

**UČNI NAČRT PREDMETA / COURSE SYLLABUS**

**Predmet:** Kompleksni sistemi  
**Course title:** Complex Systems

Študijski program in stopnja Study programme and level	Študijska smer Study field	Letnik Academic year	Semester Semester
Fizika		3	5
Physics		3	5

**Vrsta predmeta / Course type** Obvezni/Compulsory

**Univerzitetna koda predmeta / University course code:**

Predavanja Lectures	Seminar Seminar	Vaje Tutorial	Klinične vaje work	Druge oblike študija	Samost. delo Individ. work	ECTS
30		15			75	4

**Nosilec predmeta / Lecturer:** Samo Kralj

**Jeziki /  
Languages:** Predavanja /  
Lectures: slovenski/Slovenian  
Vaje / Tutorial: slovenski/Slovenian

**Pogoji za vključitev v delo oz. za opravljanje  
študijskih obveznosti:** Prerequisites:

Pogojev ni.

Priporočljivo je predznanje klasične in  
moderne fizike

None-

Recommended is knowledge of classical and  
modern physics

**Vsebina:**

**Content (Syllabus outline):**

Definicija kompleksnosti kot vmesno stanje med redom in neredom. Enostavnost na subatomskem nivoju in kompleksnost na makroskopski skali. Naključje na mikroskopski skali in determinizem na makroskopski skali. Vzroki skalnega obnašanja. DNK in kompleksnost živih bitij, nastanek vzorcev. Granularni sistemi kot modelni sistemi tekočih, trdnih in celo kristalnih stanj.

Kinetika bioloških sistemov:

- sistemi metabolizma in transporta (shrambni modeli, modeli biokemijskih reakcij, farmakokinetski modeli)
- modelni pristop h komplexnim biološkim procesom (modeli razmnoževanja in interakcij, modeli rasti in delitve, evolucijski modeli, modeli neuronskih procesov)
- difuzijski sistemi in oblikovanje vzorcev

Definition of complexity as a state between order and disorder. Simplicity on the subatomic scale and complexity on the macroscopic scale. Reasons behind scaling behaviour. DNA and complexity, onset of patterns in living creatures. Granular systems as model systems of fluids, solids and even crystal states.

The kinetics of biological systems:

- systems of metabolism and transport (compartmental analysis, models of biochemical reactions, pharmacokinetic models)
- model approaches to some complex biological processes (models of propagation and ecological interactions, models of growth and differentiation, models of evolution, models of neuronal processes)
- diffusion system and pattern growth

#### **Temeljni literatura in viri / Readings:**

1. R. Glaser, Biophysics, (4. izdaja), Springer Verlag, Berlin, 1996.
2. H. Haken, Synergetics. An Introduction (2. izdaja), Springer Verlag, New York, 1978.
3. P.G. de Gennes, Scaling Concepts in Polymer Physics, Cornell University Press, Itaca 1979
4. A.J. Lichtenberg, Regular and Stochastic Motion, Springer Verlag, Heidelberg, 1983
5. Članki v Science, Nature, Scientific American.

#### **Cilji in kompetence:**

Študenti usvojijo temeljna teoretična znanja s področja kompleksnih sistemov in jih znajo uporabiti pri reševanju ustreznih problemov z rabo matematičnih orodij.

#### **Objectives and competences:**

Students acquire basic theoretical knowledge in complex systems and are able to use the knowledge to solve problems with the use of mathematical tools.

#### **Predvideni študijski rezultati:**

##### **Znanje in razumevanje:**

Po uspešno zaključeni učni enoti bodo študenti zmožni:

- uporabiti enostavne nelinearne enačbe za demonstracijo ključnih nelinearnih primerov v naravi;
- opisati osnovne lastnosti fraktalnih in kaotičnih sistemov;

#### **Intended learning outcomes:**

##### **Knowledge and understanding:**

On completion of this course students will be able to:

- use simple nonlinear equations to demonstrate key nonlinear commonly observed features;
- describe basic properties of fractal and chaotic systems;

