



## Module (Course Syllabus) Catalogue 2023-2024

College/ Institute	Erbil Technology College	
Department	Road Construction Department	
Module Name	ENGINEERING MECHANICS	
Module Code	ENM 203	
Degree	Technical Diploma <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Bachelor <input type="checkbox"/>
	High Diploma <input type="checkbox"/>	Master <input type="checkbox"/> PhD <input type="checkbox"/>
Semester	Semester 2	
Qualification	Ph.D. in Civil/Environmental Engineering	
Scientific Title	Assistant Professor	
ECTS (Credits)	6	
Module type	Prerequisite <input type="checkbox"/>	Core <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Assist. <input type="checkbox"/>
Weekly hours	4 hrs.	
Weekly hours (Theory)	( 2 )hr Class	( 2 )Total hrs Workload
Weekly hours (Practical)	( )hr Class	(161)Total hrs Workload
Number of Weeks	16	
Lecturer (Theory)	/	
E-Mail & Mobile NO.	/	
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Websites	/	

<b>Course Description</b>	The design of this module includes establishing improving the student's knowledge and understanding about the engineering mechanics to provide the student realistic applications encountered in professional practice. The topics of this module includes: basic concepts of engineering mechanics, forces systems and a force analysing, drawing of free body diagrams and determine the resultant of forces and/or moments. Draw complete and correct free-body diagrams and write the appropriate equilibrium equations from the free-body diagram. Determine the support reactions on a structure. Determine the connection forces in trusses and in general frame structures. Determine the centroid. Analyse statically determinate planar frames. The module will be delivered via lectures and tutorials (supported by problem-solving classes).				
<b>Course objectives</b>	<p><b>The general objectives of this module are:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Understand the theory of engineering mechanics to tackle real live engineering problems</li> <li>- Apply principles of statics to solve engineering problems.</li> <li>- Involve in team working and collaborate with colleagues.</li> </ul>				
<b>Student's obligation</b>	To pass this module the students should attend all lectures and complete all tests, exams and assignments.				
<b>Required Learning Materials</b>	Forms of teaching Oral presentations lectures, Group discussions, Seminars, Problem-solving based learning, Project based learning				
<b>Evaluation</b>	<b>Task</b>		<b>Weight (Marks)</b>	<b>Due Week</b>	<b>Relevant Learning Outcome</b>
	Paper Review		/		
	Assignments	Homework	10	1-12	Improve to solving problems
		Class Activity	6	1-12	To analyze and solve engineering mechanics problems
Report	8		To learn how to write technical reports		

	Seminar	8	1-12	Improve the ability of presentation
	Essay	/		
	Project	/	1-12	
	Quiz	8	1-12	
	Lab.	/		
	Midterm Exam	20	1-12	
	Final Exam	40	1-12	
	Total	100		
<b>Specific learning outcome:</b>	<p><i>On successful completion of this module the learner will be able to:</i></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. <b>Recognize</b> basic concepts of engineering mechanics</li> <li>2. <b>Identify</b> quantify all types of forces systems and <b>analyze</b> forces into components</li> <li>3. <b>Determine</b> and <b>apply</b> concepts of moment of forces and couples</li> <li>4. <b>Develop</b> and <b>sketch</b> free body diagrams for different structures and elements of structures</li> <li>5. <b>Determine</b> resultants and <b>apply</b> conditions of static equilibrium to plane force systems</li> <li>6. <b>Analyze</b> frames and trusses using equilibrium equations.</li> <li>7. <b>Apply</b> concepts of first moment of area and <b>locate</b> centroid of different types areas</li> <li>8. <b>Collaborate</b> with others to solve problems by group or team working.</li> </ol>			
<b>Course References:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Lecture notes.</li> <li>- R. C. Hibbler, Engineering Mechanics: Principles of Statics and Dynamics, Pearson Press, 2006.</li> <li>- Hibbler, R.C and Ashok Gupta, "Engineering Mechanics: Statics and Dynamics", 11th Edition, Pearson Education (2010).</li> <li>- Kumar, K.L., "Engineering Mechanics", 3rd Revised Edition, Tata McGraw-Hill Publishing company, New Delhi (2008)</li> </ul>			

