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## Subject Guide 2016 / 2017

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Chemistry:				
Subject	Chemistry:			
	Chemistry			
Code	V12G320V01205			
Study	Degree in			
programme	Electrical			
1 5	Engineering			
Descriptors	ECTS Credits	Choose	Year	Quadmester
	6	Basic education	1st	2nd
Teaching	Spanish			
language	Galician			
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General	This is a basic subject, common for all levels of the Industrial fields studies. At the end of the course the			
description	students will have a basic knowledge about the principles of General Chemistry, Organic Chemistry and			
	Inorganic Chemistry, and its application to Industry. This knowledge will be further applied and expanded in			
	other areas of the studies.			

Competencies Code

B3 CG3 Knowledge in basic and technological subjects that will enable students to learn new methods and theories, and provide them the versatility to adapt to new situations.

C4 CE4 Ability to understand and apply the basic knowledge of general chemistry, organic chemistry and inorganic chemistry, and their applications in engineering.

D2 CT2 Problems resolution.

D3 CT3 Oral and written proficiency in the own language.

D10 CT10 Self learning and work.

D17 CT17 Working as a team.

Learning outcomes					
Expected results from this subject			Training and Learning		
		Re	sults		
Knowing the chemical bases of industrial technologies. Specifically, the student will gain basic	B3	C4	D2		
knowledge of general, organic and inorganic chemistry and their applications in engineering. This			D3		
will allow the student to apply the basic concepts and fundamental laws of chemistry. Due to			D10		
theoretical-practical training, the student will be able to effectively carry out lab experiments and			D17		
to solve basic chemistry exercises.					

Contents	
Торіс	
1. Atomic theory and chemical bonding	<ul> <li>1.1 Atomic theory:</li> <li>Particles of the atom: Electron, proton et neutron. Characteristics of the atom: Atomic number and Atomic mass. Isotopes. Stability of the nucleus: Radioactivity (natural and artificial). Evolution of the atomic theory.</li> <li>1.2. Chemical bonding:</li> <li>Definition. Intramolecular bonding: Covalent bonding and ionic bonding.</li> <li>Polyatomic molecules: hybridization and delocalization of electrons. Intermolecular bonding: Types of intermolecular forces.</li> </ul>
2. States of aggregation: Solids, gases, pure liquids and solutions	<ul> <li>2.1. Solid state:</li> <li>Introduction. Classification of solids: amorphous solids, molecular crystals and liquid crystals, Covalent crystals and ionic crystals. Structure and stabilization energy of crystals.</li> <li>2.2. Gaseous state:</li> </ul>
	Characteristics of the gas phase. Ideal gases: Equation of state. Real gases: Equation of state. Properties of gases. 2.3. Liquid state: Characteristics of the liquid phase: physical properties (density, surface tension, viscosity). Changes of state. Phase diagram. Solutions: colligative properties
3. Thermochemistry	3.1. Heat of reaction:
	<ul> <li>Definition of Enthalpy and Internal Energy. Enthalpy of reaction.</li> <li>Temperature Dependence of Enthalpy Changes. Enthalpy of formation.</li> <li>Determination of the reaction enthalpy: direct method. State Function and Hess's Law.</li> <li>3.2. Entropy: Definition. Calculus.</li> <li>3.3. Free energy: Definition. Calculus. The Criterion of Evolution.</li> </ul>
4.Chemical equilibrium: in gas phase, acid-base- base, redox, solubility 5. Chemical kinetics	<ul> <li>(4.1. Chemical equilibrium:</li> <li>Concept of Equilibrium. Equilibrium Constant. Types of equilibrium. The Le Chatelier Principe.</li> <li>4.2. Acid-base Equilibrium:</li> <li>Definition of acid and base. Auto-ionization of water. Ionic Product.</li> <li>Concept of pH and pOH. Strength of acids and bases: Polyprotic acids.</li> <li>Amphoters. pH calculation. Acid-base titration. Buffer solutions.</li> <li>4.3. Redox equilibrium:</li> <li>Concept of oxidation, reduction, oxidising agent, reducing agent. Balance of redox reactions in acid and alkaline media. Redox titration.</li> <li>Electrochemical cells: basic concepts and redox potential.</li> <li>Thermodynamics of electrochemical reactions: Gibbs Energy and cell Potential. Nernst Equation. Faraday[]s Laws.</li> <li>4.4 Solubility equilibrium:</li> <li>Soluble salts: Hydrolysis. Sparingly soluble salts: solubility and solubility product. Factors affecting solubility. Fractional Precipitation. Complex Salts: Definition, properties, dissociation and importance.</li> <li>5.1. Basic Concepts:</li> </ul>
5. Chemical kinetics	<ul> <li>5.1. Basic Concepts:</li> <li>Reaction Rate. Reaction Order. Kinetic Constant. Rate Equation.</li> <li>5.2. Determination of the Rate Equation:</li> <li>Initial rate method. Integrated Rate Laws.</li> <li>5.3. Factors affecting the Reaction Rate.</li> </ul>
6. Basic principles of Organic Chemistry	<ul> <li>6.1. Fundamentals of Organic formulation and functional groups:</li> <li>6.1.1. <sup>o</sup>Structure of the organic compounds: Alkanes, alkenes and alkynes. Aromatic Hydrocarbons.</li> <li>6.1.2. Alcohols and phenols.</li> <li>6.1.3. Ethers.</li> <li>6.1.4. Aldehydes and ketones.</li> <li>6.1.5. Esters.</li> <li>6.1.6. Carboxylic acids and derivatives.</li> <li>6.1.7. Amines and nitro-compounds.</li> </ul>

