Level: Undergraduate

Department of Industrial Electronics

SYLLABUS

1. Course name: Sensor Technology

2. Course code: SETE321963

3. Credits: 3 (3/0/6)

Duration: 15 weeks (45h main course and 90h self-study)

4. Instructors:

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5. Course conditions

Prerequisites: Signals and Systems

Corequisites: N/A

6. Course description

The use of many types of sensors rapidly increases in the modern technology. Currently a lot of applications related to sensors found in many different fields such as environmental technology, fabrication techniques, industrial automation and biomedical technology. Course content focuses on the theoretical basis, working principles and application of the sensors. This course also refers to the technique of measurement, sensor signal processing and sensor measurement systems.

7. Course Goals

Goals	Goal description (This course provides students:)	
G1	Expertise in the field of sensor and measurement techniques using sensors	01 (H)
G2	An ability to collect and process signals from the sensors.	02 (H)
G3	An ability to analyze, design and operate the sensor measurement systems.	11 (M)

^{*} Note: High: H; Medium: M; Low: L

8. Course Learning Outcomes (CLOs)

CLOs		Description (After completing this course, students can have:)	Outcome
	G1.1	Presented the structure and principles of the sensors.	01
	G1.2	Presented by the principle of measuring the position, pressure, fluid flow, pressure and acceleration	01
	G1.3	Presented by measurement of the sensor signal.	01
	G2.1	Analyze operational principles of some type of sensor	02
	G2.1	Analyze operational principle of the measurement circuit and sensor applications	02

G3	G3.1	Design of signal measurement and application circuits of sensors	11
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9. Study materials

- Textbooks:

[1] Nguyen Truong Duy, Bai giang Công nghệ Cảm biến, ĐH SPKT Tp.HCM 2017.

- References:

[2] Le Chi Kien, Giao trinh Do luong cam bien, NXB ĐHQG Tp.HCM 2013

10. Student Assessments

- Grading points: 10

- Planning for students assessment is followed:

Type	Contents	Linetime	Assessment techniques	CLOs	Rates (%)
	Midterms				50
Exam01	Classification sensor. Inductive sensor principles. Acceleration measurement principles. The principle of ultrasonic sensors.	Weeks 2, 4, 8 and 12	Quizes	G1.1 G1.2	10
Exam02	The basic concepts and principles of sensor fabrication.	week 6	Individual paper assessment in class	G1.1 G2.1	20
Exam03	Photoelectric sensors and temperature sensors	week 10	Individual paper assessment in class	G1.3 G2.1	20
Final exam					50
Final Exam	- The exam covers all contents related to the expected learning outcomes of the course.		Individual paper assessment in class	G1.3 G2.2 G3.1	50

11. Course details:

Weeks	Contents	CLOs
	Chapter 1: < THE BASIC CONCEPT OF SENSORS> (3/0/6)	
	A/Contents and teaching methods: (3)	
	Contents:	
	1.1 Mechanical sensors	
	1.2 Optical sensors	
	1.3 Using semiconductor sensors	G1.1
	1.4 Electrochemical sensors	
	1.5 Biosensors	
	1.6 Characteristics of the sensor	
	1.7 Sensor applications	
	Teaching methods:	

+ Traditional lectures	
+ Slideshow	
B/Self-study contents: (6)	G1.1
+ Look at the name and classification sensor.	G1.1
Chapter 2: < PRINCIPLE OF SENSOR FABRICATION AND MEASUREMENT CIRCUITS > (3/0/6)	
A/Contents and teaching methods: (3)	
Contents:	
2.1 General Principles manufacture sensors	G1.3
2.2 Measuring Circuits	G1.3 G2.2
2.3 Measuring instruments and techniques	G2.2
Teaching methods:	
+ Theoretical lectures	
+ Slideshow	
B/ Self-study contents: (6)	
+ Analysis of the operating principles of the measuring circuits	G2.2
Chapter 3: < OPTICAL SENSORS > (3/0/6)	
A/Contents and teaching methods:(3)	
Contents:	
3.1 Luminescent sources	G1.1
3.2 Photoresistors, photoelectric cells	G1.1 G2.1
3.3 Classification of optical sensors	
Teaching methods:	G3.3
+ Theoretical lectures	
+ Questions	
+ Slideshow	
B/Self-study contents: (6)	
+ Look up the kinds of optical sensors.	G2.1
+ Circuit design for optical sensor applications	G3.1
Chapter 4: < TEMPERATURE SENSORS > (6/0/12)	
A/Contents and teaching methods: (3)	
Contents:	
4.1 Basic concepts	
4.2 Temperature scale, standard temperature points	C1 2
4.3 Thermistor sensors	G1.3
4.4 Thermocouple Sensors	G2.1
Teaching methods:	G3.1
+ Theoretical lectures	
+ Questions	
+ Slideshow	
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B/Self- study contents: (6)	
+ Look up the type of temperature sensors	G2.
+ Circuit design for temperature sensor applications	
Chapter 4: < TEMPERATURE SENSORS (cont.) > (6/0/12)	
A/Contents and teaching methods: (3)	
Contents:	
4.5 The pyrometer, radiation thermometer	
4.6 The pressure thermometer liquid and gaseous	G1.3
4.7 Temperature sensor applications	G1
Teaching methods:	02.
+ Theoretical lectures	
+ Questions	
+ Slideshow	
B/Self- study contents: (6)	G3.
+ Circuit design applications for certain types of temperature sensors	<u> </u>
< EXERCISES AND TESTS > (3/0/6)	
A/Contents and teaching methods: (3)	
Contents:	
1. Guided exercises	G1.
2. Tests 1	G1.3
Teaching methods:	G2.
+ Questions and answers	
+ Guide to do exercises	
B/Self- study contents: (6)	G1
+ Reinforce the knowledge learned	G2.
Chapter 5: < POSITION MEASUREMENT SENSORS > (6/0/12)	
A/Contents and teaching methods: (3)	
Contents:	
5.1 Principle of position measurement	
5.2 Inductive sensors	G2.
5.3 Capacitive sensors	G2.2
5.4 Difference between the capacitive and inductive sensors.	G3.
5.5 Capacitive and inductive sensors applications	
Teaching methods: + Theoretical lectures	
+ Questions + Slideshow	
B/Self-study contents: (6)	G1.
+ Look up the types of position measurement sensors	1

