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Table A – Distribution of DCs between research and training

Type of activity	Total number of DCs	%
Research activities	144	80
Training activities	36	20
Total	180	100

Table B – Requirements for DC distribution between training activities

Type of activity	Minimum number of DCs	Maximum number of DCs (optional)
Disciplinary and multidisciplinary training	6	-
Seminars	2	-
Soft skills	4	-
Extra-curricular training	1	-
Dissemination	1,2	-
Supplementary teaching and tutoring	-	15

Table C – Training DCs to be acquired at the end of each course year

Training DCs to be acquired	Recommended	Minimum (optional)
at the end of the 1st year	14	-
at the end of the 2nd year	28	-
at the end of the 3rd year	36	-

Table D – Correspondence between workload hours and acquired DCs

Type of activity	Hours in class	Self-study hours	Total hours	DCs
Courses (disciplinary and multidisciplinary teaching)	8	17	25	1
Soft-skills courses	15	10	25	1
Laboratory courses	12,5	12,5	25	1
Seminars that require self-study	15	10	25	1
Seminars that do not require self-study	25	0	25	1
Supplementary teaching and tutoring	8	17	25	1
Extra-curricular training	1 day			0,4
Dissemination	1 day			0,4