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General description Historically, the study of Chemistry has been divided in large areas of knowledge that included Inorganic Cher	nistry as one				
of them. This discipline includes experimental investigation and theoretical interpretation of the properties and	reactivity of				
all elements of the periodic table as well as the compounds resulting from all of them. Therefore, two of the me	ost				
characteristic features of Inorganic Chemistry are first the great diversity of contents and second its interdiscip	linary nature				
The significance of Inorganic Chemistry goes beyond the purely academic boundaries, as witnessed by the va	ariety of				
inorganic products that are commonly used in our daily lives and the many examples of inorganic compounds	with				
significant implications in industrial and technological processes that contribute decisively to the development	of society.				
In the curriculum of the Degree in Chemistry of the UDC, and according to academic organisation criteria, Inc.	rganic				
Chemistry introduced in the second year and organised in two theoretical-practical courses: Inorganic Chemis	try 1 and				
Inorganic Chemistry 2. Inorganic Chemistry 2 focuses on the systematic study and synthesis of the elements	of groups 13				
and 14 and the metallic elements, as well as the study of the synthesis and properties of the compounds derived					
these elements.	these elements.				
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majority of other areas of knowledge.					

	Study programme competences / results
Code	Study programme competences / results
A1	Ability to use chemistry terminology, nomenclature, conventions and units
A2	Ability to describe and account for trends in properties of chemical elements throughout the periodic table
A3	Knowledge of characteristics of the different states of matter and theories used to describe them
A4	Knowledge of main types of chemical reaction and characteristics of each
A5	Understanding of principles of thermodynamics and its applications in chemistry
A6	Knowledge of chemical elements and their compounds, synthesis, structure, properties and reactivity
A12	Ability to relate macroscopic properties of matter to its microscopic structure
A14	Ability to demonstrate knowledge and understanding of concepts, principles and theories in chemistry
A16	Ability to source, assess and apply technical bibliographical information and data relating to chemistry
A17	Ability to work safely in a chemistry laboratory (handling of materials, disposal of waste)
A18	Risk management in relation to use of chemical substances and laboratory procedures
A20	Ability to interpret data resulting from laboratory observation and measurement
A21	Understanding of qualitative and quantitative aspects of chemical problems
A22	Ability to plan, design and develop projects and experiments
A23	Critical standards of excellence in experimental technique and analysis
A26	Ability to follow standard laboratory procedures in relation to analysis and synthesis of organic and inorganic systems



B1	Learning to learn
B2	Effective problem solving
B3	Application of logical, critical, creative thinking
B4	Working independently on own initiative
C1	Ability to express oneself accurately in the official languages of Galicia (oral and in written)

Learning outcomes			
Learning outcomes	Study	/ progra	amme
	competences /		
		results	j
The student must know and rationalize the chemical behavior of the elements and their main compounds, as well as their individual properties and possibilities to be combined, using suitable models and theories and establishing relationships with their position in the periodic table.		B1	C1
individual properties and possibilities to be combined, using suitable models and theories and establishing relationships with			
their position in the periodic table.	A3	B4	
	A4		
	A5		
	A6		
	A12		
	A14		
	A16		
	A21		
The student must know the equipment and techniques of common use in a laboratory of Inorganic Chemistry, and develop the	A17	B1	C1
skills required to use them.	A18	B2	
	A20	B3	
	A21	B4	
	A22		
	A23		
	A26		
The student must be able to relate critically the theoretical knowledge with the experimental facts observed in the laboratory.	A14	B1	C1
	A20	B3	
		B4	
The student must know the bibliographic resources used in Inorganic Chemistry.	A16	B1	C1
		B3	
		B4	

Contents			
Topic Sub-topic			
Lesson 1. Metals: an overview.	1.1. General Characteristics of metals.		
	1.2. Structure and bonding.		
	1.3. Physical and chemical properties. Química en disolución acuosa. Aqueous		
	solution chemistry. Aquated cations: formation and acidic properties. Pourbaix		
	diagrams.		
	1.4. Obtaining. Ellingham diagrams.		
Lesson 2. Coordination Chemistry.	2.1. General considerations: Definición and terminology.		
	2.2. Types of ligands.		
	2.3. Bonding in complexes.		
	2.4. Coordination numbers and geometries.		
	2.5. Isomerism in coordination chemistry.		
	2.6. Ligand Topology.		



