



## FICHA TÉCNICA DE LA ASIGNATURA

### Datos de la asignatura

<b>Nombre completo</b>	Energy engineering
<b>Código</b>	DIM-MESEM-514
<b>Título</b>	<a href="#">Máster Universitario en Ingeniería Industrial por la Universidad Pontificia Comillas</a>
<b>Créditos</b>	7,5 ECTS
<b>Carácter</b>	Obligatoria
<b>Departamento / Área</b>	Departamento de Ingeniería Mecánica

### Datos del profesorado

## DATOS ESPECÍFICOS DE LA ASIGNATURA

### Contextualización de la asignatura

#### Aportación al perfil profesional de la titulación

In the professional profile of the Masters in Industrial Engineering this subject aims to equip students with the basic knowledge to understand both energy sources and systems to convert them into power, heating and cooling and to assess the technical and economic feasibility of energy systems.

After completing the course students will be able to discuss energy policy scenarios with technical criteria to evaluate energy systems, analyzing the behavior of energy systems working at off-design point, knowing and proposing improvements in power plants of all types and determine the strengths and weaknesses of the different energy sources, both from production and from logistics and processing. In short, the knowledge acquired in this course will provide students with the technical criteria to contribute to the energy debate seeking sustainability in a holistic sense (economic, social and environmental).

In addition, this course has a mixed theoretical and practical sense, so that the theoretical components are added the practical aimed at solving numerical issues where the concepts studied will be exercised, as well as conducting laboratory practice where they face real systems to scale.

#### Prerequisitos

There are not any prerequisites needed to study the subject. However, as the subject is inserted in an engineering syllabus, it is supported on concepts previously seen in other subjects:

Thermodynamics

- Energy and mass balances

Heat transfer



- Heat exchangers

## Competencias - Objetivos

### Competencias

#### GENERALES

<b>BA02</b>	Saber aplicar e integrar sus conocimientos, la comprensión de estos, su fundamentación científica y sus capacidades de resolución de problemas en entornos nuevos y definidos de forma imprecisa, incluyendo contextos de carácter multidisciplinar tanto investigadores como profesionales altamente especializados.
<b>BA07</b>	Ser capaces de asumir la responsabilidad de su propio desarrollo profesional y de su especialización en uno o más campos de estudio.
<b>CG01</b>	Tener conocimientos adecuados de los aspectos científicos y tecnológicos de: métodos matemáticos, analíticos y numéricos en la ingeniería, ingeniería eléctrica, ingeniería energética, ingeniería química, ingeniería mecánica, mecánica de medios continuos, electrónica industrial, automática, fabricación, materiales, métodos cuantitativos de gestión, informática industrial, urbanismo, infraestructuras, etc.
<b>CG02</b>	Proyectar, calcular y diseñar productos, procesos, instalaciones y plantas

#### ESPECÍFICAS

<b>CM104</b>	Conocimiento y capacidades para el proyectar y diseñar instalaciones eléctricas y de fluidos, iluminación, climatización y ventilación, ahorro y eficiencia energética, acústica, comunicaciones, domótica y edificios inteligentes e instalaciones de seguridad
<b>CMT01</b>	Conocimiento y capacidad para el análisis y diseño de sistemas de generación, transporte y distribución de energía eléctrica
<b>CMT05</b>	Conocimientos y capacidades para el diseño y análisis de máquinas y motores térmicos, máquinas hidráulicas e instalaciones de calor y frío industrial
<b>CMT06</b>	Conocimientos y capacidades que permitan comprender, analizar, explotar y gestionar las distintas fuentes de energía

### Resultados de Aprendizaje

<b>RA01</b>	Conocer el escenario energético actual (nacional e internacional) con sus retos a medio y largo plazo
<b>RA02</b>	Saber valorar económicamente un proyecto energético
<b>RA03</b>	Calcular el balance energético y másico de una combustión



<b>RA04</b>	Conocer las tecnologías de captura, transporte y almacenamiento de CO <sub>2</sub>
<b>RA05</b>	Obtener las prestaciones de sistemas energéticos complejos tanto en su punto nominal como en operación real
<b>RA06</b>	Conocer y analizar sistemas avanzados de producción de energía eléctrica
<b>RA07</b>	Calcular el balance másico y energético de equipos de refrigeración y climatización basados en diferentes tecnologías
<b>RA08</b>	Conocer los actuales retos tecnológicos de los combustibles fósiles
<b>RA09</b>	Comprender la tecnología de generación eléctrica a partir de energía nuclear
<b>RA10</b>	Calcular las prestaciones de instalaciones de energías renovables
<b>RA11</b>	Conocer las tecnologías de aprovechamiento energético del hidrógeno analizando sus prestaciones energéticas

## BLOQUES TEMÁTICOS Y CONTENIDOS

### Contenidos – Bloques Temáticos

#### SYSTEMS

##### Unit 1. INTRODUCTION

- 1.1 Energy, classifications and types. Energy sources.
- 1.2 Macro-energy units.
- 1.3 Environmental implications of power generation.
- 1.4 Social and geostrategical aspects of energy sources.
- 1.5 Assessment of scenarios and energy policies.
- 1.6 Assessment of economic feasibility of energy projects.

