

<b>Course Number</b>	<b>ME 439</b>		
<b>Course Title</b>	<b>Principles of Tribology</b>		
<b>Course Structure</b>	<b>(3-0-3)</b> (lecture hr/wk - lab hr/wk – course credits)		
<b>Course Coordinator</b>	Dr A. Harnoy		
<b>Course Description</b>	An introduction to the principles of wear resistance of machine parts and tribology, Physical understanding of different mechanisms of wear and friction and methods of increasing durability.		
<b>Prerequisite(s)</b>	Chem 126 – General Chemistry II Mech 237 – Strength of Materials		
<b>Corequisite(s)</b>	None		
<b>Required, elective or selected elective</b>	Elective		
<b>Required Materials</b>	Harnoy, A. “Bearing Design in Machinery, Engineering Tribology and lubrication”, publisher, Marcel Dekker Inc., 2003		
<b>Other supplemental materials (not Required)</b>	Szeri, A. Z. , 1980, "Tribology; Friction, Lubrication and wear" , <i>Hemisphere co.</i>		
<b>Computer Usage</b>	Computer Computations Computer graphics		
<b>Course Learning Outcomes/ expected performance criteria:</b>	Course Learning Outcomes	SOs*	Expected Performance Criteria
	1 <b>define</b> the required properties of materials for bearings, and <b>design</b> a sliding bearing with compatible materials based on the mechanism of wear	a, c, k	<b>Exam Question</b> (80% of the students will earn a grade of 75% or better on this question)
	2. <b>analyze</b> the operation of hydrodynamic bearing to find the maximum load	a, c, k	<b>Homework Problem</b> (80% of the students will earn a grade of 75% or better on this problem)
	3. <b>draw</b> sketches for explaining the design of hydrodynamic and rolling element bearings in machines	a, c, k	<b>Exam Question</b> (80% of the students will earn a grade of 75% or better on this question)

	4. <b>apply</b> the theory of elasticity to estimate the stresses in a point and line contact of rolling bearing	a, c, k	<b>Homework Problem</b> (80% of the students will earn a grade of 75% or better on this problem)								
	5. <b>design</b> a rotating component in a machine, such as a gearbox, using appropriate bearings and materials	a, c, k	<b>Final Exam Question</b> (80% of the students will earn a grade of 75% or better on this question)								
	6. <b>analyze</b> hydrostatic bearing using fluid mechanics, and mathematics for integration of pressure for the load capacity	a, c, k	<b>Final Exam Question</b> (80% of the students will earn a grade of 75% or better on this question)								
	7. <b>explain</b> the operation, and use of materials, in artificial joints, such hip joint and knee joint	a, c	<b>Final Exam Question</b> (80% of the students will earn a grade of 75% or better on this question)								
<b>Class Topics</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Introduction to Tribology (surface, adhesion)</li> <li>2. Classification and selection of bearings</li> <li>3. Lubricants Characteristics and lubrication</li> <li>4. Hydrodynamic Lubrication</li> <li>5. Infinitely long and short bearing</li> <li>6. Friction Measurement laboratory (journal Bearing) Presentation of friction curves</li> <li>7. Friction Measurement laboratory (linear motion) Report on friction curves</li> <li>8. Bearing Material (Metals)</li> <li>9. The theory of Elastohydrodynamic (EHD) lubrications in Rolling Element Bearings</li> <li>10. Artificial Joints, Hip Joint and Knee joint</li> <li>11. Design project of bearing design (e.g. gearbox project)</li> <li>12. Design presentation of bearing design before class.</li> </ol>										
<b>Student Outcomes (Scale: 1-3)</b>	a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k
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	3 – Strongly supported			2 – Supported			1 – Minimally supported				

\* Student Outcomes