



Subject card

Subject name and code	Protection Automatics in Electric Power Systems, PG_00048255						
Field of study	Electrical Engineering						
Date of commencement of studies	February 2026		Academic year of realisation of subject		2026/2027		
Education level	second-cycle studies		Subject group				
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		2.0		
Learning profile	general academic profile		Assessment form		assessment		
Conducting unit	Department of Electrical Power Engineering -> Faculty of Electrical and Control Engineering -> Faculties of Gdańsk University of Technology						
Name and surname of lecturer (lecturers)	Subject supervisor		prof. dr hab. inż. Zbigniew Lubośny				
	Teachers		prof. dr hab. inż. Zbigniew Lubośny				
Lesson types	Lesson type	Lecture	Tutorial	Laboratory	Project	Seminar	SUM
	Number of study hours	15.0	0.0	15.0	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		5.0		15.0	50
Subject objectives	Understanding the purpose and operating principles of power protection systems. Ability to select power station equipment elements in the field of power protection and automation.						
Learning outcomes	Course outcome		Subject outcome		Method of verification		
	[K7_K04] correctly identifies and resolves dilemmas associated with the exercise of the profession, in particular relating to responsibility for his own safety and the safety of others		Assesses the functional safety of power station components.		[SK5] Assessment of ability to solve problems that arise in practice		
	[K7_U10] is able to calculate short-circuit currents, select substation equipment including power system automation protection automatics		Calculates the parameters of the power station equipment, taking into account its role in the system and its system environment.		[SU1] Assessment of task fulfilment		
	[K7_W05] has detailed knowledge of the regulatory processes in the electricity system electricity system, electricity safety and electricity safety automation, is familiar with technologies high voltage		Is able to select the components of a power substation and power system protection devices ensuring the correct operation of the power system.		[SW3] Assessment of knowledge contained in written work and projects		
Subject contents	Course content – lecture Lecture: The power system as a secured object. The role of security automation and its requirements. Transformers for protection. Current transformers and their connection systems. Voltage transformers and their connection systems. Theoretical foundations of protection automation. Analog and digital systems of protection automation. The basic types of protections used: overcurrent, voltage, differential, impedance and angle. Information transfer rules. Medium voltage line protection automatics. Disturbance in the operation of the line. Time delayed overcurrent protection and instantaneous overcurrent protection. Time delayed overcurrent protection with directional block. Differential protection. Protection against earth faults. Laboratory: Testing of current and voltage transformers, testing of medium voltage transmission line protection, testing of high voltage transmission line protection, testing of differential protection.						
Prerequisites and co-requisites	Power system: structure, principle of operation						

Assessment methods and criteria	Subject passing criteria	Passing threshold	Percentage of the final grade
	Test	60.0%	100.0%
Recommended reading	Basic literature	J. Żydanowicz, M. Namiotkiewicz: Automatyka zabezpieczeniowa w elektroenergetyce. WNT, Warszawa 1983. W. Winkler, A. Wiszniewski: Automatyka zabezpieczeniowa w systemach elektroenergetycznych. WNT, Warszawa 1999. W. Korniluk, K. W. Woliński: Elektroenergetyczna automatyka zabezpieczeniowa. Wydawnictwo Politechniki Białostockiej, Białystok 2008, 2012	
	Supplementary literature	B. Synal, W. Rojewski, W. Dzierżanowski: Elektroenergetyczna automatyka zabezpieczeniowa. Oficyna wydawnicza Politechniki Wrocławskiej, Wrocław 2003. R. Kowalik, M. Januszewski, A. Smolarczyk: Cyfrowa elektroenergetyczna automatyka zabezpieczeniowa. Oficyna wydawnicza Politechniki Warszawskiej, Warszawa 2006. J. Lorenc: Admitancyjne zabezpieczenia zwarciowe, Wydawnictwo Politechniki Poznańskiej, Poznań 2007	
	eResources addresses		
	Example issues/ example questions/ tasks being completed	Select the settings of the delayed and instantaneous overcurrent protection in the HV / MV substation.	
Practical activities within the subject	Not applicable		

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