

Required Computer Science Courses

34 Units

		Units
_____	COSC 236 Intro to Computer Science I	4
_____	COSC 237 Intro to Computer Science II	4
_____	COSC 290 Principles of Comp Architecture	4
_____	COSC 336 Data Structures & Algorithm Analysis	4
_____	COSC 350 Data Communications and Networking	3
_____	CIS 377 Information Systems Security	3
_____	COSC 412 Software Engineering	3
_____	COSC 439 Operating Systems	3
_____	COSC 455 Programming Languages	3
_____	COSC 457 Database Management Systems	3

Required Math Courses

15-16 Units

		Units
_____	MATH 263 Discrete Math OR	3
_____	MATH 267 Introduction to Abstract Math	4
_____	MATH 273 Calculus I	4
_____	MATH 274 Calculus II	4
_____	MATH 330 Intro to Statistical Methods	4

Required Core Courses

9 Units

		Units
_____	COMM 131 Speech Communication (Core 5)	3
_____	ENGL 317 Writing for Business (Core 9)	3
_____	COSC 418 Ethical Concerns (Core 14)	3

Required Science Courses

8 Units

Select two lab science courses from the following (the courses do not need to form a sequence):

		Units
_____	ASTR 161 Sky and Solar System	4
_____	ASTR 181 Stars, Galaxies, Universe	4
_____	BIOL 200 + L Intro to Cell Biology	4
_____	BIOL 202 Intro to Ecology/Evolution	4
_____	CHEM 131 + L General Chemistry I	4
_____	CHEM 132 + L General Chemistry II	4
_____	GEOL 121 Physical Geology	4
_____	PHYS 241 General Physics I	4
_____	PHYS 242 General Physics II	4

Elective COSC Courses

12 Units

Group A - At Least TWO of the Following:

		Units
_____	COSC 417 Intro to Computing Theory	3
_____	COSC 432 Req. Analysis and Modeling	3
_____	COSC 436 Obj-Oriented Design/Prog.	3
_____	COSC 459 Comp Simulation/Modeling	3
_____	COSC 461 Artificial Intelligence	3
_____	COSC 471 Computer Graphics	3
_____	COSC 483 Design/Analysis of Algorithms	3

Group B - At Least TWO of the Following:

(Only ONE of COSC 397/COSC 490/COSC 495 may be used)

		Units
_____	COSC 397 Internship	3
_____	COSC 431 Selected Topics COSC	3
_____	COSC 435 Mobile App Development	3
_____	COSC 440 Op Systems Security	3
_____	COSC 442 Software Assurance/Testing	3
_____	COSC 450 Network Security	3
_____	COSC 458 App Software Security	3
_____	COSC 465 Robotics	3
_____	COSC 484 Web-Based Programming	3
_____	COSC 495 Independent Study	3

Elective Math Courses

3-4 Units

Select one math course from the following:

