

These programme regulations should be read in conjunction with the University's [core regulations for postgraduate programmes](#), and the [marking and classification conventions for postgraduate programmes](#).

## **MSc Scientific Computing and Data Analysis (Earth and Environmental Sciences) (G5T109)**

### **[First intake in 2021/22]**

1. Location: Durham City
2. Duration: 12 months (full-time)

### **Programme structure**

3. All candidates shall study and be assessed in the following modules:

		<b>Credit value</b>
Core Ia: Introduction to Machine Learning and Statistics ~	<a href="#">PHYS51915</a>	15
Core Ib: Introduction to Scientific and High Performance Computing ~	<a href="#">PHYS52015</a>	15
Professional Skills	<a href="#">COMP51915</a>	15
Project ~	<a href="#">COMP52060</a>	60

4. Candidates on the Earth and Environmental Sciences Stream shall also study and be assessed in the following modules:

		<b>Credit value</b>
Earth and Environmental Sciences	<a href="#">GEOL50130</a>	30

5. Candidates shall also study and be assessed in modules to the value of 45 credits from List A:

<b>List A:</b>		<b>Credit value</b>
Advanced Statistical and Machine Learning: Foundations and Unsupervised Learning	<a href="#">MATH52015</a>	15
Advanced Statistics and Machine Learning: Regression and Classification	<a href="#">MATH52115</a>	15
Data Acquisition and Image Processing	<a href="#">PHYS52115</a>	15
Performance Engineering and Advanced Algorithms	<a href="#">COMP52315</a>	15
Continuous and Discrete Systems	<a href="#">COMP52215</a>	15

### **Assessment, progression and award**

6. Modules Marked with a ~ must be passed at 50% or above; a mark of 40-49% cannot be compensated.
7. If a candidate fails a module he/she may be given the opportunity to resit the relevant examination(s) before the end of the academic year at a time to be determined by the Department.
8. There is no resit opportunity for the project (COMP52060).