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Thermofluids 410 (MTV 410)

Qualification Undergraduate

Faculty Faculty of Engineering, Built Environment and Information Technology

Module credits 16.00

Programmes BEng Mechanical Engineering

BEng Mechanical Engineering Engage

Prerequisites No prerequisites.

Contact time 1 practical per week, 3 lectures per week

Language of tuition English

Academic organisation Mechanical and Aeronautical En

Period of presentation Semester 1

Module content

Navier-Stokes and continuity equations. Euler equations, momentum equations. Conduction in two dimensions. Similarity and dimensional analysis. Convective heat transfer: forced convection (external and internal), natural convection. Boiling and condensation. Thermal radiation. Heat exchangers: classification, Parallel flow and counterflow heat exchangers; double-pass, multi-pass and cross-flow heat exchangers; LMTD method, Effectiveness-NTU method, selection of heat exchangers. Experimental techniques in heat transfer.

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