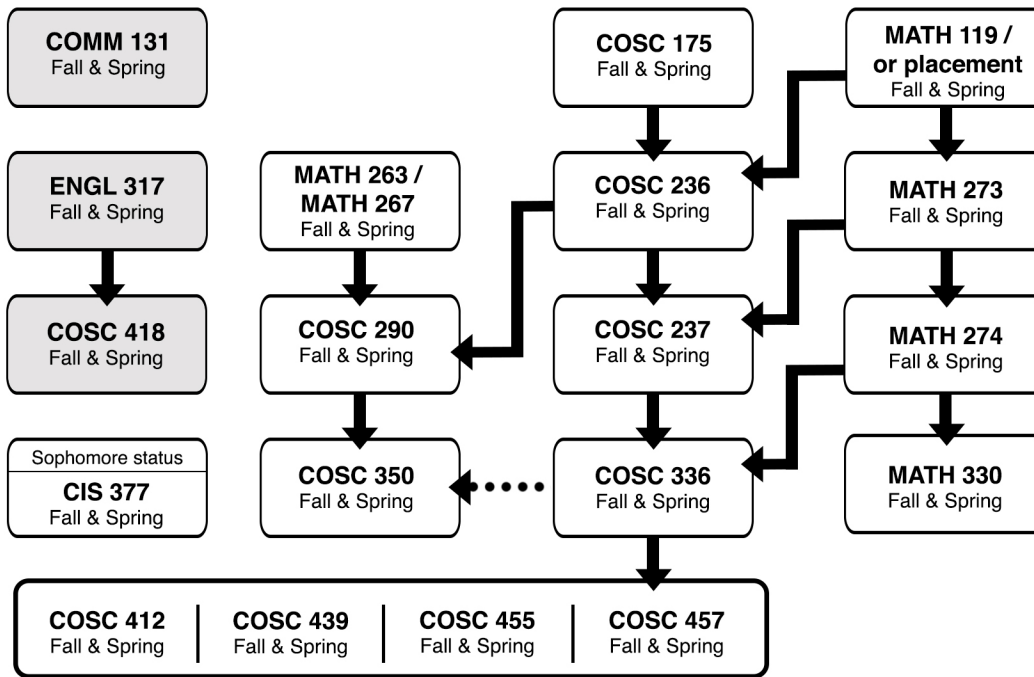
		Units
_____	MATH 265 Elementary Linear Algebra	4
_____	MATH 275 Calculus III	4
_____	MATH 314 Cryptography	3
_____	MATH 315 Applied Combinatorics	3
_____	MATH 369 Intro to Abstract Algebra	3
_____	MATH 374 Differential Equations	3
_____	MATH 377 Mathematical Models	3
_____	MATH 378 Scientific Modeling/Simulation	3
_____	MATH 435 Numerical Analysis I	3
_____	MATH 436 Numerical Analysis II	3
_____	MATH 437 Operations Research	3
_____	MATH 451 Graph Theory	3

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Major - Computer Science

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CORE COURSES



ELECTIVE PREREQUISITES

COSC 417	COSC 336
COSC 432	COSC 412
COSC 436	COSC 336
COSC 459	COSC 336, MATH 330
COSC 461	COSC 336
COSC 471	COSC 336
COSC 483	COSC 336
COSC 397	6 COSC units, 2.8+ GPA, IC
COSC 431	9 COSC units, IC
COSC 435	COSC 336
COSC 440	COSC 439
COSC 442	COSC 412
COSC 450	COSC 350, MATH 314
COSC 458	COSC 455, CoRq - COSC 457
COSC 465	COSC 336
COSC 484	COSC 336
COSC 495	Senior, IC

*IC is Instructor Consent

GROUP A ELECTIVES

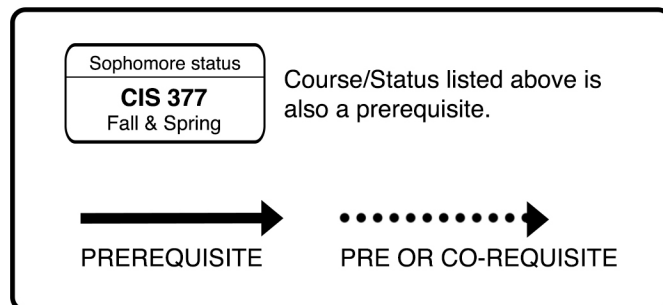
COSC 417 Spring	COSC 432 Fall	COSC 436 Fall & Spring	COSC 459 Spring
COSC 461 Spring	COSC 471 Occasionally	COSC 483 Fall	

GROUP B ELECTIVES

COSC 397 Fall & Spring	COSC 431 Occasionally	COSC 435 Fall & Spring	COSC 440 Fall	COSC 442 Spring
COSC 450 Fall	COSC 458 Fall	COSC 465 Occasionally	COSC 484 Fall & Spring	COSC 495 By permission

MATH PREREQUISITES

COURSE	PREREQUISITE
MATH 263	MATH 119 or 4 Years HS
MATH 265	MATH 211 OR 273
MATH 267	MATH 273
MATH 273	MATH 119
MATH 274	MATH 273
MATH 275	MATH 274
MATH 314	COSC 236, MATH 265 or 267, MATH 330
MATH 315	MATH 263, 265 or 267
MATH 330	MATH 274
MATH 374	MATH 274
MATH 377	MATH 265, 274, COSC 236
MATH 378	MATH 274, COSC 236
MATH 435	MATH 265, 274, COSC 236
MATH 436	MATH 435
MATH 437	MATH 265, 331
MATH 451	MATH 263 OR 267
MATH 467	MATH 369



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