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- napovedati kvalitativne lastnosti sistema v odvisnosti od simetrije sestavnih gradnikov sistema.</li> </ul> <p><b>Prenesljive/ključne spremnosti in drugi atributi:</b> Razumevanje osnovnih procesov v naravi, ki vodijo do kompleksnih obnašanj in celosten pristop k reševanju problemov.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- description of qualitative behaviour of system as a function of symmetry.</li> </ul> <p><b>Transferable/Key Skills and other attributes:</b> Understanding of basic processes in the nature giving rise to complexity and gained global approach to solving problems.</p>
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<b>Metode poučevanja in učenja:</b>	<b>Learning and teaching methods:</b>
<p>Predavanja in eksperimentalna predavanja (teoretičen uvod v problematiko z razlago in razgovorom, numerično reševanje posameznih problemov, demonstracijski poskusi pri predavanjih), teoretične vaje (delo s tekstrom, metoda pisnih in grafičnih del, uporaba simulacij)</p> <p>elementi obrnjenega poučevanja</p> <p>Poučevanje in učenje potekata z didaktično uporabo informacijsko-komunikacijske tehnologije</p>	<p>Lectures and experimental lectures (theoretical introduction by explanation and discussion, numerical solving of specific problems, demonstration experiments during lectures)</p> <p>theoretical excercises (work with text, work with graphic elements, use of simulations)</p> <p>elements of flipped learning</p> <p>Teaching and learning are done through the didactic use of ICT.</p>

<b>Načini ocenjevanja:</b>	Delež (v %) / Weight (in %)	<b>Assessment:</b>
<p>Pisni izpit</p> <p>Ustni izpit</p> <p>Za uspešno zaključeno učno enoto mora vsak del posebej biti pozitiven.</p>	<p><b>50</b></p> <p><b>50</b></p>	<p>Pisni izpit</p> <p>Ustni izpit</p> <p>For a successfully finished course, both oral and written exams have to be positive.</p>

<b>Reference nosilca / Lecturer's references:</b>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) AMBROŽIČ, Milan, KRALJ, Samo. Field percolation-switching in soft ternary anisotropic system. Physica. A, Statistical mechanics and its applications, 2019, vol. 520, str. 11-25, doi: 10.1016/j.physa.2018.12.044 [COBISS.SI-ID 24324104].</li> <li>2) KLEMENČIČ, Eva, TRČEK, Maja, KUTNJAK, Zdravko, KRALJ, Samo. Giant electrocaloric response in smectic liquid crystals with direct smectic-isotropic transition. Scientific reports, 2019, vol. 9, art. no. 1721, str. 1721-1-1721-10, doi: 10.1038/s41598-019-38604-9 [COBISS.SI-ID 32102951].</li> <li>3) KURIOZ, Pavlo, KRALJ, Marko, MURRAY, Bryce S., ROSENBLATT, Charles, KRALJ, Samo. Nematic topological defects positionally controlled by geometry and external fields. Beilstein journal of nanotechnology, 2018, vol. 9, str. 109-118, <a href="https://www.beilstein-journals.org/bj-nano/article/9/109">https://www.beilstein-journals.org/bj-nano/article/9/109</a></li> </ol>

- journals.org/bjnano/content/pdf/2190-4286-9-13.pdf, doi: 10.3762/bjnano.9.13 [COBISS.SI-ID 23661832].
- 4) KRAŠNA, Marjan, KLEMENČIČ, Eva, KUTNJAK, Zdravko, KRALJ, Samo. Phase-changing materials for thermal stabilization and thermal transport. *Energy*, 2018, vol. 162, str. 554-563 [COBISS.SI-ID 24002824].
  - 5) DUBTSOV, Alexander, PASECHNIK, Sergey V., SHMELIOVA, Dina V., SAIDGAZIEV, Ayvr Sh., GONGADZE, Ekaterina, IGLIČ, Aleš, KRALJ, Samo. Liquid crystalline droplets in aqueous environments: electrostatic effects. *Soft matter*, 2018, vol. 14, iss. 47, str. 9619-9630, doi: 10.1039/C8SM01529E [COBISS.SI-ID 24177416].
  - 6) MESAREC, Luka, KURIOZ, Pavlo, IGLIČ, Aleš, GÓŹDŹ, Wojciech, KRALJ, Samo. Curvature-controlled topological defects. *Crystals*, 2017, vol. 7, no. 6, str. 1-11, <http://www.mdpi.com/2073-4352/7/6/153>, doi: 10.3390/crust7060153 [COBISS.SI-ID 11753556].