7. Basic principles of Inorganic Chemistry.	7.1. Metallurgy and the Chemistry of Metals:
	Abundance of metals. Nature of the metallic bond, properties. Theory of
	the Conduction Band: conducting materials, semiconductors and
	superconductors. Metallurgical processes: iron and steel.
	7.2. Non-metallic elements and their compounds:
	General properties. Hydrogen. Carbon. Nitrogen and phosphorous. Oxygen
	and sulphur. Halogens.
8. Applied Electrochemistry	8.1. Applications of the Nernst equation: Determination of pH, Equilibrium
	constant, solubility product.
	8.2. Electrochemical cells: types of cells. Concentration Cells. Electric
	Conductivity in electrolytes. Electrolysis Cells.
	8.3. Industrial Processes of electrolysis: electrodeposition (electroplating),
	electrometallurgy, electrolysis chlorine Caustic soda. Fuel cells.
9. Corrosion and treatment of Surfaces	9.1. Basic principles of Corrosion: the corrosión cell.
	9.2. Corrosion of metals.
	9.3. Corrosion rate.
	9.4. Types of Corrosion.
	9.5. Protection against Corrosion:
	Design considerations for Corrosion protection. Cathodic protection:
	sacrificial anodes and impressed current. Organic Coatings. Metallic
	coatings.
10. Electrochemical sensors	10.1. Fundamentals.
	10.2. Typology and function.
	10.3. Conductivity Sensors.
	10.4. Potentiometric Sensors.
	10.5. Ion Selective electrodes. pH sensors.
	10.6. Sensors for gases in solution.
	10.7. Enzyme-based sensors: Biosensors.
	10.8. Amperometric and voltammetric sensors.
	10.9. Applications of sensors: medicine, industry, environment.
11. Petroleum and derivatives. Petrochemistry	11.1. Physicochemical characteristics of petroleum (oil).
	11.2. Physicochemical characteristics of natural gas.
	11.3. Conditioning and uses of natural gas.
	11.4. Fractioning of oil.
	11.5. Cracking of hydrocarbons. Reforming, isomerisation, oligomerisation,
	alkylation and esterification of hydrocarbons.
	11.6. Petrochemical processes of BTX; olefins and derivatives; methanol
	and derivatives.
	11.7. Treatment of sulphurous compounds and refining units.
12. Carbon: Carbochemistry	(12.1. Formation of carbon.
······	12.2. Types of carbons and their constitution.
	12.3. Technological uses of carbon.
	12.4. Pyrogenation of carbon.
	12.5. Hyidrogenation of carbon.
	12.6. Direct liquefaction of carbon. Gasification.

