

## COURSE DESCRIPTION CARD

Faculty of Mechanical Engineering									
Field of study	Mechanical Engineering							Degree level and programme type	Bachelor's degree
Specialization/ diploma path								Study profile	
Course name	Thermal Engineering							Course code	FME-00282S
								Course type	
Forms and number of hours of tuition	L	C	LC	P	SW	FW	S	Semester	summer
	30	15	15					No. of ECTS credits	6
Entry requirements	Mathematics I, Engineering Mechanics								
Course objectives	To provide the students with knowledge of basic principles of thermal engineering, basic definitions and fundamental principles; to obtain an understanding of problems associated with energy conversions to develop skills for understand and identify basic processes with thermal engineering systems and to use them for analysis of practical problems, also a training in practical skills of engineering measurements for thermal and flow parameters.								
Course content	<p><b>Lecture:</b> First and second laws of thermodynamics in application to thermal systems; Energy and exergy efficiency of energy conversion; Thermodynamics of wet vapour; Steam power generation systems; Gas power generation systems; Combustion engines cycles; Compression refrigeration systems; Basic principles of air-conditioning and heat pumps; Basic principles of cryogenic systems</p> <p><b>Classes:</b> using of properties charts; calculations of steam Rankine cycles problems; calculations of Brayton cycle problems; calculations of Linde cycle problems; calculations of combustion engines cycles problems</p> <p><b>Laboratory:</b> Heat exchangers - Thermal characteristics, heat transfer coefficient, Air heating - testing of the air heaters, Energy conversion - monitoring of the electric steam boiler operation; Compression refrigeration system - coefficient of performance, cycle identification</p>								
Teaching methods	<p><b>Regular lectures:</b> regular lectures with presentations</p> <p><b>Regular classes:</b> blackboard classes, work in groups, discussion, homework assignments</p> <p><b>Self- study under supervision:</b> tutorial sessions with worked examples, discussion, problem solving, homework assignments.</p> <p><b>Laboratory:</b> experimentations in groups under supervision of a teacher, lab reports preparing, problems solving.</p>								

<b>Assessment method</b>	<b>Lecture - written and oral exam; classes – calculation of simple problems evaluation; laboratory classes – pre-lab tests, lab reports evaluation</b>		
<b>Symbol of learning outcome</b>	<b>Learning outcomes</b>		<b>Reference to the learning outcomes for the field of study</b>
L01	Student describes with understanding basic concepts of thermal engineering terms, definitions, and fundamental principles,		M1_W06
L02	Student performs basic calculations of energy conversion problems in thermal systems		M1_W06, M1_U20
L03	Student is able to do the elementary measurements of quantities applied in thermal systems		M1_W06, M1_U20
L04	Student apply first and second law of thermodynamics in analysis of simple power engineering, refrigeration and heat pump systems		M1_W06, M1_U11
L05			
L06			
<b>Symbol of learning outcome</b>	<b>Methods of assessing the learning outcomes</b>		<b>Type of tuition during which the outcome is assessed</b>
L01	written exam		L
L02	written exam, in-class tests, pre-lab tests, lab reports grading		L, C, LC
L03	written exam, in-class tests, pre-lab tests, lab reports grading		L, C, LC
L04	written exam, in-class tests, pre-lab tests, lab reports grading		L, C, LC
L05			
L06			
<b>Student workload (in hours)</b>			<b>No. of hours</b>
<b>Calculation</b>	lecture attendance or self-study		30
	participation in classes or self study		15
	participation in laboratory classes		15
	preparation for classes and laboratory classes		30
	working on reports		15
	participation in student-teacher sessions related to the classes		20
	preparation for and participation in exams/tests		35
	<b>TOTAL:</b>		<b>155</b>
<b>Quantitative indicators</b>			<b>HOURS</b>
<b>Student workload – activities that require direct teacher participation</b>			<b>60</b>
<b>Student workload – practical activities</b>			<b>55</b>
<b>Basic references</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Çengel Y.A., Boles M.A., Thermodynamics. An Engineering Approach, McGraw-Hill Book, 2015.</li> <li>Rajput R.K., Thermal Engineering, Laxmi Publications, 2010.</li> <li>Whitman W.C., Johnson W.M., Tomczyk J.A., Silberstein E., Refrigeration and Air Conditioning Technology, 7th Edition, Delmar, Cengage Learning, 2013</li> <li>Althouse A.D., Turnquist C.H., Bracciano A.F., Bracciano C.C., Bracciano G.M.,</li> </ol>		

	<b>Modern Refrigeration and Air Conditioning, 19th Ed. The Goodheart-Willcox Company, Inc.</b>	
<b>Supplementary references</b>	1. Rudramoorthy R. Thermal engineering, McGraw-Hill, 2003. 2. Trott A.R., Welch T., Refrigeration and Air-Conditioning, 3rd edition, Butterworth-Heinemann, 2000 3. Hundt G.F., Trott A.R., Welch T., Refrigeration and Air-Conditioning, 4rd edition, Butterworth-Heinemann, 2008	
<b>Organisational unit conducting the course</b>	<b>Department of Thermal Engineering</b>	<b>Date of issuing the programme</b>
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L – lecture, C – classes, LC – laboratory classes, P – project, SW – specialization workshop, FW - field work,

S – seminar