# **Course Outcomes Guide (COG)**

Course Title: EGT 234 Machine Design Date: May 20, 2019

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## **Expected Learning Outcomes**

EGT-234 Machine Design is the last course in a sequence of courses that include EGT-136 Mechanics and EGT-231 Strength of Materials. EGT-234 is the capstone course in the Mechanical Engineering Technology Program. It is expected that 80% of the students enrolled in this course will complete the MET program and be employed in a related field or continue their education. The learning outcomes are as follows:

- 1. Teach students how to apply the concepts of stress analysis, theories of failure and material science to analyze, design and/or select commonly used machine components.
- 2. Utilize techniques, skills and modern engineering tools, such as CAD/CAE software, necessary for modern engineering practice.
- 3. Teach students how to apply mechanical engineering design theory to identify and quantify machine elements in the design of commonly used mechanical systems.
- 4. Teach students how to effectively communicate (in written and oral form) proper engineering practices as it relates to machine design projects.

#### Assessment

The assessment of the course will be administered to all sections of EGT 234 by the below methods:

- 1. Examinations
- 2. Homework Assignments
- 3. Student assigned Chapter-Section Presentations

## Validation

The following criteria will be used to validate EGT 234:

- 1. The ability to apply knowledge of mathematics, science, and engineering.
- 2. The ability to design and conduct experiments, as well as to analyze and interpret data.
- 3. The ability to identify, formulate, and solve engineering problems.
- 4. The ability to communicate effectively.
- 5. The ability to use the techniques, skills, and modern engineering tools necessary for engineering practice.

## **Results** Data may be seen in table below:

	FALL 2017	SPRING 2018	FALL 2018	SPRING 19
# of Active	3	N/A	2	5
Students				
# unofficially	N/A		N/A	N/A

walked away from			
class			
% of success	83.3%	70%	95%
Final Exam Score	90.1%	75%	90%
(Average)			
Mean Course	2.31	2.15	2.30
Grade			
Areas of difficulty	Using Bending	Failure Modes	Electrical
in course content	Moment to solve		Wiring
	design problems		

**Follow-up** (How have you used or how will you use the data to improve student learning?) Students had a difficult time following schematics for electrical applications. As a remedy, an aggressive approach in showing how to read electrical schematics.

**Budget Justification** (What resources are necessary to improve student learning?) None at the moment