

BACHELOR THESIS PEER REVIEW

I. PERSONAL AND STUDY DETAILS

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II. EVALUATION OF THE BACHELOR THESIS

Ana	alysis of the connection between a high-frequency jet and a CPAP ventilator	
	Evaluation criteria	N. of points
1.	Fulfillment of the aim of the thesis and suitability of the structure of the thesis with respect to the topic (compliance with the assignment). $(0 - 30)$ *	15
	Any part or sentence of the bachelor thesis assignment has to be dealt with. The full amount of points can be given to the excellent thesis only. The points are reduced in relation to the part of the assignment which is not properly dealt with or is not included at all.	
2.	Theoretical level and application of accessible sources. (0 – 30)*	25
	The reader evaluates the relevance of the theoretical part of the thesis with respect to the assignment and structuring of the ideas. If word-for-word citing prevails, the reader shall decrease the rating by 15 points. (of course if copyright is abided). Moreover, another reason for decreasing the overall assessment is insufficient amount of theoretical knowledge, references and sources.	
3.	Scope of experimental work (SW, HW) and applied knowledge, quality of methodology and conclusions of the thesis. (0 – 30)* Maximum number of points can be granted to a thesis which is fit for publishing. This aspect is judged with respect to enhancement of theoretical knowledge and practical implications. Creation of a model, SW or technical realization is valued. For minor methodological flaws, the assessment is reduced by up to 5 points. Inconsistency of elaboration with the theoretical background and unclear or not fully professional approach leads to a reduction by at least 15 points. Another decrease can be due to insufficient discussion. A total of 30 points can be given to a very complex and flawless work, including other activities such as participation in scientific-research project or grant, active participation in the writing publications, patents and utility models.	15
4.	Formal requisites and layout of the thesis (writing mastery, structuring, graphs, tables, citations in the text, list of references etc.). (0 – 10)* Reader evaluates formal requisites according to the rules of writing, attributes of final works, i.e. text formatting, structure of the text, references, quality of charts and tables and citations. Number of points can be reduced for noncompliance with the rules by the maximum of 2 points for each disrespected attribute. Grammatical mistakes, spelling mistakes and improper stylistics and terminology decrease the evaluation by 2-4 points. Only standard terminology should be used, especially in the English language (it is necessary to judge the ability to use the technical language - 2 points), graph are according to the rules (see tolerance and the influence of statistical processing - 2 points), captions are included for graphs and tables and everything is readable (2 points), citation rules are complied with according to ISO690 and ISO690-2 (2 points).	8
5.	Total points	63

III. PROPOSED QUESTIONS FOR THE DEFENSE (OPTIONAL)

1.	There is some discrepance in measurement. Why did you disconnect the jet ventilator from the breathing circuit?

2. What was the problem during 3D printing? All connectors were not printed in good quality if I understand it well.

3.

IV. THE OVERALL ASSESSMENT OF THE LEVEL OF THE BACHELOR THESIS

Grade**:	A (excellent)	B (very good)	C (good)	D (satisfactory)	E (sufficient)	F (failed)
Number of points:	100 - 90	89 - 80	79 - 70	69 - 60	59 - 50	< 50
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^{**} in case of F (failed) please explain in detail

V. COMMENTS

The aim of the thesis was to design the connector combining a high-frequency jet ventilator and a CPAP ventilator for neonatal needs, but in final measurement the jet ventilator was not connected to the breathing circuit. It is also mentioned in chapter 6 Discussion, there was the goal to reduce the work of breathing of the patient during high frequency jet ventilation. The high frequency ventilation was not measured so this discrepancy is the reason for point reduction. The theoretical part of thesis was processed very well. Unfortunately it was not measured in practical part of this thesis. Printing the connector at 3D printer was described well. There are some small keying mistakes in the thesis.

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I give the above grade to the bachelor thesis and I recommend/do not recommend it for the defence.