

Course guide

220342 - 220342 - Extension of Jet Engines

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Unit in charge: Terrassa School of Industrial, Aerospace and Audiovisual Engineering
Teaching unit: 220 - ETSEIAT - Terrassa School of Industrial and Aeronautical Engineering.

Degree: MASTER'S DEGREE IN AERONAUTICAL ENGINEERING (Syllabus 2014). (Optional subject).
MASTER'S DEGREE IN SPACE AND AERONAUTICAL ENGINEERING (Syllabus 2016). (Optional subject).

Academic year: 2023 **ECTS Credits:** 5.0 **Languages:** English

LECTURER

Coordinating lecturer: Manel Soria Guerrero
Josep Oriol Lizandra Dalmases

Others:

PRIOR SKILLS

Previous concepts include knowledge of propulsion systems for aircraft and spacecraft, given in any bachelor's degree in aerospace engineering and reviewed in previous subjects of this Master's degree, as well as familiarity with the use of computing tools for engineering.

DEGREE COMPETENCES TO WHICH THE SUBJECT CONTRIBUTES

Specific:

CEEPROP1. MUEA/MASE: Sufficient applied knowledge of aspects of measurement, calculation and numerical resolution in experimental and computational aerodynamics (specific competency for the specialisation in Propulsion).

CEEPROP2. MUEA/MASE: Advanced applied knowledge of the design, manufacture and maintenance of propulsion systems (specific competency for the specialisation in Propulsion).

TEACHING METHODOLOGY

Classroom lectures combined with assignments to be solved during the class with the help of the professor

LEARNING OBJECTIVES OF THE SUBJECT

- Understand the current state of jet engine technologies, their limits and their future trends.
- Understand how jet engines can be modelled and optimized for different applications.
- Acquire a hands-on experience with test-benches of small-scale jet engines and their instrumentation.

STUDY LOAD

| Type | Hours | Percentage |
|-------------------|-------|------------|
| Hours large group | 30,0 | 24.00 |
| Hours small group | 15,0 | 12.00 |
| Self study | 80,0 | 64.00 |



Total learning time: 125 h

CONTENTS

Module 1: Introduction. Current jet engine technology, limits and future trends

Description:

Review of previous concepts
Supersonic propulsion
SCRAMJET
Turborockets

Full-or-part-time: 40h

Theory classes: 10h
Practical classes: 5h
Self study : 25h

Module 2: Numerical models of jet engines and multiheuristic optimization

Description:

System engineering numerical models of jet engines
Multiheuristic optimization
Hands-on work

Full-or-part-time: 40h

Theory classes: 10h
Practical classes: 5h
Self study : 25h

Module 3: Testing of jet engines

Description:

Instrumentation
Data logging
Hands-on work

Full-or-part-time: 45h

Theory classes: 10h
Practical classes: 5h
Self study : 30h



GRADING SYSTEM

Assignments 30%

Project 40%

Exam 30%

Students with a grade below 5.0 in the assignments and / or the project, will be able to do an additional exam in order to compensate for the poor results. The new grade will replace the original only if it is higher. The maximum grade that can be obtained with this additional exam is 5.0.

For those students who meet the requirements and submit to the reevaluation examination, the grade of the reevaluation exam will replace the grades of all the on-site written evaluation acts (tests, midterm and final exams) and the grades obtained during the course for lab practices, works, projects and presentations will be kept.

If the final grade after reevaluation is lower than 5.0, it will replace the initial one only if it is higher. If the final grade after reevaluation is greater or equal to 5.0, the final grade of the subject will be pass 5.0.

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