

**CC72L TOPICOS AVANZADOS EN MANEJO DE DATOS**  
**05 UD**

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**Requisitos :** CC42A / CC55A / Autor

The course will deal with information integration, data warehousing and on-line analytical processing (OLAP). Including the relevant foundations from database theory. Course requirements, besides coming to the lectures, will include a problem set (30% of the mark), a term project (40%), and a presentation in class of a relevant paper from the literature (25%). The remaining 5% is for class participation.

**1. Relational Databases and Query Languages**

- First-order logic.
- Relational databases; algebra and calculus.
- Recursive queries, DATALOG.
- Expressive power and complexity of query languages.

**2. Conjunctive Queries**

- Conjunctive queries, query containment.
- Using materialized views in queries.

**3. Information Integration**

- The mediator/wrapper model.
- Information integration using views.
- Semistructured data, XML.

**4. Data Warehousing and OLAP**

- Data warehouse design and maintenance
- OLAP vs. OLTP.
- Schema design form OLAP.
- Datacubes and their evaluation.
- Physical data organization for OLAP.

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