# POZNAN UNIVERSITY OF TECHNOLOGY



EUROPEAN CREDIT TRANSFER AND ACCUMULATION SYSTEM (ECTS)

# **COURSE DESCRIPTION CARD - SYLLABUS**

Course name

Durability and reliability of vehicles [N2MiBP1-PS>KTiNP]

Lecturers	
	Other 0
Requirements compulsory	5
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#### **Prerequisites**

The student has a basic knowledge of the construction of cars and the principles of operation of their components as well as the basics of reliability. The student is able to analyze and synthesize information, draw conclusions, formulate and justify opinions.

#### **Course objective**

Developing the ability to formulate and solve problems related to the reliability of vehicles at the stage of their design, manufacture and operation.

#### Course-related learning outcomes

Knowledge:

Has extensive knowledge of the processes taking place in the surface layer of machine structural elements and surface engineering methods.

Has knowledge of the principles of safety and ergonomics in the design and operation of machines and the threats that machines pose to the natural environment.

Has extended knowledge of the life cycle of machines, the principles of operation of working machines and destructive processes occurring during operation, such as tribological wear, corrosion, surface

fatigue and volumetric aging of the material.

Skills:

He can estimate the potential threats to the environment and people from the designed working machine and vehicle from a selected group.

Can plan and carry out experimental research of specific processes taking place in machines and routine tests of a working machine or a vehicle from a selected group of machines.

He can design the technology of exploitation of a selected machine with a high degree of complexity.

Social competences:

He is ready to critically assess his knowledge and received content.

Is ready to recognize the importance of knowledge in solving cognitive and practical problems and to consult experts in case of difficulties in solving the problem on its own.

It is ready to fulfill social obligations, inspire and organize activities for the benefit of the social environment.

#### Methods for verifying learning outcomes and assessment criteria

Learning outcomes presented above are verified as follows:

Learning outcomes presented above are verified as follows: Project in the field of vehicle reliability modeling. Final test

## Programme content

Reliability terminology. Reliability in models used in the design of motor vehicles. Reliability and technological quality. Influence of servicing strategy on vehicle reliability. Statistical description of changes in technical condition. Empirical characteristics and models of vehicle reliability. Identification of weak links in currently manufactured motor vehicles.

## **Course topics**

Airworthiness and unfitness condition, damage. Service life until failure and

between failures. Limit state, durability. State assessment criteria.

Planning of research allowing for the development of reliability at the design stage

The dispersion of the properties of the manufactured elements. Forms of destroying elements of motor vehicles. Typical courses of changes in technical

condition. Analysis of operational data about mileage to failure and between failures. Analysis of the types, causes and effects of the vehicle functional failure and estimation of the risks resulting from its occurrence. Analysis of durability and reliability of selected vehicles.

## **Teaching methods**

Informative and problematic lecture with a multimedia presentation. Exercises with didactic discussion.

## Bibliography

Basic

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# Breakdown of average student's workload

	Hours	ECTS
Total workload	30	2,00
Classes requiring direct contact with the teacher	18	1,00
Student's own work (literature studies, preparation for laboratory classes/ tutorials, preparation for tests/exam, project preparation)	12	1,00