

GDAŃSK UNIVERSITY

Subject card

Subject name and code	Design of Vehicles, PG_00055498								
Field of study	Mechanical Engineering								
Date of commencement of studies	October 2022		Academic year of realisation of subject			2024/2025			
Education level	first-cycle studies		Subject group			Optional subject group Subject group related to scientific research in the field of study			
Mode of study	Full-time studies		Mode of delivery			at the university			
Year of study	3		Language of instruction			Polish			
Semester of study	5		ECTS credits			3.0			
Learning profile	general academic profile		Assessment form			assessment			
Conducting unit	Institute of Mechanics	Design -> Faculty of Mechanical Eng			ineering and Ship Technology				
Name and surname	Subject supervisor		dr hab. inż. Grzegorz Ronowski						
of lecturer (lecturers)	Teachers								
Lesson types and methods	Lesson type	Lecture	Tutorial	Laboratory	atory Project		Seminar	SUM	
of instruction	Number of study hours	30.0	0.0	0.0 0.0			0.0	30	
	E-learning hours included: 0.0								
Learning activity and number of study hours	Learning activity	Participation in classes includ plan	n didactic ed in study	Participation in consultation hours		Self-study		SUM	
	Number of study hours	30		8.0		37.0		75	
Subject objectives	The aim of the course is to acquire basic knowledge of the construction and design principles of car assemblies by students.								
Learning outcomes	Course outcome		Subject outcome			Method of verification			
	knowledge including the methodology of designing machine parts, mechanical devices, selection of construction materials, manufacturing and operation, with the lifetime cycle		systems, assemblies and components of motor vehicles. It describes their structure and explains the principle of operation. Presents the principles of designing and selecting selected vehicle components. Classifies vehicles in terms of their construction and application.			[SW3] Assessment of knowledge contained in written work and projects			
	[K6_U03] is able to identify, formulate and develop the documentation of a simple design or technological task, including the description of the results of this task in Polish or in a foreign language and to present the results using computer software or other aiding tools		The student calculates the resistance to motion of the vehicle and prepares a traction diagram for the adopted gear ratios of the drive system. Distinguishes between types of car steering systems and determines the design parameters of the steering link trapezoid.			[SU5] Assessment of ability to present the results of task [SU1] Assessment of task fulfilment			
Subject contents	LECTURE The general structure of a car. Vehicle motion resistance, traction characteristics. Characteristics of the engine and the necessary drive mechanisms. Drive mechanisms systems. Clutches - types used. Elements of friction clutches. Engagement mechanisms. Automatic control systems. Fluid clutches. Selection of a torque converter for an internal combustion engine. Stepped gearboxes. Synchronizers and gear shifting mechanisms. Planetary and hydrokinetic gears. Automation of gear shifting. Additional gear boxes. Drive shafts and joints. Selection of shafts and joints for the designed drive system. Drive shaft systems. Critical shaft speed. The theory of joints and design solutions. Driving bridges: types, construction and calculation. Differentials, driveshafts, final drives and wheel bearings. Steering, braking and suspension systems of vehicles. Unconventional vehicle wheels.								
Prerequisites and co-requisites	Knowledge of the basics of machine construction and construction recording.								
Assessment methods	Subject passing criteria		Passing threshold			Percentage of the final grade			
and criteria	Tests during the semester		55.0%			100.0%			

Recommended reading	Basic literature	 Studziński K.: Samochód teoria, konstrukcja i obliczanie. Wyd. Naukowo-Techniczne, Warszawa, 1980. Jaśkiewicz Z.: Projektowanie układów napędowych pojazdów samochodowych. WKŁ, Warszawa, 1982. Reimpel J.: Budowa samochodów Podstawy Konstrukcji, WKŁ, Warszawa, 1997. Zając M.: Układy przeniesienia napędu samochodów ciężarowych i autobusów. WKŁ, Warszawa, 2003. Prochowski L.: Pojazdy Samochodowe Mechanika ruchu, WKŁ. Warszawa. 2005. Zieliński A.: Konstrukcja nadwozi samochodów osobowych i pochodnych, WKŁ. Warszawa. 2003. 		
	Cupplementary literature	No requiremente		
	eResources addresses	No requirements		
Example issues/ example questions/ tasks being completed	Replace friction clutch components. Selection of the dimensions of the friction lining of the clutch plate of the car. Synchronization conditions for a system of three shafts with two cardan joints.			
Work placement	Not applicable			