

# INFS 3003 ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE

**Credit Points** 10

**Legacy Code** 301174

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**Description** This unit provides basic studies in the major areas of artificial intelligence: search, knowledge representation, logic programming, machine learning and knowledge based systems, agent planning and learning. The first part of this unit will focus on the foundation of artificial intelligence: search algorithms and their implementations, game playing, logics and knowledge representation, and inference in reasoning systems. The second part will cover the principles of knowledge based systems (intelligent systems), planning, and machine learning.

**School** Computer, Data & Math Sciences

**Discipline** Information Systems

**Student Contribution Band** HECS Band 2 10cp

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**Level** Undergraduate Level 3 subject

**Pre-requisite(s)** MATH 1006 AND COMP 2009

**Equivalent Subjects** LGYA 5740 Artificial Intelligence LGYA 5781 Knowledge Based Systems INFS 3013 Intelligent Systems

## Assumed Knowledge

Basic understanding of data structures and algorithms and basic programming skills in Pascal C/C++ or Java etc.

## Learning Outcomes

On successful completion of this subject, students should be able to:

1. Articulate the major concepts of artificial intelligence and knowledge based systems and their historical context
2. Implement well designed and various search algorithms for problem solving
3. Implement a well designed proper two-person game playing programs for specific tasks
4. Devise first order logics to formalise proper real world domains
5. Apply proper first order inference procedures to solve reasoning problems
6. Analyse the process of agent planning
7. Implement the Decision Tree Learning algorithm

## Subject Content

Introduction to Artificial Intelligence and Knowledge Based Systems

Search I: Solving Problems by Search

Search II: Informed Search (A\* Search)

Search III: Game Playing

Reasoning and Logic

First Order Logic

Development of Intelligent Systems

Planning and Acting  
Learning Decision Trees  
Decision Making

## Assessment

The following table summarises the standard assessment tasks for this subject. Please note this is a guide only. Assessment tasks are regularly updated, where there is a difference your Learning Guide takes precedence.

Item	Length	Percent	Threshold	Individual/ Group Task
Report	20% each. Each assignment will require about 12 hours work.	40	N	Individual
Practical	5% for each lab practice demonstrator Each practical will require about 4 hours work.	10	N	Individual
Final Exam	2 hours	50	Y	Individual

Teaching Periods

## Spring

### Penrith (Kingswood)

#### Day

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