<b>Course topics (Theory)</b>	<b>Week</b>	<b>Learning Outcome</b>
Introduction	Week 1	<b>1</b>
Forces Systems	Week 2	<b>1 , 2 and 8</b>
Moment of forces	Week 3	<b>3 and 8</b>
Couples	Week 4	<b>3</b>
Equilibrium of rigid bodies- Conditions and Free body diagram (F.B.D)	Week 5	<b>1,2, 4 and 8</b>
Equations of Equilibrium- Two forces members	Week 6	<b>2, 3 , 4 and 5</b>
<b>Midterm Examination</b>	<b>Week 7</b>	
<b>Midterm Examination</b>	<b>Week 8</b>	
Equations of Equilibrium- Three forces members	Week 9	<b>4 , 5 and 6</b>
Equations of Equilibrium- Three forces members	Week 10	<b>5, 6 and 8</b>
Distributed loads	Week 11	<b>4 , 8</b>
Trusses- Joints method	Week 12	<b>4, 5 and 6</b>
Trusses- Sections Method	Week 13	<b>4, 5 and 6</b>
Centroid	Week 14	<b>2, 7 and 8</b>
<b>Final Examination</b>	Week 15	
<b>Final Examination</b>	Week 16	
<b>Practical Topics</b>	<b>Week</b>	<b>Learning Outcome</b>
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- Examinations (question design):

The following is an example of the examination and its answer:

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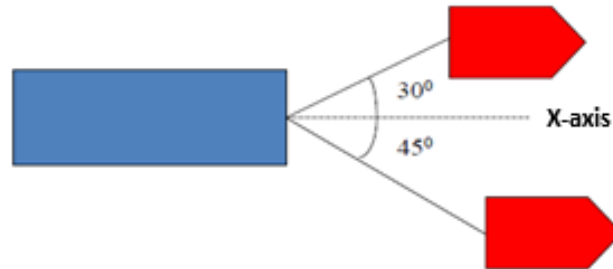


Stage: 1<sup>st</sup> – 2<sup>nd</sup> Semester (S2)  
Subject: Engineering Mechanics  
Time: 90 Minutes  
Date: Thu. 21/04/2022  
Code: ENM 203

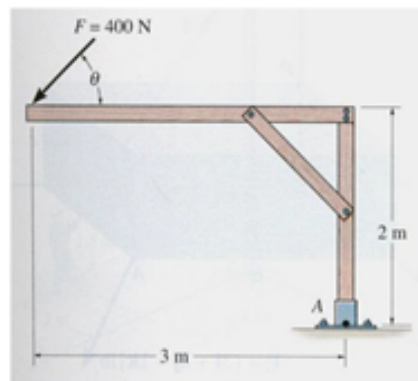
**NOTE:** any number without unit will be neglected and calculator device is allowed.

Q1/ Convert: (a) 200 lb.ft to N.m , (b) 300 lb/ft<sup>3</sup> to kN/m<sup>3</sup>, (c) 10 ft/h to mm/s ?  
(25 Marks)

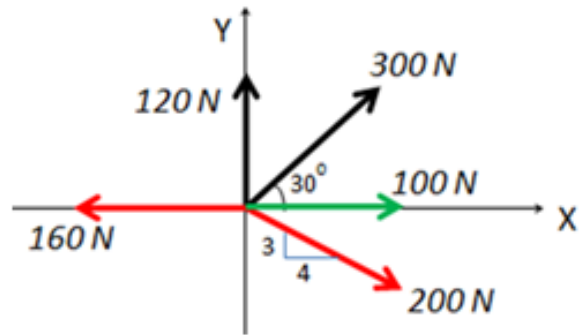
Q2/ A barge is pulled by two tugboats. If the resultant of the forces exerted by the tugboat is a 6500 KN force directed along the axis of the barge, determine the tension in the ropes?  
(25 Marks)



Q3/ A 400 N force is applied to the frame in the figure below and  $\theta = 20^\circ$ . Find the moment of the force F at A?  
(25 Marks)



Q4/ Determine the resultant "R" and  $\theta$  of the force system shown in the below figure?



