



Subject card

Subject name and code	Process apparatus in environmental protection, PG_00064937						
Field of study	Mechanical Engineering						
Date of commencement of studies	February 2026	Academic year of realisation of subject				2026/2027	
Education level	second-cycle studies	Subject group				Specialty subject group Subject group related to scientific research in the field of study	
Mode of study	Part-time studies	Mode of delivery				at the university	
Year of study	1	Language of instruction				Polish	
Semester of study	2	ECTS credits				2.0	
Learning profile	general academic profile	Assessment form				assessment	
Conducting unit	Department of Energy and Industrial Apparatus -> Faculty of Mechanical Engineering and Ship Technology - > Wydział Politechniki Gdańskiej						
Name and surname of lecturer (lecturers)	Subject supervisor		dr inż. Bartosz Dawidowicz				
	Teachers						
Lesson types and methods of instruction	Lesson type	Lecture	Tutorial	Laboratory	Project	Seminar	SUM
	Number of study hours	9.0	0.0	0.0	9.0	0.0	18
	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	18		5.0		27.0	50
Subject objectives	Teaching the basics of construction and calculation of typical devices from process apparatus used in environmental protection. Indication of the specificity of devices in this application. Providing the methodology for calculating the dimensions of selected elements of the installation.						
Learning outcomes	Course outcome		Subject outcome			Method of verification	
	[K7_W13] explains the main principles of individual and teamwork organization, including various forms of entrepreneurship utilizing knowledge from the field of engineering and technical sciences and disciplines relevant to the course of study		The student has knowledge of process equipment in environmental protection.			[SW1] Assessment of factual knowledge	
	[K7_W04] demonstrates knowledge covering selected topics of advanced specific knowledge, in particular methods, techniques, tools specific to Mechanics and Mechanical Engineering processes, systems and equipment		The student is able to calculate the basic dimensions of selected devices and apparatus used in environmental protection.			[SW3] Assessment of knowledge contained in written work and projects	
	[K7_U15] evaluates the feasibility of advanced methods and tools for solving complex engineering tasks of a practical nature, characteristic of the field of study, and selects and applies appropriate methods and tools for this purpose		The student is able to design a device using engineering tools.			[SU1] Assessment of task fulfilment	

Subject contents	Lecture. Concepts of process apparatus and environmental protection engineering. Overview of the elements and equipment of the apparatus. Construction materials used in the construction of process apparatus. Selected issues of process equipment, including REACTORS. General concepts, classification, their place in environmental protection. Technological operations carried out in reactors: mixing, air injection, circulation of the reactor contents. Periodic and flow reactors. Ideal and real reactors. Dynamic characteristics. Cascade. Types of flows in reactors. Aeration systems. Construction of diffusers. Mixing power, examples of mixers used in reactors. TANKS FOR WASTEWATER. Construction. Basics of calculations. Apparatus used for secondary and subsequent treatment of sewage. SEALS. Stabilization. Thickening. Drainage. Basics of device construction. Other examples of process equipment in environmental protection. DESIGN. Selected issues in the design of apparatus, eg: the basics and methods of dimensioning the treatment plant. Selected processes in environmental protection		
Prerequisites and co-requisites	basics of physics, chemistry, fluid mechanics and wastewater treatment		
Assessment methods and criteria	Subject passing criteria	Passing threshold	Percentage of the final grade
	Exam from the lecture	56.0%	50.0%
	Grade of the project	56.0%	50.0%
Recommended reading	Basic literature	1. Warych J.: Aparatura chemiczna i procesowa, Oficyna Wydawnicza Politechniki Warszawskiej, Warszawa 1996 2. Vesilind A., Peirce J.J., Weiner R.: Environmental engineering. Butterworth Publishers, Stoneham, 1988. 3. Łomotowski J., Szpindor A.: Nowoczesne systemy oczyszczania ścieków. Arkady, W-wa, 1999. 4. Grandison A.S., Lewis M.J.: Separation processes in the food and biotechnology Industries. Woodhead Publishing Ltd., Cambridge, 1996. 5. Ciborowski J.: Inżynieria procesowa. WNT, W-wa, 1965.	
	Supplementary literature	1. Pikoń J.: Aparatura chemiczna. PWN, W-wa, 1978. 2. Wodociągi - Kanalizacja. Abrys sp. z o.o., monthly	
	eResources addresses		
Example issues/ example questions/ tasks being completed	1. Real reactor. 2. Discuss the structure and operation of a reactor with a biological bed. 3. Purpose and methods of reactor aeration.		
Work placement	Not applicable		

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