

University of Pretoria Yearbook 2020

Inorganic chemistry 385 (CMY 385)

Qualification	Undergraduate
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Faculty	Faculty of Natural and Agricultural Sciences
Module credits	18.00
Programmes	BSc Applied Mathematics
	BSc Biochemistry
	BSc Chemistry
	BSc Geology
	BSc Human Physiology
	BSc Mathematics
	BSc Physics
Service modules	Faculty of Education
Prerequisites	CMY 282, CMY 283, CMY 284 and CMY 285
Contact time	1 discussion class per week, 2 practicals per week, 4 lectures per week
Language of tuition	Module is presented in English
Department	Chemistry
Period of presentation	Quarter 2

Module content

Theory: Structure and bonding in inorganic chemistry. Molecular orbital approach, diatomic and polyatomic molecules, three-centre bonds, metal-metal bonds, transition metal complexes, magnetic properties, electronic spectra, reactivity and reaction mechanisms, reaction types, acid-base concepts, non-aqueous solvents, special topics.

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