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Analytical soil mechanics 787 (SGS 787)

Qualification Postgraduate

Faculty Faculty of Engineering, Built Environment and Information Technology

Module credits 24.00

Programmes BEngHons Geotechnical Engineering

BScHons Applied Science Geotechnics

Prerequisites No prerequisites.

Contact time 20 Contact hours

Language of tuition Module is presented in English

Department Civil Engineering

Period of presentation Year

Module content

A research term paper will be prepared.

Solution of confined and unconfined seepage problems using the methods of fragments, finite differences and finite elements. Numerical solutions of consolidation problems and secondary compression. Slope stability analysis methods. The point estimate method. Monte Carlo simulation.

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