

University of Pretoria Yearbook 2021

General chemistry 127 (CMY 127)

Qualification	Undergraduate
Faculty	Faculty of Natural and Agricultural Sciences
Module credits	16.00
NQF Level	05
Programmes	BEd Senior Phase and Further Education and Training Teaching
	BSc Computer Science
	BDietetics
	BSc Applied Mathematics
	BSc Biochemistry
	BSc Biological Sciences
	BSc Biotechnology
	BSc Chemistry
	BSc Culinary Science
	BSc Ecology
	BSc Engineering and Environmental Geology
	BSc Entomology
	BSc extended programme - Biological and Agricultural Sciences
	BSc extended programme - Physical Sciences
	BSc Food Science
	BSc Genetics
	BSc Geography and Environmental Science
	BSc Geology
	BSc Human Genetics
	BSc Human Physiology
	BSc Human Physiology, Genetics and Psychology
	BSc Mathematics
	BSc Medical Sciences
	BSc Meteorology



	BSc Microbiology
	BSc Nutrition
	BSc Physics
	BSc Plant Science
	BSc Zoology
	BScAgric Animal Science
	BScAgric Applied Plant and Soil Sciences
	BScAgric Plant Pathology
Service modules	Faculty of Engineering, Built Environment and Information Technology
	Faculty of Education
	Faculty of Health Sciences
	Faculty of Veterinary Science
Prerequisites	Natural and Agricultural Sciences students: CMY 117 GS or CMY 154 GS Health Sciences students: none
Contact time	1 practical per week, 4 lectures per week
Language of tuition	Module is presented in English
Department	Chemistry
Period of presentation	Semester 2

Module content

Theory: General physical-analytical chemistry: Chemical equilibrium, acids and bases, buffers, solubility equilibrium, entropy and free energy, electrochemistry. Organic chemistry: Structure (bonding), nomenclature, isomerism, introductory stereochemistry, introduction to chemical reactions and chemical properties of organic compounds and biological compounds, i.e. carbohydrates and aminoacids. Practical: Molecular structure (model building), synthesis and properties of simple organic compounds.

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