

DFG Classification of Subject Areas, Review Boards, Research Areas and Scientific Disciplines (as of 12/2006)

Area		Review Board	Research Area	Scientific Discipline
10101	Prehistory	101 Ancient Cultures	11 Humanities	1 Humanities and Social Sciences
10102	Classical Philology			
10103	Ancient History			
10104	Classical Archaeology			
10105	Egyptology and Ancient Near Eastern Studies			
10201	Medieval History	102 History		
10202	Early Modern History			
10203	Modern and Current History			
10204	History of Science			
10301	Art History	103 Fine Arts Studies		
10302	Musicology			
10401	General and Applied Linguistics	104 Linguistics		
10402	Special Linguistics			
10403	Typology, Non-European Languages, Hist Linguistics			
10501	Older German Literature and Lit Medieval Studies	105 Literature, Theatre and Media Studies		
10502	Modern German Literature			
10503	European and American Literature			
10504	African and Asian Literatures			
10505	General Literature and Cultural Studies			
10506	Media and Theatre Studies			
10507	European Ethnology			
10601	Ethnology	106 Ethnology, Non-European Cultures, Religious Studies		
10602	Regional Studies: Africa, America, Asia, Australia			
10603	Study of Religion			
10604	Islamic Studies, Arabian Studies, Semitic Studies			
10605	Jewish Studies			
10701	Protestant Theology	107 Theology		
10702	Roman Catholic Theology			
10801	History of Philosophy	108 Philosophy		
10802	Theoretical Philosophy			
10803	Practical Philosophy			
10901	General Education and Historical Perspectives	109 Education Sciences		
10902	Teaching-Learning Process and Qualification Process			
10903	Socialization, Institutions and Professions			
11001	General and Physiological Psychology, Methodology	110 Psychology		
11002	Developmental and Educational Psychology			
11003	Social Psychology, Industrial and Organisational Psychology			
11004	Clinical Psychology, Differential Psychology and Diagnostics			
11101	Sociological Theory	111 Social Sciences		
11102	Empirical Social Research			
11103	Communication Science			
11104	Political Science			
11201	Economic Theory	112 Economics		
11202	Economic and Social Policy			
11203	Finance			
11204	Business Administration			
11205	Statistics and Econometrics			
11206	Economic and Social History			
11301	Legal and Political Philosophy, Legal History	113 Jurisprudence		
11302	Private Law			
11303	Public Law			
11304	Criminal Law and Law of Criminal Procedure			
11305	Criminology			

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20101 Biochemistry 20102 Biophysics 20103 Cell Biology 20104 Structural Biology 20105 General Genetics 20106 Developmental Biology 20107 Bioinformatics and Theoretical Biology 20108 Nutritional Sciences 20109 Anatomy 20110 Physiology	201 Foundations of Biology and Medicine	21 Biology	2 Life Sciences
20201 Systematic Botany and Evolution 20202 Ecology and Ecosystem Research 20203 Allelobotany 20204 Plant Physiology 20205 Plant Biochemistry and Biophysics 20206 Plant Cell and Developmental Biology 20207 Plant Genetics	202 Plant Science		
20301 Special Zoology, Morphology 20302 Evolution, Biodiversity, Physical Anthropology 20303 Comparative Biochemistry, Animal Physiology and Ecophysiology 20304 Sensory and Behavioural Biology 20305 Animal Ecology and Ecosystem Research 20306 Animal Genetics, Cell and Developmental Biology	203 Zoology		
20401 Metabolism, Biochemistry and Genetics of Microorganisms 20402 Microbial Ecology and Applied Microbiology 20403 Medical Microbiology, Molecular Infection Biology 20404 Virology 20405 Immunology	204 Microbiology, Virology and Immunology		
20501 Medical Biometry, Epidemiology, Medical Informatics 20502 Occupational and Social Medicine 20503 Human Genetics 20504 Pathology and Forensic Medicine 20505 Clinical Chemistry and Pathobiochemistry 20506 Pharmacy 20507 Pharmacology and Toxicology 20508 Anaesthesiology 20509 Internal Medicine - Cardiology 20510 Internal Medicine - Angiology 20511 Internal Medicine - Pneumologie 20512 Internal Medicine - Hematology, Oncology 20513 Internal Medicine - Gastroenterology, Metabolism 20514 Internal Medicine - Nephrology 20515 Internal Medicine - Endocrinology 20516 Internal Medicine - Rheumatology 20517 Pediatrics 20518 Gynaecology and Obstetrics 20519 Dermatology 20520 Urology 20521 Vascular and Visceral Surgery 20522 Cardiothoracic Surgery 20523 Orthopaedics, Traumatology 20524 Dentistry, Oral Surgery 20525 Radiology, Nuclear Medicine, Radiotherapy 20526 Biomedical Technology and Medical Physics	205 Medicine		
20601 Molecular Neuroscience 20602 Cellular Neuroscience 20603 Developmental Neurobiology 20604 Systemic Neuroscience 20605 Comp Neurobiology and Comp Sensory Physiology 20606 Neuroethology and Cognitive Neuroscience 20607 Neurogenetics and Psychiatric Genetics 20608 Clin Neurosciences I - Neurology, Neurosurgery 20609 Clin Neurosciences II - Psychiatry, Psychotherapy 20610 Clin Neurosciences III - Ophthalmology 20611 Clin Neurosciences IV - Otolaryngology 20612 Neuroimaging	206 Neurosciences		

