



UNIVERSITY OF NIŠ

Course Unit Descriptor

Faculty

Faculty of Mechanical Engineering

GENERAL INFORMATION

Study Program	Mechanical Engineering		
Study Module (if applicable)	-		
Course Title	Numerical mathematics and programming		
Level of Study	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Bachelor	<input type="checkbox"/> Master's	<input type="checkbox"/> Doctoral
Type of Course	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Obligatory	<input type="checkbox"/> Elective	
Semester	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Autumn	<input type="checkbox"/> Spring	
Year of Study	III		
Number of ECTS Allocated	6		
Name of Lecturer/Lecturers	Ljiljana Petković		
Teaching Mode	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Lectures	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Group tutorials	<input type="checkbox"/> Individual tutorials
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Laboratory work	<input type="checkbox"/> Project work	<input type="checkbox"/> Seminar
	<input type="checkbox"/> Distance learning	<input type="checkbox"/> Blended learning	<input type="checkbox"/> Other

Purpose and Overview (max. 5 sentences)

Students are acquainted with the basic techniques for solving mathematical problems that appear in engineering practice, and which cannot be solved by conventional analytical methods. Besides the use of specialized programming packages, such as Mathematica and Matlab, students are acquainted with numerical algorithms and the basics of programming which would provide them capability for solving more complex problems.

Syllabus (brief outline and summary of topics, max. 10 sentences)

Students adopt basic numerical methods for solving various problems that appear most frequently in technical disciplines, such as solving systems of linear equations, nonlinear equations, approximations of functions, and differential equations. They are also trained to solve these problems by the use of some appropriate programming package, and get the basic programming skills (recursive calculation, iterations, manipulation with expressions and functions) for solving problems of more complex nature.

Language of Instruction

- Serbian (complete course) English (complete course) Other _____ (complete course)
- Serbian with English mentoring Serbian with other mentoring _____

Assessment Methods and Criteria

Pre exam Duties	Points	Final Exam	Points
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Activity During Lectures		Written Examination	50 (Depending on Teaching Colloquia)
Practical Teaching		Oral Examination	50
Teaching Colloquia	Max. 50	Overall Sum	100
*Final examination mark is formed in accordance with the Institutional documents			