B.Sc. Honours in Chemistry

Under Required courses, CHEM 283 replaces CHEM 253 and CHEM 263 in a credit-neutral change. We are changing MATH 315 from a required course to a complementary course. As a department, we decided that 3 credits of ordinary differential equations are not core to a degree in chemistry. This will enable us to return some flexibility to our programs that was removed by the addition of CHEM 332 as required to retain accreditation. An additional 3 credits of Complementary courses are being added to maintain the credit weight of the program.
### 7.0 List of existing program and proposed program

#### Existing program (list courses as follows: Subj Code/Crse Num, Title, Credit weight, under the headings of: Required Courses, Complementary Courses, Elective Courses)

**Required Courses (56 credits)**

The required courses in this program consist of 53 credits in chemistry, physics and mathematics, listed below. The courses marked with an asterisk (*) are omitted from the program of students who have successfully completed them at the CEGEP level but the Chemistry courses must be replaced by courses in that discipline if students wish to be eligible for admission to the Ordre des chimistes du Québec. Students from outside Quebec or transfer students should consult the Academic Adviser.


A computer science course, either COMP 202 or COMP 208, is strongly recommended during U1 for students who have no previous introduction to computer programming. Students should contact their adviser on this matter. Completion of Mathematics MATH 222 and MATH 315 during U1 is also strongly recommended. Physics PHYS 242 should be completed during U2.

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- CHEM 297 Introductory Analytical Chemistry Laboratory (1 credit)
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- CHEM 322 Biological Chemistry
- CHEM 345 Molecular Properties and Structure 1 (3 credits)
- CHEM 355 Molecular Properties and Structure 2 (3 credits)
- CHEM 365 Statistical Thermodynamics (2 credits)
- CHEM 367 Instrumental Analysis 1 (3 credits)
- CHEM 377 Instrumental Analysis 2 (3 credits)
- CHEM 381 Inorganic Chemistry 2 (3 credits)
- CHEM 392 Integrated Inorganic/Organic Laboratory (3 credits)
- CHEM 493 Advanced Physical Chemistry Laboratory (2 credits)
- MATH 222 Calculus 3 (3 credits) **
- MATH 315 Ordinary Differential Equations (3 credits)
- PHYS 242 Electricity and Magnetism (2 credits)

**Complementary Courses (15 credits)**

6 credits of research*:

* Students may take up to 12 Research Project credits but only 6 of these may be used to fulfil the program requirement.

- CHEM 470 Research Project 1 (6 credits)
- CHEM 480 Research Project 2 (3 credits)

9 credits of additional Chemistry courses as follows:

- 3 credits of which must be at the 300 level or higher, and
- 6 credits of which must be at the 400 level or higher.

#### Proposed program (list courses as follows: Subj Code/Crse Num, Title, Credit weight, under the headings of: Required Courses, Complementary Courses, Elective Courses)

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**Complementary Courses (18 credits)**

6 credits of research*:

* Students may take up to 12 Research Project credits but only 6 of these may be used to fulfil the program requirement.

- CHEM 470 Research Project 1 (6 credits)
- CHEM 480 Research Project 2 (3 credits)

12 credits of additional courses as follows:

- 6 credits of Chemistry courses at the 300 level or higher, or MATH 315 plus 3 credits of Chemistry courses at the 300-level or higher, and
- 6 credits from chemistry courses at the 400 level or higher.
### 8.0 Consultation with Related Units

- [ ] Yes  
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