



## COURSE DESCRIPTION CARD - SYLLABUS

Course name

Exploitation and Process Safety

### Course

Field of study

Chemical Technology

Area of study (specialization)

Level of study

First-cycle studies

Form of study

full-time

Year/Semester

IV/7

Profile of study

general academic

Course offered in

English

Requirements

compulsory

### Number of hours

Lecture

15

Laboratory classes

Other (e.g. online)

Tutorials

Projects/seminars

### Number of credit points

2

### Lecturers

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### Prerequisites

Student knows basics of algebra and probability theory, basic laws of heat, mass and momentum transfers, basic chemical reaction engineering. Student has basic knowledge in the field of construction and operating principles of apparatus and fittings in chemical and related industries, and industrial automation. Student is able to read and understand process flow diagrams (PFD) and simple piping and instrumentation diagrams (P&ID).

### Course objective

The aim of the course is to familiarize the student with the basic principles of safe operation of industrial equipment and fittings as well as qualitative methods and techniques for identifying industrial risk.

### Course-related learning outcomes

Knowledge

1. Student knows the legal basis of process safety under the Polish and European Union laws. [K\_W018]



2. Knows the basic threats that may result from the use of chemical substances in industrial processes. [K\_W018]
3. Knows the principles of process safety analyzes: HAZOP, FTA and ETA. [K\_W018, K\_W15]
4. Knows the basic aspects related to the location of process equipment and the location of chemical and related industries plants. [K\_W015, K\_W018]
5. Knows the basic aspects of occupational health and safety in the chemical industry. [K\_W018]

#### Skills

1. Student is able to effectively use chemical safety data sheets to identify process hazards. [K\_U01, K\_U25]
2. Is able to identify the main steps of the chemical risk assessment. [K\_U25]
3. Is able to use HAZOP, FTA and ETA for basic hazard identification. [K\_U25]

#### Social competences

1. The student knows the limitations of her/his own knowledge and understands the need for continuous education and raising their professional competences, with particular emphasis on ongoing analysis of industrial accidents. [K\_K01]
2. The student is aware and understands the social aspects of the practical application of acquired knowledge and skills in the field of process safety and related with it responsibility. [K\_K02]
3. The student is aware of the professionalism and compliance with the principles of professional ethics in relation to the storage and processing of chemical substances and hazardous events. [K\_K05]

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

Learning outcomes presented above are verified as follows:

The acquired knowledge during the lectures is verified by the test. The test consists of about 30 closed and 5 open test questions. Passing threshold is 51% points. The required material and appropriate references for questions will be delivered in the university's e-Learning system.

#### Programme content

As part of the course the following issues are discussed:

1. Basic terminology related to the occupational health and safety risk and industrial risk analysis.
2. Legal basis related to preparation of a safety report and location of an industrial plant (Environmental Protection Law together with relevant SEVESO III Directive), fire protection and guidelines for the use of equipment in potentially explosive areas (ATEX Directive, selected standards).
3. Rules for the location of industrial apparatuses and the location of chemical and related industries plants.



4. Methods supporting the identification and assessment of hazards such as: HAZOP, fault tree (FTA), event tree (ETA), FMEA. The methods are supported by examples.

5. Analyzes of selected accidents and failures in the chemical, petrochemical and related industries.

### Teaching methods

Multimedia presentation, materials shared in the university's e-Learning system.

### Bibliography

#### Basic

1. Materials delivered by the lecturer.

2. Daniel A. Crowl, Joseph F. Louvar, 2011, Chemical Process Safety: Fundamentals with Applications, Prentice Hall PTG.

#### Additional

1. Atherton J., Gil F., Hoboken, N.J., Incidents that define process safety, Center for Chemical Process Safety, Wiley, 2008.

2. Markowski A.S., Bezpieczeństwo procesów przemysłowych, 2017, Wydawnictwo Politechniki Łódzkiej.

3. Guidelines for Process Safety Fundamentals in General Plant Operations, Center for Chemical Process Safety of the American Institute of Chemical Engineers, Nowy Jork, 1995 (dostęp elektroniczny przez [www.library.put.poznan.pl](http://www.library.put.poznan.pl)).

4. Sanders R. E., Chemical Process Safety - Learning from Case Histories (3rd Edition), Elsevier, 2005 (dostęp elektroniczny przez [www.library.put.poznan.pl](http://www.library.put.poznan.pl)).

### Breakdown of average student's workload

|   | Hours | ECTS |
|---|-------|------|
| Total workload  | 45    | 2,0  |
| Classes requiring direct contact with the teacher                           | 25    | 1,1  |
| Student's own work (literature studies, preparation for tests) <sup>1</sup> | 20    | 0,9  |

<sup>1</sup> delete or add other activities as appropriate