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"The TABLET PC: a teaching tool"

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Abstract:

The seminar aims at presenting a project which was started a few months ago by some members of the Department of Decision Sciences, in collaboration with ASIT, and gets opened now to all the Department.

We want to experiment the use of tablet pc's for lectures; they are laptops on which you can write with a digital pen.

At a first level, the tablet can be used like an overhead projector: you project what you handwrite on the pc over the classroom screen. Your handwriting then becomes a file that you can upload online with no additional effort. If you prefer, you can work on the file and improve it before uploading. At a more advanced level, the tablet allows you to integrate digitalized handwriting and all mathematical and statistical softwares.

There will be two short introductive talks by Guido Osimo and Michele Impedovo, who already used tablets during their first-semester lectures. We will continue with questions and other short contributions. You will be able to try the four tablets which were bought for the project.