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**CURRICULUM PROPOSAL COVER SHEET**  
University-Wide Undergraduate Curriculum Committee

**I. CONTACT**

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Department Mathematics

**II. PROPOSAL TYPE (Check All Appropriate Lines)**

**COURSE** MATH 214 Discrete Mathematics  
Suggested 20 character title

\_\_\_\_\_ **New Course\*** \_\_\_\_\_  
Course Number and Full Title

**Course Revision** MATH 214 Discrete Mathematics  
Course Number and Full Title

\_\_\_\_\_ **Liberal Studies Approval+** \_\_\_\_\_  
**for new or existing course** Course Number and Full Title

\_\_\_\_\_ **Course Deletion** \_\_\_\_\_  
Course Number and Full Title

\_\_\_\_\_ **Number and/or Title Change** \_\_\_\_\_  
Old Number and/or Full Old Title  
\_\_\_\_\_  
New Number and/or Full New Title

**Course or Catalog Description Change** MATH 214 Discrete Mathematics  
Course Number and Full Title

\_\_\_\_\_ **PROGRAM:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Major** \_\_\_\_\_ **Minor** \_\_\_\_\_ **Track**

\_\_\_\_\_ **New Program\*** \_\_\_\_\_  
Program Name

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New Program Name

**III. Approvals (signatures and date)**

Gary Stevick 10/1/01  
Department Curriculum Committee

Gerald Buriok 10/1/01  
Department Chair

[Signature] 2/26/02  
College Curriculum Committee

[Signature] 2/27/02  
College Dean

+ Director of Liberal Studies (where applicable)

\* Provost (where applicable)

## **Part II. Description of Curriculum Change**

1. New syllabus of record. (Attached.)

2. Summary of proposed revisions.

The proposed change is in the prerequisite, replacing "MATH 123, 127, or 122" with "MATH 122 or 123."

a. Proposed new catalog description:

**MATH 219 Discrete Mathematics**

**3c-01-3sh**

**Prerequisite:** COSC 110 and MATH 122 or MATH 123

Topics include set algebra, mappings, relations, semigroups, groups, directed and undirected graphs, Boolean algebra, and propositional logic, with examples and applications of these to various areas of computer science. Emphasis is placed on developing an intuitive understanding of basic structures rather than formal theories and influence of these topics on theory and practice of computing.

b. Old catalog description

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3. Justification/rationale for change.

Several years ago there was a three-semester calculus sequence MA 127 Calculus I, MA 128 Calculus II, and MA 227 Calculus III. This sequence was deactivated in 1998 and we wish to remove all reference to these courses from the catalog.

4. Old syllabus of record. (Attached.)

5. Liberal Studies course approval form and checklist. (Not applicable.)

**Part III. Letters of Support. (Attached.)**

## New Syllabus of Record

### I. Catalog Description

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3 semester hours  
3 lecture hours  
0 lab hours  
(3c-0l-3sh)

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### II. Course Objectives

1. Students will know the basics of logic, set theory, and relations
2. Students will know set theoretical, graphic, and matrix interpretations of relations.
3. Students will know classifications of relations based on properties they satisfy.
4. Students will know applications of various types of relations to computer science.
5. Students will know basic structures of abstract algebra and their applications to computer science.

### III. Course Outline/Time Schedule:

- A. Fundamentals (8-9 hours)
  1. Sets and Subsets
  2. Sequences
  3. Operations on Sets
  4. Counting Sequences and Subsets
  5. Algorithms and Pseudocode
  6. Induction and Recursion
  7. Division in the Integers
  8. Matrices
- B. Relations and Digraphs (7 hours)
  1. Product Sets and Partitions
  2. Relations and Digraphs
  3. Paths in Relations and Digraphs
  4. Properties of Relations
  5. Computer Representations of Relations and Digraphs
  6. Manipulation of Relations
  7. Connectivity and Warshall's Algorithm
- C. Functions (3-4 hours)
  1. Functions
  2. Permutations
- D. Trees and Languages (7-8 hours)
  1. Trees
  2. Labeled Trees
  3. Languages
  4. Representations of Special Grammars
  5. Tree Searching
  6. Undirected Trees

- E. Semigroups and Groups (6-7 hours)
  - 1. Binary Operations
  - 2. Semigroups
  - 3. Products and Quotients of Semigroups
  - 4. Groups
  - 5. Products and Quotients of Groups
- F. Finite-State Machines and Languages (5-6 hours)
  - 1. Finite-State Machines
  - 2. Semigroups, Machines, and Languages
  - 3. Machines and Regular Languages
  - 4. Simplification of Machines

Depending on orientation and time, one may include the following topics.

- G. Order Relations and Structures (6-7 hours)
  - 1. Partially Ordered Sets
  - 2. Extremal Elements of Partially Ordered Sets
  - 3. Lattices
  - 4. Boolean Algebra
  - 5. Implementation of Boolean Functions
- H. Groups and Coding
  - 1. Coding of Binary Information and Error Detection (3-4 hours)
  - 2. Decoding and Error Correction

#### IV. Method of Instruction

This course is taught in a traditional classroom setting involving lecture, student participation in class, homework assignments, and written in-class evaluations. Computer programming assignments are optional.

#### V. Evaluation Methods

The final grade for the course will be determined as follows:

- 25% weekly quizzes and/or collected homework assignments.
- 75% three exams and a comprehensive final examination.

Grades will be assigned as follows:

- A: 90%-100%
- B: 80%-89%
- C: 70%-79%
- D: 60%-69%
- F: 0%-59%

#### VI. Required Textbooks, Supplemental Books and Readings

Required Textbook: Kolman, Bernard, and Busby, Robert, and Ross, Sharon Cutler, Discrete Mathematical Structures for Computer Science, 4<sup>th</sup> Ed., Prentice Hall, New Jersey, 2000.

#### VII. Special Resource Requirements.

None.

#### VIII. Bibliography

Dossey, John, et al. Discrete Mathematics, (4<sup>th</sup> ed.), New York: HarperCollins, 2001.

Rosen, Kenneth. Discrete Mathematics /Applications. (4<sup>th</sup> ed), New York, WCB/McGraw Hill, 1999.

Grimaldi, Ralph. Discrete and Combinatorial Mathematics, (4<sup>th</sup> ed.), New York, Addison Wesley Longman Inc, 1998.

# MA 219

Mathematics Department  
Indiana University of Pennsylvania  
Indiana, PA 15705

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**Course Title:** Discrete Mathematics  
**Credits:** 3 semester hours  
**Prerequisites:** CO 110 and MA 123, MA 127, or MA 122  
**Textbook:** Discrete Mathematical Structures for Computer Science  
by Kolman and Busby  
Prentice Hall  
**Revised:** 9/92

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Mathematics Department Curriculum Changes

Response Form

The Mathematics Department has informed me of the proposed changes listed below, and I support these changes.

The Mathematics Department has informed me of the proposed changes listed below, and I do not support these changes.

Comments:

Computer Science  
Department

Gay L. Buttenbach / June 18, 2001  
Chairperson / Date

1. Delete MATH 127 from prerequisite list for MATH 219.