

Department of Mechanical Engineering			
Hydraulic & Pneumatic Systems (67483)			
Total Credits	3		
major compulsory			
Prerequisites	P1 : Mechanics of Machinery (67323) OR Theory of Machines (67310) P2 : Fluid Mechanics I (67320) OR Principles of Thermo-Fluids & Heat Transfer (67261) OR Fluid Mechanics (67313)		
Course Contents			
Introduction to fluid power systems design and operation. Characteristics of hydraulic fluids and standard tests. Characteristics and selection of positive and non-positive displacement pumps. Characteristics and standards of filters. Linear and rotary hydraulic Actuators. Characteristics and design of hydraulic and pneumatic distribution systems. Hydraulic and pneumatic control valves. Design, sizing and analysis of hydraulic and pneumatic circuits.			
Intended Learning Outcomes (ILO's)		Student Outcomes (SO's)	Contribution
1	Recognize the specifications, properties, standards and testing of hydraulic fluids and hydraulic filters.	A	30 %
2	Selection of hydraulic and pneumatic systems components including the distribution system, pumps, control valves, hydraulic and pneumatic cylinders and motors.	C	30 %
3	Analyses of incompressible and compressible flow.	E	20 %
4	Designing complete fluid power systems.	C	20 %
Textbook and/ or References			
James A. Sullivan (1998). Fluid Power: Theory and Applications. 4th Edition, Prentice Hall			
Assessment Criteria		Percent (%)	
First Exam		25 %	
Second Exam		25 %	
Final Exam		50 %	
Course Plan			
Week	Topic		
1	Introduction.		
2, 4	Properties of Hydraulic Fluids.		
5	Energy and Power in Hydraulic System. Midterm Exam I (Monday 5 / 3 / 2012)		
6	The Distribution System..		
7, 8	Hydraulic Flow in Pipes Fluid Power Actuators.		
9, 10	Fluid Power Actuators Midterm Exam II (Monday 9 / 4 / 2012)		
11, 12	Control Components (Hydraulic and Pneumatic Valves).		
13, 14	Hydraulic Circuit Design and Analysis. Final Exam		