

Power Engineering: On-Line Fourth Class

PELM 4100 Applied Science

4 credits

Topics include elementary mechanics and dynamics, elementary physical, chemical, and thermodynamic principles, legislation, codes, and standards, plant and fire safety, plant operations and the environment, and material science and welding technology, and introductory fluid handling technology as identified in the Alberta Boilers Safety Association Reference Syllabus for 4th Class Part A Power Engineering.

Recommended Prerequisites: It is strongly recommended that students have Math 20/23 or Math 20 Applied, Physics 20 or Science 20 and English 20 (Grade 11).

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Office hours

Instructors are available outside of instructional hours upon request from student.

Required Resources: (Available at Keyano College Bookstore)

Power Engineering Fourth Class (Textbook), Part A PanGlobal, Edition 3.0, ISBN 978-1-77251-071-3

Academic Supplement, PanGlobal, Edition 2.0, ISBN 978-1-77251-073-7

<u>2007 ASME Boiler & Pressure Vessel Code, An International Guide</u>, Academic Abstract, American Society of Mechanical Engineering, 2007 Edition, ISBN 978-1-897461-24-2

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<u>Power Engineering Fourth Class</u>(Textbook), Preparatory Topics for Power Engineers, PanGlobal, ISBN 978-1-77251-074-4

Power Engineering Fourth Class (Workbook), Part A PanGlobal, Edition 3.0, ISBN 978-1-77251-075-1

Course Outcomes

Upon successful completion of this course, students will be able to:

- Apply basic physics principles to solve Power Engineering related calculations.
- Describe the principles of thermodynamics of steam and heat transfer.
- Describe and apply industrial codes and provincial legislation relating to Power Engineers and pressure vessels.
- Identify and describe safe work practices and safety programs in place in industrial settings.
- Recognize and apply plant fire safety programs and equipment.
- Explain the effects of operating plants on the environment and discuss methods of prevention and control.
- Describe mechanical properties of engineering materials, welding processes, and inspection and testing methods used in relation to the Power Engineering field.
- Discuss and identify basic types of piping, valves, and fittings most commonly used in industry.

Evaluation

Students will be graded using percentage scales.

Category	Weight
Section "S" Test	10%
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"E" Exams	70%
Moodle Chapter & Unit Quizzes	10%
Total Grade	100%

The minimum standard for passing the overall course is a grade of 65%.

Performance Requirements

The Power Engineering online program provides access to a comprehensive computer question bank designed to highlight subjects in the Alberta Boiler's Branch syllabi. Assessments are generated and marked by the Computer and Power Engineering Instructors. The online program is supplemented by tutorial assistance offered by qualified instructors during posted hours.

Behaviours of a Successful Student



SKILL Centre Information:

The SKILL Centre is a learning space in the Clearwater Campus where students can gather to share ideas, collaborate on projects and get new perspectives on learning from tutorial staff. A student conference room is available for students to "reserve" for study group purposes. The SKILL Centre is for "support" not to "teach" you course content due to lack of attendance.

	Monday - Friday
Monday to Friday	9:00 - 4:00

Additional evening & weekend tutorial hours will be posted in the Skill Centre or please contact <u>skill@keyano.ca</u> to confirm tutoring availability.

Academic Regulations

Refer to pages 25 & 26 of the Keyano College 2017-2018 Credit Calendar or use this link to view Keyano College's <u>Academic Regulations</u>.

Keyano College Student Rights and Responsibilities:

It is the student's responsibility to read the Student Rights and Responsibility Policy document found in the Keyano College Credit Calendar 2016-2017, pages 34-37. The information contained in this policy should guide the student's conduct while attending Keyano College. Below are a few "Highlights" to note:

Student Rights: The student has the right to:

- Reasonable freedom of opinion and expression in the classroom, in assignments, and in exams, where course content allows.
- Confidentiality of his/her personal records.
- Proper and impartial evaluation of his/her performance and the right to request a re-evaluation within time lines and procedures established by the College.
- Freedom from being subjected to physical, verbal, mental, or sexual harassment including any indignity, injury, violence or unfair accusation.

Student Responsibilities: The student has the responsibility to:

- Respect the rights of ALL others. Respect is earned.
- Refrain from threatening to subject or subjecting any person to physical, verbal, mental, or sexual harassment including any indignity, injury, violence or unfair accusations.
- Respect the faculty member's right to determine course methodology, evaluation, right to set deadlines for assigned work, and to establish penalties for failure to comply with deadlines.
- Refrain from unduly disturbing, disrupting or otherwise interfering with studies, laboratories, lectures, work or other activities of fellow students or staff.
- Know the consequences of plagiarism, fraud, deceit, and/or other forms of academic and non-academic dishonesty.
- Not openly share marks and other confidential information/material in the classroom.

