

GE UNITS FOR DOUBLE COUNTING

CSU – GE BREADTH (Semester & Quarter System) **Updated Version 2021**

Maximum **Semester** units for double count: **39 units / 33 units for STEM programs**

Maximum **Quarter** units for double count: **58 units / 44 units for STEM programs**

Area A: Communication in the English Language & Critical Thinking

	Semester	QTR	QTR
A1: Oral Communication	3 units	4 units	5 units
A2: Written Communication	3 units	4 units	5 units
A3: Critical Thinking	3 units	4 units	5 units
Maximum units in Area A	9 units	12 units	15 units

Area B: Physical Universe & Its Life Forms

	Semester	QTR	QTR
B1: Physical Science	3 units	4 units	5 units
B2: Life Science	3 units	4 units	5 units
B3: Laboratory Activity	1 units	1 unit	1 unit
B4: Mathematics / Quantitative Reasoning	3 units	4 units	5 units
Maximum units in Area B	10 units	13 units	16 units

Area C: Arts, Literature, Philosophy, & Languages Other Than English

	Semester	QTR	QTR
C1: Arts (Arts, Cinema, Dance, Music, Theatre)	3 units	4 units	5 units
C2: Humanities (Literature, Philosophy, Languages other than English)	3 units	4 units	5 units
Maximum units in Area C	9 units	12 units	15 units
* C1 or C2 may be counted twice			

Area D: Social, Political, and Economic Institutions

	Semester	QTR	QTR
D0: Sociology & Criminology	3 units	4 units	5 units
D1: Anthropology & Archaeology	3 units	4 units	5 units
D2: Economics	3 units	4 units	5 units
D3: Ethnic Studies	3 units	4 units	5 units
D4: Gender Studies	3 units	4 units	5 units
D5: Geography	3 units	4 units	5 units
D6: History	3 units	4 units	5 units
D7: Interdisciplinary, Social or Behavioral Science	3 units	4 units	5 units
D8: Political Science, Government & Legal Institutions	3 units	4 units	5 units
D9: Psychology	3 units	4 units	5 units
Maximum units in Area D	6 units	8 units	10 units
* D0 – D9 may be counted only twice			

Area E: Lifelong Learning and Self-Development

	Semester	QTR	QTR
E: Lifelong Learning and Self-development	3 units	4 units	5 units
Maximum units in Area E Dance 1 unit – Movement Up to 3 units	1-3 units	4 units	5 units

Area F: Ethnic Studies

	Semester	QTR	QTR
F: Ethnic Studies	3 units	4 units	5 units
Maximum units in Area E	3 units	4 units	5 units

IGETC (Semester & Quarter System)

Maximum **Semester** units for double count: **37 units**

Maximum **Quarter** units for double count: **49 units**

Area 1: English Communication

	Semester	QTR	QTR
1A: English Composition	3 units	4 units	5 units
1B: Critical Thinking, English Composition	3 units	4 units	5 units
1C: Oral Communication (CSU only)	3 units	4 units	5 units
Maximum units in Area 1	9 units	12 units	15 units

Area 2: Mathematical Concepts and Quantitative Reasoning

	Semester	QTR	QTR
2A: Math	3 units	4 units	5 units
Maximum units in Area 2	3 units	4 units	5 units

Area 3: Arts and Humanities

	Semester	QTR	QTR
3A: Arts	3 units	4 units	5 units
3B: Humanities	3 units	4 units	5 units
Maximum units in Area 3	9 units	12 units	15 units
* 3A or 3B may be counted twice			

Area 4: Social and Behavioral Sciences

	Semester	QTR	QTR
4A: Anthropology and Archaeology	3 units	4 units	5 units
4B: Economics	3 units	4 units	5 units
4C: Ethnic Studies	3 units	4 units	5 units
4D: Gender Studies	3 units	4 units	5 units
4E: Geography	3 units	4 units	5 units
4F: History	3 units	4 units	5 units
4G: Interdisciplinary, Social or Behavioral Science	3 units	4 units	5 units
4H: Political Science, Government & Legal Institutions	3 units	4 units	5 units
4I: Psychology	3 units	4 units	5 units
4J: Sociology & Criminology	3 units	4 units	5 units
Maximum units in Area 4	9 units	12 units	15 units
* 4A – 4J may be counted only twice			

Area 5: Physical and Biological Sciences

	Semester	QTR	QTR
5A: Physical Science	3 units	4 units	5 units
5B: Biological Science	3 units	4 units	5 units
5C: Laboratory Activity	1 unit	1 unit	1 unit
Maximum units in Area 5	7 units	9 units	11 units

Area 6: Language other than English (UC requirement only):

Proficiency equivalent to two years of high school study in the same language

IGETC for STEM (Semester & Quarter System)

Maximum **Semester** units for double count: **31 units**

Maximum **Quarter** units for double count: **41 units**

* All courses in Area 1 (except 1C for UC bound students), Area 2, and Area 5 of the traditional IGETC. Two courses in Area 3 and two courses in Area 4, as well as one course for UC-bound students who have not satisfied 6A through proficiency.

* One lower division GE course in Area 3 & one lower division GE course in Area 4 will be completed after transfer.

Area 1: English Communication

	Semester	QTR	QTR
1A: English Composition	3 units	4 units	5 units
1B: Critical Thinking, English Composition	3 units	4 units	5 units
1C: Oral Communication (CSU only)	3 units	4 units	5 units
Maximum units in Area 1	9 units	12 units	15 units

Area 2: Mathematical Concepts and Quantitative Reasoning

	Semester	QTR	QTR
2A: Math	3 units	4 units	5 units
Maximum units in Area 2	3 units	4 units	5 units

Area 3: Arts and Humanities – 2 Courses

	Semester	QTR	QTR
3A: Arts	3 units	4 units	5 units
3B: Humanities	3 units	4 units	5 units
Maximum units in Area 3	6 units	8 units	10 units

Area 4: Social and Behavioral Sciences – 2 Courses

	Semester	QTR	QTR
4A: Anthropology and Archaeology	3 units	4 units	5 units
4B: Economics	3 units	4 units	5 units
4C: Ethnic Studies	3 units	4 units	5 units
4D: Gender Studies	3 units	4 units	5 units
4E: Geography	3 units	4 units	5 units
4F: History	3 units	4 units	5 units
4G: Interdisciplinary, Social or Behavioral Science	3 units	4 units	5 units
4H: Political Science, Government & Legal Institutions	3 units	4 units	5 units
4I: Psychology	3 units	4 units	5 units
4J: Sociology & Criminology	3 units	4 units	5 units
Maximum units in Area 4	6 units	8 units	10 units

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