



Subject card

Subject name and code	Motor vehicles, PG_00056108						
Field of study	Mechatronics						
Date of commencement of studies	October 2024		Academic year of realisation of subject		2026/2027		
Education level	first-cycle studies		Subject group				
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		2.0		
Learning profile	general academic profile		Assessment form		assessment		
Conducting unit	Division of Mechanical Vehicles and Military Technology -> Institute of Mechanics and Machine Design -> Faculty of Mechanical Engineering and Ship Technology -> Faculties of Gdańsk University of Technology						
Name and surname of lecturer (lecturers)	Subject supervisor		dr hab. inż. Grzegorz Ronowski				
	Teachers						
Lesson types	Lesson type	Lecture	Tutorial	Laboratory	Project	Seminar	SUM
	Number of study hours	30.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	30
	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	30		0.0		0.0	30
Subject objectives	The aim of the course is to provide students with basic knowledge in the field of construction and general principles of designing motor vehicle drive systems .						
Learning outcomes	Course outcome		Subject outcome		Method of verification		
	[K6_U05] is able to use properly chosen tools to compare design solutions of elements and mechatronics systems according to given application and economic criteria (e.g. power demand, speed, costs)		The student knows the construction of typical types of drive systems used in motor vehicles. It is able to choose the right layout due to the usage criteria.		[SU4] Assessment of ability to use methods and tools [SU3] Assessment of ability to use knowledge gained from the subject [SU1] Assessment of task fulfilment		
Subject contents	Course content – lecture						
	General construction of the car . Engine characteristics and necessary drive mechanisms . Drive mechanisms . Clutches - types used . Design , operation and calculation of friction couplings . Friction clutch components . Switching mechanisms . Automatic control systems . Torque converters . Stepped gearboxes . Synchronizers and gear shifters . Planetary gearboxes . Automate shifting . Additional gearboxes . Drive shafts and joints . Drive shaft systems . Critical shaft speed . Joint theory and design solutions . Drive bridges : types , construction and calculation . Differentials , half -axes and wheel bearings .						
Prerequisites and co-requisites							
Assessment methods and criteria	Subject passing criteria		Passing threshold		Percentage of the final grade		
	Colloquium		50.0%		100.0%		
Recommended reading	Basic literature		Studziński K.: Samochód teoria, konstrukcja i obliczanie				
			Jaśkiewicz Z.: Projektowanie układów napędowych pojazdów samochodowych.				

	Supplementary literature	Reimpel J.: Budowa samochodów Podstawy Konstrukcji Zając M.: Układy przeniesienia napędu samochodów ciężarowych i autobusów
	eResources addresses	
Example issues/ example questions/ tasks being completed	1 . Differential design . 2 . Construction of the front combined drive system . 3 . Independent suspension working principle .	
Practical activities within the subject	Not applicable	

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