Planning				
	Class hours	Hours outside the classroom	Total hours	
Master Session	30	45	75	
Troubleshooting and / or exercises	7.5	12	19.5	
Laboratory practises	10	7.5	17.5	
Autonomous troubleshooting and / or exercises	0	25.5	25.5	
Multiple choice tests	1	0	1	
Troubleshooting and / or exercises	3	0	3	
Reports / memories of practice17.58.5		8.5		
*The information in the planning table is for guidance only and does not take into account the heterogeneity of the students.				

Methodologies		
	Description	
Master Session	Presentation by the faculty member of the theoretical content of the subject using audiovisual media.	
Troubleshooting and / or Activity in which problems and/or exercises related to the subject will be formulated.		
exercises	Students should develop appropriate solutions by applying formulas or algorithms to manage the available information and interpret the results.	

Laboratory practisesActivities of application of the theoretical background to specific situations, aimed to the acquisition<br/>of basic skills related to the subject. Will be developed in the laboratories or computer rooms of the<br/>center in which subject is given. Those rooms will be equipped with the necessary specialized<br/>equipment.AutonomousActivity in which the teacher formulates problems and/or exercises related to the subject, and the

troubleshooting and / or student must develop the analysis and resolution in an autonomous way. exercises

Personalized attention				
Methodologies	Description			
Master Session	Any doubt related with the contents given in the mater sessions will be clarified.			
Troubleshooting and / or exercises	Any doubt related with the problems resolved in the seminars of problems will be answered.			
Laboratory practises	Any doubt related with the laboratory practices will be answered.			

Assessment			
	Description	Qualification	Training and Learning Results
Autonomous troubleshooting and / or exercises	Students must solve independently, and periodically submit problems or exercises formulated by the faculty member. The results and the procedure followed in the execution will be evaluated. According to current legislation, the final grade will be numeric and between 0 and 10.	10	B3 C4 D2 D3 D10
Multiple choice tests	The purpose of these tests, which will be carried out in the date of the official announcement of examinations, is to assess the level of theoretical knowledge acquired by students in classroom sessions. Written tests are multiple choices, multiple responses, in which students can achieve a numerical score between 0 and 10, according to current legislation.	40	B3 C4 D10
Troubleshooting and / or exercises	The evaluation of the knowledge gained by students in seminars will be through a written exam, in the official announcement of examinations, in which the student must solve 4 or 5 problems related to the subject under study. The exam will be graded according to the current legislation, with a numerical final grade between 0 and 10.	40	B3 C4 D2 D3 D10
Reports / memories of practice		10	C4 D3 D17

# Other comments on the Evaluation

The final exam, consisting of two different parts, a test-type quiz for theory content and a set of exercises, will be considered for the final score weighting only when they were rated greater than or equal to 4. Although the average score could be equal or greater than 5, if the qualification of any of the parts of the final exam be lower than 4, the final score will be the lowest mark obtained in the final exam (which is the one that does not permit to calculate the average mark). The attendance to any lab session or any seminar test means that the student is being evaluated and therefore a qualification of [not presented]] is no longer possible.

The marks of continuous evaluation (seminars test and lab experiments) and the marks of final exam higher than 5 (test quiz or exercises) obtained in the first call will be kept for the second call.

Those students that obtain officially the renunciation to the continuous evaluation will be evaluated by the final exam, to be held in the official date for the two calls. The final qualification will consist of a 50% of exercises and a 50% of theory (test-type) exam. A rate equal to or greater than 4 in both parts is necessary in order to pass the exam.

Ethical commitment:

The student is expected to present an adequate ethical behavior. If an unethical behavior is detected (copying,

plagiarism, unauthorized use of electronic devices, and others) it is considered that the student does not meet the requirements for passing the subject. In this case, the final grade in the current academic year will be FAIL (0.0 points).

The use of electronic devices during the assessment tests will be not permitted. Introducing an unauthorized electronic device into the examination room, will be considered as a FAIL (0.0 points) in the current academic year.

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#### Recommendations

### Subjects that it is recommended to have taken before

(\*)Física: Física I/V12G350V01102 (\*)Matemáticas: Álxebra e estatística/V12G350V01103 (\*)Matemáticas: Cálculo I/V12G350V01104

# **Other comments**

It is recommended that students have taken and passed the subject of "Chemistry" in second baccalaureate or, alternatively, passed a specific test of access to the Degree.