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UNIVERSITY OF SPLIT

CROATIA

Founded in 1974

- Consists of 14 faculties and departments (natural, technical, biomedical, social, arts, and humanities)
 - Faculties are still legaly independent entities
- About 15 000 students
 with vocational students: about 22 000
- New Campus in construction
 - 80 000 m² of newly built space (within next 2-3 years)

Faculty of Natural Sciences, Mathematics and Education

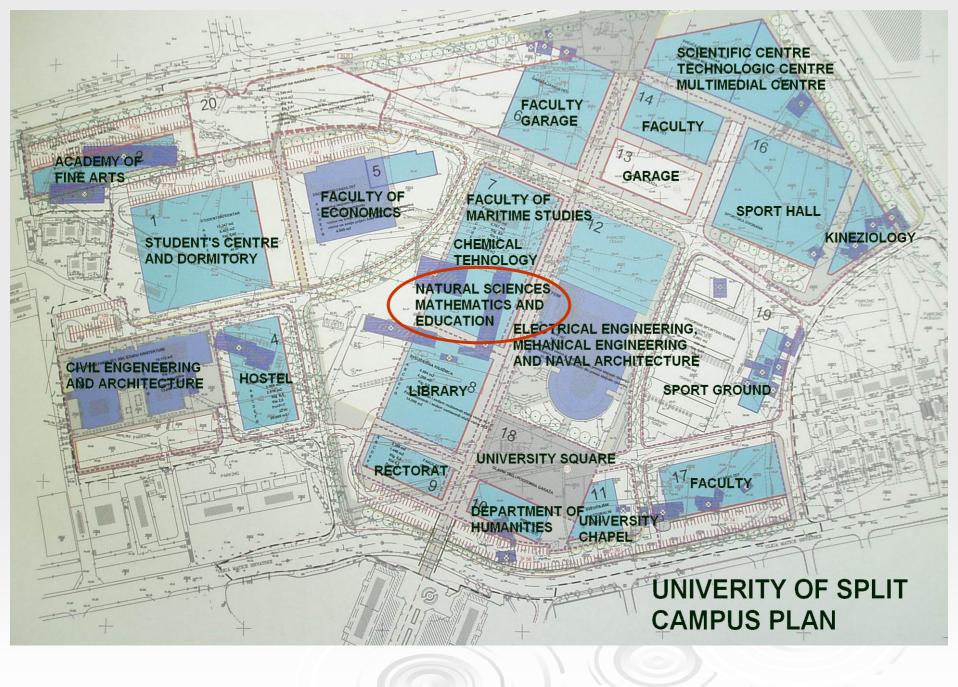
Teaching and Research activities in: Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry, Biology, Kinesiology, Computing and Technical sciences, Social and Human sciences





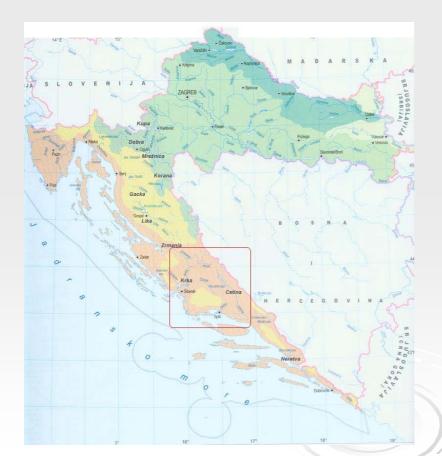






Interdisciplinary research of environmental and natural conservation issues with attention on special areas in Croatia

- Possible Natura 2000 sites along the Adriatic Coast
 Biodiversity data preliminary results (otter – *Lutra lutra* (L.)) – rivers: Krka and Cetina
 - River and National Park Krka Conference (October 5-8, 2005, Croatia)
 - European Otter Workshop (October 20-23, 2005, Italy)







Activities that we plan

Field surveys
 Rivers: Krka, Cetina, Neretva, Ljuta

To develop population density estimation method

(with a help of IUCN otter specialist group)

Data about local community support for biodiversity

- Level of familiarity with notion of Natura 2000
- Level of awareness of biodiversity importance of area
- Level of willingness for biodiversity support

Results on GIS maps