Lesson 3. The Group 14 elements (C, Si, Ge, Sn, Pb).	3.1. Electronic structures of atoms and chemical behavour.
	3.2. The elements: structure and bonding, physical and chemical properties. Aqueous
	solution chemistry.
	3.3. Occurrence, extraction and uses.
	3.4. Main compounds.
Lesson 4. The Group 13 elements (B, Al, Ga, In, Tl).	4.1. Electronic structures of atoms and chemical behavour.
	4.2. The elements: structure and bonding, physical and chemical properties. Aqueous
	solution chemistry.
	4.3. Occurrence, extraction and uses.
	4.4. Main compounds.
Lesson 5. The Groups 1, 2 and 3.	5.1. Electronic structures of atoms and chemical behavour. Diagonal relationships
	between Li and Mg, and between Be and Al.
	5.2. The elements: structure and bonding, physical and chemical properties. Aqueous
	solution chemistry.
	5.3. Occurrence, extraction and uses.
	5.4. Main compounds.
Lesson 6. d-Block metal chemistry: the first row metals.	6.1. The d-Block metals: General characteristics and classification.
	6.2. Electronic structures of atoms and chemical behavour. The most common
	oxidation states.
	6.3. The elements: structure and bonding, physical and chemical properties. Aqueous
	solution chemistry.
	6.4. Occurrence, extraction and uses.
	6.5. Main compounds.
Lesson 7. d-Block metal chemistry: the second and the third	7.1. Electronic structures of atoms and chemical behavour. The most common
row metals.	oxidation states.
	7.2. The elements: structure and bonding, physical and chemical properties. Aqueous
	solution chemistry.
	7.3. Occurrence, extraction and uses.
	7.4. Main compounds.
Lesson 8. The f-block metals.	8.1. Lanthanides
	8.2. Actinides
	8.3 Postactinides
Lesson 9. Experimental Inorganic Chemistry.	Synthesis of inorganic elements and compounds.

	Plannin	g		
Methodologies / tests	Competencies /	Teaching hours	Student?s personal	Total hours
	Results	(in-person & virtual)	work hours	
Introductory activities		2	0	2
Guest lecture / keynote speech	A1 A2 A3 A4 A5 A6	22	44	66
	A12 A14 A21 B2 C1			
Problem solving	A1 A2 A3 A4 A5 A6	8	24	32
	A12 A14 A21 B2 B4			
	C1			
Supervised projects	A14 A16 A21 B1 B2	1	15	16
	B3 B4 C1			
_aboratory practice	A14 A17 A18 A20	18	0	18
	A21 A22 A23 A26 B1			
	B2 B3 B4 C1			



Objective test	A1 A2 A3 A4 A5 A6	1	0	1
	A12 A14 A21 B2 B3			
	C1			
Mixed objective/subjective test	A1 A2 A3 A4 A5 A6	4	10	14
	A12 A14 A21 B2 B3			
	C1			
Personalized attention		1	0	1
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(*)The information in the planning table is for guidance only and does not take into account the heterogeneity of the students.

	Methodologies
Methodologies	Description
Introductory activities	Presentation of the course and its contents, the methodology that is used throughout the course and the criteria that will be
	used for the assessment.
Guest lecture /	Classroom activity designed for relatively large groups of students (a maximum of sixty) in which to present the main contents
keynote speech	of the course. The lectures will require the participation of the students asking questions about the lecture and answering
	those questions raised by the instructor. It is advised that the students read in advance the literature associated to the topic
	that will be covered by the lecture. In some cases, the students will prepare some topics that will not be covered in the
	lectures.
Problem solving	On site activities for small to very small groups in which the students must participate actively. A list of problems and exercises
	will be delivered to the students before the problem solving sessions. The problems are discussed and solved by the students
	following the guidance of the instructor.
Supervised projects	Before starting the laboratory practice the student will perform an initial survey of theoretical and preparative aspects related to
	the experiment that will be carried out in the laboratory. For this purpose, students will make use of the knowledge of the
	contents of the course and the sources of information recommended by the instructor. This preliminary work and the
	conclusions drawn from the study will be presented to the instructor in an interview before the laboratory practice starts. The
	instructor will assess whether the student has gained enough knowledge to start the experiments in the laboratory with safety
	and with ability to link the experiments with the concepts delivered during the course.
Laboratory practice	It will focus on the synthesis and isolation of inorganic substances. The experiments must be carried out with a careful
	observation of the safety rules, as well as with the efficiency and rigor characteristic of the scientific method. The students will
	complete a laboratory notebook that will contain three different parts: An overview of the preliminary work developed to
	prepare the experiment (supervised projects), a detailed description of the execution of the experiment (laboratory diary), and
	a comment on the results obtained and the conclusions that can be drawn from the experiments.
Objective test	The students will solve tests with short questions in some of the sessions scheduled for lectures or problem solving activities.
	This will aid both students and instructors to detect deficiencies related to the contents of the course presented up to that
	point.
Mixed	Written text that will contain different types of exercises:
objective/subjective	- Essay-type questions that require medium or long answers that address a rather general topic
test	- Short answer questions to address more specific issues.
	- Problem-solving questions, which require calculations for their solution or the logical application of the competences that the
	student has acquired during the course.
	- Multiple-choice questions.

