



Meng 172 - Statics and Dynamics Course

Outline

Course: MENG 172 – Statics and Dynamics W2018

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Calendar Description

Students will study topics in statics including forces, moments, distributed loads, equilibrium, statically determinate structures (including trusses, frames, machines, beams, and circular shafts), friction, virtual work, and energy formulations. In dynamics, students will learn about the components of velocity and acceleration, motion analysis, force/acceleration, work/energy principles applied to particles, systems of particles, and rigid bodies. Only open to students in the Mechanical Engineering Technology program.

Intended Learning Outcomes

Upon successful completion of this course a student will be able to:

- Use the principles of static equilibrium, free-body diagrams, and scalar and vector component methods to analyze the resultant and reaction forces and moments on various 2D and 3D structural forms, including frames, machines, trusses, beams and circular shafts.
- Analyze the forces acting both externally and internally on static objects and structures.
- Plot the displacement, velocity, and acceleration of points within many different mechanisms.
- Calculate the forces due to inertia.
- Illustrate analyses in a complete and clear manner.
- Explain the kinematics of particles and groups of particles (how particles move and accelerate relative to a stationary axis and how they move relative to other particles).
- Explain the kinetics of particles and groups of particles using: force/acceleration, and work/energy methods (how particles are influenced by external forces).

Required Textbook

Engineering Mechanics: Statics & Dynamics, 14th Ed., R.C. Hibbeler (Required)

Assignments & Labs

No late assignments or labs will be accepted for grading. This policy is adhered to without exception, other than for medical reasons, accompanied by a physician's note. Assignments will be graded on completion or with a subset of the questions marked for accuracy. The solutions will be posted shortly after the due date. Assignments are to be submitted by Tuesday at 4:00 of the indicated week unless otherwise posted.





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Evaluation & Grading System

Assignments Labs Midterm Exam Final Exam	10% 10% 40% 40%	A+	90-100	B-	70-72
		Α	85-89	C+	65-69
		A-	80-84	C	60-64
		B+	77-80	D	50-59
		В	73-76	F	<50

NOTE: You must pass both written exams to receive a passing grade in MENG 172

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