

Module specification

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Module Code	ENG537
Module Title	Further Engineering Mathematics
Level	5
Credit value	20
Faculty	FAST
HECoS Code	100403
Cost Code	GAME

Programmes in which module to be offered

Programme title	Is the module core or option for this programme
BEng / MEng Aeronautical Engineering	Core
BEng / MEng Automotive Engineering	Core
BEng / MEng Electrical and Electronic Eng	Core
BEng / MEng Renewable Energy and Sustainable Engineering	Core
BEng / MEng Mechanical Engineering	Core
Engineering Summer School	Stand-alone

Pre-requisites

None

Breakdown of module hours

Learning and teaching hours	40hrs
Placement tutor support	0 hrs
Supervised learning e.g. practical classes, workshops	0hrs
Project supervision (level 6 projects and dissertation modules only)	0 hrs
Total active learning and teaching hours	40 hrs
Placement / work-based learning	0 hrs
Guided independent study	160 hrs
Module duration (total hours)	200 hrs

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With effect from date	September 2022
Date and details of revision	Aug 2022: Module learning outcomes and assessment update in Engineering revalidation

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Version number	2

Module aims

- To further develop knowledge of functions suitable for solving a range of mathematical and engineering problems
- To demonstrate a repertoire of problem-solving skills and an ability to generalise and transfer ideas, appropriate to engineering applications of mathematical concepts, including by means of mathematical modelling software.

Module Learning Outcomes - at the end of this module, students will be able to:

1	Solve differential equations (linear second order and partials) Apply mathematical methods of Laplace transform theory to solve engineering problems.
2	Use partial differentiation for analysing functions of two and more variables.
3	Manipulate linear algebra involving matrices, determinants, and their applications.
4	Use statistical methods to collect and analyse data for experimental work including the use of probability to predict performance.
5	Use mathematical modelling software (such as MATLAB etc.) to apply mathematical techniques in solving engineering problems.

In addition to the module learning outcomes, students will also cover the following accreditation of higher education programme (AHEP) fourth edition learning outcomes: C1, C3 & C6.

Assessment

Indicative Assessment Tasks:

This section outlines the type of assessment task the student will be expected to complete as part of the module. More details will be made available in the relevant academic year module handbook.

Assessment One is by means of an in-class test covering outcomes 1 and 2 (indicative). It is an unseen time-constrained test of 90 minutes with a fixed number of questions.

Assessment Two is by means of an in-class test covering outcomes 3,4 and 5 (indicative). It is an unseen time-constrained test of 90 minutes with a fixed number of questions.

Assessment number	Learning Outcomes to be met	Type of assessment	Weighting (%)
1	1,2	In-class test	50%
2	3,4,5	In-class test	50%

Derogations

A derogation from regulations has been approved for this programme which means that whilst the pass mark is 40% overall, each element of assessment (where there is more than one assessment) requires a minimum mark of 30%.

Learning and Teaching Strategies

The module will be presented to students through lectures and tutorials. An active and inclusive approach is used to engage learners in the topics and will involve individual, group work and flipped learning experiences aligned to the university's Active Learning Framework (ALF). The approach offers students a flexible and adaptive learning experience that can accommodate a range of options that includes both on campus learning and remote learning where appropriate.

The Moodle VLE and other on-line materials and resources will be available to support learning. ALF offers a balance between the classroom elements and digitally enabled activity incorporating flexible and accessible resources and flexible and accessible feedback to support learning.

Tutorials – Close interaction with students ensuring that the work presented during lectures has been understood, with specific help being given in order to overcome any learning problems, should they occur.

Indicative Syllabus Outline

Second Order Differential Equations with Constant Coefficients: Method of undetermined coefficients for finding particular integrals.

Laplace Transforms: The Laplace transform and its existence, standard functions and use of look-up tables. Use of Laplace transforms in solving simple ODEs with constant coefficients and given boundary conditions.

Partial differentiation: Partial differentiation rules, total differentials, and partial fractions. Minimum, maximum and saddle points of functions of 2 independent variables.

Partial Differential Equations: Methods of direct integration and separation of variables. Initial and boundary value problems.

Linear Algebra: Matrices and their properties, manipulation and applications, involving determinants, inverses, Gaussian elimination. Applications to systems of first order differential equations.

Probability and Statistics: Presentation of statistical data; mean, median and mode for grouped data; standard deviation. The binomial and Poisson distributions.

Software: Mathematical modelling software to support other elements of this module, emphasising potential as an analytical tool.

Indicative Bibliography:

Please note the essential reads and other indicative reading are subject to annual review and update.

Essential Reads

J. Bird, *Bird's Higher Engineering Mathematics*, 9th ed. Routledge, 2021.

Other indicative reading

K.A. Stroud, *Advanced Engineering Mathematics*, 6th ed. Red Globe Press, 2020.

S. Attaway, *Matlab: A Practical Introduction to Programming and Problem Solving*, 6th ed. Oxford: Butterworth-Heinemann, 2022.

Employability skills – the Glyndŵr Graduate

Each module and programme is designed to cover core Glyndŵr Graduate Attributes with the aim that each Graduate will leave Glyndŵr having achieved key employability skills as part of their study. The following attributes will be covered within this module either through the content or as part of the assessment. The programme is designed to cover all attributes and each module may cover different areas.

Core Attributes

Engaged
Enterprising
Creative
Ethical

Key Attitudes

Commitment
Curiosity
Resilience
Confidence
Adaptability

Practical Skillsets

Digital Fluency
Organisation
Leadership and Team working
Critical Thinking
Emotional Intelligence
Communication