1	Unit name:	Radiation Protection and Radiation Shielding
2	Code:	NE 4013
3	Classification:	Major Subject
4	Credit Value:	3
5	Semester/Year Offered:	2/4
6	Pre-requisite	NE 1011, Introduction to Radiation and Radioactivity
7	Mode of delivery:	Brainstorming, Presentation, Group Discussion, Role play
8	Assessment system and breakdown of marks:	Assignment, Tutorial, Written Exam
	Assignment	15%
	Tutorial	15%
	Written Exam	70%
9	Academic staff teaching unit:	Department of Nuclear Technology
11	Course outcome of unit:  After completion of this course, students will be able to  1. Explain the biological effects of ionizing radiation  2. Describe the current exposure limits and radiation protection criteria  3. Explain the external radiation protection  4. Explain the internal dosimetry and radiation protection  5. Determine the shielding of alpha, beta and photon sources  6. Determine the neutron shielding and neutron dosimetry  7. Explain the production of X-ray and X-ray shielding  Synopsis of unit:  The course covers the radiation protection and radiation shielding for external and internal radiation hazard. The course includes the direct and indirect biological effects of radiation, radiation protection criteria, exposure limits, methodology and ICRP dosimetric models. And also cover the shielding against alpha, beta, gamma, X-ray and neutron radiation.	
12	Topic:  1. Chemical and Biological Effects of Radiation  2. Radiation Protection Criteria and Exposure Limits  3. External Radiation Protection  4. Internal Dosimetry and Radiation Protection  5. Radiation Shielding  6. Neutrons  7. X-rays	
13	Main References:  1. James E. Turner: <i>Atoms, Radiation, and Radiation Protection</i> , 3 <sup>rd</sup> Edition, 2007  2. James E. Martin: <i>Physics for Radiation Protection</i> , 2 <sup>nd</sup> Edition, 2006	

## 14 Additional References:

- 1. Alan Martin and Samuel A. Harbison: Introduction to Radiation Protection, 4<sup>th</sup> Edition, 2002.
- 2. Dr. AbdKhalik bin Haji Wood, Dr. Azali bin Muhammad: *Handbook of Radiation Protection*, Malaysian Nuclear Agency (Nuclear Malaysia) Bangi 43000 KAJANG, 2006.

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