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Course plan

Study week Calendar week	Weekday	Date	Hours	Room	Activity	#	Respon- sible	Topics
LV1	Tue	16/1	8–10	MVF23	Lecture	1	ABS	Introduction; simple and hard problems; introduction of project 1
3	Wed	17/1	15-17	MVF23	Lecture	2	ABS	Lagrangean relaxation, I
	Fri	19/1	13-15	MVF23	Lecture	3	ABS	Lagrangean relaxation, II
LV2	Tue	23/1	8-10	MVF23	Lecture	4	ABS	Lagrangean relaxation, III
4	Wed	24/1	15–17	MVF23	Workshop	5	ABS + students	Workshop: discrete network design
	Fri	26/1	15 17	MVF23	Lecture	6	ABS	and Lagrangean relaxation
LV3	Tue	30/1	15–17 8–10	MVF23 MVF23	Lecture	7		Lagrangean relaxation, IV
LV3		31/1					ABS	Column generation, I
5	Wed	2/2	15–17	MVF23	Lecture	8	ABS	Column generation, II
LV4	Fri	6/2	10–12	FL41 MVF23	Lecture	9	ABS	Column generation, III
LV4	Tue Wed	7/2	8–10 15–17	MVF23 MVF23	Lecture	10	ABS ABS	Computational complexity
6	Thu	8/2	23:55	NIVF23	Lecture Deadline	11	Students	Introduction of project 2
								Hand in report (also to opponents)
							ABS +	and program of project 1
LV5	Wed	14/2	15–17	MVF23	Workshop	12	students	Workshop: Technical discussion on project 2
7	Fri	16/2	14–17	MVF23	Present- ation	13,14	Students	Presentations of & opposition on project 1
LV6	Wed	21/2	15-17	MVF23	Lecture	15	ABS	Benders decomposition
8	Fri	23/2	15-17	MVF23	Lecture	16	ABS	Combining decomposition principles
LV7 9							Students	Project work
LV8	Tue	6/3	23:55		Deadline		Students	Hand in report of project 2 (also to opponents)
10	Thu	8/3	16:00		Deadline		Students	Hand in program of project 2
			16:30		Release		ABS	Release of competition instance
	Fri	9/3	10-12	EL41	Present-	17	Students	Presentations of & opposition on
			13–14	MVF23	ation	18		project 2
LV9					Oral		ABS +	
11				tbd	exam		students	Exam week: possibly oral exam
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The shadowed fields indicate mandatory presence for passing the course