

## 60403 - Analysing Geographical Information: Teledetection

### Información del Plan Docente

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<b>Semester</b>	Annual
<b>Subject Type</b>	Compulsory
<b>Module</b>	---

### **1.General information**

#### **1.1.Aims of the course**

#### **1.2.Context and importance of this course in the degree**

#### **1.3.Recommendations to take this course**

### **2.Learning goals**

#### **2.1.Competences**

#### **2.2.Learning goals**

#### **2.3.Importance of learning goals**

### **3.Assessment (1st and 2nd call)**

#### **3.1.Assessment tasks (description of tasks, marking system and assessment criteria)**

### **4.Methodology, learning tasks, syllabus and resources**

#### **4.1.Methodological overview**

The learning and teaching methodology developed in the course is aimed to promote the achievement of the learning objectives. A wide range of teaching and learning activities is implemented, such as lectures, practice sessions, practical exercises, individual or group activities, guided tasks and study.

A high level of student participation will be required from all students throughout the course.

Extensive material will be available *via* the Moodle site of the course. This offers a variety of resources including a repository of the lecture notes used in class, a course syllabus as well as other forms of course-specific materials,

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including a discussion forum.

### **4.2.Learning tasks**

The course includes the following learning tasks:

Topic 4.1.- Visual analysis of remote sensing images

- Lectures: 7.5 hours
- Interactive, individual or group activities: 7.5 hours
- Study: 19 hours
- Guided tasks: 50 minutes per student

Topic 4.2 Advanced digital processing of remote-sensing images

- Lectures: 15 hours
- Interactive, individual or group activities: 22.5 hours
- Study: 37 hours
- Guided tasks: 50 minutes per student
- Assessment: 75 minutes

Topic 4.3 Digital image classification and multi-temporal analysis

- Lectures: 7.5 hours
- Interactive, individual or group activities: 7.5 hours
- Field work: 17.5 hours
- Study: 29 hours
- Guided tasks: 50 minutes per student

Topic 4.4 Radar image interpretation

- Lectures: 15 hours
- Interactive, individual or group activities: 22.5 hours
- Study: 37 hours
- Guided tasks: 85 minutes per student
- Assessment: 50 minutes

Topic 4.5 Interpretation of hyperspectral image

- Lectures: 7.5 hours
- Interactive, individual or group activities: 7.5 hours
- Study: 17 hours
- Guided tasks: 50 minutes per student
- Assessment: 75 minutes

Topic 4.6 Interpretation of the LiDAR images

- Lectures: 6 hours
- Interactive, individual or group activities: 9 hours
- Study: 10 hours
- Guided tasks: 50 minutes per student
- Assessment: 50 minutes

### **4.3.Syllabus**

The course will address the following topics:

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### Topic 4.1.- Visual analysis of remote sensing images

- Introduction and conceptual issues.
- Visual analysis of satellite images: advantages and disadvantages.
- Photo-interpreter profile.
- Stages and levels of photo-interpretation.
- Methods and criteria for visual interpretation.
- Mapping projects based on remote sensing.

### Topic 4.2 Advanced digital processing of remote-sensing images

- Radiometric correction.
- Generation of artificial bands.
- Enhancement of satellite imagery: spatial filters.
- Spectral signatures.
- Image fusion techniques.

### Topic 4.3 Digital image classification and multi-temporal analysis

- Digital image classification: basic concepts, methods and applications.
- The supervised and unsupervised methods: theoretical principles, training techniques, mapping methods and verification process.
- Change detection techniques.

### Topic 4.4 Radar image interpretation

- Principles of remote sensing radar
- Platforms, sensors and image types.
- Radiometric calibration and elimination of the speckle
- Geometric correction methods and interferometry.
- Practice: applying techniques of visualization, calibration, speckle removal, geometric correction and interferometry on radar images.

### Topic 4.5 Interpretation of hyperspectral image

- Conceptual issues of hyperspectral images.
- Hyperspectral sensors.
- Hyperspectral images processing

### Topic 4.6 Interpretation of the LiDAR images

- Introduction to LiDAR technology
- Visualization and processing of the point-cloud.
- LIDAR images applications

## 4.4.Course planning and calendar

For further details concernig the timetable, classroom and other information of the course please refer to the "*Facultad de Filosofía y Letras*" website (<https://fyl.unizar.es/horario-de-clases#overlay-context=horario-de-clases>)

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