction to Operations Research, and more specifically the branch of optimisation and its application to industrial problems. In the module the topics of linear and integer linear programming are introduced. The focus is on identifying and scoping appropriate problems, the subsequent formulation of problems, solution algorithms, and post-optimisation sensitivity analysis. Students are exposed to solving problems using optimisation software.

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