Course Unit Descriptor

Study Programme: Power, Electronic and Telecommunication Engineering

Course Unit Title: Fundamentals of Electrical Engineering 1

Course Unit Code: E105

Name of Lecturer(s): Nikola Đurić

Type and Level of Studies:Bachelor level

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:9

Prerequisites:none

Course Aims:

The course objective is to introduce students to the terminology of electrical engineering, the basic physical laws of electrostatics and to enable students to analyze electric circuits of time-invariant currents. Also, the objective is to teach the students to calculate basic parameters of the elements in such circuits, resistors and capacitors

Learning Outcomes:

The students who successfully complete the course are able: -to calculate the capacitance of a simple homogeneous symmetrical structure (e.g. coaxial cable with several layers of dielectrics) -to calculate the resistance of homogeneous multilayer structure - to analyze simple electric circuit of time-invariant current - to calculate maximum power of elements in the circuits and protect them from burning out.

Syllabus:

Electrostatics (Electric field strength vector, Gauss's law, Electric potential and voltage, Conductors in electrostatic field, Capacitance and capacitors, Dielectrics in electrostatic field, Boundary conditions, Energy and forces in electrostatic field). Electric circuits of time-invariant currents (Current density vector and current intensity, Ohm's law and resistors, Joule's law, Kirchhoff's Laws, Generators, Conditions of maximum power transmission, Power conservation theorem, Methods of circuit analysis, Superposition Theorem, Thevenin's and Norton's theorem, Compensation theorem, Reciprocity theorem, Electrical circuits with capacitors).

Required Reading: Relevant literature in English

Weekly Contact Hours:8	Lectures:4	Practical work:4
Teaching Methods:		

The teaching process consists of lectures and tutorials, with occasional video presentations. The inductive method is applied in the lectures. The students' knowledge grows gradually, trough many simple problems solving.

Knowledge Assessment (maximum of 100 points):100

Pre-exam obligations	points	Final exam	points	
Test	10	Written part of the exam	70	
Test	10			
Test	10			
Seminar(s)				
The methods of knowledge assessment may differ; the table presents only some of the options: written exam, oral exam,				

project presentation, seminars, etc.