BS in Statistics: Statistical Science (695220) MAP Sheet
Physical and Mathematical Sciences, Statistics
For students entering the degree program during the 2022-2023 curricular year.

University Core and Graduation Requirements
University Core Requirements:
Requirements#ClassesHoursClasses
Religion Cornerstones
Teachings and Doctrine of The Book of Mormon12.0from approved list
Jesus Christ and the Everlasting Gospel12.0from approved list
Foundations of the Restoration12.0REL C 225
The Eternal Family12.0from approved list
The Individual and Society
American Heritage1-23-6.0from approved list
Global and Cultural Awareness13.0from approved list
Skills
First Year Writing13.0from approved list
Advanced Written and Oral Communications13.0from approved list
Quantitative Reasoning14.0MATH 112*
Languages of Learning (Math or Language)14.0MATH 112*
Arts, Letters, and Sciences
Civilization 111.0from approved list
Civilization 211.0from approved list
Arts13.0from approved list
Letters13.0from approved list
Biological Science13-4.0from approved list
Physical Science1–23-7.0from approved list
Social Science13.0from approved list
Core Enrichment: Electives
Religion Electives3-46.0from approved list
Open Electives3-46.0from approved list
*THESE CLASSES FILL BOTH UNIVERSITY CORE AND PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS (4 hours overlap)
Graduation Requirements:
Minimum residence hours required30.0
Minimum hours needed to graduate120.0
Suggested Sequence of Courses
Freshman Year
1st Semester
First Year Writing3.0
MATH 112 (FWSpSu)4.0
STAT 1213.0
STAT 1300.5
Arts3.0
Religion Cornerstone course2.0
Total Hours15.5
2nd Semester
American Heritage3.0
MATH 113 (FWSpSu)4.0
STAT 2303.0
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Note 1: Students should take STAT 130 the semester they declare themselves as a Statistics Major.

Note 2: The sequence of courses suggested may not fit the circumstances of every student. Students should contact their college advisement center for help in outlining an efficient schedule.

Note 3: Students are encouraged to complete an average of 15 credit hours each semester or 30 credit hours each year, including spring and/or summer terms, to reach the 120 credit minimum needed to graduate. Taking fewer credits substantially increases the number of semesters to graduate.

Note 4: Students must have the statistics core completed before their senior year in order to graduate within four years.

Note 5: Open elective credits can be classes of your choosing, classes for a minor, or credits that have already been earned through AP classes, transfer credits, etc.

BS in Statistics: Statistical Science (695220)2022-2023 Program Requirements (53.5 Credit Hours)

requirement 1 Complete 2 courses
STAT 121 - Principles of Statistics 3.0
STAT 130 - Introduction to the Department of Statistics 0.5

requirement 2 Complete 5 courses
Statistics core courses:
STAT 230 - Statistical Modeling 1 3.0
STAT 240 - Probability and Inference 1 3.0
STAT 250 - Applied R Programming 3.0
STAT 330 - Statistical Modeling 2 3.0
STAT 340 - Probability and Inference 2 3.0

requirement 3 Complete 4 courses
Mathematical foundation courses:
*MATH 112 - Calculus 1 4.0
MATH 113 - Calculus 2 4.0
MATH 213 - Elementary Linear Algebra 2.0
MATH 215 - Computational Linear Algebra 1.0

requirement 4 Complete 3.0 hours from the following course(s)
C S 111 - Introduction to Computer Science 3.0
HLTH 440 - Introduction to Statistical Computing in Epidemiology (SAS) 3.0
IS 520 - Business Programming and Spreadsheet Automation 3.0
STAT 286 - Data Science Ecosystems 3.0

requirement 5 Complete 1 course
MATH 314 - Calculus of Several Variables 3.0

requirement 6 Complete 6.0 hours from the following course(s)
STAT 435 - Nonparametric Statistical Methods 3.0
STAT 437 - Applications in Biostatistics 3.0
STAT 451 - Applied Bayesian Statistics 3.0
STAT 466 - Introduction to Reliability 3.0
STAT 469 - Analysis of Correlated Data 3.0
STAT 482 - Data Science Capstone 1 3.0
STAT 483 - Data Science Capstone 2 3.0
STAT 486 - Machine Learning 3.0
STAT 495R - Special Topics in Statistics 3.0
STAT 531 - Experimental Design 3.0
STAT 538 - Survival Analysis 3.0
requirement 7 Complete 12.0 hours from the following course(s)
Note: Courses used in Requirements 4 and 6 will not double count here. Note: No more than 3.0 hours of any combination of STAT 496R and STAT 497R can be used for this requirement.

