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Machine design 312 (MOW 312)

Qualification Undergraduate

Faculty Faculty of Engineering, Built Environment and Information Technology

Module credits 16.00

NOF Level 07

Programmes BEng Mechanical Engineering

BEng Mechanical Engineering ENGAGE

Prerequisites MOW 217, (MOW 227)

Contact time 3 lectures per week, 3 tutorials per week

Language of tuition Module is presented in English

Department Mechanical and Aeronautical Engineering

Period of presentation Semester 1

Module content

Within the framework of system engineering the following themes are introduced: Ergonomics, pressure vessels (introduction to code design), structural design, welding and bonding, heat treatment, non-destructive testing, couplings, clutches, brakes, gears, contact stresses and lubrication. Safety factors are considered through all themes. Open-ended subsystem design using the following elements: welds, gears and gear systems.

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