##### Unit 8. ANALYSIS OF ENERGY SYSTEMS IN OFF-DESIGN WORKING

- 8.1 Introduction.
- 8.2 Heat exchangers and ducts.
- 8.3 Volumetric machines.
- 8.4 Turbomachines.
- 8.5 Systems integration.



## ENERGY SOURCES

### Unit 2. COMBUSTION

- 2.1 Introduction.
- 2.2 Combustion reactions.
- 2.3 Mass balance.
- 2.4 Energy balance.

### Unit 6. NUCLEAR ENERGY

- 6.1 Introduction
- 6.2 Nuclear reactions.
- 6.3 Systems and components of a nuclear reactor.
- 6.4 Nuclear fuel cycle.
- 6.5 Nuclear wastes.
- 6.6 Ionizing radiations.
- 6.7 Nuclear fusion.
- 6.8 Nuclear power plants: types and Generations
- 6.9 Current nuclear power plants: Generation II and III
- 6.10 Forthcoming nuclear power plants: Generation III+, IV and fusion

### Unit 7. FOSSIL FUELS

- 7.1 Introduction
- 7.2 Oil and derivatives production and distribution.
- 7.3 Natural gas production and distribution.
- 7.4 Coal production and distribution.
- 7.5 Non-conventional hydrocarbons production.
- 7.6 CO<sub>2</sub> storage.

### Unit 9. HYDROGEN AND FUEL CELLS

- 9.1 Introduction
- 9.2 Hydrogen generation.



9.3 Hydrogen storage.

9.4 Hydrogen direct combustion.

9.5 Fuel cells.

## **ENERGY CONVERSION**

### Unit 3. FOSSIL FUEL POWER PLANTS

3.1 Introduction.

3.2 Coal power plants (steam cycle).

3.3 Combined cycle power plants.

3.4 Repowering of coal power plants.

3.5 Clean combustion in power plants.

3.6 CO<sub>2</sub> capture.

### Unit 4. REFRIGERATION CYCLES AND HEAT PUMPS

4.1 Introduction.

4.2 Low temperature chillers.

4.3 Advanced heat pumps.

4.4 Non-conventional chillers.

4.5 Absorption chillers.

### Unit 5. ADVANCED POWER PLANTS

5.1 Introduction.

5.2 Combined heat and power.

5.3 Organic Rankine cycles.

5.4 Supercritical CO<sub>2</sub> cycles.

5.5 Other power plants.

5.6 Electric generation from renewable sources

5.7 Massive energy storage.

## **METODOLOGÍA DOCENTE**

### **Aspectos metodológicos generales de la asignatura**



## Metodología Presencial: Actividades

**Lectures.** The lecturer will explain basic concepts for every unit showing the more important aspects. Special attention to be paid with equations and how to use. Examples will be presented, discussed and solved to complete the understanding. **(34 hours)**.

CG01, CMI04,  
CMT05, CMT06

**In-class case discussion and problem solving.** Students will discuss the cases and problems proposed by the teacher. Cases will be open challenges that can be analyzed and solved by the use of the concepts already presented in class. **(23 hours)**.

BA02, BA07, CG02

**Team Work presentations.** The students, split in small teams, will expose in class a work about topics related with the subject. The topics will be able proposed by the lecturer or by the students with the approval by the former. **(5 hours)**.

BA02, BA07, CG02

**Lab sessions.** The students, split in small teams, will do lab sessions with different devices and simulation software in order to apply the acquired knowledge in the lectures to actual energy facilities. **(8 hours)**.

BA02, BA07, CG02

**Assessment.** In the mid term students will individually perform a written exam no longer than 1.5 hours. Such exam will be solved in the next session (1 hour). At the end of the course an individual written exam will be performed. This exam will last 3 hours. **(5 hours)**.

BA02, CG01,  
CMT05, CMT06

## Metodología No presencial: Actividades

**Self-learning on the concepts presented in class.** The student must make a personal work back to the lectures to understand and internalize the knowledge provided in the subject. It will be used for that the material presented on slides and notes (additional texts) on the subject **(45 hours)**.