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20701	Soil Sciences	207 Agriculture, Forestry, Horticulture and Veterinary Medicine	23 Agriculture, Forestry, Horticulture and Veterinary Medicine	2 Life Sciences
20702	Plant Cultivation			
20703	Plant Nutrition			
20704	Ecology of Agricultural Landscapes			
20705	Plant Breeding			
20706	Phytomedicine			
20707	Agricultural and Food Process Engineering			
20708	Agricultural Economics and Sociology			
20709	Inventory Control and Use of Forest Resources			
20710	Basic Forest Research			
20711	Animal Breeding, Maintenance and Hygiene			
20712	Animal Nutrition and Nutrition Physiology			
20713	Foundations of Veterinary Medicine			
20714	Foundations of Pathogenesis, Diagnostics, Therapy			
20715	Clinical Veterinary Medicine			
30101	Inorganic Molecular Chemistry	301 Molecular Chemistry	31 Chemistry	3 Natural Sciences
30102	Organic Molecular Chemistry			
30201	Solid State and Surface Chemistry, Material Synthesis	302 Chemical Solid State Research		
30202	Physical Chemistry of Solids and Solid Surfaces			
30203	Theory and Modelling			
30301	Physical Chemistry of Molecules and Liquids	303 Physical Chemistry of Molecules, Liquids and Interfaces, General Theoretical Chemistry		
30302	Theory and Modelling, General Theoretical Chemistry			
30401	Analytical Chemistry, Method Development	304 Analytical Chemistry, Method Development		
30501	Bioorganic, Bioinorganic and Biophysical Chemistry	305 Chemistry of Biological Systems		
30502	Food Chemistry			
30601	Polymer Chemistry	306 Polymer Research		
30602	Polymer Physics			
30603	Polymer Materials			
30701	Condensed Matter Physics	307 Condensed Matter Physics		
30801	Optics, Quantum Optics, Atoms, Molecules, Plasmas	308 Optics, Quantum Optics and Physics of Atoms, Molecules and Plasmas		
30901	Particles, Nuclei and Fields	309 Particles, Nuclei and Fields		
31001	Statistical Physics and Nonlinear Dynamics	310 Statistical Physics and Nonlinear Dynamics		
31101	Astrophysics and Astronomy	311 Astrophysics and Astronomy		
31201	Mathematics	312 Mathematics	33 Mathematics	
31301	Atmospheric Science and Oceanography	313 Atmospheric Science and Oceanography	34 Geosciences (including Geography)	
31401	Geology and Palaeontology	314 Geology and Palaeontology		
31501	Geophysics, Geodesy, Remote Sensing, Geoinformatics	315 Geophysics and Geodesy		
31601	Geochemistry, Mineralogy and Crystallography	316 Geochemistry, Mineralogy and Crystallography		
31701	Human and Physical Geography	317 Geography		
31801	Water Research	318 Water Research		

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40101 Metal-Cutting Manufacturing Engineering 40102 Primary Shaping and Reshaping Technology 40103 Micro-, Precision, Mounting, Joining, Sep Techn 40104 Plastics Engineering 40105 Prod Automation, Factory Operation, Operations Mgt	401 Production Technology	41 Mechanical and Industrial Engineering	4 Engineering Sciences
40201 Construction, Machine Elements 40202 Mechanics 40203 Lightweight Construction, Textile Technology	402 Mechanics and Constructive Mechanical Engineering		
40301 Chemical and Thermal Process Engineering 40302 Technical Chemistry 40303 Mechanical Process Engineering 40304 Biological Process Engineering	403 Process Engineering, Technical Chemistry	42 Thermal Engineering/ Process Engineering	
40401 Energy Process Engineering 40402 Technical Thermodynamics 40403 Fluid Mechanics 40404 Hydraulic and Turbo Engines and Piston Engines	404 Heat Energy Technology, Thermal Machines and Drives		
40501 Structural and Functional Materials 40502 Sintered and Composite Materials 40503 Surfaces, Coatings and Functional Layers	405 Materials Engineering	43 Material Science and Engineering	
40601 Raw Materials, Recycling, Mining and Metallurgy 40602 Metallic, Ceramic and Polymer Materials 40603 Metallurgy, Thermodyn of Multiphase Metallic Sys 40604 Biomaterials	406 Materials Science, Raw Materials		
40701 Automation Technology, Robotics 40702 Measuring Technology, Sensorics, Actrics 40703 Microsystem Engineering 40704 Traffic and Transport Systems, Logistics 40705 Ergonomics, Human-Machine Systems	407 System Engineering	44 Computer Science, Electrical and System Engineering	
40801 Electronic Semiconductors, Components, Circuits, Systems 40802 Communication and High-Frequency Technology 40803 Electrical Energy Prod, Distribution, Application	408 Electrical Engineering		
40901 Theoretical Computer Science 40902 Software Technology 40903 Operating, Communication and Information Systems 40904 Artificial Intelligence, Image and Language Processing 40905 Computer Architecture and Embedded Systems	409 Computer Science		
41001 Architecture, Construction Research and History 41002 City, Regional, Traffic and Landscape Planning 41003 Construction Material Sciences, Chemistry, Physics 41004 Construction Engineering, Operation, Virtual Design 41005 Continuum Mechanics, Statics and Dynamics 41006 Geotechnics, Hydraulic Engineering	410 Construction Engineering and Architecture	45 Construction Engineering and Architecture	