

# **FOOTHILL COLLEGE**

# Institutional Research and Planning

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RE: **Biology Section Offerings** 

#### **Overview**

Biology courses offered during 2010-11 and 2011-12 were identified and counted to determine how many sections were offered for each course. These numbers were summed and reported as an annual figure. In both years, the largest number of sections was offered in BIOL 40A, 10, 40B and 41. Overall, even with small changes in the number of sections offered by course, the total number of sections offered remained consistent at 167.

Table 1. Foothill College Biology Sections Offered by Course Number, 2010-2012.

		<u>2010-11</u>	<u>2011-12</u>	2010 to 2012
Department	Course	# Sections	# Sections	# Sections Change
BIOL	F001A	9	9	0
BIOL	F001B	6	6	0
BIOL	F001C	6	5	-1
BIOL	F001D	1	1	0
BIOL	F008.	2	5	3
BIOL	F009.	2	2	0
BIOL	F009L	2	2	0
BIOL	F010.	22	21	-1
BIOL	F012.	3	3	0
BIOL	F013.	4	4	0
BIOL	F014.	6	8	2
BIOL	F015.	1	1	0
BIOL	F034H	1	2	1
BIOL	F040A	25	23	-2
BIOL	F040B	23	21	-2
BIOL	F040C	18	16	-2
BIOL	F041.	19	20	1
BIOL	F045.	5	7	2
BIOL	F058.	3	2	1
BIOL	F996.	9	9	0
BIOL	Total	167	167	

## Methodology

Sections were counted based on course record numbers (these are unique numbers). For 2010-11, academic periods included summer, fall, winter and spring while in 2011-12, the academic periods also included early summer.

## <u>Source</u>

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