- C S 110 - How to Program 3.0
- C S 111 - Introduction to Computer Science 3.0
- MATH 334 - Ordinary Differential Equations 3.0
- MATH 341 - Theory of Analysis 1 3.0
- MATH 342 - Theory of Analysis 2 3.0
- STAT 234 - Methods of Survey Sampling 3.0
- STAT 251 - Introduction to Bayesian Statistics 3.0
- STAT 274 - Theory of Interest 3.0
- STAT 286 - Data Science Ecosystems 3.0
- STAT 381 - Statistical Computing 3.0
- STAT 386 - Data Science Process 3.0
- STAT 395R - Special Topics in Applied Statistics 3.0v
- STAT 435 - Nonparametric Statistical Methods 3.0
- STAT 437 - Applications in Biostatistics 3.0
- STAT 451 - Applied Bayesian Statistics 3.0
- STAT 466 - Introduction to Reliability 3.0
- STAT 469 - Analysis of Correlated Data 3.0
- STAT 482 - Data Science Capstone 1 3.0
- STAT 483 - Data Science Capstone 2 3.0
- STAT 486 - Machine Learning 3.0
- STAT 495R - Special Topics in Statistics 3.0v
You may take up to 3 credit hours.

- STAT 496R - Academic Internship: Statistics 9.0v
- STAT 497R - Introduction to Statistical Research 3.0v
- STAT 531 - Experimental Design 3.0
- STAT 538 - Survival Analysis 3.0

It is strongly recommended that students interested in graduate study in statistics choose electives to prepare for the BYU BS/MS statistics integrated program by meeting with the Statistics Department graduate coordinator.

THE DISCIPLINE:
Statisticians apply sophisticated methods to increasingly massive data sets to discover insights into important business, government, and health policy questions. The curriculum and degrees offered through the Department of Statistics are designed to equip students with decision-making skills for careers as professional statisticians in industrial organizations, government agencies, insurance companies, pharmaceutical companies, universities, and research institutes.

While the Statistical Science emphasis is designed to prepare students for graduate programs, all students in the Statistical Science emphasis leave BYU with a resourceful, disciplined, and flexible approach to statistics, an enhanced capacity to analyze and interpret data, a broadened perspective on the impact of data in decisionmaking, and a well-developed capacity for understanding and communicating statistical results.

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES:
The increase of big data and analytics across disciplines is creating new challenges and opportunities for statisticians. The Statistical Science emphasis prepares students to enter competitive graduate programs in statistics. The technical tools statisticians acquire are useful in many areas and for this reason a statistics degree is also excellent preparation for public administration. Recent alumni who did not go to graduate school are working at Adobe, Saks Fifth Avenue, Qualtrics, Milliman, Pariveda Solutions, and the Utah Governor's Office of Planning and Budget.

CERTIFICATION:
SAS Certified Base Programmer and SAS Certified Advanced Programmer. Students can take the SAS Certification exams after completing

**SAS/BYU Applied Statistics and Advanced SAS Programming Certificate.** Students who earn a B or higher in the applied and computing core classes (Stat 124, 224, 230, 330, 381) are eligible to receive a certificate jointly issued by SAS and BYU which can be listed on a resume. More information is available at https://statistics.byu.edu/content/sas-certificate-opportunities.

**INTERNSHIPS:**

**MAP DISCLAIMER**
While every reasonable effort is made to ensure accuracy, there are some student populations that could have exceptions to listed requirements. Please refer to the university catalog and your college advisement center/department for complete guidelines.

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