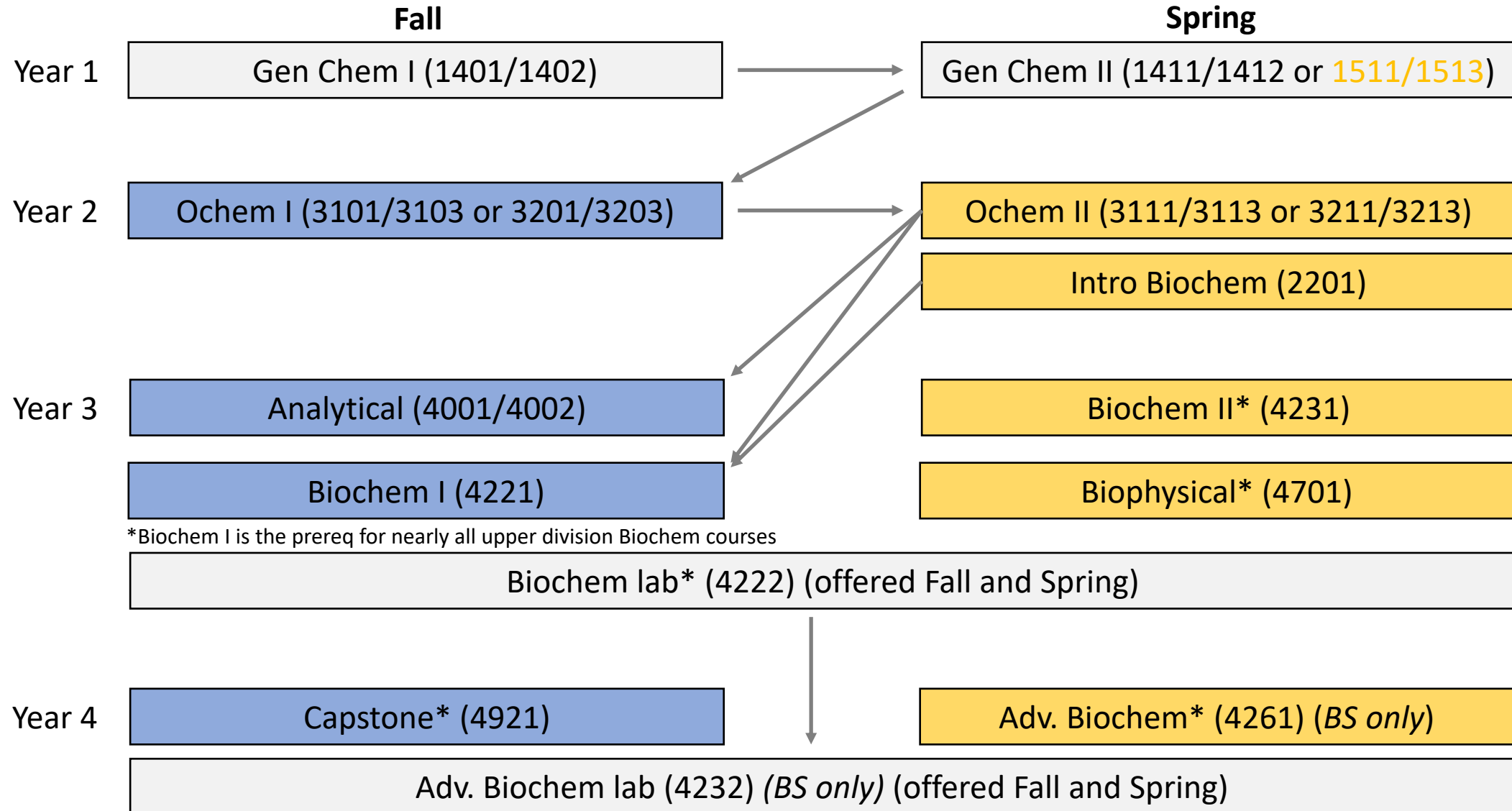


BIOCHEMISTRY

Typical 4-year required core class plan with prerequisites (→) for Biochemistry BA or BS
Classes in **Blue**/**Yellow** are typically ONLY offered in **Fall**/**Spring**



Biochemistry Major FAQs

1. Which organic chemistry class should I take? *For lecture, you may take the 3101+3111 sequence or the 3201+3211 (chem majors) sequence. For lab you may take 3103+3113 (designed for Biochem majors) or 3202+3213 (chem majors).*
2. I am a transfer student that has already taken Ochem II. Do I need to take CHEM 2201? *No. Transfer students can have CHEM 2201 waived and instead take extra 3 credits of upper division CHEM electives. Transfer students can be admitted into Biochem I without meeting the CHEM 2201 prereq. Contact the Chair, Dr. Dave Anderson to get this approved.*
3. Do I have to take Gen chem II for majors (1511/1513). *No. Gen chem II for majors is optional, but highly recommended for biochemistry majors.*
4. When should I take Biochem Lab (4222)? *Any time during or after Biochem I is fine. This is typically taken either fall or spring of your 3rd year.*
5. Are there any classes I should NOT take at the same time? *We highly recommend NOT taking more than two of the following at the same time: 4231, 4701, 4261, and 4232. These are all difficult classes that will require a lot of your time.*
6. When are biochemistry electives offered? *Check the list of upper-division electives [shown on our website](https://chemistry.uccs.edu/resources/current-students). Offerings may vary based on faculty availability.
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