



Course Name: Engineering Statics

Course Number: EGR* E211

Credits: 3

Catalog description: A study of engineering mechanics via vector approach to static forces and their resolution. Topics include: properties of force systems, free-body analysis, first and second moments of areas and mass, and static friction. Applications to trusses, frames, beams and cables included.

Prerequisite: MAT*256 Calculus II (may be taken concurrently)

General Education Competencies Satisfied:

HCC General Education Requirement Designated Competency Attribute Code(s):

None

Additional CSCU General Education Requirements for CSCU Transfer Degree Programs:

None.

Embedded Competency(ies):

None.

Discipline-Specific Attribute Code(s):

MATH Mathematics elective

Course objectives:

General Education Goals and Outcomes:

None

Course Specific Objectives:

1. Apply Engineering Mechanics
2. Understand and Use Vector Operations and Definitions



3. Understand Equilibrium of Rigid Bodies and Free Body Diagrams
4. Apply Two-Dimensional Forces and Three-Dimensional Forces to Engineering Mechanics
5. Understand Forces and Moments
6. Understand Distributed Forces, Moments of Inertia, Centroids and Centers of Mass
7. Understand Friction

Course Content:

- A. Introduction
 - a. Learning Mechanics
 - b. Fundamental Concepts
 - c. Units
- B. Vectors
 - a. Scalars and Vectors
 - b. Rules for Manipulating Vectors
 - c. Dot Product, Cross Product and Triple Product
- C. Forces
 - a. Types of Forces
 - b. Equilibrium and Free Body Diagrams
 - c. Two-Dimensional and Three-Dimensional Forces
- D. Systems of Forces and Moments
 - a. Moment Vector
 - b. Moment of a Force about a Line
 - c. Couples
 - d. Equivalent Systems
- E. Objects in Equilibrium
 - a. Equilibrium Equations
 - b. Two-Force and Three-Force Members
 - c. Statically Indeterminate Objects
- F. Structures in Equilibrium
 - a. Trusses
 - i. Method of Joints
 - ii. Method of Sections
 - b. Space Trusses
 - c. Frames and Machines
- G. Centroids and Centers of Mass
 - a. Centroids



- b. Composites
- c. The Pappus-Guldinus Theorems
- H. Moments of Inertia
 - a. Areas
 - i. Parallel-Axis Theorem
 - ii. Rotated and Principal Axes
 - b. Masses
 - i. Simple Objects
 - ii. Parallel-Axis Theorem
- I. Distributed Forces
 - a. Loads Distributed Along a Line
 - b. Internal Forces and Moments of Beams
 - c. Shear Force and Bending Moment Diagrams
 - d. Relations between Distributed Load, Shear Force and Bending Moment
- J. Friction
 - a. Theory of Dry Friction
 - i. Coefficients of Friction
 - ii. Angles of Friction
 - b. Applications
 - i. Wedges
 - ii. Threads
 - iii. Journal Bearings
 - iv. Thrust Bearings and Clutches
 - v. Belt Friction

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