The curriculum for this course consists of a number of chapters, articles, and other types of publications. The curriculum covers a range of topics, as listed below. For each topic a number of publications are relevant and some publications may be relevant for several topics. The publications are available in two forms:

- Books which can be bought at Akademika, the university bookstore. These titles are indicated by (B).

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- Chapters in books, articles from scientific journals, and other publications which are available electronically through links in the reading list below, are indicated by (EC).


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