



Subject card

Subject name and code	Planning of experiments and error analysis, PG_00057435						
Field of study	Mechanical Engineering						
Date of commencement of studies	February 2022	Academic year of realisation of subject				2021/2022	
Education level	second-cycle studies	Subject group				Obligatory subject group in the field of study Subject group related to scientific research in the field of study	
Mode of study	Part-time studies	Mode of delivery				at the university	
Year of study	1	Language of instruction				Polish	
Semester of study	1	ECTS credits				2.0	
Learning profile	general academic profile	Assessment form				assessment	
Conducting unit	Institute of Energy -> Faculty of Mechanical Engineering and Ship Technology						
Name and surname of lecturer (lecturers)	Subject supervisor		dr inż. Paweł Dąbrowski				
	Teachers		dr inż. Paweł Dąbrowski				
Lesson types and methods of instruction	Lesson type	Lecture	Tutorial	Laboratory	Project	Seminar	SUM
	Number of study hours	10.0	10.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	20
	E-learning hours included: 0.0						
Learning activity and number of study hours	Learning activity	Participation in didactic classes included in study plan	Participation in consultation hours		Self-study		SUM
	Number of study hours	20	6.0		24.0		50
Subject objectives	The subject aims to familiarize students with the idea of experimental work, from planning the experiment, through the acquisition and interpretation of measurement data, to drawing conclusions based on them. In addition, the subject aims to familiarize students with the importance of measurement uncertainty in experimental research as well as to show good practices in conducting experimental work. This subject will teach the student how to plan and run an experiment, and how to interpret the data and compare it with scientific theories, taking into account measurement uncertainty.						
Learning outcomes	Course outcome	Subject outcome			Method of verification		
	[K7_U05] is able to plan and conduct the experimental research determining the parameters of a device or system, assesses the usability and correctly selects methods and tools, is able to interpret the results and estimate the measurement errors and is able to apply computer systems to simulate the operation of a machine or technology	The ability to design an experiment in the field of machinery and equipment or technology and theoretical results elaboration, using a variety of techniques and tools, including the calculation of measurement uncertainty			[SU1] Assessment of task fulfilment [SU2] Assessment of ability to analyse information [SU4] Assessment of ability to use methods and tools		
	[K7_W07] possesses profound knowledge on the diagnostics and monitoring of the condition of devices, assemblies and technical systems, as well as measurement methods of process and operation control	The ability to design and carry out experimental work based on measurements of physical quantities and their curation, enabling diagnostics and monitoring of the machines and devices operation			[SW1] Assessment of factual knowledge [SW3] Assessment of knowledge contained in written work and projects		
	[K7_W01] possesses a profound mathematical knowledge useful in the analysis and description of the operation of complex mechanical systems, technological processes and operating properties of machines and devices; is familiar with the main development trends	The ability to experimental data curation using mathematical and statistical analysis			[SW1] Assessment of factual knowledge [SW2] Assessment of knowledge contained in presentation		

Subject contents	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Basic concepts 2. Experiment in historical and philosophical perspective 3. Examples of simple experiments 4. Basics of experiment design 5. Input, output, control, dependent, and independent variables 6. Qualitative and quantitative measurements 7. Uncertainties and measurement errors 8. Acquisition of measurement data 9. Statistical analysis of measurement data 10. Utilization of measurement data for calculations 11. Numerical methods as an experiment aiding tools 12. Good practices in designing and conducting experimental research 13. Designing and conducting an experiment - a case study 		
Prerequisites and co-requisites	Knowledge of basic mathematical concepts with particular emphasis on the concepts of mathematical statistics. Basic knowledge of machine construction, thermal-flow and material strength measurements.		
Assessment methods and criteria	Subject passing criteria	Passing threshold	Percentage of the final grade
	Tutorial - writing assessment	60.0%	40.0%
	Lecture - writing assessment	60.0%	60.0%
Recommended reading	Basic literature		1. Montgomery D.C. Design and analysis of experiments. Eighth Edition. Wiley & Sons, 2013, ISBN: 978-1-118-14692-7
	Supplementary literature		<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Abu-Mulaweh H. Integration a ddesign of experiment in the heat transfer laboratory. Annual Conference Proceedings, 2003, DOI: 10.18260/1-2--11948 2. Luiten W. Design of experiments in thermal architecture. 23rd International Workshop on Thermal Investigations of ICs and Systems (THERMINIC), 2017, DOI: 10.1109/THERMINIC.2017.8233785 3. Prima EC, Utari S, Chandra DT, Hasanah L, Rusdiana D. Heat and temperature experiment designs to support students conception on nature of science. Journal of Technology and Science Education, 2018, DOI: 10.3926/jotse.419
	eResources addresses		
Example issues/ example questions/ tasks being completed	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Definitions: experiment, input variable, output variable, control variable, dependent variable, independent variable, repeatability, sensitivity 2. Measurement uncertainty 3. Statistical analysis of measurement data 4. Differences between experimental and non-experimental research 5. False positive results 6. Double-blind design 7. Design an experiment to measure the emissivity of the body 8. Design an experiment to measure the Young's modulus of the material 9. Design an experiment to measure the hardness of the material 10. Influence of various factors on the results of the experiment 		
Work placement	Not applicable		