

## **ELECTRONIC CIRCUITS**

**COURSE SYLLABUS** 

COURSE DETAILS		
Type of study programme	Professional study - 180 ECTS	
Study programme	ELECTRONICS	
Course title	Electronic Circuits	
Course code	SEL011	
ECTS (Number of credits allocated)	6	
Course status	Core	
Year of study	Second	
Semester	Third (fall)	
Course Web site	http://www.oss.unist.hr/	
	Lectures	30
Total lesson hours per semester	Practicals	15
	Laboratory exercises & practical demonstration	30
Prerequisite(s)	None	
Lecturer(s)	Department of Electrical Engineering faculty: Tonko Kovačević, Mr. Sc., senior lecturer, Barbara Džaja, Ph.D., lecturer, Jakša Vatavuk, associate.	
Language of instruction	Croatian, English	

COURSE DESCRIPTION		
Course Objectives:	<ul> <li>knowledge of the basic principles of electronic circuits operation,</li> <li>calculation and measurement of parameters for electronic circuits,</li> <li>designing electronic circuits,</li> <li>performance analysis of electronic circuits.</li> </ul>	
Learning outcomes  On successful completion of this course, student should be able to:	<ol> <li>explain the theoretical principles essential for understanding the operation of electronic circuits,</li> <li>measure the characteristics of electronic circuits and present experimental results</li> <li>analyze electrical circuits and calculate the main parameters,</li> <li>develop, design and create simple analogue and digital electronic circuits,</li> <li>choose an engineering approach to solving problems, starting from the acquired knowledge essential for the design of electronic circuits.</li> </ol>	
Course content	Introduction. Basic concepts of amplifiers: current and voltage sources. Basic amplifier circuits with bipolar and field-effect transistors: DC stage, current and voltage amplification, input and output resistance, lower and upper cut-off frequency. Multistage amplifiers: current and voltage amplification. Darlington amplifier. Differential amplifier. Power amplifiers: class A, B and AB. Negative and positive feedback. Oscillators. Filters. AM and FM modulators and demodulators. Operational amplifiers: inverting, non-inverting, summing and differential. RC integrators and derivators. Multivibrators: bistable, monostable, astable and Schmitt trigger. Generator of saw-tooth and staircase waves. Basic logic circuits - AND, OR, NOT. Compound logic circuits – NAND, NOR. TTL and CMOS technology. Counters. A/D and D/A conversion. Programmable logic components.	

## CONSTRUCTIVE ALIGNMENT – Learning outcomes, teaching and assessment methods

Alignment of students activities with learning outcomes		
Activity	Student workload ECTS credits	Learning outcomes
Lectures	30 hours /1 ECTS	1,2,4,5
Practicals	15 hours / 0.5 ECTS	4,5
Laboratory work	30 hours /1 ECTS	3,4
Preparation, laboratory mid-term exam	20 hours / 0.66 ECTS	3,4
Practical demonstration	5 hours / 0.18 ECTS	1,5
Two mid-term exams (preparation and delivery)	30 hours /1 ECTS	1,2,4,5
Self-study	30 hours /1 ECTS	1,2,4,5
Office hours and final exam	20 hours / 0.66 ECTS	1,2,4,5
TOTAL:	180 hours / 6 ECTS	1,2,3,4,5

CONTINUOUS ASSESSMENT			
Continuous testing indicators	Performance $A_{\rm i}(\%)$	Grade ratio $k_{\rm i}(\%)$	
Class attendance and participation	70 - 100	10	
Laboratory work	100	10	
Laboratory mid-term exam	50-100	10	
First mid-term exam	50-100	35	
Second mid-term exam	50-100	35	

FINAL ASSESSMENT			
Testing indicators – final exam (first and second exam term)	Performance $A_{f i}(\%)$	Grade ratio $k_{\rm i}(\%)$	
Practical exam (written)	50 - 100	40	
Theoretical exam (written and/or oral)	50 - 100	50	
Previous activities (all continuous testing indicators included)	50 - 100	10	
Testing indicators – makeup exam (third and fourth exam term)	Performance $A_{\mathbf{i}}(\%)$	Grade ratio $k_{\rm i}(\%)$	
Practical exam (written)	50 - 100	50	
Theoretical exam (written and/or oral)	50 - 100	50	

PERFORMANCE AND GRADE			
Percentage	Criteria	Grade	
50% - 61%	basic criteria met	sufficient (2)	
62% - 74%	average performance with some errors	good (3)	
75% - 87%	above average performance with minor errors	very good (4)	
88% - 100%	outstanding performance	outstanding (5)	

## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Teaching materials for students (scripts, exercise collections, examples of solved exercises), teaching record, detailed course syllabus, application of e-learning, current information and all other data are available by MOODLE system to all students (<a href="https://moodle.oss.unist.hr/">https://moodle.oss.unist.hr/</a>).