



# Intelligent Machining

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Machine Controls

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16 assignments



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## There are 4 modules in this course

Manufacturers are increasingly utilizing machine tools that are self-aware – they perceive their own states and the state of the surrounding environment – and are able to make decisions related to machine activity processes. This is called intelligent machining, and through this course students will receive a primer on its background, tools and related terminology.

Learn how the integration of smart sensors and controls are helping to improve productivity. You'll be exposed to various sensors and sensing techniques, process control strategies, and open architecture systems that can be leveraged to enable intelligent machining. This course will prepare you to contribute to the implementation of intelligent machining projects.

Main concepts of this course will be delivered through lectures, readings, discussions and various videos.

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### Introduction to Intelligent Machining

[Module details](#) ^

Module 1 • 3 hours to complete

The purpose of this module is to introduce the concepts related to intelligent machining paradigm. The key focus will be discussing two key components of intelligent machining, i.e., sensing and control.

#### What's included

4 videos 4 readings 4 assignments

Hide info about module content ^

4 videos • Total 17 minutes

Introduction to Intelligent Machining

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3 minutes

Machining Basics

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4 minutes

The Evolution of Intelligent Machining

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6 minutes

#### Components of Intelligent Machining

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3 minutes

 4 readings • Total 75 minutes

#### Resources: Why Intelligent Machining

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30 minutes

#### Acknowledgements

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10 minutes

#### Resources: What Constitutes an Intelligent Machine?


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15 minutes

#### Resources: Components of Intelligent Machining

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20 minutes

 4 assignments • Total 100 minutes

#### Introduction to Intelligent Machining

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30 minutes

#### Self-check

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10 minutes

#### Self-check

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30 minutes

#### Self-check

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30 minutes

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## Sensors and Sensing Techniques

[Module details](#) ^

Module 2 • 2 hours to complete

The purpose of this module is to introduce spectrum of sensors used to implement intelligent machining. The module will also discuss the basics of signal processing and analysis techniques that has brought intelligent machining paradigm closer to industrial realization. Following issues pertaining to sensors and sensing techniques will be elaborated up: (1) Which sensors are to be used in each application? (2) How to acquire and process sensor signals?

#### What's included

 4 videos    3 readings    5 assignments    1 discussion prompt

Hide info about module content ^

 4 videos • Total 15 minutes

#### Sensors

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4 minutes

#### Signal Processing

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2 minutes

#### Transforming Data into Information

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4 minutes

#### Practical Uses of Machine Learning

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2 minutes

 3 readings • Total 50 minutes

Resources: Types of Sensors

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15 minutes

Resources: Signal Processing


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15 minutes

Resources: Machine Learning: Setting the Context

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20 minutes

 **5 assignments** • **Total 54 minutes**

Sensors and Sensing Techniques

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30 minutes

Self-check

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6 minutes

Self-check

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Self-check


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6 minutes

Self-check

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6 minutes

 **1 discussion prompt** • **Total 15 minutes**

Let's talk robotics!

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15 minutes

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## Process Control Strategies

[Module details](#) ^

Module 3 • 2 hours to complete

The purpose of this module is to introduce the concept of Programmable Logic Controllers (PLCs) that co-ordinate the real-time control functions.

**What's included**

 4 videos    4 readings    5 assignments

Hide info about module content ^

 **4 videos** • **Total 17 minutes**

Programmable Logic Controllers (PLC)

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4 minutes

Closed Loop Process Control Systems

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4 minutes

Introduction to Adaptive Control

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5 minutes

Commercially Available Software

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3 minutes

 **4 readings** • **Total 55 minutes**

Resources: Introduction to Machining Process Control

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20 minutes

Resources: Adaptive Control with Optimization


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- 10 minutes

Resources: Machining Force Control

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- 10 minutes

Resources: Manufacturing Process Control: Commonly Used Software

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- 15 minutes

 **5 assignments • Total 106 minutes**

Process Control Strategies

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- 30 minutes

Self-check

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- 6 minutes

Self-check

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- 30 minutes

Self-check

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- 30 minutes

Self-check

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- 10 minutes

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## Future Directions in Advanced Machining

[Module details](#) ^


Module 4 • 2 hours to complete

The purpose of this module is to introduce the background related to open architecture software systems to implement intelligent machining.

### What's included

 3 videos    5 readings    2 assignments    1 discussion prompt

Hide info about module content ^

 **3 videos • Total 10 minutes**

Intelligent Machining and the Future

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- 3 minutes

Tech Talk on Metrology

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- 5 minutes

Your 4.0 Roadmap to Success

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- 1 minute

 **5 readings • Total 80 minutes**

Resources: Future Directions in Advanced Machining

- 
- 15 minutes

Your 4.0 Roadmap to Success -- Resources

- 
- 10 minutes

Your Roadmap Project: Step 5


- 
- 30 minutes

Intelligent Machining- Key Takeaways

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- 15 minutes

Intelligent Machining- Course References

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10 minutes

 **2 assignments** • **Total 50 minutes**

Future Directions

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30 minutes

Self-check

•  
20 minutes

 **1 discussion prompt** • **Total 10 minutes**

Your 4.0 Roadmap to Success in Digital Manufacturing and Design Technology

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10 minutes



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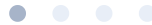
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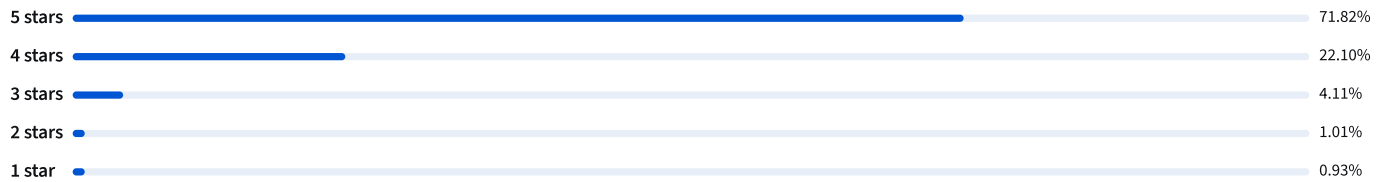


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KM

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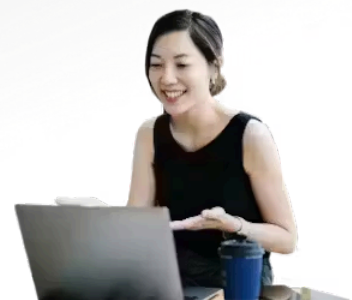




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