

Course description

1 General information

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| Course name | Refrigeration and AC plants |
| Course code | M5-RAC |
| Level of study (B.Sc, M.Sc., Ph.D.) | B.Sc. |
| ECTS | 6 |
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| Course length | One (1) semester |
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2 Prerequisites

- None

2 Program

| Type | Lectures | Classes | Labs | Computer labs | Project | Seminar |
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| Hours | 30 | 30 | | | | |

3 Contents

| Lectures | | |
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| No. | | Hours |
| 1 | Refrigeration systems and applications | 1 |
| 2 | Compression and sorbent refrigeration system | 3 |
| 3. | Overview of refrigerants and their environmental impact | 2 |
| 4. | Heat pumps –types and application | 2 |
| 5. | Air-conditioning systems | 2 |
| 6. | Heat comfort, indoor air quality parameters | 1 |
| 7. | Humid air properties, Mollier diagram | 2 |
| 8. | Heat balance for building | 1 |
| 9. | Elements of refrigeration and air-conditioning devices | 1 |

| Classes | | |
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| No. | | Hours |
| 1 | Determination of the thermodynamic parameters of refrigerant using log(p)-i diagram | 4 |
| 2 | Designing single-stage vapor compression refrigeration system | 6 |
| 3. | Adjusting devices and fittings for refrigeration system | 3 |
| 4. | Designing two-stage vapor compression refrigeration system | 2 |
| 5. | Humid air parameters calculation | 6 |
| 6. | Heating, cooling, dehumidifying and humidifying processes calculation and illustrating on a Mollier diagram | 9 |

3 Learning Outcomes (skills and knowledge):

- The student is able to illustrate vapor compression refrigeration cycle on log(p)-i diagram.
- The student knows the requirements for refrigerants.
- The student knows the difference between refrigerator, heat pump and air conditioning.
- The student is able to calculate the coefficient of performance of heat pump, refrigerator and air conditioning systems.
- The student is able to define the basic humid air parameters.

- The student is able to illustrate heating, cooling, dehumidifying and humidifying processes on a Mollier diagram.

4 Assessment policy (examination):

- Written exam (theoretical) and written colloquium (solving examples)

5 Literature

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3. *Ashrae Handbook: HVAC Systems and Equipment*, Amer Society of Heating 2016
4. *Ashrae Handbook: Refrigeration*, Amer Society of Heating 2018
5. Jones W.P., *Air Conditioning Engineering*, Butterworth-Heinemann 2001
6. Wang S.K., *Handbook of Air Conditioning and Refrigeration*, McGraw-Hill Education 2000

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