

BACHELOR OF COMPUTER SCIENCE (C2001) – 2021

Data Science Specialisation

Year 1 / Level 1 (48 credit points)

July/Oct Semester	FIT1045 Algorithms and programming fundamentals in python	FIT1047 Introduction to computer systems, networks and security	MAT1830 Discrete mathematics for computer science	Elective
February Semester	FIT1008 Introduction to computer science [FIT1045]	FIT1043 Introduction to data science [Completion of Year 12 Maths]	MAT1841 Continuous mathematics for computer science	FIT1055 IT professional practice and ethics [12 pts FIT study]

Year 2 / Level 2 (48 credit points)

July Semester	FIT2014 Theory of computation [FIT1045 & MAT1830]	FIT2086 Modelling for data science [FIT1045 & MAT1830 & one of MAT1841, MAT2003, MTH1030 or MTH1035]	Elective	Elective
February Semester	FIT2004 Algorithms and data structures [FIT1008 & 6 pts L1 Maths]	FIT2094 Databases [One of FIT1045, FIT1048 or FIT1051]	Elective	Elective

Year 3 / Level 3 (48 credit points)

July Semester	FIT3163 Data science project 1 [FIT1043, FIT1055, FIT2004, FIT2086, FIT2094]	Level 3 Data Science Approved Elective*	FIT3179 Data visualization [24pts level 1 study]	Elective
Summer Semester	FIT3199 Industry work experience (0 credit points) [Completed a minimum of 96 credit points including FIT1055]			
February Semester	FIT3164 Data science project 2 [FIT3163]	Level 3 Data Science Approved Elective*	Level 3	Elective

List of elective units offered at the School of Information Technology, Monash University Malaysia.

The following electives are offered at both the Australia and Malaysia campuses. If you intend to apply for the [global intercampus program](#), please refer to the [course handbook](#) for electives which are offered specifically at the Australia campus. Note that the FIT3081, FIT3134 & FIT3183 units are currently offered at the Malaysia campus. In addition to the minimum two level 3 data science approved electives, you can utilize the elective slots in the course map to enrol for additional level 3 data science electives.

Apart from the listed electives below, you may opt to enrol for electives offered by other courses at Monash University, provided that you fulfil the unit prerequisites.

Level 1 Elective

FIT1051 Programming fundamentals in JAVA

Level 2 Electives

FIT2081 Mobile application development

FIT2093 Introduction to cybersecurity

FIT2099 Object oriented design and implementation

FIT2100 Operating systems

FIT2101 Software engineering process & management

FIT2102 Programming paradigms

FIT2107 Software quality and testing

*Level 3 Data Science Approved Electives

FIT3003 Business intelligence and data warehousing

FIT3152 Data analytics

FIT3181 Deep learning

FIT3182 Big data management and processing

FIT3183 Malicious AI & dark side security

Level 3 Electives

FIT3077 Software engineering: architecture & design

FIT3080 Artificial intelligence

FIT3081 Image processing

FIT3134 Entrepreneurship

FIT3143 Parallel computing

FIT3159 Computer architecture

FIT3155 Advanced data structures and algorithms

FIT3175 Usability

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Additional Notes

Credit points	Unless specified, all units are worth 6 credit points Bachelor of Computer Science in Data Science 24 units x 6 credit points = Total of 144 credit points
Year Level Requirements	1) Normally 48 points and a maximum of 60 points of first year level units will be counted. 2) At least 36 points must be completed at third year level.
Unit requisites	All pre-requisite and co-requisite requirements must be undertaken to be able to enrol into a specific unit.
Duration of degree	3 years full-time, 6 years part-time
Course duration	You have a maximum of 8 years to complete this course including any periods of intermission and suspension and must be continuously enrolled throughout.
Monash University handbook	Students should follow the course requirements for the year the course was commenced https://www.monash.edu/students/handbooks/faculty-info/undergrad/it