



**ATTACHMENT 2 (e)**

**Course Specifications**

**Kingdom of Saudi Arabia**

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(CE)**

**14034210-3 – Electronics-II**



## Course Specifications

Institution <b>Umm Al-Qura University</b>	Date of Report 17/04/2016
College/Department <b>College of Computer &amp; Information Systems</b>	

### A. Course Identification and General Information

1. Course title and code: <b>Electronics-II – 14034210-3</b>			
2. Credit hours <b>3</b>			
3. Program(s) in which the course is offered. (If general elective available in many programs indicate this rather than list programs) <b>Computer Engineering</b>			
4. Name of faculty member responsible for the course <b>Dr. Abdellatif Ibrahim Moustafa Semeia</b>			
5. Level/year at which this course is offered <b>Level 10</b>			
6. Pre-requisites for this course (if any) <b>Electronic Circuits Circuit Theory-II</b>			
7. Co-requisites for this course (if any) N/A			
8. Location if not on main campus <b>Al-Abidiyah Umm Al Qura University - Makkah Al Mukarramah</b>			
9. Mode of Instruction (mark all that apply)			
a. Traditional classroom	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	What percentage?	<input type="text" value="100"/>
b. Blended (traditional and online)	<input type="checkbox"/>	What percentage?	<input type="text"/>
c. E-learning	<input type="checkbox"/>	What percentage?	<input type="text"/>
d. Correspondence	<input type="checkbox"/>	What percentage?	<input type="text"/>
f. Other	<input type="checkbox"/>	What percentage?	<input type="text"/>
Comments:			

## B Objectives

1. What is the main purpose for this course?
Students will learn about the background of advanced electronic devices and their operation with numerous examples of applications. The course introduces the concepts of electronic devices applications available today.
2. Briefly describe any plans for developing and improving the course that are being implemented. (e.g. increased use of IT or web based reference material, changes in content as a result of new research in the field)
1. Involving students in presentation of advanced topics of physical phenomena in semiconductor. 2. Lecture slides and tutorials, animations to further clarify the theoretical concepts

## C. Course Description (Note: General description in the form to be used for the Bulletin or handbook should be attached)

1. Topics to be Covered		
List of Topics	No. of Weeks	Contact Hours
An overview on Diodes, BJTs, and MOSFET.	1,2,3	3
BJTs with large-signals: h-parameters of T and $\Pi$ section resistor networks, Capacitance effects, Voltage and Current gain, loop gain of a feedback using return ratio, determine the loaded gain of a feedback amplifiers using 2-ports networks.	4,5,6	3
Op-Amp: Circuit structures, DC analysis of the 741, Gain, Frequency response, Slew rate, Loop-gain of feedback for series/shunt amplifiers, and A/D conversions.	7,8,9	3
Filters and tuned Amplifiers: Design second order active filters (LP, HP, and band-pass), switched-Capacitor filters, Tuned Amplifiers	10,11,12	3
MOS Field Effect Transistors (MOSFETs): MOSFETs as Amplifiers/Switches, Internal Capacitance in high frequencies, Frequency Response, Logic gate inverters.	13,14,15	3



2. Course components (total contact hours and credits per semester):						
	Lecture	Tutorial	Laboratory	Practical	Other:	Total
Contact Hours	45					45
Credit						

3. Additional private study/learning hours expected for students per week.	8hrs
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4. Course Learning Outcomes in NQF Domains of Learning and Alignment with Assessment Methods and Teaching Strategy
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Course Learning Outcomes, Assessment Methods, and Teaching Strategy work together and are aligned. They are joined together as one, coherent, unity that collectively articulate a consistent agreement between student learning, assessment, and teaching.

The *National Qualification Framework* provides five learning domains. Course learning outcomes are required. Normally a course has should not exceed eight learning outcomes which align with one or more of the five learning domains. Some courses have one or more program learning outcomes integrated into the course learning outcomes to demonstrate program learning outcome alignment. The program learning outcome matrix map identifies which program learning outcomes are incorporated into specific courses.

On the table below are the five NQF Learning Domains, numbered in the left column.

