



Name of the course:

Solar radiation geometry

Course type:

Optional

Responsible lecturer:

Dr. Imre Csáky.

Content:

Within the frame of Solar geometry course, students will get knowledge about the solar radiation, solar geometry, direct diffuse radiation to the horizontal/vertical surface. They also will accumulate knowledge about the factors affecting radiation: clearness index, solar constant, Rb factor, zenith angle...

Atmospheric factors that modify irradiation: the path of the sun's rays through the atmosphere, the ability of the atmosphere to transmit radiation, water vapour content and pollution, cloud cover. Therefore, it is important to analyse the solar radiation for a given sample year. Within the frame of present course, we pay special attention to the increasingly hot summer month, we examine the effect of the solar radiation heat load.

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