

Syllabus

Course Description

Course Title	Industrial electrical applications
Course Code	42156
Course Title Additional	
Scientific-Disciplinary Sector	IIND-08/A
Language	English
Degree Course	Bachelor in Industrial and Mechanical Engineering
Other Degree Courses (Loaned)	
Lecturers	Dott. Emanuele Fornasiero, Emanuele.Fornasiero@unibz.it https://www.unibz.it/en/faculties/engineering/academic-staff/person/40134
Teaching Assistant	
Semester	First semester
Course Year/s	3
CP	6
Teaching Hours	60
Lab Hours	0
Individual Study Hours	90
Planned Office Hours	18
Contents Summary	<p>The course covers the topics of electrical power generation, distribution, conversion and usage, from a system level point of view. The main topics are as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Production, transmission and distribution of electrical energy; sizing of electrical distribution lines - Electrical energy static conversion - Principles of operation of electrical machines - Applications and choice of electrical motors for simple applications <p>Application examples will be also addressed. Other sub-topics are about thermal aspects, grid harmonics, electrical safety.</p>

Course Topics	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Introduction about the role of electrical energy in nowadays world with some focus on primary energy sources - Production, transmission and distribution of electrical energy analysing the grid structure and with hints about electrical energy production - Comparison between different ways to transmit electrical energy and role of the three phase systems - Components of the transmission and distribution lines, and line models - Criteria for sizing electrical distribution lines with examples - Power factor compensation - Electrical safety hints, low voltage distribution systems and their main characteristics - Electrical energy static conversion, introducing rectifiers, inverters, switching power supply devices, choppers and their principle of working - Principles of operation of electrical machines - DC machines, structure, principle of working and main characteristics - AC machines, structure, principle of working and main characteristics - Induction (asynchronous) machines - Synchronous machines - Applications and choice of electrical motors for simple applications - Complementary topics: harmonic analysis on networks and associated problems, thermal considerations on electrical systems, devices and machines.
Keywords	Electrical energy, electrical machines, static converters, electrical systems, electrical energy transmission
Recommended Prerequisites	Elettrotecnica e macchine elettriche
Propaedeutic Courses	
Teaching Format	Frontal lectures, exercises, practical pc activities.
Mandatory Attendance	Not mandatory
Specific Educational Objectives and Learning Outcomes	<p>The aim of the course is to provide the most significant elements on the applications of electrical engineering concepts.</p> <p>Students will learn the basics of electrical systems, machines, converters and plants, also dealing with the related safety issues.</p>

	<p>By means of case studies, energy efficiency and costs aspects will also be considered, considering both classical and innovative applications.</p> <p>Knowledge and understanding:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Master the most important concepts about industrial electrical applications • understand the design principles of electrical equipment and installations. <p>Applying Knowledge and understanding:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Using proper criteria and tools for designing or choosing electrical systems and devices. The elements learnt are applied to real world case studies. <p>Making judgments:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ability to select the more adequate electrical system for a certain industrial application. <p>Communication skills:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Acquisition of the field related technical terminology. • Ability to describe the state of the art of the technology adopted in electrical industrial systems. <p>Learning skills:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ability to learn autonomously is improved by acquiring analytical approaches, inter disciplinary skills and by reading and understanding scientific and technical documentation.
Specific Educational Objectives and Learning Outcomes (additional info.)	<p>Knowledge and understanding:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Master the most important concepts about industrial electrical applications 2 understand the design principles of electrical equipment and installations. <p>Applying Knowledge and understanding:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 3 Using proper criteria and tools for designing or choosing electrical systems and devices. The elements learnt are applied to real world case studies. <p>Making judgments:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 4 Ability to select the more adequate electrical system for a certain industrial application. <p>Communication skills:</p>

	<p>5 Acquisition of the field related technical terminology.</p> <p>6 Ability to describe the state of the art of the technology adopted in electrical industrial systems.</p> <p>Learning skills:</p> <p>7 Ability to learn autonomously is improved by acquiring analytical approaches, inter disciplinary skills and by reading and understanding scientific and technical documentation.</p>
Assessment	<p>The assessment of the course is by a written exam and a quiz. The written exam comprises 3 numerical exercises, one about the design of an electric line, one about the choice of an electric motor for a specific application, and one chosen from one of the following topics: i) dc machines; ii) static converters; iii) harmonic suppression. The quiz part consists of 20 generic theory questions covering the theoretical part of the course (multiple choice, open answer, true or false).</p> <p>- Formative Assessment: not foreseen</p> <p>- Summative Assessment:</p> <p>50% written exam, exercises: 3 exercises (3 hours); ILOs assessed: 1, 2, 3, 4;</p> <p>50% written exam, theory: 20 multiple choice questions (1 hour); ILOs assessed: 5, 6.</p>
Evaluation Criteria	<p>Final mark, 50% written part, 50% theory questions.</p> <p>Relevant for assessment: correctness and clarity of written answers, correct exercise results, proper explanation of the assumptions.</p>
Required Readings	<p>There is no single textbook covering the entire course content. The material is collected from various sources, which will be announced and delivered during the course.</p>
Supplementary Readings	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Chitarin, G.; Gnesotto, F.; Guarnieri, M.; Maschi, A. & Stella, A. Elettrotecnica 2: Applicazioni, Editrice Esculapio • Fauri, Gnesotto, Marchesi, Maschio, "Lezioni di Elettrotecnica – Applicazioni elettriche", Editrice Esculapio • Giorgio Rizzoni, „Elettrotecnica: principi ed applicazioni“, edizione italiana a cura di Paolo Gubian, Francesco Vacca, Silvano Vergura, McGraw-Hill • Hughes, A. Electric motor and drives, Elsevier
Further Information	<p>Software used: Matlab, Simulink</p>

Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs)	Quality education, Industry, innovation and infrastructure, Affordable and clean energy
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