



**CAMOSUN COLLEGE**  
**School of Trades and Technology**  
**Department of Civil Engineering Technology**

**CIVE 191**  
**Statics**  
**Winter - 2020**

**COURSE OUTLINE**

*Please note: This outline will not be kept indefinitely. It is recommended students keep this outline for their records, especially to assist in transfer credit to post-secondary institutions.*

**1 Instructor Information**

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**2 Prerequisites and Co-requisites**

*One of*

- MATH 101
- MATH 191

**3 Short Description**

Students are introduced to force systems, statics of rigid bodies, equivalent forces, and couple systems. Students perform analyses of free body diagrams, frames, and trusses and determine properties of sections and components of two and three dimensional vectors. Shear and bending moment diagrams of beams are drawn.

**4 Intended Learning Outcomes**

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

- Apply relevant safety regulations and best practices in the lab and in the field.
- Perform unit conversions using SI and US Customary units and perform analysis in both systems.
- Use the concepts of "the principles of statics", "free body diagrams" and "component methods" to determine forces acting on a body.
- Determine the resultant forces of systems of plane concurrent and nonconcurrent, plane parallel and non-parallel forces acting upon a body.
- Determine the resultant force on a body by replacing a force with a force and a couple.
- Determine conditions for equilibrium of bodies acted on by coplanar force systems, moments and couples and combinations of forces and couples in order to solve for reaction forces.

- Analyze various structural forms, including frames, trusses, and beams to find reaction forces and internal forces.
- Determine the properties of structural forms including centre of gravity, centroids of areas and moment of inertia. These properties will be used in later courses to calculate stresses.
- Draw the shear and bending moment diagrams for beams in order to identify internal forces.

## 5 Required Materials

- a) Texts – Statics and Mechanics of Materials, 5E; RC Hibbeler; Pearson; ISBN 978-0-13-438259-3.
- b) Other – Modified Mastering Engineering access code for above text.

## 6 Course Content and Schedule

*See last page.*

## 7 Student Assessment

Grading System

- Standard Grading System (GPA)*
- Competency Based Grading System*

See [Camosun Grading Policy E-1.5](#)

## 8 Class Policies

*(Edit as you wish)*

- Assignments are submitted via Modified Mastering Engineering (MME). See MME website for grading policies for assignments and quizzes.
- You must complete all assignments prior to the final exam to be permitted to write the final exam.
- You must pass the final exam to pass the course

Week	X01A	Time			Assessment		Chapter*	Sections	Examples
	Date	Lecture	Sem. 1	Sem. 2	Assign.†	Quiz‡			
1	6-Jan		1.5				1 General Principles	1-5	1-3
	6-Jan	2			0A				
	9-Jan			1.5	0B				
2	13-Jan		1.5				2 Force Vectors	1-3	1-3
	13-Jan	2						4	4-6
	16-Jan			1.5	1.1-5	1			
3	20-Jan		1.5				2 Force Vectors	5-6	7-9
	20-Jan	2			2.1-4				
	23-Jan			1.5		2			
4	27-Jan		1.5				2 Force Vectors	7-8	10-12
	27-Jan	2						9	13-15
	30-Jan			1.5	2.5-6	3			
5	3-Feb		1.5				3 Force System Resultants	Pre-chapter 3	
	3-Feb	2							
	6-Feb			Ottawa					
6	<del>10-Feb</del>	Tall Buildings					3 Force System Resultants	1	1-2
	<del>10-Feb</del>				2.7-9			2-3	3-4
	13-Feb	1.5						4	5-6
7	17-Feb		1.5				3 Force System Resultants	5	7-9
	17-Feb	2			3.1-4			6	11-13
	20-Feb			1.5		4			
8	<del>24-Feb</del>	BCFD & Reading Break			3.1-6				
	<del>24-Feb</del>				3.5-6				
	<del>27-Feb</del>								
9	2-Mar		1.5				3 Force System Resultants	7	14-16
	2-Mar	2						8	17-20
	5-Mar	1.5				5		9	22-23
10	9-Mar		1.5				4 Equilibrium of a Rigid Body	1-2	1-3
	9-Mar	2			3.7-9			3	4-7
	12-Mar			1.5		6		4	8
11	16-Mar		1.5				4 Equilibrium of a Rigid Body	5	9
	16-Mar	2			3.7-9More			6	10-11
	19-Mar			1.5	4.1-4	7			
12	23-Mar		1.5				5 Structural Analysis	1-2	1-3
	23-Mar	2						3	4
	26-Mar			1.5	4.5-6	8		4	5-7
13	30-Mar		1.5				5 Structural Analysis	5	8, 10-11
	30-Mar	2			5.1-4				
	2-Apr			1.5	5.1-4Tut.	9			
14	6-Apr	2					6 Center of Gravity, Centroid, and Moment of Inertia	TBA	
	6-Apr		1.5		5.5				
	9-Apr			1.5	6.1-5	10			
		<b>27</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>10</b>			
			<b>33</b>						

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Evaluation	Mark
† MME Assignments	36
‡ MME Quizzes	24
Final	40
	100

3.0 marks each for 12 assignments  
4.0 marks each for 6 quizzes