

Program: Chemistry (15025012071P6)

Course: CHEMICAL KINETICS

Code: PPGQU0057

Workload: 60 hours

Credits: 04

Syllabus:

Kinetics definitions, reaction rate, reaction order, and molecularity; Relationship with thermodynamics; Degree of advancement; rate equation and specific rate constant; Empirical laws: Determination of the rate equation; Experimental methods and data treatment; Complex reactions; Temperature dependence of reaction rate; Empirical equations; Arrhenius equation and activation energy; Theories in Chemical Kinetics; Biomolecular gas-phase reactions; Transition-state theory and activated complex; Potential energy surfaces; Energy versus reaction coordinate diagrams; Thermodynamic formulation; Unimolecular and bimolecular reactions; Termolecular reactions; Lindemann, Hinshelwood, Rice-Ramsperger-Kassel (RRK), and Marcus (RRKM) theories; Applications.

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