

Table 1: Lecture - Lab Credit/Contact Hour Combinations for SCH, Local Need, and Special Topics Courses

Semester Credit Hour	PREFERRED* Contact Hour Range per Semester	Lecture /wk	Lab/ wk	Contact /sem	ALLOWABLE** Contact Hour Range per Semester***	Lecture /wk	Lab /wk	Contact /sem
1	16-48	1	0	16	16-64	1	1	32
		0	2	32		0	4	64
		0	3	48				
2	32-80	2	0	32	32-128	2	1	48
		1	2	48		0	5	80
		1	3	64		0	6	96
		1	4	80		0	7	112
		0	4	64		0	8	128
3	48-96	3	0	48	48-144	3	1	64
		2	2	64		1	5	96
		2	3	80		1	6	112
		2	4	96		1	7	128
		1	4	80		1	8	144
4	64-128	4	0	64	64-160	4	1	80
		3	2	80		2	5	112
		3	3	96		2	7	144
		3	4	112		2	8	160
		2	4	96		1	9	160
		2	6	128				
5	80-144	5	0	80	80-176	5	1	96
		4	2	96		3	5	128
		4	3	112		3	7	160
		4	4	128		3	8	176
		3	4	112		2	9	176
		3	6	144				

\*Preferred contact hours and combinations are those that typically represent best practices or the most common course patterns.

\*\*Allowable Range includes Preferred Combinations and Other Allowable Combinations.

\*\*\*Other allowable combinations are available for specific circumstances.