

## LMAT2120

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## Galois theory and groups representtions

5.0 credits	45.0 h + 15.0 h	2q

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Language :	Français
Place of the course	Louvain-la-Neuve
Main themes :	Galois theory: field extensions and their automorphisms; translation of field extensions properties in terms of the associated groups and applications to some classical problems (solvability by radicals, ruler and compass constructions). Group representations: character of a linear representation; group algebras and induced representations.
Aims:	After this course, students should be able to use the methods of abstract algebra to analyse situations with a high degree of symmetry and those where the rationality domain plays an important role, such as questions of solvability by radicals, and ruler and compass constructions. A special emphasis will be laid on techniques which use the representation of symmetry groups as groups of vector space transformations.  The contribution of this Teaching Unit to the development and command of the skills and learning outcomes of the programme(s) can be accessed at the end of this sheet, in the section entitled "Programmes/courses offering this Teaching Unit".
Other infos :	Precursorycourses A first course in linear algebra  Support J. Rotman : Galois theory (2d edition), Springer 1998J-P. Serre : Représentations linéaires des groupes finis, Hermann 1971
Cycle and year of study:	> Master [60] in Mathematics > Master [120] in Mathematics
Faculty or entity in charge:	MATH