(25 Marks)

Dr. Abdulfattah Ahmad Amin

Lecturer

Mid-Term Typical Answers (ENGINEERING MECHANICS) S2 21/4/2022 1<sup>st</sup> stage

Q1/ Convert: (a) 200 lb.ft to N.m, (b) 300 lb/ft<sup>3</sup> to kN/m<sup>3</sup>, (c) 10 ft/h to mm/s ?

Solution: -

a) 200 lb.ft to N.m ?

$$\begin{aligned} 200 \text{ lb} &\Rightarrow \because 1 \text{ lb} = 4.4482 \text{ N} \Rightarrow \therefore 200 \text{ lb} = 889.64 \text{ N}, \because 1 \text{ ft} = 0.3048 \text{ m} \\ \therefore 200 \text{ lb. ft} &= (889.64 \text{ N}) \cdot (0.3048 \text{ m}) = \underline{271.16227 \text{ N.m}} \end{aligned}$$

b) 300 lb/ft<sup>3</sup> to kN/m<sup>3</sup> ?

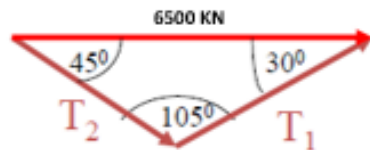
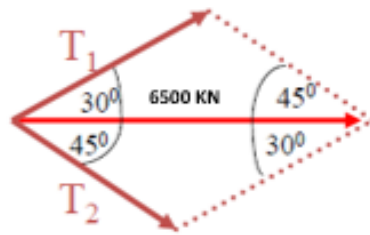
$$\begin{aligned} 300 \text{ lb} &\Rightarrow \because 1 \text{ lb} = 4.4482 \text{ N} = 0.0044482 \text{ KN} \Rightarrow \therefore 300 \text{ lb} = 1.33446 \text{ KN} \\ \because 1 \text{ ft} &= 0.3048 \text{ m} \Rightarrow 1^3 \text{ ft}^3 = (0.3048)^3 \text{ m}^3 \Rightarrow 1^3 \text{ ft}^3 = 0.02831685 \text{ m}^3 \\ \therefore 300 \text{ lb/ft}^3 &= (1.33446 \text{ KN} / 0.02831685 \text{ m}^3) = \underline{47.1267 \text{ KN/ m}^3} \end{aligned}$$

c) 10 ft/h to mm/s ?

$$\begin{aligned} \because 1 \text{ ft} &= 0.3048 \text{ m} \Rightarrow 1 \text{ ft} = (0.3048 \text{ m} \cdot 1000 \text{ mm/m}) = 304.8 \text{ mm} \\ \therefore \Rightarrow 10 \text{ ft} &= 10 \cdot 304.8 \text{ mm} = 3048 \text{ mm} \\ \because \text{hr} &= (60 \text{ min} \cdot 60 \text{ sec/min}) = 3600 \text{ sec} \\ \therefore 10 \text{ ft/h} &= (3048 \text{ mm} / 3600 \text{ sec}) = \underline{0.84667 \text{ mm/sec}} \end{aligned}$$

Q2/

## Solution



$$\frac{T_1}{\sin 45^\circ} = \frac{T_2}{\sin 30^\circ} = \frac{6500 \text{ KN}}{\sin 105^\circ}$$