**First**, insert the suitable and measurable course learning outcomes required in the appropriate learning domains (see suggestions below the table). **Second**, insert supporting teaching strategies that fit and align with the assessment methods and intended learning outcomes. **Third**, insert appropriate assessment methods that accurately measure and evaluate the learning outcome. Each course learning outcomes, assessment method, and teaching strategy ought to reasonably fit and flow together as an integrated learning and teaching process. **Fourth**, if any program learning outcomes are included in the course learning outcomes, place the @ symbol next to it.

Every course is not required to include learning outcomes from each domain.

	NQF Learning Domains And Course Learning Outcomes	Course Teaching Strategies	Course Assessment Methods
<b>1.0</b>	<b>Knowledge</b>		
1.1	The aims of this course are to provide the students, upon completing the Electronics and Communication Engineering Program, with solid background knowledge and the understanding of the physical phenomena in a semiconductor such as carrier transport and generation-recombination.	Classroom lectures, power point slides and individual attention is used to develop knowledge of the course.	1. Exercises & Home works, Quizzes, Midterm, Project, Final Exam 2. Review outputs from the assignments in the computer lab and also from their assignments and projects.
1.2	This course will also provide students with the ability to illustrate and visualize quantum mechanical effects, energy band structure, electron and hole behavior and the response of carriers to an electric field.		
<b>2.0</b>	<b>Cognitive Skills</b>		
2.1	Identify and describe operation of semiconductor devices.	1. Assignments.	1. Mid and Final Exams
2.2	Analyze where and how analog components are used.		
2.3	Locate and select analog devices using component specifications based on circuit requirements.		
2.4	Construct operational circuits using analog devices.		
2.5	Select and demonstrate the use of appropriate test equipment to analyze circuit operation.		
2.6	Using appropriate troubleshooting techniques evaluate circuit performance applying suitable repair methods.		
<b>3.0</b>	<b>Interpersonal Skills &amp; Responsibility</b>		
3.1	Understand and communicate to others the importance and relevance of statistics in the modern world	1. Numerical Assignments 2. Students Presentations 3. Practical hardware problems to enable students to understand the components	1. Mid and Final Exams
3.2	Be an independent learner, able to acquire further knowledge with some guidance or support.		
3.3	Participate in group discussions		
3.4	Manage time and meet deadlines.		
<b>4.0</b>	<b>Communication, Information Technology, Numerical</b>		
4.1	Case studies: the key method of discovering a student's dexterity in analyzing	1. Written Examinations 2. Assignments 3. Quizzes	1. Assignments, exams, reports, presentations and quizzes will test their analytic skills and communication skills 2. Class discussions should indicate a student's prowess in responding
4.2	Their recommendations, opinions and suggestions		
4.3	Assignments, exams, reports, presentations and quizzes will test their analytic skills and communication skills		
4.4	Class discussions should indicate a student's prowess in responding		
<b>5.0</b>	<b>Psychomotor</b>		



5.1	Describing the operation of advanced electronic devices, analysing where and how these components are used and construction of operational circuit with these devices will develop psychomotor skill.	Explaining, demonstrating and providing physical exposure with the electronic devices.	The psychomotor skills developed in this course are assessed by assignments, presentations and project.
5.2			

#### Suggested Guidelines for Learning Outcome Verb, Assessment, and Teaching

NQF Learning Domains	Suggested Verbs
<b>Knowledge</b>	list, name, record, define, label, outline, state, describe, recall, memorize, reproduce, recognize, record, tell, write
<b>Cognitive Skills</b>	estimate, explain, summarize, write, compare, contrast, diagram, subdivide, differentiate, criticize, calculate, analyze, compose, develop, create, prepare, reconstruct, reorganize, summarize, explain, predict, justify, rate, evaluate, plan, design, measure, judge, justify, interpret, appraise
<b>Interpersonal Skills &amp; Responsibility</b>	demonstrate, judge, choose, illustrate, modify, show, use, appraise, evaluate, justify, analyze, question, and write
<b>Communication, Information Technology, Numerical</b>	demonstrate, calculate, illustrate, interpret, research, question, operate, appraise, evaluate, assess, and criticize
<b>Psychomotor</b>	demonstrate, show, illustrate, perform, dramatize, employ, manipulate, operate, prepare, produce, draw, diagram, examine, construct, assemble, experiment, and reconstruct



Suggested **verbs not to use** when writing measurable and assessable learning outcomes are as follows:

Consider	Maximize	Continue	Review	Ensure	Enlarge	Understand
Maintain	Reflect	Examine	Strengthen	Explore	Encourage	Deepen

Some of these verbs can be used if tied to specific actions or quantification.

