

**Course Syllabus**

MECH-M-1-EDY-NLE-VO

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**Lecture Syllabus**

<b>Module Code</b>	<b>Semester</b>	<b>ECTS</b>	<b>SWS</b>	<b>Lecture</b>	<b>Tutorial</b>	<b>Lab</b>		
MECH-M-1-EDY-NLE-VO	1	3	2	2	0	0		
<b>Course Name</b>	Non Linear Electronics							
<b>Lecturer</b>	D. T. McGuiness, Ph.D (Daniel.McGuiness@mci.edu) (4A-434c)							
<b>Study Programme</b>	Mechatronik Smart Technologies							
<b>Official Name</b>	Nichtlineare Elektronik			<b>Lingo</b>	English			
<b>Lecture Prerequisites</b>	<p>The student should have a preliminary knowledge on passive circuit elements (R, L, and C) and should be comfortable applying circuit analysis techniques</p> <p>After completion, the student will have a good foundation on advanced circuit analysis, non-linear component knowledge and a good understanding on integrated circuits and amplifier design.</p>							
<b>Course Objectives</b>	The goal of this lecture is to give you a deeper understanding of electronic components used in everyday-life from the point-of-view of engineers.							
<b>Primary Course Content</b>	Lecture Homepage on GitHub   WebBook							
<b>Secondary Course Content(s)</b>	<i>Linear And Nonlinear Circuits</i> by L. Chua , <i>Introduction to Electric Circuits (9th Edition)</i> by J. A. Svoboda, R. C. Dorf , <i>Microelectronic Circuits (7th Edition)</i> by K. Smith , <i>Electrical and Electronic Technology (10th Edition)</i> by E. Hughes , <i>Electronic Amplifier Circuits: Theory and Design</i> by J. M. Pettit, et. al ,							
<b>Homework(s) and Project(s)</b>	Personal Assignment (40) Final Exam (60)							
	<b>Assignment Type</b>		<b>Effect</b>	<b>Count</b>				
<b>Assessment Criteria</b>	Personal Assignment		40	1				
	Final Exam		60	1				

## Lecture Structure

<b>Order</b>	<b>Topic</b>	<b>Units</b>	<b>Self Study</b>
1	Signals and Amplifiers  <i>Introduction · Signals · Amplifiers · Circuit Models for Amplifiers · Frequency Response of Amplifiers</i>	4	8
2	Semiconductors  <i>Introduction · The Ideal Op Amp · The Inverting Configuration · The Non-Inverting Configuration · Difference Amplifiers · Integrators and Differentiators · DC Imperfections · Effect of Finite Open-Loop Gain and Bandwidth on Circuit Performance · Large Signal Operation of Op Amps</i>	4	8
3	Operational Amplifiers  <i>Introduction · Intrinsic Semiconductors · Doped Semiconductors · Current Flow in Semiconductors · The PN Junction · PN Junction with Applied Voltage · Capacitive Effects in PN Junction</i>	4	8
4	Diodes  <i>Introduction · The Ideal Diode · Terminal Characteristics of Junction Diodes · Modelling the Diode Forward Characteristic · Zener Diodes · Rectifier Circuits · Limiting and Clamping Circuits · Special Diode Types</i>	4	8
5	MOS Field Effect Transistors  <i>Introduction · Physical Implementation · Current-Voltage Characteristics · Under DC Operation · Body Effect and Other Topics</i>	4	8
6	Bipolar Junction Transistors  <i>Physical Implementation · Current-Voltage Characteristics · Under DC Operation · Breakdown and Temperature Effects</i>	4	8
7	Transistor Amplifiers  <i>Fundamentals · Small-Signal Operation and Models · Basic Configurations · Biasing · Discrete-Circuit Amplifiers</i>	4	8
8	<b>Sum</b>	28	56
	<i>Final Exam</i>		

- Any major announcements will be made on SAKAI regarding any possible date/content/structural changes for the assignment(s), exam(s).
- Any lecture material will be posted at the lectures corresponding GitHub home-page. The link will be present on the lectures SAKAI homepage.
- If there are any questions regarding course content/exams/assignments please do not refrain from contacting me (Daniel.McGuiness@mci.edu).