

Subject card

Subject name and code	Applied Mechanical Engineering, PG_00067173							
Field of study	Smart Renewable Energy Engineering							
Date of commencement of studies	October 2025		Academic year of realisation of subject			2025/2026		
Education level	second-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	1		Language of instruction			English		
Semester of study	1		ECTS credits			6.0		
Learning profile	general academic profile		Assessment form			assessment		
Conducting unit	Faculty of Mechanical Engineering and Ship Technology -> Wydziały Politechniki Gdańskiej							
Name and surname of lecturer (lecturers)	Subject supervisor	dr hab. inż. Paweł Flaszyński						
	Teachers		dr inż. Marek Chodnicki					
			dr inż. Joanna Grzelak					
			dr inż. Ewelina Ciba					
Lesson types and methods of instruction	Lesson type	Lecture	Tutorial	Laboratory	Projec	:t	Seminar	SUM
	Number of study hours	30.0	30.0	15.0	0.0		0.0	75
	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	75		9.0		66.0		150
Subject objectives	The aim of the course is to familiarize students with fundamentals of fluid mechanics. This is introductory course to more advanced topics on wind energy courses.							
Learning outcomes	Course outcome		Subject outcome			Method of verification		
	[K7_U01] is able to apply analytical thinking and solve technical problems related to renewable energy systems, including wind power, using engineering methodologies		The student knows and understands theories related to wind energy generation and can explain the operating principles of wind turbines and the process of converting wind energy into electrical energy.			[SU3] Assessment of ability to use knowledge gained from the subject		
	[K7_K01] is prepared to evaluate projects and operations in wind energy systems, demonstrating competencies in designing and optimizing renewable energy systems, including wind power		The student is able to apply analytical thinking and solve technical problems related to renewable energy systems, including wind energy, using engineering methodologies.			[SK5] Assessment of ability to solve problems that arise in practice		
	[K7_W101] is able to make an indepth identification of key objects and phenomena related to the field of study, as well as theories that describe them and applicable analytical and design methods		The student is ready to evaluate projects and operations of wind energy systems, demonstrating competencies in designing and optimizing the operation of renewable energy systems, including wind energy systems.			[SW3] Assessment of knowledge contained in written work and projects		

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Subject contents	1. Introduction: Problems, methods and areas of application of fluid mechanics. Properties of fluids. Element of fluid. Models of fluids. Categories of flows. 2. Kinematics: Stream lines. Paths of fluid elements. General motion of a fluid element. 3. Hydrostatics 4. Transport equations: mass, momentum and energy 5. Bernoulli equation 6. Fundamentals of boundary layer theory (laminar, turbulent, transitional) 7. Turbulent flow fundamentals, Reynolds hypothesis, Kolmogorov hypothesis 8. Basics of airfoils, airfoil theory, Kutta-Joukowsky theorem. Potential flow theory 9. Criteria of similarity. Strouhal, Froude, Euler and Reynolds numbers. 10. Fundamentals of machine and mechanism design.						
Prerequisites and co-requisites							
Assessment methods and criteria	Subject passing criteria	Passing threshold	Percentage of the final grade				
	Exam	60.0%	100.0%				
Recommended reading	Basic literature	Fluid Mechanics, White Frank, McGraw Hill Higher Education, 2016					
	Supplementary literature	Bibliography will be provided during the course					
	eResources addresses						
Example issues/ example questions/ tasks being completed							
Work placement	Not applicable						

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