

| Course Number: PHYS 104  | Course Title: Physics Laboratory II   |  |
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| Required / Elective: required  | Pre / Co-requisites : -   |  |
| Catalog Description: Experiments on: capacitors; DC circuits; magnetic field; Ampere's law; Faraday's law; inductance; | Textbook / Required Material:  Physics Laboratory Manual, prepared by N. G. Kıyak |  |
| magnetic properties of matter.   |   |  |

Course Structure / Schedule: (0+0+2) 1 / 2 ECTS

# **Extended Description:**

**E1.** Measurement: Basics of measurement and error estimation arising from the measurements. **E2.** Error estimation and graphical analysis: Analysis of measurement errors, and graphical presentation. E3. Measurements of potential difference with a potantiometer: Measure an unknown electromotive force. E4. Multiloop electrical circuits: Kirchhoff's rules and make measurements on a circuit containing more than one source of electrical power. E5. Charging and discharging capacitors: Charging and discharging processes in a circuit. **E6. Temperature dependence of resistance**: Parameters which affect the resistance of conductors and study of temperature dependency. E7. Capacitance in AC circuits: Calculation of equivalent capacitor. E8. Inductance in AC circuits: AC inductive circuit elements and their properties. E9. RLC Circuits: Basic alternating current circuit elements and their properties. E10. Measurements of capacitance and inductance: Capacitance and inductance in an AC circuit. **E11. The transformer and power transmission**: Basic alternating current circuit elements and their properties. E12. Filter circuits: High-pass and low-pass filters and their properties. E13. Magnetization curve of a ferromagnetic material: Magnetic properties of a ferromagnetic substance and plot magnetization curve to see how permanent magnetization occurs. E14. Characteristic curve of a semiconductor: Band model of solids and properties of semiconductors. E15. Determination of equivalent capacitance: Equivalent capacitance in series and parallel, and calculating the stored energy.

|                              | Computer usage: Students use computational and                                     |
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| <b>Design content</b> : None | graphics software in the analysis of experimental data and preparation of reports. |
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#### **Course Learning Outcomes** [relevant program outcomes in brackets]:

On successful completion of this course students will be able to

- 1. learn the use and handle of electrical instruments and learn experimental techniques in electricity and magnetic areas of physics (1, 11).
- 2. learn how to design simple electrical experiments(6, 11).
- 3. have an ability to work in a team on multi-disciplinary projects (4, 8).
- 4. Improve ability to organize and analyze quantitative data (2, 11).
- 5. build up experience in estimating and calculating uncertainties in measurements and in derived quantities (11).
- 6. learn clear and accurate reporting of results (11).

## **Recommended reading**

- 1. Douglas C. Giancoli, *Physics for Scientists and Engineers with Modern Physics*, Prentice Hall, New Jersey, 2000 (3<sup>rd</sup> Edition).
- 2. P. M. Fishbane, S. G. Gasiorowicz, S. T. Thornton, *Physics for Scientists and Engineers with Modern Physics*, Pearson Prentice Hall Inc. Third Edition, 2005.

# **Teaching methods**

- 1. Discussion of theoretical background.
- 2. Demonstrations and videos.
- 3. Performing experiments and protocol measurements.
- 4. Group discussion and interpretation of observations.
- 5. Writing Lab reports.

Laboratory works of 2 hours per week, each week an experiment, 10-12 experiments over the course of the semester, pre-readings and report preparation for each experiment.

### **Assessment methods** (Related to course outcomes):

- 1. Formal lab reports
- 2. Final exam
- 3. Classroom observation

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Preparatory reading 13 hrs

Experiments, discussions 25 hrs

Reports 20 hrs

Final Exam 2 hrs

TOTAL ...... 60 hrs ... to match 25 x 2 ECTS

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