Personalized attention	
Methodologies	Description



Guest lecture /	The teaching-learning process is supported by individual attention to the student, and will take place at the most convenient
keynote speech	time for the student and the teacher.
Problem solving	
Laboratory practice	Those students having a part-time dedication to the course, and thus waiver of assistance to the on site academic activities
Mixed	according to the regulations of UDC, will be supported with specific individual attention in different forms:
objective/subjective	- Tutoring support upon request of the student.
test	- The instructor will propose (upon student request) specific tasks to the student such as problem sheets related to the
Supervised projects	contents of the course. The student will solve the problems individually and then request a tutoring session to have convenient
Objective test	feedback from the instructor.
	- Tutoring support for the preparation of the experiments that the student will carry out in the laboratory and the preparation of
	the personal interview (see methodologies above). Again these tutoring sessions will take place upon student request and
	scheduled at the convenience of the student.

		Assessment	
Methodologies	Competencies / Results	Description	Qualification
Problem solving	A1 A2 A3 A4 A5 A6	O profesor valorará tanto as respostas ás cuestións do boletín como a participación	10
0	A12 A14 A21 B2 B4	activa no debate cos outros compañeiros.	
	C1	Valoraranse tamén as probas de respostas curtas ou probas de tipo test realizadas	
		durante estas clases.	
Laboratory practice	A14 A17 A18 A20	O traballo no laboratorio avaliarase dende os puntos de vista de:	20
	A21 A22 A23 A26 B1	- organización e seguridade	
	B2 B3 B4 C1	- coñecemento do material, técnicas preparativas e o seu uso	
		- habilidade manual e,	
		- especialmente, a capacidade para comprender os procesos observados a partir da	
		preparación previa.	
		Tamén se avaliará a elaboración do Caderno de Laboratorio, que constará de tres	
		partes:	
		1-Resumo da preparación teórica previa (realizada durante os traballos tutelados).	
		2- Descrición detallada da execución e desenvolvemento dos experimentos (diario de	
		laboratorio).	
		3- Comentario final sobre os resultados obtidos e as conclusións que se poidan	
		extraer deles.	
Mixed	A1 A2 A3 A4 A5 A6	A proba escrita levarase a cabo no horario aprobado na Xunta de Facultade.	50
objective/subjective	A12 A14 A21 B2 B3	Constará dunha serie de cuestións e problemas relacionados co programa da	
test	C1	materia.	
Supervised projects	A14 A16 A21 B1 B2	Mediante as tutorías asociadas aos traballos tutelados, o profesor, ademais de	10
	B3 B4 C1	orientar ao alumno, avalía todos os aspectos relativos á preparación teórica das	
		prácticas e aspectos experimentais ou de seguridade no traballo.	
		Dada a súa importancia, o alumno non poderá comezar o traballo no laboratorio ata	
		que realice de forma adecuada esta preparación previa.	
Objective test	A1 A2 A3 A4 A5 A6	Periódicamente, realizaranse probas curtas de tipo test ou de resposta breve, de	10
	A12 A14 A21 B2 B3	acordo co indicado no apartado de Metodoloxía.	
	C1		

Assessment comments



Passing the course requires: 1) Obtaining a grade of 5 points (out of a maximum score of 10); 2) Gaining a minimum of 4.5 points in the mixed objective/subjective test (exam); and 3) Obtaining a minimum of 4.0 points summing the grades obtained for the Supervised Project and Laboratory Practice. In case that the student does not obtain the minimum points in some of these items, but the sum of the points is equal or higher than 5.0, the overall grade will correspond to 4.5 points.

Given that this course follows a continuous-assessment model, the progress of the student during the semester can be granted with up to 1.0 additional(extra) points.

Attending the laboratory practice is compulsory to pass the course.

A student will not be graded when participating in activities counting less than 25% of the overall grade.

The students that do not pass the course in the first chance have a second opportunity in July to have a mixed test. The maximum score of the second tests 5 points, the remaining 50% of the overall grade being the result of the assessment of the other activities of the course. In other words, the grade obtained in the second mixed test (July) replaces that obtained in the firsttest (June), while the remaining part of the grade does not change.

Students assessed in the second opportunity can only be granted with a"Matrícula de Honra" (the highest grade awarded to outstanding students) only if the maximum number of these distinctions according to the regulations were not awarded to students passing the course in the first opportunity.

Those students having a part-time dedication to the course, and thus waiverof assistance to the on-site academic activities according to the regulations of UDC, must attend the supervised projects and laboratory practice (compulsory). The final grade for these students will be the result of the following breakdown: 30% of the overall grade corresponds to the assessment of the laboratory work and supervised projects and the remaining 70% to the assessment of the mixed test. This breakdown is applied both for the first(June) and second (July) chances.

Only in very exceptional circumstances (adequately justified) the student may be exempted from the continuum evaluation process. In that case, he must pass a special examination to prove, without any doubt, the overall level of knowledge and skills.

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Recommendations Subjects that it is recommended to have taken before



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Química 2/610G01008	
Química 3/610G01009	
Química 4/610G01010	
Subjects that are recommended to be taken simultaneously	
Química Inorgánica 1/610G01021	
Subjects that continue the syllabus	
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Other comments	
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laboratorio e/ou cuestionarios de diversa natureza.NOTA: Aconséllase a asistencia a todas as clases, así como a participación activa en todas as actividades.

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