

## MODULE DESCRIPTION FORM

### DEPARTMENT OF MECHANICAL AND AEROSPACE ENGINEERING

## ME526 ENGINEERING PLASTICITY

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<b>Other Lecturers Involved: None</b>	<b>Credit Weighting: 10</b>	<b>Semester: 1</b>	
<b>Assumed Prerequisites: ME414 Advanced Mechanics &amp; Dynamics</b>	<b>Optional class</b>	<b>Academic Level: 5</b>	<b>Suitable for Exchange: Y</b>

#### Module Format and Delivery (HOURS i.e. 1 credit = 10hrs of study):

Lecture	Tutorial	Laboratory	Groupwork	External	Online	Project	Assignments	Private Study	Total
20	10						5	65	100

#### Educational Aim

This module aims to introduce concepts in Engineering Plasticity in metals and their application to problems in Engineering Design and Structural Integrity Assessment. The course will introduce students to basic concepts in plastic deformation, including local and structural failure mechanisms, through one-dimensional analysis models. These will then be expanded to three dimensions, introducing stress and strain tensors and multiaxial yield criteria. Students will gain insight into the elastic plastic response and failure of metallic structures through analysis of generic engineering components amenable to analytical solution, including beams, bars, cylinders and spheres.

#### Learning Outcomes

On completion of the module the student is expected to be able to:

- LO1 Understand the elastic-plastic deformation of metal structures and associated structural failure mechanisms
- LO2 Perform analytical evaluation of the elastic plastic deformation of generic engineering components
- LO3 Understand the significance of material model selection on analysis outcomes
- LO4 Appreciate the significance of elastic-plastic deformation in engineering design by analysis and structural integrity assessment

#### Syllabus

The module will teach the following:

Elastic and Plastic Deformation of Metals; Uniaxial Stress & Strain; 1D Elastic-Plastic Analysis and Material Models; Elastic-Plastic Beam Bending, Shakedown & Ratcheting; 3D Stress and Strain; Multiaxial Yield Criteria; Elastic Plastic Deformation of Hollow Spheres; Elastic Plastic Deformation of Hollow Cylinders; Autofrettage; Design Codes & Standards.

#### Assessment of Learning Outcomes

##### Criteria

For each of the Module Learning Outcomes the following criteria will be used to make judgements on student learning:

LO1 Understand the nature of elastic-plastic deformation and be able to develop analytical models for simple geometries and boundary conditions

C1 Understands the mechanism of plastic deformation

C2 Understands the role of yield criteria in determining the elastic limit under multiaxial stress

C3 Understands how stress redistributes in metal structures loaded beyond yield

LO2 Demonstrate the ability to apply and solve governing equations for specific applications

C1 Able to select an appropriate material model

C2 Can identify appropriate failure criteria for different structural configurations

C3 Can define the structural problem mathematically and solve the resulting analytical models

LO3 Appreciates the role of elastic-plastic analysis in engineering practice  
 C1 Awareness of alternative design and assessment approaches  
 C2 Familiar with the requirements for inelastic analysis in design and assessment Codes and Standards

The standards set for each criterion per Module Learning Outcome to achieve a pass grade are indicated on the assessment sheet for all assessment.

**Principles of Assessment and Feedback**

(within Assessment and Feedback Policy at: <https://www.strath.ac.uk/staff/policies/academic/> )

Feedback will be provided at tutorial sessions through discussion with individuals and/or groups.

Formal, written feedback will be provided through the return of marked coursework to students (note: final exam scripts will not be returned to students).

**Assessment Method(s) Including Percentage Breakdown and Duration of Exams**

Examination (online; open book)				Coursework		Practical		Project	
Number	Month(s)	Duration	Weighting	Number	Weighting	Number	Weighting	Number	Weighting
1	Dec	2 hours	85%	1	15%				
* LO1,LO2,LO3				* LO2		*		*	

\* **L/Os:** Indicate which Learning Outcomes (LO1, LO2, etc) are to be assessed by exam/coursework/practical/project as required.

**Coursework / Submissions deadlines (academic weeks):**

1 assignment to be submitted in week 5

**Resit Assessment Procedures:**

2hr examination in August diet

**PLEASE NOTE:**

Students must gain a summative mark of 50% to pass the module. Students who fail the module at the first attempt will be re-assessed during the August diet. This re-assessment will consist entirely of exam. No marks from any previous attempts will be transferred to a new resit attempt.

**Recommended Reading**

The following books are recommended reading but purchase is not essential.

- J. Chakrabarty, Theory of Plasticity, Butterworth-Heinemann
- D.W.A Rees, Basic Engineering Plasticity, Butterworth-Heinemann
- R. Hill, The mathematical theory of plasticity, Oxford Science Publications
- J. Lubliner, Plasticity Theory, Dover
- N.E. Dowling, Mechanical Behaviour of Materials, Pearson

**Additional Student Feedback**

(Please specify details of when additional feedback will be provided)

Date	Time	Room No
		Check timetable webpages for details

Session: 2020/21

**Approved:**

**Course Director Signature: Dr Stuart Grey**

**Date of Last Modifications: 10 September 2020**