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$$\Rightarrow T_1 = (6500 \text{ KN} * \sin 45^\circ) / \sin 105^\circ = (6500 * 0.7071) / 0.966 = (4596.15 / 0.966)$$

$$T_1 = 4757.92 \text{ KN}$$

$$\frac{T_2}{\sin 30^\circ} = \frac{6500 \text{ KN}}{\sin 105^\circ}$$

$$\Rightarrow T_2 = (6500 \text{ KN} * \sin 30^\circ) / \sin 105^\circ = (6500 * 0.5) / 0.966 = (3250 / 0.966)$$

$$T_2 = 3364.39 \text{ KN}$$



### Q3/ solution

#### Solution:

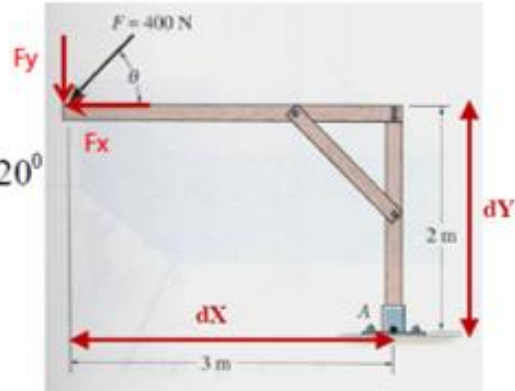
$$\begin{aligned}F_x &= F \cos \theta & F_y &= F \sin \theta \\F_x &= 400 \text{ N} \cos 20^\circ & F_y &= 400 \text{ N} \sin 20^\circ \\F_x &= 375.877 \text{ N} & F_y &= 136.80 \text{ N}\end{aligned}$$

Using Varignon's theorem,

$$M_A = F_x \cdot dy + F_y \cdot dx$$

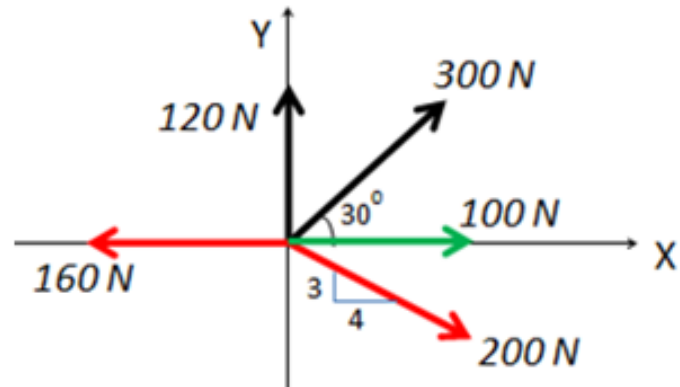
We can determine the direction of rotation by imagining the body pinned at A and deciding which way the body would rotate because of the force.

$$\begin{aligned}M_A &= (375.877 \text{ N})(2 \text{ m}) + (136.80 \text{ N})(3 \text{ m}) \\&= 751.74 \text{ N m} + 410.40 \text{ N m} \\(+M_A &= 1162 \text{ N m}\end{aligned}$$



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Q4/



**Solution:**

$$F_{Rx} = \sum F_x \rightarrow$$

$$F_{Rx} = 100 \text{ N} + 300 \cos 30^\circ \text{ N} + 4 \times \frac{200}{5} \text{ N} - 160 \text{ N}$$

$$F_{Rx} = 100 \text{ N} + 259.81 \text{ N} + 160 \text{ N} - 160 \text{ N}$$

$$F_{Rx} = 359.81 \text{ N} \rightarrow$$

$$F_{Ry} = \sum F_y \uparrow$$

$$F_{Ry} = 120 \text{ N} + 300 \sin 30^\circ \text{ N} - 3 \times \frac{200}{5} \text{ N}$$

$$F_{Ry} = 120 \text{ N} + 150 \text{ N} - 120 \text{ N}$$

$$F_{Ry} = 150 \text{ N} \uparrow$$

$$F_R = \sqrt{(359.81)^2 + (150)^2}$$

$$F_R = 389.82 \text{ N} \nearrow$$

$$\theta = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{150}{359.81}\right) = 22.63^\circ$$

- - <b>Extra notes:</b>		
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