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### **II. TEACHING AND RESEARCH LABORATORIES**

#### **A. Teaching Laboratories:**

Laboratory of Macromolecular Chemistry

Laboratory of Computer Modeling of Structure and Properties of Polymers

Laboratory of Textile Auxiliaries

Laboratory of Polymer Fibres and Fibrous Material Structure

DSC, TMA, SALS, Zeta Potential, Surface Properties

Laboratory of Fibre Technology

Laboratory of Textile Chemistry, Bleaching, Dyeing and Finishing

Laboratory of Fibre and Textile Testing

Laboratory equipments for fibre spinning, drawing and texturing,  
extruders 16 and 30 mm

Laboratory equipments for dyeing and finishing of fibres and textile materials (Ahiba,  
Pretema Multicolor)

#### **B. Research Laboratories:**

DSC-Perkin Elmer and DTA (Derivatograph Q 1500 D)

TMA-50 M and TA (Thermomechanical measurement)

Gas Chromatography CHROM-5

Instron, model 1112 and Uster for Mechanical Properties

Dynamic Viscoelastomer model Rheo-200

Alambeta for Measurement of Thermo - Properties of Textiles

Integral electrometer Polystat PS-1

Zetameter EKA

Langmuir balance

Capillary viscosimeter

Computers PC-AT and XT (386, 486)I

Picture analyser

Unimode semiconductive Laser 25mW 690nm with universal optical set

Microscope Olympus Model BHT

Laboratory equipments for light degradation of fibrous materials Xenotest

### **III. TEACHING**

#### **A. Undergraduate Study**

##### **5th Semester (autumn)**

Macromolecular Chemistry I.	(2-0 h)	Borsig
<b>6th Semester (spring)</b>		
Material Technology	(2-0 h)	Marcinčin
<b>7th Semester (autumn)</b>		
Macromolecular Chemistry II	(2-1 h)	Borsig
Physics of Polymers and Paper	(2-2 h)	Krištofič
Fiber Sci. and Technology	(3-0 h)	Marcinčin
Seminary Fiber Sci. and Technology	(0-2 h)	Marcinčin
Structure of Fibrous Materials	(2-1 h)	Ujhelyiová Murárová
Modeling of Polymer Structure and Properties	(2-1 h)	Rychlý
Laboratory of Fiber Sci. and Technology.	(0-0-8)	Krištofič Legéň
<b>8th Semester (spring)</b>		
Coloristics and Textile Auxiliaries	(2-0 h)	Hodul
Fibrous Composites	(2-0 h)	Krištofič
Textile Engineering	(2-0 h)	Neckář
Seminary Textile Engineering	(0-2 h)	
Křemenáková		
Laboratory II.	/0-0-10/	Legéň Hodul
Excursion and Technical Experience		Marcinčin Demianová
<b>9th Semester (autumn)</b>		
Textile Chemistry and Technology	(3-1 h)	Hodul
Technology of Polym. Films	(2-0 h)	Marcinčin
Laboratory of Textile Chemistry and Technology	(0-0-10)	Hodul
Fiber and Textile Testing	(2-0 h)	Legéň
<b>10th Semester (spring)</b>		
Seminary	(0-3-0)	
Diploma work	(0-0-27)	

#### **B. PhD.study:**

Physics of Polymers  
Macromolecular Chemistry  
Technology of Polymeric Materials  
Organic Chemistry  
Physical Chemistry

#### **IV. CURRENT RESEARCH PROJECTS**

##### **Fibre-forming Polypropylene – Polar Polymer Blends (Eberhard Borsig)**

1. By the DSC analysis of fibre-forming polypropylene-polyethylene blend it was found that the components in the semicrystalline PP-TI 902 and LPDE SA 200 blend fibres behave at melting and crystallization process as independent individual polymer components with individual peaks on thermograms. Decrease of the total melting enthalpy of the blends indicates a physical or chemical interaction ( partial miscibility ) of PP and LPDE.

2. Fibres from copolyamides and blend fibres containing polyamide 6 and copolyamides have been prepared and their properties have been evaluated.