

Department	V – Life Sciences and Technology / <i>Life Sciences and Technology</i>
Degree level	Bachelor's
Degree program	Packaging Technology / <i>Verpackungstechnik</i>
Type of instruction	Exercise
Credits	5
Availability	Winter semester
Hours/week	4

Module number	B05
English title / German title	Technical English / <i>Fachenglisch</i>
Credits	5 Cr
Instruction hours	4 hours per week during the lecture period of the semester
Subject coverage	Multidisciplinary fundamentals of technology as well as presentation techniques and strategies
Learning objectives / Competencies	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Knowledge of the major terminology and expressions from the field of packaging materials • Ability to read English specialized literature as well as to provide a basic presentation in English • Conveying approaches of various aspects of the business of packaging <p>Students will become able to employ effectively the rules of argumentation in English when designing a report and preparing a presentation.</p>
Requirements	Recommended level of English: Level A2/B1 in line with the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages
Level	First semester of the degree program
Type of module	Exercise 100%
Status*	Required module
Semester when offered	Winter semester
Assessment of performance	Written examination and/or presentation and/or project work. The modalities of performance assessment are provided in an understandable written manner within the module registration period.
Determination of the grade	Exercise 100%
Recognition of alternative modules*	Module with similar contents
Contents	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Business and technical English texts - Development and presentations on packaging materials (paper, carton, cardboard, glass, plastics, plastic composites, metals, printing and decoration processes) - Basics of presentations in English - Study of selected English packaging literature - Review and employment of English grammar

Literature	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- Bennett, J. u. a.: Doing Effective Presentations in an Intercultural Setting. Verlag Ueberreuter, Wien/Frankfurt- Comfort, J.: Effective Presentation. Oxford University Press <p>Further literature to be announced in class.</p>
Further information	This module is offered in English.

* Only relevant for Beuth students enrolled in a degree program.