# POZNAN UNIVERSITY OF TECHNOLOGY

## COURSE DESCRIPTION CARD - SYLLABUS

Course name
Informative Methods in Physics and Technique [S1FT2>MIwFiT]

## Course

Field of study
Technical Physics

Year/Semester
1/1

Area of study (specialization)
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Profile of study
general academic

Level of study
first-cycle

Course offered in
Polish

Form of study
full-time

Requirements
compulsory

## Number of hours

Lecture
15

Laboratory classes
30

Other (e.g. online)
0

Tutorials
0

Projects/seminars
0

## Number of credit points

3,00

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## Lecturers

## Prerequisites

Knowledge of physics, mathematics and computer science at the level after the first degree of education in the field of technical physics. Skill in basic use a Windows computer. Active attitude when solving problems, understanding the need to expand one's competences

## Course objective

1. Acquaintance of the students with the basics of the Python language that enables the creation of numerical programs that solve problems appearing in physics and technology. 2. Demonstrating the usefulness of the computer as a tool supporting the analysis and solving of simple physical and technical problems. 3. Developing student's ability to use a computer independently to analyze simple problems in the field of physics and technology, in particular through the development and implementation of programs for simulating simple physical processes.

## Course-related learning outcomes

Knowledge:
1. Student, who has completed the course, is able to select and describe mathematical apparatus necessary to describe the laws of physics and solve problems, including: basic numerical algorithms used in technical physics
2. Student, who has completed the course, is able to list and describe the structures and instructions of the selected programming environment supporting engineering calculations

Skills:
1. Student, who has completed the course, is able use mathematical knowledge to create computer models and write numerical algorithms in the field of technical physics
2. Student, who has completed the course, is able to correctly use the data structures and instructions of the selected programming environment and the learned numerical algorithms to solve a problem in the field of technical physics, perform visualization and computer simulation, and make a critical analysis of the obtained results
3. Student, who has completed the course, on the basis of the available documentation in English, can independently find additional information about data structures, instructions and available libraries

Social competences:
1. Student, who has completed the course, is able to work responsibly on a designated multi-threaded task, independently and in a team,
2. Student, who has completed the course, is able to notices the necessity of ethical use of computer software in accordance with its licenses

## Methods for verifying learning outcomes and assessment criteria

Learning outcomes presented above are verified as follows:

W01, W05 : : Assessment of knowledge demonstrated in written work on the grounds of scored points
 Assessment of an individual oral presentation with the use of a computer program.
 50.1%-70.0% (3)
 70.1%-90.0% (4)
 90.1%-100.0%(5)
U01, U09, U011, U019: Assessment of programming skills demonstrated in practice.
 Assessment of an individual oral presentation with the use of a computer program.
 Assessment of activity during Laboratory classes.
 50.1%-70.0% (3)
 70.1%-90.0% (4)
 90.1%-100.0%(5)
K01, K02 Assessment of an individual oral presentation with the use of a computer program.

## Programme content

A. Fundamentals
1. Wprowadzenie do dystrybucji języka Python i wybranych edytorów kodu (Idle, Spyder, Jupyter, PyCharm, VS Code).
2. Support for standard input output in Python.
3. The concept of a variable and basic data types.
4. Overview of complex data structures (lists, tuples, dictionaries, strings, sets).
5. Conditional instructions and exception handling.
6. "for" and "while" loops in the Python language.
7. Recursion - comparison of the implementation of the factorial (n) function in iterative and recursive terms.
8. Sorting algorithms.
9. Creating and operating functions.
B. Object oriented programming
1. The concept of classes, constructors, attributes, methods.
2. Encapsulation.
3. Polymorphism.
4. Inheritance and multiple inheritance.
5. Working with Python packages and modules.
6. Creating custom modules.

7. Application of selected Python libraries in scientific data analysis.

## Course topics

## Teaching methods

1. Lectures: multimedia presentation, presentation illustrated with examples given on the blackboard.
2. Laboratory classes: practical exercises, conducting, discussion, teamwork.

## Bibliography

Basic:
1. Amit Saha, "Matematyka w Pythonie", Helion, Gliwice 2015.
2. Al Sweigart, "Programowanie w Pythonie dla średnio zaawansowanych", Helion, Gliwice 2021.

Additional:
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## Breakdown of average student's workload

|  | Hours | ECTS |
|---|---|---|
| Total workload | 75 | 3,00 |
| Classes requiring direct contact with the teacher | 45 | 2,00 |
| Student's own work (literature studies, preparation for laboratory classes/ tutorials, preparation for tests/exam, project preparation) | 30 | 1,00 |