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Laboratory 321 (CLB 321)

Qualification Undergraduate

Faculty Faculty of Engineering, Built Environment and Information Technology

Module credits 16.00

NQF Level 07

Programmes BEng (Chemical Engineering)

BEng (Chemical Engineering) ENGAGE

Prerequisites CJJ 310/CJJ 210, CHM 226, CPN 321#, CKN 321#, (CMO 310), CIO 320#

Contact time 2 lectures per week, 8 practicals per week

Language of tuition Module is presented in English

Department Chemical Engineering

Period of presentation Semester 2

Module content

Laboratory safety and general industrial safety practices. Techniques for planning of experiments. Experimental work illustrating: Analysis: Composition of coal and gas, heat of combustion, viscosity. Mass transfer: Gas absorption, batch distillation, azeotropic distillation, fractional distillation and liquid-liquid extraction. Heat transfer: Condenser, shell and tube heat exchanger, heat loss from insulated pipes. Piping system design: Frictional energy loss through pipes and fittings. Measuring equipment: Rate of flow, temperature. Reporting of laboratory results.

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