

Appendix A: Course Viability and Efficiency Schedule

1. Undergraduate Courses and their Components

This schedule was endorsed by Executive Group on 26 August 2020.

1. Viability Score

- 1.1: The following Viability Score applies to the undergraduate coursework suite:
- a. The Viability Score for Undergraduate courses and course components (majors and specialisations) is set at 50.

2. Efficiency Metric

- 2.1: At Undergraduate level, the following Efficiency Metric applies to courses:
- a. A course with 50-99 enrolments must have a core zone that is only essential units. It cannot contain a major or specialisation.
 - b. A course with 100-149 enrolments can have two units per 10cp option set in the core zone. It may have two majors/specialisations.
 - c. A course with 150-199 enrolments can have three units per 10cp option set in the core zone. It may have up to three majors/specialisations.
 - d. A course with 200-249 enrolments can have four units per 10cp option set in the core zone. It may have four majors/specialisations.
 - e. Four is the maximum number of units permitted in a 10cp option set. For each additional 50 enrolments, a course may have an additional major/specialisation, with 20 being the maximum number of majors/specialisations permitted (with 1000 commencers).

2.2: At Undergraduate level, the following Efficiency Metric applies to course components:

- a. A course component with 50-99 enrolments can have no option sets.
- b. A course component with 100-149 enrolments can have two units per 10 credit point option set.
- c. A course component with 150-199 enrolments can have three units per 10 credit point option set in the core zone.
- d. A course with 200-249 enrolments can have four units per 10 credit point option set in the core zone.
- e. Four is the maximum number of units permitted in a 10 credit point option set.

2.3: PACE Unit Option Set exemption

1. As per the Curriculum Architecture Policy, PACE units reside in the Core Zone of a course.
2. A course can hold a single PACE unit as a core zone essential unit or it can hold an option set with the number of elective units no larger than the number of approved course components.

2. Postgraduate Courses and their Components

This schedule was endorsed by Executive Group on 26 August 2020.

1. Viability Score:

1.1: The following Viability Score applies to the postgraduate coursework suite:

- a. The Viability Score for postgraduate courses and course components (majors and specialisations) is set at 25.

2. Efficiency Metric

2.1: At Postgraduate level, the following Efficiency Metric applies to courses:

- a. A course with 25-49 enrolments may only offer essential units. It cannot contain specialisations.
- b. A course with 50-74 enrolments can have two units per 10 credit point option set. It may have two specialisations.
- c. A course with 75-99 enrolments can have three units per 10 credit point option set. It may have up to three specialisations.
- d. A course with 100-124 enrolments can have four units per 10 credit point option set. It may have four specialisations.
- e. Four is the maximum number of units permitted in a 10 credit point option set, while 20 is the maximum number of specialisations permitted (with 500 commencers).

2.2: At Postgraduate level, the following Efficiency Metric applies to course components:

- f. A course component with 25-49 enrolments can have no option sets.
- g. A course component with 50-74 enrolments can have two units per 10 credit point option set.
- h. A course component with 75-99 enrolments can have three units per 10 credit point option set in the core zone.
- i. A course with 100-124 enrolments can have four units per 10 credit point option set in the core zone.
- j. Four is the maximum number of units permitted in a 10 credit point option set.