

University: Alexandria Faculty: Science Program: Computer Science

## Form no. (12) Course Specification

## 1- Course Data

Course Code:	Course Title:	Academic Year/Level:
CS 307	Data and Algorithms Analysis	Third level (First semester)
Specialization:	No. of Instructional Units: Lectur	e 2 Lab 1
Computer Science		

2-	Course Aim	<ul> <li>This course is designed to encourage in students a sense of interest for Data and Algorithms Analysis concept and the applications in different contexts</li> <li>Provide a solid foundation in the major areas of Data and Algorithms Analysis</li> <li>Provide education and training of high quality in Algorithm design</li> </ul>	
3- a-	Intended Learning Knowledge and Understanding		
		a5. Evaluating and designing of algorithms	

b- Intellectual Skills	<ul> <li>b1. Manipulate and apply appropriate theories, principles and concepts relevant to Data and Algorithms Analysis</li> <li>b2. Critically assess and evaluate the literature within the field of Data and Algorithms Analysis</li> <li>b3 Deduce and interpret information from a variety of sources relevant Data and Algorithms Analysis</li> </ul>	
c- Professional Skills	<ul> <li>c1. Plan, design and execute practical activities using techniques and procedures Appropriate to Data and Algorithms Analysis</li> <li>c2. Execute a piece of independent research using Data and Algorithms Analysis and techniques;</li> </ul>	
d- General Skills	<ul> <li>d1. Develop appropriate effective written and oral communication skills relevant to the specific course of Data and Algorithms Analysis</li> <li>d2. Demonstrate the ability to work effectively as part of a group</li> <li>d3. Solve problems relevant to Data and Algorithms Analysis using ideas and techniques some of which are at the forefront of the discipline.</li> <li>d4. Solve problems relevant to applications in real life in computer science using old and new algorithms some of which are at the forefront of the discipline;</li> </ul>	
4- Course Content	<ul> <li>Problems, Complexity, Analysis;</li> <li>Asymptotics, Recurrences;</li> <li>The master method, Hashing,</li> <li>Dynamic programming,</li> <li>Greedy algorithms,</li> <li>Depth-1st search;</li> <li>Strongly, Connected components,</li> <li>Minimum spanning trees,</li> <li>Prim's and kruskal's algorithms,</li> <li>Single-source shortest paths;</li> <li>Bellman-ford, Dijkstra,</li> <li>All-pairs shortest paths;</li> <li>Floyd-warshall,</li> <li>Polynomial time and NP-completeness,</li> <li>Proving problems NP-complete,</li> <li>Approximation algorithms, String matching</li> </ul>	

5-	Teaching and Learning Methods	Lecturers – Home works - Oral discussion - Quizzes
	Teaching and Learning Methods for Students with Special Needs	NONE
7-	Student Assessment:	
a-	Procedures used:	Lecturers – tutorials- homework – oral discussion - Quizzes
b-	Schedule:	Mid-Term exam Week 10 Final exam Week 17
с-	Weighing of Assessment:	Term work (exam + home works) 20% Oral exam 10% Final exam 70%
8-	List of References:	An Introduction to the Analysis of Algorithms [Paperback] <u>Robert Sedgewick</u> , <u>Philippe Flajolet</u>
a-	Course Notes	Course notes provided by the Faculty member of Computer Science Division, Math department, to be handled at the beginning of the semester.

b-	Required Books (Textbooks)	Algorithms, Robert Sedgewick, Kevin Wayne
с-	Recommended Books	Analysis of Algorithms, Jeffrey McConnell
d-	Periodicals, Web Sites,, etc.	

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