Chim/03 Chemical Science

Academic year: 2016-2017

Faculty/Department: Department of Chemistry

Study courses: L27 Chemical Science

Study plans/Curricula:

Type:

Total Credits: 5

Didactic Methods: Lectures Didactic Period: 1st semester

Exam type: oral

Professor in charge: Dibenedetto Angela

Training objectives

Knowledge of alternative energy sources. Type, application and production of biofuels. Energy biomass content.

Prerequisites

Basic knowledge of Inorganic Chemistry

Didactic Methods

Provide students with the required theoretical knowledge

Course programme

PROGRAMME: Biorefineries and Carbon recycle

Lectures: (24 h)

- 1. Transition from linear C economy to circular (2h).
- 2. The natural carbon cycle (2h).
- 3. Energy use from fossil sources and CO_2 emissions: climate change (2h).
- 4. Use of perennial and renewable energy (2h).
- 5. Use of biomass (4h).
- 6. The biorefinery concept (2h).
- 7. Application of the biorefinery concept to different biomass (4h).
- 8. Use of renewable and CO₂: towards a circular C economy (4h).
- 9. Processes that mimic photosynthesis (2h).

Numerical applications (30 h)

Reference Texts

Biorefineries: An Introduction (2015)

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