



Unit Outline (Higher Education)

Institute / School: Institute of Innovation, Science & Sustainability

Unit Title: INTRODUCTION TO VIBRATION ANALYSIS

Unit ID: ENGIN3302

Credit Points: 15.00

Prerequisite(s): (ENGIN2302)

Co-requisite(s): Nil

Exclusion(s): (ENMEC3120)

ASCED: 030701

Description of the Unit:

This unit introduces students to the aspects of mechanical vibration in a mathematical and theoretical context. The unit will employ experimental methods to highlight the concepts presented.

Grade Scheme: Graded (HD, D, C, P, MF, F, XF)

Work Experience:

No work experience: Student is not undertaking work experience in industry.

Placement Component: No

Supplementary Assessment: Yes

Where supplementary assessment is available a student must have failed overall in the Unit but gained a final mark of 45 per cent or above, has completed all major assessment tasks (including all sub-components where a task has multiple parts) as specified in the Unit Description and is not eligible for any other form of supplementary assessment

Course Level:

Level of Unit in Course	AQF Level of Course					
	5	6	7	8	9	10
Introductory	■	■	■	■	■	■
Intermediate	■	■	■	■	■	■
Advanced	■	■	✓	■	■	■

Learning Outcomes:

On successful completion of the unit the students are expected to be able to:

Knowledge:

- K1.** Describe the behaviour of dynamic systems in the time domain.
- K2.** Explain the transient response of vibrating system.
- K3.** Relate experimental findings to the analytical model and system variables.
- K4.** Describe dynamic systems in the frequency domain.
- K5.** Discuss how vibration systems respond to a harmonic excitation.

Skills:

- S1.** Demonstrate how computer algebra systems are employed for modelling and simulation.
- S2.** Solve real engineering problems through symbolic, numeric and experimental dynamic analysis.
- S3.** Evaluate analytical models and reflect on practice.
- S4.** Work effectively, both independently and in teams.
- S5.** Present findings in manners which can be appreciated by professional and lay people.

Application of knowledge and skills:

- A1.** Test and evaluate an existing vibrating system.
- A2.** Apply dynamic analysis techniques to a variety of real engineering applications.
- A3.** Apply existing and developing knowledge and experience to the modelling and analysis of a variety of dynamic engineering systems.

Unit Content:

Topics may include:

- Mathematical background (linearization and Laplace Transforms)
- Mathematical description of mechanical systems
- Transient and free vibration
- Harmonically-Forced Vibration System and Resonance
- Vibration Isolation and Measurement

Learning Task and Assessment:

Learning Outcomes Assessed	Assessment Tasks	Assessment Type	Weighting
K1-K5, S1-S5, A1-A3	A modelling exercise based on a real-world problem that exposes the student to numerical modelling techniques.	Numerical project	40 - 60%
K1 - K5, S3	Assessment of all or part of the unit by examination.	Examination	40 - 60%

Alignment to the Minimum Co-Operative Standards (MiCS)

The Minimum Co-Operative Standards (MiCS) are an integral part of the Co-Operative University Model. Seven criteria inform the MiCS alignment at a Course level. Although Units must undertake MiCS mapping, there is NO expectation that Units will meet all seven criteria. The criteria are as follows:

1. Co-design with industry and students
2. Co-develop with industry and students
3. Co-deliver with industry
4. FedTASK alignment
5. Workplace learning and career preparation
6. Authentic assessment
7. Industry-link/Industry facing experience

MiCS Course level reporting highlights how each Course embraces the principles and practices associated with the Co-Operative Model. Evidence of Course alignment with the MiCS, can be captured in the Course Modification Form.

MICS Mapping has been undertaken for this Unit No

Date:

Adopted Reference Style:

Other (IEEE: Refer to the library website for more information)

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