

### EUROPEAN CREDIT TRANSFER AND ACCUMULATION SYSTEM (ECTS)

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## **COURSE DESCRIPTION CARD - SYLLABUS**

Course name

Predictive control

**Course** 

Field of study Year/Semester

Automatic Control and Robotics 1/2

Area of study (specialization) Profile of study

Control and Robotics Systems general academic
Level of study Course offered in

Second-cycle studies Polish

Form of study Requirements full-time compulsory

**Number of hours** 

Lecture Laboratory classes Other (e.g. online)

15 15 0

Tutorials Projects/seminars

0 0

**Number of credit points** 

2

**Lecturers** 

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## **Prerequisites**

Knows and understands to a greater extent selected areas of mathematics [K2\_W01 (P7S\_WG)]

Has advanced and deepened knowledge of methods of analysis and design of control systems [K2\_W02 (P7S\_WG)]

Has ordered and theoretically founded detailed knowledge in the design and analysis of optimal systems [K2\_W03 (P7S\_WG)]

Has an ordered and deepened knowledge of modeling and identification of linear and nonlinear systems [K2\_W08 (P7S\_WG)] Can construct an algorithm for solving a complex and unusual engineering task and a simple research problem and implement, test and run it in a selected programming environment for selected operating systems [K2\_U07 (P7S\_UW)] It is ready to critically evaluate the received content. He



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understands the need and knows the possibilities of continuous training - improving professional, personal and social competences, can inspire and organize the learning process of other people [K2\_K01 (P7S KK)]

# **Course objective**

The aim of the course is to familiarize students with predictive control of nonlinear systems. The method of controlling dynamic systems is discussed, which consists in the cyclical solving of the optimal control task.

## **Course-related learning outcomes**

Knowledge

#### Student:

- knows and understands to a greater extent selected areas of mathematics; has extended and deepened knowledge necessary to formulate and solve complex tasks in the field of control theory, optimization, modeling, identification and signal processing (K2 W1),
- has advanced and in-depth knowledge of methods of analysis and design of control systems (K2\_W7), has ordered, theoretically founded, detailed knowledge in the field of designing and analyzing optimal systems (K2\_W8),
- has an organized and in-depth knowledge of control systems and control and measurement systems (K2 W11),
- has knowledge of development trends and the most important new achievements in the field of automation and robotics and related scientific disciplines (K2 W12).
- has detailed knowledge related to control and measurement systems (K2 W11)

#### Skills

#### Student:

- can critically use literature information, databases and other sources in Polish and a foreign language (K2\_U1),
- is able to simulate and analyze the operation of complex automation systems as well as plan and carry out experimental verification (K2\_U9),
- can designate models of simple systems and processes, and use them for the purposes of analysis and design of automation and robotics systems (K2\_U10),
- can formulate and verify (simulation or experimentally) hypotheses related to engineering tasks and simple research problems in the field of automation and robotics (K2\_U15),
- can make a critical analysis of the operation of control systems and robotics systems; also has the ability to select automation systems with the use of programmable controllers (K2 U19),



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- can critically assess and select appropriate methods and tools to solve a task in the field of automation and robotics; can use innovative and unconventional tools in the field of automation and robotics (K2\_U22).

#### Social competences

#### Student:

- is aware of the responsibility for his/her own work and is ready to follow the rules of teamwork and take responsibility for the tasks performed together; he/she is able to lead a team, set objectives and determine priorities leading to the accomplishment of the task (K2\_K3),
- is aware of the necessity to have a professional approach to technical issues, to be scrupulously familiar with documentation and environmental conditions in which devices and their components may operate (K2 K4).

## Methods for verifying learning outcomes and assessment criteria

Learning outcomes presented above are verified as follows:

Lecture: written exam in the field of predictive control (checking theoretical knowledge).

Laboratory: end-of-work reports after each topic as a test of practical skills in the use of the predictive control algorithm.

### **Programme content**

Lecture: Basic reminder of SISO and MIMO control structures, classic PID controller and anti-windup filter. Presentation of what predictive control is, why it is used, discussion of potential disadvantages and principles of operation, considering constraints, comparing to classical stress control, predictive control with a model in the form of state equations, nonlinear predictive control, examples, presentation of practical applications and presentation of products containing MPC solutions.

Laboratory: Computer simulations in the MATLAB / SIMULINK environment, basics related to the predictive control algorithm, multimedia presentations with solution consultations.

## **Teaching methods**

- 1. Lectures: multimedia presentation, presentation illustrated with examples presented on black board, solving tasks
- 2. Labs: solving tasks, practical exercises, experiments, teamwork, multimedia presentation, instructions for exercises, discussion of project topics.

# **Bibliography**

### Basic

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## Breakdown of average student's workload

	Hours	ECTS
Total workload	50	2,0
Classes requiring direct contact with the teacher	30	1,0
Student's own work (literature studies, preparation for	20	1,0
laboratory classes/tutorials, preparation for tests/exam, project		
preparation) <sup>1</sup>		

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