

## 7700002

## **FLUID POWER I**

### **COURSE INFORMATION**

Credits: 2

## PREREQUISITES AND/OR COREQUISITES

None

### **COURSE DESCRIPTION**

This is a course of study in the basic fluid power principles and components of fluid power systems.

### **COURSE GOALS**

This course will:

- 1. Identify basic fluid power operating principle and understand terminology used.
- 2. Identify basic fluid power symbols and learn how to read fluid power blue prints.
- 3. Provide hands-on experiences working with fluid power components and their operation.

## STUDENT LEARNING OUTCOMES

- I. Introduction to Fluid Power
  - A. Identify what fluid power is
  - B. Select hydraulic pneumatic vacuum systems
- II. Laws of Pressure Force and Area
  - A. List basic laws which apply to fluid power
  - B. Identify fluid power laws and principles
- III. Principles of Fluid Flow
  - A. Identify how fluid flow affects systems
- IV. Pumps and Compressors
  - A. Name pump operations
  - B. Recognize pump types
  - C. List compressor types
- V. Conditioning and Storage of Fluids
  - A. List the importance of fluid conditioning
  - B. Recall the different conditioning methods
  - C. Identify different storage types
- VI. Actuators
  - A. Recall different actuator terminology
  - B. Identify actuator performance
  - C. Explain actuator symbols

- VII. Pressure Controls
  - A. Recall basic principles of pressure control operation
  - B. Identify pressure control functions
  - C. Explain pressure control symbols
- VIII. Directional Controls
  - A. Recall directional control functions
  - B. Perform directional control operations
- IX. Flow Control
  - A. Perform flow control functions
  - B. Recall different flow control types

### **COURSE MATERIALS**

Fluid Power Systems second edition, Patrick J. Klette, American Technical Publisher ISBN#978-0-8269-3634-9 and, How to Interpret Fluid Power Symbols, Rory S. McLaren, Fluid Power Training Institute, ISBN#0-9639619-2-6

### **GRADING CRITERIA**

Students can expect to be graded on Written Assignments, Quizzes, Tests, Lab Activities, and Attendance. There is currently no scheduled time available to makeup classes or labs that are missed.

## PARTICIPATION/ATTENDANCE POLICY

Students can expect that attendance/participation will be a part of their final grade, and determined by the instructor at his/her discretion. Students are encouraged to attend every class as regular attendance as it contributes to successful course completion and will impact the final grade.

#### **COURSE EXPECTATIONS**

For successful completion of this course, students are expected to Read Course Material, Complete all Assignments, Take Notes, Study and Participate in classroom discussions.

### **ACADEMIC INTEGRITY AND CONDUCT POLICY**

The integrity of a class and program rests on the principle that the grades awarded to students must reflect only their own individual efforts and achievement. Students are required to perform the work specified by the instructor and are responsible for the content of work submitted, such as papers, reports, examinations, and other work. Violations of academic integrity include various types of plagiarism and cheating.

#### **Plagiarism**

Plagiarism includes, but is not limited to:

- Using exact words from a source without appropriate crediting
- Cutting and pasting electronically from any source without appropriate crediting
- Using wording and/or sentence structure too close to the original in paraphrasing

- Using visual images in whole or in part created by someone else without appropriate crediting
- Buying a paper and presenting any part of it as your own
- Borrowing any part of a paper and presenting it as your own without appropriate crediting
- Falsifying or inventing any information or citation in an academic exercise

### Cheating

Cheating includes, but is not limited to:

- Obtaining or giving assistance in any academic work such as on quizzes, tests, homework, etc., without instructor's consent
- Taking a test or course or turning in work for someone else
- Allowing someone to take a test or course or turn in work in your name
- Using crib notes or electronic devices to get unauthorized assistance on tests or other in-class work
- Using work from another class or previous semester without instructor consent

### **CLASS CANCELLATION POLICY**

Class meetings can occasionally be called off due to bad weather, check the local news and radio for information or call 319-296-4444 for the current status of college closings, class cancelations, delay start, or early dismissal information.

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