



Subject card

Subject name and code	Medical apparatus, PG_00055764						
Field of study	Mechanical and Medical Engineering						
Date of commencement of studies	October 2023		Academic year of realisation of subject		2025/2026		
Education level	first-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	Full-time studies		Mode of delivery		at the university		
Year of study	3		Language of instruction		Polish		
Semester of study	5		ECTS credits		5.0		
Learning profile	general academic profile		Assessment form		exam		
Conducting unit	Institute of Mechanics and Machine Design -> Faculty of Mechanical Engineering and Ship Technology						
Name and surname of lecturer (lecturers)	Subject supervisor		Michał Penkowski				
	Teachers						
Lesson types and methods of instruction	Lesson type	Lecture	Tutorial	Laboratory	Project	Seminar	SUM
	Number of study hours	30.0	0.0	30.0	0.0	0.0	60
	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	60		5.0		60.0	125
Subject objectives	Acquainting with the construction, principle of operation and use of basic medical equipment.						
Learning outcomes	Course outcome		Subject outcome		Method of verification		
	[K6_W13] he/she has knowledge related to application of engineering approaches in medicine or application of medical devices and rehabilitation devices		He/she can describe basic types of medical equipment. Can explain physical basis of its work and can propose different alternative ways of measurements.		[SW1] Assessment of factual knowledge		
	[K6_U06] he/she has skills to work in industry and follow the rules of safety regulations, he/she is able to analyze basic economics problems to delineate the direction of solution by using engineering methods		He/she can estimate role of medical engineering in modern medical practice.		[SU4] Assessment of ability to use methods and tools		
	[K6_U11] he/she uses basic medical apparatus and devices, he/she applies knowledge related to the visual diagnosis in the scope of the MME study		He/she can apply analytical method for solving some problems found in construction of medical apparatus.		[SU4] Assessment of ability to use methods and tools		

Subject contents	Measurements and parameters of signals (ECG, EEG, EMG, nystagmographic etc.). Patient isolation and protection against electrical shock. Types of isolation barriers. Modern element base applied for measurements of bioelectrical signals. Specific parameters of bioelectrical signals frequency range, amplitude, periodicity. EEG registration. Types of electrode arrangements. Deconvolution of signal patterns. Location of signal sources. Magnetoencephalography basic theory. Detection of ultraweak magnetic fields. Application of optical detection in medicine: spectrophotometry, absorption measurements in UV and VIS ranges. Detector types, spectral responses, application schemes. Synchronous detection. Light sources. Basic theory of light absorption in solutions. Detection of proteins and nucleic acids presence. Mechanical solutions improving stability and repeatability of measurements. Measurements of oxygen saturation in blood. Optical method of detection. Isosbestic point. Layout of oxygen level monitor. OCT application of optical scanning for detection of retinal voids. Application of OCT for blood vessel scanning. Nonmedical applications of OCT. Therapeutic application of ultrasound. Basic structure of lithotripter. Methods of power ultrasound generation. Piezoelectric, spark and electrodynamic sources. Methods of focusing. Dialyzer basic idea. Basic blocks. Demonstration of different components with explanations. Microwave diathermy application and basic theory of physical phenomena. Structure of microwave source. Antennas. Efficiency of energy transfer. Basic facts about spectra of bioelectric signals. Sampling, resolution and detection of periodicity. Filtration LP, HP, BP, BR. Estimation methods applied for filter selection. Practical realization of different filter types. Impedance measurements applied in medicine and biology. Impedance spectroscopy. Applications in cardiology. Body composition measurements. Application of impedance spectroscopy in detection of blood vessel anomalies.		
Prerequisites and co-requisites	Basic knowledge about elementary mathematics, electronics, especially measurements. Basis of anatomy and physiology.		
Assessment methods and criteria	Subject passing criteria	Passing threshold	Percentage of the final grade
	Final exam	60.0%	100.0%
Recommended reading	Basic literature	R. Tadeusiewicz.: Inżynieria biomedyczna. AGH 2008 P. Augustyniak.: Elektroniczna aparatura medyczna. G.Pawlicki.: Podstawy inżynierii medycznej. Warszawa 1997, Podstawy inżynierii biomedycznej t. I i II. AGH 2009.	
	Supplementary literature	R.Tadeusiewicz.: Podstawy elektroniki medycznej. AGH 1978	
	eResources addresses	Adresy na platformie eNauczanie:	
Example issues/ example questions/ tasks being completed	Amplitude, frequency range and periodicity of ECG, EEG and EMG signals. CMRR. Types of isolation barriers. Protection against electrical shock. Differential amplifier. Low noise amplifier. External noise sources. Shielding of cables. Noise suppression techniques. Definition of absorbance. Optical detectors. UV and VIS light sources. Synchronous detection in optics. Types of optical elements. Light transmission through different materials. Absorption spectra of nucleic acids and proteins. Absorption spectra of oxygenated and deoxygenated blood. Led diode spectral response. Superluminescent diode. Basic structure of OCT. Piezoelectricity. Electric spark in water. Focusing methods of ultrasound. Power density. Water molecules relaxation. Absorption of microwaves in water. Protection against microwave exposition. Antenna types. Basic facts about spectra of bioelectric signals. Selection of filter for given application. Impedance spectroscopy. Two and four electrodes. Dispersions of biological matter. Application of impedance spectroscopy.		
Work placement	Not applicable		