Course Unit Descriptor

Study Programme: Civil Engineering

Course Unit Title: Timber structures

Course Unit Code: 029

Name of Lecturer(s): Assistant Professor Ljiljana M. Kozarić

Type and Level of Studies: Undergraduate academic studies

Course Status (compulsory/elective): Compulsory

Semester (winter/summer): Winter

Language of instruction: English

Mode of course unit delivery (face-to-face/distance learning): Face-to-face

Number of ECTS Allocated: 6

Prerequisites: Strength of Materials 1 and 2

Course Aims:

This course introduces students to timber constructions. Students are gaining knowledge about basic procedures for design and construction of timber structures and mastering the methodology of designing technical solutions for these purposes.

They are introduced to application of valid national regulations and with the new European regulations.

Learning Outcomes:

Realization of the foreseen goals.

Syllabus:

Theory

1st week The permissible stress design.

2nd week Fasteners. Design principles and calculations.

3rd week Types of splice joints for timber structural members.

4th week Timber frame shed roof. Design principles and calculations.

5th week Timber frame gable roof. Design principles and calculations.

6th week Timber roof trusses. Design principles and calculations.

7th week Timber roof trusses. Connection details.

8th week Glued laminated timber.

9th week Glued laminated timber structures. Design principles and calculations.

10th week Timber halls. Layout design.

11th week Timber halls. Structural elements. Design principles and calculations.

12th week Timber-steel composite structures.

13th week Timber bridges.

14th week EC-5.

15th week Guidelines for preparing a seminar paper. Summarizing course content.

Practice

Week by week practice is following lectures

Required Reading:

- 1. Gojković Milan: Drvene konstrukcije, Građevinska knjiga, Beograd, 1990.
- 2. Gojković Milan: Boško Stevanović: Drvene konstrukcije, Građevinska knjiga, Beograd, 1990.

3. Važeći propisi i	Važeći propisi i standardi, EC-5						
4. Romić: Lepljene lamelirane konstrukcije, Građevinska knjiga, Beograd, 1994.							
Weekly Contact Hours: 5 Lectures: 2			Practical work: 2				
Teaching Methods: Lectures, exercises, seminars, consultations							
Knowledge Assessment (maximum of 100 points):							
Pre-exam obligations	points		Final exam		points		
Active class	5		written exam		30		
participation							

The methods of knowledge assessment may differ; the table presents only some of the options: written exam, oral exam, project presentation, seminars, etc.

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Practical work

Seminar(s)

Preliminary exam(s)