

Sample Brief Course Description	
Course title	Design of Mechanisms and Mechanical Components
Course code	BME 412
College	Engineering
Department / Program	Biomedical Engineering
Year/ Level	4/12 th
Course Type	A. University College Department Others Required Elective
Credited Hours	3
Contact Hours	(LT: 2, LB: 2, TR: 0)
Pre-requisites (if any)	
Co-requisites (if any)	
Course description	This course is intended to cover fundamental concepts on kinematics and dynamic analysis of linkages as a mechanical systems and design mechanical components. The course topics will include basic mechanisms. Mechanical joints of mechanisms. Design of such mechanical elements. Types of mechanical components. Different mechanical components load, stresses and deflections. Mechanical components failure conditions. Basics of finite element analysis.





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	• Understand some of the basic mechanisms, such as four-bar and slider crank linkages.
	Demonstrate a clear understanding of the physical meaning of
	degree of freedom; gain the ability to identify mechanical joints of
	mechanisms; and to visualize their mobility.
Course Main Objectives	Identify the elements of the mechanical design.
	Describe the different types of mechanical components and their use.
	Calculate loads, stresses, deflections, and failure conditions of different mechanical components.
	Predict the mechanical behavior of mechanical components.
	Be able to design mechanical components.
	Knowledge and Understanding:
	1. Identify the mechanical system that satisfies the given engineering
	requirements.
	Skills:
	1. Evaluate the performance of mechanical systems (mechanisms
	and components).
	2. Design mechanical mechanisms and machine elements for both
Learning Outcomes	motion and strength requirements.
	3. Analyze the mechanical system design to predict the possible failure conditions.
	4. Explain the potential of designed mechanical systems on
	environment and society.
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	Values:
	1. Communicate design work through written report.