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Physical chemistry A 716 (CMY 716)

Qualification Postgraduate

Faculty [Faculty of Natural and Agricultural Sciences](#)

Module credits 10.00

Programmes [BScHons Chemistry](#)

Prerequisites No prerequisites.

Contact time 1 discussion class per week for 4 weeks, 6 lectures per week for 4 weeks

Language of tuition Module is presented in English

Department Chemistry

Period of presentation Semester 1 or Semester 2

Module content

Crystallography: theoretical principles, symmetry elements and operations, point groups, space groups, theory of crystals, X-rays, crystallographic techniques, structure determinations, powder diffraction and crystallographic data bases.

Molecular modelling: molecular structure/energy, methodology, principles and and molecular surfaces.

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