

Course title: Earth Science and Hydrology Nauki o ziemi i hydrologia		
Field of study: Environmental Engineering		
Type of study: full-time studies	The level of education: first-cycle studies	Education profile: general academic
Type of subject: Wybierz element.	Semester: Wybierz element.	Course language: English
Course type: lecture, tutorials, laboratory	Number of hours: 15L, 15T, 30Lab	ECTS Credit points: 7

SYLLABUS

COURSE CONTENT

Form of classes - lectures	Hours
Earth sciences. Geological structure of the Earth	1
Factors influencing the shaping of the Earth's surface	1
Soil forming factors and processes	1
Earth's atmosphere – the composition, climate and weather	1
The global warming and climate changes	1
The water cycle and its components. The water balance	2
The drainage basin hydrology. The surface water	1
The hydrology of streams and rivers. The stream flow velocity and discharge	1
The groundwater. The water table. The saturated and unsaturated zone. Aquifers aquitards and aquicludes	1
The confined and unconfined aquifer. The hydrogeological parameters	1
The groundwater flow. The filtration and fluation	1
The groundwater exploitation. Well design and installation	1
The flood forecasting. The flood prevention and control	1
The test	1
Form of classes - tutorials	Hours
The introduction to the subject	1
Calculations of the design rainfall intensity. Calculation of the infiltration rate	2
Calculation of the stream flow velocity and discharge. The Manning equation. The weirs	2
The calculation of the flow rate through the aquifer	2
The calculation of the pumping well discharge. The fully and partially penetrating wells	2
The calculation of the aquifer hydraulic conductivity on the base of pumping test data	2
Calculation of the hydraulic properties of the aquifer. The slug tests	1
Ditches, drains and radiator collector wells – the discharge calculations	2
The test	1

Form of classes - laboratory	Hours
Introduction to the subject: health and safety training, discussion on the conditions and requirements of passing the laboratory, presentation of the subject and scope of the course	2
Estimation of the gravimetric and volumetric soil water content. Calculation of the degree of saturation. The soil moisture retention curve	2
The sieve analysis. Characterizing the hydraulic properties of soils on the base of grain-size analysis data	2
The precipitation, temperature, dew point, relative humidity, and solar irradiation. Processing of the data collected by the weather station. The IDF curves	2
The simulation of rainfall, runoff and infiltration. Calculation of the mean areal precipitation for a region using the Thiessen Polygon Weighting method	2
Delineation of the drainage basin boundaries. The morphometric analysis of the catchment. Work with the map	2
Calculation of the average flow velocity and discharge of the stream. Processing of the data collected with use of the propeller current meter	2
Constructing the river stage-discharge rating curve. The flood hydrograph	2
Determination of the hydraulic conductivity and the intrinsic permeability of soil using the variable-head permeameter	2
Determination of the hydraulic conductivity and the intrinsic permeability of soil using the constant-head permeameter	2
Hydrogeological mapping. Modelling of the groundwater flow and fate and transport of contaminants in the subsurface using the Processing Modflow software	4
Modelling of the hydrological processes using the EPA SWMM 5 software	4
The test	2

COURSE STUDY METHODS

1. blackboard
2. multimedia presentation
3. laboratory setup
4. computer software
5. the literature and instructions for laboratory classes

METHODS OF ASSESMENT (F - formative; S - summative)

F1. - activity in classes
F2. - evaluation of work during laboratory exercises
S1. - test
S2. - evaluation of the laboratory reports

STUDENT WORKLOAD

Form of activity	Workload (hours)
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Participation in lectures	14 h
Participation in classes	14 h
Laboratory	28 h
Participation in project classes	-
Participation in seminar	-
Preparation course on e-learning	-
Test	4 h
Entrance test for laboratory classes	2 h
Project's defence	-
Exam	-
Consultation hours	12 h
DIRECT TEACHING, hours/ ECTS	74 h / 3.6 ECTS
Preparation for tutorials	20 h
Preparation for laboratories	20 h
Preparation for projects	-
Preparation for seminars	-
Preparation for e-learning classes	-
Participation in e-learning classes	-
Working on project	-
Preparation for tests	30 h
Preparation for exam	-
SELF-STUDY, hours/ ECTS	70 h / 3.4 ECTS
TOTAL (hours)	Σ 144
TOTAL ECTS	7 ECTS

PRIMARY AND SUPPLEMENTARY TEXTBOOKS

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