BA02, BA07, CG02

**Cases study.** The student will analyze the resolution of the problems in class conducted primarily by the lecturer, and then turn to face the problems proposed (no solved) in class, whose solution will be available later, asking questions in the tutoring sessions. This activity shall also apply to previous years solved exams available for students in Moodle. **(35 hours)**.

BA02, BA07, CG02

**Lab sessions.** After the in-lab session a report will be written following a guide provided by the instructor. **(24 hours)**.

BA02, BA07, CG02

**Team Works.** Once the topic has been assigned the students, divided in small teams, will perform the information searching and the developing of the work and the presentation. The work will be controlled by partial deliveries at established

BA02, BA07, CG02



milestones. **(20 hours)**.

**Exams preparation.** Students will prepare the exams based on the supplied material and the acquired knowledge. **(26 hours)**.

BA02, CG01,  
CG02, CMT05,  
CMT06

## RESUMEN HORAS DE TRABAJO DEL ALUMNO

HORAS PRESENCIALES				
Clase magistral y presentaciones generales	Resolución en clase de problemas prácticos	Trabajos	Prácticas de laboratorio	Evaluación
34.00	23.00	5.00	8.00	5.00
HORAS NO PRESENCIALES				
Estudio de los conceptos teóricos	Trabajo autónomo sobre los problemas	Prácticas de laboratorio	Trabajos	Preparación de exámenes
45.00	35.00	24.00	20.00	26.00
<b>CRÉDITOS ECTS: 7,5 (225,00 horas)</b>				

## EVALUACIÓN Y CRITERIOS DE CALIFICACIÓN

Actividades de evaluación	Criterios de evaluación	Peso
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Mid term exam</li> <li>End of term exam</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Concepts understanding.</li> <li>Use of concepts to solve real cases.</li> <li>Problem solving solution analysis and results interpretation.</li> <li>Presentation and written communication.</li> </ul>	70 %
Team work	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Information searching.</li> <li>Knowledge application to critical assessing technical information.</li> <li>Oral and written expression.</li> </ul>	15 %
Lab Sessions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Technical writing.</li> <li>Results exposition.</li> <li>Analysis of results according to acquired knowledge in the subject.</li> </ul>	15 %



## Calificaciones

The score for the **ordinary summon** will be obtained by:

- 70% comes from the exams. End of term exam score will weight 50% in the overall score of the subject while the score in the mid term exam will weight 20%.
- 15% comes from team work.
- 15% comes from the lab sessions reports.

If the previous weighted average results higher than 5 the subject score will be such average; in the opposite case the score will be the minimum between such average and the end of term exam score.

Under requirement of the University, the exams might be done on-line, using the tools supplied by the University.

### Extraordinary summon

- 20% from the score obtained in continuous evaluation (team work and lab reports).
- 80% from the extraordinary summon exam.

If the previous weighted average results higher than 5 the subject score will be such average; in the opposite case the score will be the minimum between such average and the extraordinary summon exam score.

Under requirement of the University, the exams might be done on-line, using the tools supplied by the University.

### Rules

Attendance (see latter) and work team and lab reports performing is a necessary condition to pass the subject in both summons.

Neither programmable calculators nor formulae summary, books and notes are not allowed in the final exam of the ordinary summon and in the exam of the extraordinary summon a formulae summary covering economic parameters (unit 1) and cogeneration indexes (unit 6) will be included. A sample of such summary can be found in past exams available in Moodle.

Attendance: The absence of more than 15% of the total amount of classes can entail to fail the ordinary summon.

## PLAN DE TRABAJO Y CRONOGRAMA

Actividades	Fecha de realización	Fecha de entrega
Self-learning of concepts presented in class (slides and additional text if any)	After session	





Problem solving	After the end of the unit	
Mid term and end of term exam	Week 8 and ordinary summon period	
Mid term exam preparation	At least weeks 7 and 8	
End of term exam preparation	At least weeks 13, 14 and 15	
Lab sessions	Weeks 11, 12, 13 and 14	
Lab sessions reports performing		Weeks 12, 13, 14 and 15
Team work performing	Weeks 3 to 15	M1: week 7; M2: week 11; M3: week 13 to 15
Team work presentation	Weeks 13 to 15	

## BIBLIOGRAFÍA Y RECURSOS

### Bibliografía Básica

- Slides of every unit (available at Moodle).
- Additional texts of nearly all the units (available at Moodle).
- Solved problems (available at Moodle).
- Solved exams (available at Moodle).

### Bibliografía Complementaria

- E. Cassidy and P. Grossman, Introduction to Energy: Resources, Technology and Society. Cambridge University Press, 1998
- R.W. Haywood, Analysis of Engineering Cycles, 4th Edition. Pergamon Press, 1991.

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