A/Contents and teaching methods: (3)	
Contents:	
5.6 Mutual sensors	
5.7 Hall sensors	G2.1
5.8 Displacement measurement method using elastic waves	G2.2
Teaching methods:	G3.1
+ Theoretical lectures	
+ Question	
+ Slideshow	
B/Self- study contents: (6)	G2.2
+ Analysis of position measurement applications circuits	G2.2
Chapter 6: < STRAIN GAUGE SENSORS > (3/0/6)	
A/Contents and teaching methods: (3)	
Contents:	
6.1 Transfiguration and measurement methods	
6.2 Resistive metal probe	G1.3
6.3 Piezoresistive silicon sensors	G2.2
Teaching methods:	G3.1
+ Theoretical lectures	
+ Questions	
+ Slideshow	
B/Self- study contents: (6)	C1 1
+ Look up the type of sensor used to measure the deformation	G1.1
+ Design of application circuits	G3.1
< EXERCISES AND TESTS > (3/0/6)	
A/Contents and teaching methods: (3)	
Contents:	
1. Guided exercises	G1.3
2. Tests 2	G2.2
Teaching methods:	G3.1
+ Questions and answers	
+ Guide to do exercises	
B/ Self- study contents: (6)	G1.3
	G1.3 G2.2
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B/Self- study contents: (6) + Reinforce the knowledge learned. Chapter 7: < PRESSURE MEASUREMENT SENSORS > (3/0/6) A/Contents and teaching methods: (3) Contents:	G2.2 G1.2 G2.1
B/Self- study contents: (6) + Reinforce the knowledge learned. Chapter 7: < PRESSURE MEASUREMENT SENSORS > (3/0/6) A/ Contents and teaching methods: (3) Contents: 7.1 Pressure and pressure measurement principles	G2.2 G1.2

7.5 Pressure sensor based on deformation measurements	
7.6 Characteristics of pressure sensors	
7.7 Pressure measurment sensor applications	
Teaching methods:	
+ Theoretical lectures	
+ Questions	
+ Slideshow	
B/ Self- study contents: (6)	
+ Look up the type of sensor used to measure the pressure	G1.1
+ Design of application circuits	G3.1
Chapter 8: < FLUID FLOW MEASUREMENT SENSORS > (3/0/6)	
A/Contents and teaching methods: (3)	
Contents:	
8.1 Flow measurement methods.	
8.2 The types of sensors used to measure fluid flows	
8.3 Level sensors	G1.2
8.4 Differential manometer is based on the principle of hydrostatic	G1.2 G2.2
equilibrium.	G2.2 G3.1
8.5 Flow measurement by pressure difference.	U3.1
Teaching methods:	
+ Theoretical lectures	
+ Questions	
+ Slideshow	
B/Self- study contents: (6)	G1.2
+ Analysis of the principle of fluid flow measurement circuits	G2.2
<i>Chapter 9:</i> < VELOCITY, ACCELERATION, AND VIBRATION SENSOR > (3/0/6)	
A/Contents and teaching methods: (3)	
Contents:	
9.1 Overview of MEMS	
9.2 Technology MEMS fabrication products	C1 2
9.3 Applications	G1.3
Teaching methods:	G2.1
+ Theoretical lectures	
+ Questions	
+ Slideshow	
B/Self- study contents: (6)	
+ Presentation principles measure the velocity, acceleration and vibration.	G1.3 G3.1
+ Design of MEMS application circuits	
Chapter 10: < PROXIMITY SENSORS > (3/0/6)	

A/Contents and teaching methods: (3)	
Contents:	
10.1 Introduction	
10.2 Inductive proximity sensors	
10.3 Capacitive Proximity Sensors	G1.3
10.4 Optical Proximity Sensors	G1.3 G2.1
10.5 Ultrasonic Proximity Sensors	G2.1
Teaching methods:	
+ Theoretical lectures	
+ Question	
+ Slideshow	
B/Self- study contents: (6)	
+ Look up the types of proximity sensors	G1.1 G3.1
+ Design of the application circuits	G3.1
< REVIEW > (3/0/6)	
A/Contents and teaching methods: (3)	
Contents:	G1.1
+ Review all content	G2.1
Teaching methods:	G2.2
+ Theoretical lectures	G3.1
+ Question	
B/Self- study contents: (6)	
+ Analyzing the operation of all types of sensors	G2.1
+ Presenting principles of measurement circuits and sensor applications	G2.2

11 Learning ethics:

- Home assignments and projects must be done by the students themselves. Plagiarism found in the assessments will get zero point

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13 Approval level:

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14 Syllabus updated process

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