

Subject card

Subject name and code	Structural dynamics, PG_00041521									
Field of study	Civil Engineering									
Date of commencement of	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,									
studies	reuluary 2025		Academic year of realisation of subject			2025/2026				
Education level	second-cycle studies		Subject group			Optional subject group				
Mode of study	Full-time studies		Mode of delivery			at the university				
Year of study	1		Language of instruction			English				
Semester of study	2		ECTS credits			3.0				
Learning profile	general academic profile		Assessment form			assessment				
Conducting unit	Katedra Wytrzymałoś	> Faculty of Civil and Environmental Engineering								
Name and surname	Subject supervisor		dr inż. Tomasz Ferenc							
of lecturer (lecturers)	Teachers									
Lesson types and methods	Lesson type	Lecture	Tutorial	Laboratory	Projec	t	Seminar	SUM		
of instruction	Number of study hours	30.0	15.0	0.0	0.0		0.0	45		
	E-learning hours included: 0.0									
Learning activity and number of study hours	Learning activity	Participation i classes include plan		Participation in consultation hours		Self-study		SUM		
	Number of study hours	45		5.0				75		
Subject objectives	The aim of the course is to solve the problems of Structural Dynamics using discrete models with one and n degrees of freedom.									
Learning outcomes	Course out	Course outcome			Subject outcome			Method of verification		
	[K7_W03] has knowledge of Continuum Mechanics, knows rules of static analysis, stability and dynamics of complex rod, shell and volume structures, both in linear and basic nonlinear regime		The student designs simple engineering structures including vibrations forced by initial conditions and harmonic excitations.			[SW1] Assessment of factual knowledge				
	[K7_U01] can evaluate and list any loads acting on constructions		Student can assess and compute external load that can act on analyzed structure			[SU1] Assessment of task fulfilment				
	[K7_U08] Is able to evaluate technical conditio of a road, to design its pavement and choose proper construction technology using mechanistic methods and material investigations		Student can conduct experiment that allow to obtain properties of studied material			[SU1] Assessment of task fulfilment				
	[K7_U09] is able to design railway tracks of complex geometry on sections and stations, both newly designed and renovated; can make a plan and perform diagnostic of railway track and to interpret its results, propose conclusions; can evaluate durability and reliability of railroad elements		Student can plan and conduct experimental dynamic analysis which allow to asses mode shapes and corresponding natural frequencies			[SU1] Assessment of task fulfilment				
	[K7_U03] can perform classic statical and dynamical analysis of rod structures stability (trusses, frames and ties), both statically determined and undetermined as well as surface structures (plates, membranes and shells)		Student builds a dynamic model of frame and truss systems. It determines the stiffness and flexibility matrix of the system. It determines the frequency of natural vibration of frame and truss structures.			[SU1] Assessment of task fulfilment				

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Subject contents	Introduction. Basic definitions. Modelling of dynamic systems						
	Basic dynamics laws. Forces in dynamic systems. Equation of motion. Introduction to MATLAB						
	Free undamped (natural) vibrations of 1-DOF systems						
	Free damped vibrations of 1-DOF systems						
	Forced vibrations of 1-DOF systems: harmonic loading						
	Forced vibrations of 1-DOF systems: periodic and impulse loading						
	Forced vibrations of 1-DOF systems						
	Design of 1-DOF system under dynamic loading						
	Free undamped (natural) vibrations of N-DOF systems Free damped vibration of N-DOF systems. Forced vibrations of N-DOF systems Vibration measurement technology. Vibrations reduction systems in engineering structures Experimental dynamic analysis						
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Prerequisites and co-requisites	Determination of internal forces in statically determinate structures (beams, frames, trusses, mixed frametruss schemes)Determination of internal forces in statically indeterminate structures (beams, frames, trusses, mixed frame-truss schemes using the force method or the displacement (stiffness) methodDetermination of displacements using principle of virtual workDetermination of geometric properties of area (centroid, moment of inertia)Determination of stresses and strains (in bending) Matrix analysis of structures (stiffness matrix, flexibility matrix)Programming in MATLAB/FreeMat						
Assessment methods	Subject passing criteria	Passing threshold	Percentage of the final grade				
and criteria	Test	60.0%	100.0%				

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Recommended reading	Basic literature	Chopra A.K.: Dynamics of structures. Upper Saddle River, New Jersey: Prentice Hall 2001			
		Rucka M., Wilde K.: Dynamika Budowli z przykładami w środowisku Matlab. Wydawnictwo Politechniki Gdańskiej, Gdańsk 2008			
		Branicki C., Wizmur M.: Metody macierzowe w mechanice budowli i dynamika budowli. Wydawnictwo Politechniki Gdańskiej. Gdańsk 1980			
		Chmielewski T., Zembaty Z.: Podstawy dynamiki budowli. Arkady, 1998			
		Lewandowski R.: Dynamika konstrukcji budowlanych. Wydawnictwo Politechniki Poznańskiej 2006			
	Supplementary literature	Clough R.W., Penzien J.: Dynamics of structures. McGraw-Hill Inc. 1993			
		Śliwiński A.: Ultradźwięki i ich zastosowania. Wydawnictwa Naukowo- Techniczne Warszawa 2001			
		Kucharski T.: Systemy pomiarów drgań mechanicznych. Wydawnictwa Naukowo-Techniczne Warszawa 200			
	eResources addresses	Adresy na platformie eNauczanie:			
Example issues/ example questions/ tasks being completed	Determine the natural frequency of a frame system with one dynamic degree of freedom.				
	Determine the damping ratio based on the measured displacement of free vibrations.				
	Determine the frequencies and mode shapes of the frame system with n-dynamic degrees of freedom.				
Work placement	Not applicable				

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