



Subject card

Subject name and code	Physics II, PG_00058752						
Field of study	Environmental Engineering						
Date of commencement of studies	October 2025		Academic year of realisation of subject			2025/2026	
Education level	first-cycle studies		Subject group			Obligatory subject group in the field of study	
Mode of study	Full-time studies		Mode of delivery			at the university	
Year of study	1		Language of instruction			Polish	
Semester of study	2		ECTS credits			4.0	
Learning profile	general academic profile		Assessment form			exam	
Conducting unit	Division Of Computational Chemical Physics -> Institute Of Physics And Applied Computer Science -> Faculty Of Applied Physics And Mathematics -> Wydziały Politechniki Gdańskiej						
Name and surname of lecturer (lecturers)	Subject supervisor		dr Małgorzata Franz				
	Teachers						
Lesson types and methods of instruction	Lesson type	Lecture	Tutorial	Laboratory	Project	Seminar	SUM
	Number of study hours	15.0	30.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	45
	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	45		5.0		58.0	108
Subject objectives	The aim of the course is to familiarize students with the issues of classical mechanics, electrodynamics and elements of modern physics.						
Learning outcomes	Course outcome		Subject outcome			Method of verification	
	[K6_U01] has the ability to self-education, can obtain information from literature, databases and other sources, uses information technology, Internet resources; can integrate the obtained information, make their interpretation, as well as draw conclusions and formulate and justify opinions		The acquired knowledge allows for independent analysis of selected physics issues in the surrounding reality. The student carries out correct calculations and does transformations on units.			[SU4] Assessment of ability to use methods and tools	
	[K6_W02] has knowledge of physics, including mechanics, thermodynamics, optics, electricity and magnetism, nuclear physics and solid state physics, including knowledge necessary to: 1) understand the basic physical phenomena related to material durability, fluid mechanics and hydraulics, building physics, geodetic measurements ; 2) understanding the principles of operation of basic electrical devices and systems; 3) solving project tasks of the sanitary industry;		The student describes and interprets the basic physical phenomena, predicts the course of phenomena based on the learned laws, performs logical reasoning adequate to the solved physical problem.			[SW1] Assessment of factual knowledge	

Subject contents	LECTURES: Static equilibrium and elasticity: conditions of static equilibrium and its examples, stress, strain and elastic modulus, elasticity and plasticity. Temperature and amount of heat: temperature, temperature measurement, thermal expansion of solids and fluids, amount of heat, specific heat, heat of fusion and heat of vaporization. Heat transport: convection, thermal conduction, thermal radiation, use of solar thermal energy. Laws of thermodynamics: quantities describing the state of a system, the first law of thermodynamics, the second law of thermodynamics, the Carnot cycle, entropy, the third law of thermodynamics. Fluids: density, pressure and viscosity, fluids at rest, Pascal's law and hydraulic press, Archimedes' law (floating bodies, apparent weight in a fluid). Fluid dynamics: motion of ideal fluids, continuity equation, Bernoulli equation. Mechanical vibrations and waves: simple, damped and forced harmonics, mechanical waves, superimposition of waves, deflection, reflection and refraction of waves, standing waves, the Doppler effect. Electrostatics, electric current and magnetostatics: Coulomb's law and electric field, electric current intensity and density, electric resistance and specific resistance, Ohm's law, magnetic field, Lorentz force, charge movement in a magnetic field, electrodynamic force. Nuclear energy: atom and its nucleus, nuclear fission, nuclear reactor, thermonuclear fusion. TUTORIALS: . 1. Introduction to the subject. 2. Equilibrium conditions. 3. Heat transport. 4. Laws of thermodynamics. 5. Fluid mechanics. 6. Fluid dynamics. 7. Vibrations. 8. Waves. 9. Electric field I. 10. Electric field II. 11. Direct current and capacitors. 12. Magnetic field I. 13. Magnetic field II. 14. Nuclear physics.		
Prerequisites and co-requisites	Knowledge from "Physics I" - semester I		
Assessment methods and criteria	Subject passing criteria	Passing threshold	Percentage of the final grade
	Written exam	50.0%	50.0%
	Midterm colloquium	50.0%	50.0%
Recommended reading	Basic literature	1. D.Holiday, R.Resnick, J.Walker. Podstawy fizyki. T.1 - T.5; PWN, Warszawa 2003. 2. Cz. Bobrowski. Fizyka. Krótki kurs; WNT, Warszawa (dowolne wydanie). 2. University Physics V. 1. - V. 3. ISBN-13: 978-83-948838-1-2	
	Supplementary literature	1.J.Orear. Fizyka T.1 i T.2; WNT, Warszawa (dowolne wydanie). 2.J.Massalski. Fizyka dla inżynierów. T.1 i T.2; WNT, Warszawa 2007.	
	eResources addresses	Adresy na platformie eNauczanie:	
Example issues/ example questions/ tasks being completed	Sample exam question:Explain when a body is in static equilibrium and show the conditions of static equilibrium due to translational and rotational motion. <		

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