

**King Saud University**  
**Department of Mechanical Engineering**

**ME 372 Thermodynamics II**

Summary of ABET course information for BSME degree

**Course Description**

**ME 372 Thermodynamics II**

Availability; Thermodynamic relations; Ideal and real gas mixtures; Gas vapor mixtures; Thermodynamics of reciprocating gas compressors; Combustion; Ideal Power cycles, Introduction to internal combustion engine.

**Number of Credits**

3(3, 1, 1)

**Prerequisites by Course**

ME 371 (Thermodynamics I)

**Prerequisites by Topic**

1. Properties of pure substances.
2. First and second law of Thermodynamics.
3. Thermodynamic processes and cycles

**Textbook**

1. Thermodynamics an Engineering Approach, Cengel & Boles, McGraw Hill, Latest edition.

**Reference Books**

1. Applied Thermodynamics for Engineering Technologists, T. D. Eastop and A. McConkey, Longman Scientific & Technical, Ch. 12.
2. Internal Combustion Engine Fundamentals, John B. Heywood, McGraw Hill. Ch1, 2 and 5.

**Course Topics**

1. Second law analysis (availability or exergy) for open and closed systems. -----(3 weeks, 9 classes)
2. Reciprocating air compressor, single and multi-stage with intercooling. -----(2 weeks, 6 classes)
3. Generalized thermodynamic relations for internal energy; enthalpy; entropy; Joule Thomson; and specific heats. -----(2 weeks, 6 classes)
4. Basic laws of ideal and real gas mixtures; properties of gas-vapor mixtures. -----(2 weeks, 6 classes)

5. Combustion stoichiometric,  
first law application to a reacting system. -----(3 weeks, 9 classes)
6. Ideal gas power cycles. -----(1 week, 3 classes)
7. Introduction to internal combustion engines. -----(2 weeks, 6 classes)

### Course Objectives

(Entries in brackets are links to program educational objectives.)

1. Provide an introduction to second law analysis involving availability (exergy), lost work and second law efficiency. [A]
2. Students will demonstrate an understanding of the construction of thermodynamic property tables and the capability to determine changes in enthalpy, entropy and internal energy using a suitable equation of state. [A]
3. Students will demonstrate the ability to perform analysis of thermodynamic system and to perform appropriate calculations where ideal /real gas mixtures are the working fluid. [A]
4. Students will demonstrate the ability to apply the first and second laws to combustion processes. [A]
5. Applying the first and second laws to the reciprocating gas compressors with intercooling. [A]
6. Students will demonstrate the ability to differentiate between the real and ideal internal combustion engines and do the thermal analysis for the ideal gas model cycles. [A]
7. Students will do experiments in the lab related to the subject studied. [A], [B], [C].

### Course Outcomes

(Entries in brackets are links to program educational objectives.)

*The students will be able to:*

- 1) Calculate the useful work potential (exergy) for a pure substance for a specified state. [e]
- 2) Calculate the exergy destruction and the entropy generation for any process. [e].
- 3) Calculate the second law efficiency of steady flow devices, such as a turbine, compressor, etc. [e]
- 4) Calculate the changes in internal energy, enthalpy, entropy, Joule-Thomson coefficient for any substance using a suitable equation of state. [e]
- 5) Use the Generalized thermodynamic property charts for real gases. [e]
- 6) Determine the behavior of ideal/ real gas mixtures using Dalton's law and Amagat's law. [e]
- 7) Determine heat, work, entropy change, or exergy destruction associated with a process undertaken by a mixture of ideal/ real gases. [e, k]
- 8) Apply the first law to calculate heat released during a steady flow combustion process for a known quantity of fuel and oxidizer at specified temperature and pressure of reactants and products. [e, k]
- 9) Calculate the adiabatic flame temperature for a known quantity of fuel and oxidizer. [e, k].

- 10) Apply the energy equation to calculate the power required for the reciprocating compressor with or without intercooling. [e]
- 11) Determine the heat lost through the intercooler and comprehend the definition of complete intercooling. [e]
- 12) Calculate the power required for the compressor for one stage or for various stages. [e]
- 13) Apply knowledge of subject covered in class to differentiate between two and four stroke engines, classification of engines, etc.. [e]
- 14) Calculate the performance and power developed by the ICE using the ideal gas models of engine cycles. [e].
- 15) Apply knowledge of subjects covered in class to understand class tours. [e, g, k]
- 16) Write a lab report and solve a design problem. [e, g, k]

*Individually each student will be able to:*

1. Work in a team. [d]

### **Class/Laboratory Schedule**

Three 50-minute lecture sessions and two 50 minutes lab session per week.

### **Computer Applications**

The computer is used to calculate the thermodynamic properties of gas mixtures and to analyze combustion systems.

### **Laboratory Projects**

Student will submit lab report for the following experiments

1. Performance test for multi-stage reciprocating air compressor.
2. Measurement of heating value of a gaseous fuel.
3. Exhaust gas analysis
4. Performance of spark ignition engine.
5. Performance of compression ignition engine.

### **Contribution to Meeting the Professional Component**

Engineering Topics

### **Science/Design Contents**

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### **Assessment Tools:**

1. 10% Homework + quizzes
2. 10% Lab report + Oral lab test
- 3. 20% Midterm I,      04:00-05:30 PM    1/4/1429-    7/4/2008**
- 4. 20% Midterm II,    04:00-05:30 PM    14/5/1429- 19/5/2008**
5. 40% Final exam.
6. Course Evaluation by Students

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