

## COURSE DESCRIPTION CARD

Białystok University of Technology									
Field of study	Civil Engineering						Degree level and programme type	Bachelor's degree, full time programme	
Specialization/ diploma path							Study profile	academic	
Course name	Basics of Structural Analysis						Course code	19284109H	
							Course type	obligatory	
Forms and number of hours of tuition	L	C	LC	P	SW	FW	S	Semester	5
	16			16				No. of ECTS credits	3
Entry requirements	Theoretical Mechanics, Strength of Materials								
Course objectives	Presentation of drawing the influence lines of internal forces, reactions and displacements in statically determinate and indeterminate structures. Envelope of internal stress. Stability of the structures. Buckling. Critical force. Introduction to the analysis of structure vibration								
Course content	Influence lines of internal forces in statically determinate structures. Influence lines of internal forces, reactions and displacements in statically indeterminate structures. Kinematic analysis of structures - recognition of structural instability. Buckling and loss of stability of the structure. Calculation of critical force.								
Teaching methods	lecture, projects								
Assessment method	lecture – two-part written exam (theory and exercises); project – six project completion, correction during the lessons and final discussion								
Symbol of learning outcome	Learning outcomes							Reference to the learning outcomes for the field of study	
LO1	Student identifies and describes the behaviour of bar structures							K_B1_W03	
LO2	Student identifies and describes the static behaviour of the structure as well its stability							K_B1_W01 K_B1_W03	
LO3	Student solves simple structures using Direct Displacement Method to find critical force to avoid the loss of stability							K_B1_U06 K_B1_U07	
LO4	Student uses influence lines to define values of internal forces, reactions and displacement							K_B1_U06 K_B1_U07	
LO5	Student justify presented solution of the calculated structure							K_B1_K01 K_B1_K02	

Symbol of learning outcome	Methods of assessing the learning outcomes	Type of tuition during which the outcome is assessed	
L01	exam (theory and exercises)	L	
L02	exam (theory and exercises)	L	
L03	exam (exercises), project (project calculation and completion)	L, P	
L04	exam (exercises), project (project calculation and completion)	L, P	
L05	discussion of delivered projects	P	
Student workload (in hours)		No. of hours	
Calculation	lecture attendance	16h	
	participation in classes and projects	16h	
	participation in student-teacher sessions related to the classes/project	3h	
	working on projects	20h	
	preparation for and participation in exams	20h	
	TOTAL:	75h	
Quantitative indicators		HOURS	No. of ECTS credits
Student workload – activities that require direct teacher participation		40	1,5
Student workload – practical activities		59	2
Basic references	1. Karnovsky I., Lebed O.: Advanced Methods of Structural Analysis. Springer 2010. 2. Hibbeler R.C.: Structural Analysis. Eight Edition. Pearson Pretince Hall 2012. 3. Carpinteri A.: Structural mechanics: a unified approach. Taylor & Francis 1997 (digital version 2006)		
Supplementary references	1. Megson T.H.G.: Structural and Stress Analysis. Second Edition. Elsevier 2005. 2. Williams A.: Structural Analysis in Theory and Practice. Butterworth-Heinemann 2009. 3. Darkov A.V., Kuznecov V.I.: Structural Mechanics, Mir Publishers, Moscow, 1968.		
Organisational unit conducting the course	Department of Geotechnics and Structural Mechanics	Date of issuing the programme	
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L – lecture, C – classes, LC – laboratory classes, P – project, SW – specialization workshop, FW - field work, S – seminar