**Suggested assessment methods and teaching strategies are:**

According to research and best practices, multiple and continuous assessment methods are required to verify student learning. Current trends incorporate a wide range of rubric assessment tools; including web-based student performance systems that apply rubrics, benchmarks, KPIs, and analysis. Rubrics are especially helpful for qualitative evaluation. Differentiated assessment strategies include: exams, portfolios, long and short essays, log books, analytical reports, individual and group presentations, posters, journals, case studies, lab manuals, video analysis, group reports, lab reports, debates, speeches, learning logs, peer evaluations, self-evaluations, videos, graphs, dramatic performances, tables, demonstrations, graphic organizers, discussion forums, interviews, learning contracts, antidotal notes, artwork, KWL charts, and concept mapping.

Differentiated teaching strategies should be selected to align with the curriculum taught, the needs of students, and the intended learning outcomes. Teaching methods include: lecture, debate, small group work, whole group and small group discussion, research activities, lab demonstrations, projects, debates, role playing, case studies, guest speakers, memorization, humor, individual presentation, brainstorming, and a wide variety of hands-on student learning activities.

#### 5. Schedule of Assessment Tasks for Students During the Semester

	Assessment task (e.g. essay, test, group project, examination, speech, oral presentation, etc.)	Week Due	Proportion of Total Assessment
1	Quizzes	4, 10	10
2	Mid Term	8, 12	20
3	Assignments	Throughout semester	5
4	Project	Throughout semester	25
	Final Exam	16	40
5	Quizzes	4, 10	10
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7			
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#### D. Student Academic Counseling and Support

1. Arrangements for availability of faculty and teaching staff for individual student consultations and academic advice. (include amount of time teaching staff are expected to be available each week)

**For individual student consultations and academic advice teaching staff is expected to be available 8 hours per week**

#### E. Learning Resources

1. List Required Textbooks

- Adel S. Sedra and Kenneth C. Smith "Microelectronic Circuits", 6th Edition, Oxford University Press, 2010

2. List Essential References Materials (Journals, Reports, etc.)

- Robert Boylestad and Louis Nashelsky, "Electronic Devices and Circuit Theory" 11th Edition, Prentice Hall, 2013.
- Thomas L. Floyd, "Electronics Fundamentals: Circuits, Devices & Applications", Prentice Hall; 8th Edition, 2009

3. List Recommended Textbooks and Reference Material (Journals, Reports, etc)

N/A

4. List Electronic Materials (eg. Web Sites, Social Media, Blackboard, etc.)

N/A

5. Other learning material such as computer-based programs/CD, professional standards or regulations and software.

N/A

#### F. Facilities Required

Indicate requirements for the course including size of classrooms and laboratories (i.e. number of seats in classrooms and laboratories, extent of computer access etc.)

1. Accommodation (Classrooms, laboratories, demonstration rooms/labs, etc.)

- A Lecture room having Multimedia projector for lectures and students presentation.



2. Computing resources (AV, data show, Smart Board, software, etc.)
N/A
3. Other resources (specify, e.g. if specific laboratory equipment is required, list requirements or attach list)
N/A

## G Course Evaluation and Improvement Processes

1 Strategies for Obtaining Student Feedback on Effectiveness of Teaching
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Course Survey and students Feedback for each learning outcome of the course</li> </ul>
2 Other Strategies for Evaluation of Teaching by the Program/Department Instructor
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Faculty meetings to discuss best practices and issues related to the course</li> <li>Comparison of the course content with similar courses offered in others colleges</li> <li>Updating course curriculum according to latest research done in the field.</li> </ul>
3 Processes for Improvement of Teaching
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Departmental Meetings</li> <li>Faculty Training</li> </ul>
4. Processes for Verifying Standards of Student Achievement (e.g. check marking by an independent member teaching staff of a sample of student work, periodic exchange and remarking of tests or a sample of assignments with staff at another institution)
N/A



5 Describe the planning arrangements for periodically reviewing course effectiveness and planning for improvement.

- Departmental Meetings and management meetings

**Faculty or Teaching Staff:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date Report Completed:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Received by:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Dean/Department Head**

**Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_