



Univerza v Mariboru

Fakulteta za naravoslovje  
in matematiko

**UČNI NAČRT PREDMETA / COURSE SYLLABUS**

<b>Predmet:</b>	<b>Kompleksni sistemi</b>
<b>Course title:</b>	<b>Complex Systems</b>

Študijski program in stopnja Study programme and level	Študijska smer Study field	Letnik Academic year	Semester Semester
Enovit magistrski študijski program druge stopnje Predmetni učitelj	/	3	5
Five-year master's degree program Subject Teacher	/	3	5

Vrsta predmeta / Course type

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:

Jeziki / Languages:	Predavanja / Lectures:	slovenski/Slovene
	Vaje / Tutorial:	slovenski/Slovene

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

Pogojev ni.  
  
Priporočljivo je predznanje klasične in moderne fizike

**Prerequisites:**

None.  
  
Preknowledge of classical and modern physics is recommended.

**Vsebina:**

**Content (Syllabus outline):**

Definicija kompleksnosti kot vmesno stanje med redom in neredom. Enostavnost na subatomske 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, farmakokinetični modeli)
- modelni pristop h kompleksnim 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 osnovno znanje s področja kompleksnih pojavov.

#### Objectives and competences:

Students acquire elemental knowledge on complexity.

#### Predvideni študijski rezultati:

##### Znanje in razumevanje:

Razumevanje osnovnih procesov v naravi, ki vodijo do kompleksnih obnašanj.

##### Prenesljive/ključne spretnosti in drugi atributi:

Razumevanje osnovnih procesov v naravi, ki vodijo do kompleksnih obnašanj in celosten pristop k reševanju problemov

#### Intended learning outcomes:

##### Knowledge and understanding:

Understanding of basic processes in the nature giving rise to complexity.

##### Transferable/Key Skills and other attributes:

Understanding of basic processes in the nature giving rise to complexity and gained global approach to solving problems.

**Metode poučevanja in učenja:**

Metodika obsega: teoretičen uvod v problematiko in numerično reševanje posameznih problemov, demonstracijski poskusi pri predavanjih

**Learning and teaching methods:**

They are based on: theoretical introduction and numerical solving of specific problems, demonstration experiments during lectures

**Načini ocenjevanja:**

Delež (v %) /

Weight (in %)

**Assessment:**

Pisni izpit.

**50 %**

Pisni izpit.

Ustni izpit.

**50 %**

Ustni izpit.

**Reference nosilca / Lecturer's references:**

- 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].
- 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].
- 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, <https://www.beilstein-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, GÓZDŹ, 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/cryst7060153 [COBISS.SI-ID 11753556].