

ASEN 3128 Aircraft Dynamics

Syllabus

Lecture: CHEM 140 T, R 12:30 – 1:45 pm
Lab: ITLL 1B10 M or W 11:00 – 12:50 pm

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Text

Required: *Dynamics of Flight: Stability and Control*, Bernard Etkin and Lloyd Reid, John Wiley and Sons. 3rd Ed., 1996

explain results using graphical and written descriptions based on the precise terminology and notation introduced in the course.

A secondary objective of the Assignments is the development of proficiency with numerical simulation, and to develop good programming habits. Simulation is becoming an indispensable tool in engineering, and proficiency is expected of professionals in this field.

Exams – These are the primary means of evaluation of your individual grasp of the course material. Three in-class written exams will be conducted at approximately five-week intervals. Exams will include both conceptual questions and quantitative problems. Precise use of terminology and notation is stressed. The final exam is comprehensive in that it will contain material from the entire course, but emphasis will be placed on the final third of the course material.

Logistics

1. Office hours for Instructors and TAs will be

among group members, this is dangerous because the learning is also split up, and this often results in poor performance on exams, and significant risk of repeating the course. Recommended practice is to work the assignments first on your own, then use the group interactions and instructor/TA help to answer questions and refine and deepen your understanding.

Grades for the course are set based on the following criteria:

- A, A- Demonstrates mastery of the course material in both conceptual and quantitative aspects.
- B+, B Demonstrates comprehensive understanding of the material, with a solid conceptual grasp of key concepts and strong quantitative work.
- B-, C+ Demonstrates good understanding of most key concepts, with few major quantitative errors.
- C Demonstrates adequate understanding of the material to proceed to the next level; sufficient quantitative work.
- C- Does not demonstrate adequate understanding of the material to proceed to the next

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General University Policies

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Religious Holidays

Campus policy regarding religious observances requires that faculty make every effort to deal reasonably and fairly with all students who, because of religious obligations, have conflicts with scheduled exams, assignments or required attendance. In this class, you must let the instructors know of any such conflicts within the first two weeks of the semester so that we can work with you to make reasonable arrangements. See [campus policy regarding religious observances](#) for full details.

Class Behavior

Students and faculty each have responsibility for maintaining an appropriate learning environment, not only while in class but also while working outside of class. Those who fail to adhere to such behavioral standards may be subject to discipline. Professional courtesy and sensitivity are especially important with respect to individuals and topics dealing with differences of race, color, culture, religion, creed, politics, veteran's status, sexual orientation, gender, gender identity and gender expression, age, disability, and nationalities. Class rosters are provided to the instructor with the student's legal name. We will gladly honor your request to address you by an alternate name or gender pronoun. Please advise us of this preference early in the semester so that we may make appropriate changes to our records. For more information, see the [policies on classroom behavior](#) and [the student code](#).

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