Teaching & Learning Methodologies

The Power Engineering online program through iLearn (Moodle); <u>http://ilearn.keyano.ca</u> is a system that provides students with a quick assessment of their academic achievement while they progress at their own pace, on their own schedule. Students can enroll at any time and have one year from the date of registration to complete both Part A and B theory. A total of two three-month extensions may be purchased. Extended hours and the ability for students to access the system from home or work are features designed to make the training as accessible as possible. **Please note**:

- iLearn/Moodle will be used for ongoing assessment purposes. Please be patient and forward questions/concerns regarding the test bank to the Power Engineering Department.
- All quizzes and exams on iLearn will open in a SECURE window. Any attempts to breech security measures (i.e. copy, print, screen capture, right clicking, navigation away from quiz/exam window, etc.) will automatically "kick" you out of the quiz. Occurrences of this nature will be documented and kept on student record, be considered academic misconduct and just cause for disqualification of course completion.

Specialized Supports & Duty to Accommodate

Disability Support Services: Learner Assistance Program (LAP):

If you have a documented disability or you think that you would benefit from some assistance from a Disabilities Counsellor, please call or visit the Disability Supports Office 780-792-5608 to book an appointment (across from the library). Services and accommodations are intended to assist you in your program of study, while maintaining the academic standards of Keyano College. We can be of assistance to you in disclosing your disability to your instructor, providing accommodations, and supporting your overall success at Keyano College.

Specialized Supports and Duty to Accommodate:

Specialized Support and Duty to Accommodate are aligned with the office of Disability Support Services: Learner Assistance Program (LAP) guided by federal and provincial human rights legislation, and defined by a number of Keyano College policies. Keyano College is obligated by legislation to provide disabilityrelated accommodations to students with identified disabilities to the point of undue hardship.

Please Note: It is your responsibility to contact the Office of the Registrar to **update your contact information** and complete forms related to changes of registration.

Keyano College Office of the Registrar 8115 Franklin Avenue Fort McMurray, AB T9H 2H7 Tel: (780) 791-4801 Fax: (780) 791-4952 Keyano College Main Switchboard Toll Free: 1-800-251-1408 Email: registrar@keyano.ca www.keyano.ca

Learning Outcomes

- 1. Apply basic terms and calculations used in the study of mechanics.
- 2. Perform calculations involving forces and moments, and determine when a system of forces is in equilibrium.
- 3. Perform calculations relating to mechanical advantage, velocity ratio, and efficiency.
- 4. Define and identify scalar and vector quantities as they apply to drawing vector diagrams.
- 5. Solve simple problems involving linear velocity, time, and distance.
- 6. Perform calculations involving force, work, pressure, power, and energy.
- 7. Solve problems involving friction.
- 8. Explain physical properties of materials and how their behavior is affected when eternal forces are applied.
- 9. Perform calculations pertaining to common power transmission systems.
- 10. Identify basic types of matter, their properties, and the associated chemical principles.
- 11. Explain the principles and laws of thermodynamics.
- 12. Explain the modes of heat transfer and the theory of heat exchanger operation.
- 13. Apply the thermodynamic principles through practical applications using the steam tables and the temperature-enthalpy chart.
- 14. Describe the Power Engineer profession.
- 15. Describe the application of Jurisdictional Acts and Regulations with respect to boilers and pressure vessels.
- 16. Describe the purpose of boiler and pressure vessel Codes and Standards.
- 17. Describe general plant safety as it relates to Power Engineers.
- 18. Describe common safety programs generally applied in plants.
- 19. Describe the policies and procedures for safe storage and handling of dangerous materials.
- 20. Explain fire safety in an industrial plant.
- 21. Describe typical fire extinguishing equipment and its operation in plant environments.

Course Outline

- 22. Identify environmental considerations and how they relate to an operating plant.
- 23. Explain how gas and noise emissions affect plant operations.
- 24. Explain how liquid and solid emissions affect plant operation.
- 25. Describe the mechanical properties of engineering materials used in engineering.
- 26. Describe welding processes relevant to the plant and Power Engineering.
- 27. Describe inspection processes and testing methods for welds and materials.
- 28. Discuss the basic types of piping, piping connections, supports, and drainage devices used in industry.
- 29. Discuss the design and uses of the valve designs most commonly used in industry and on boilers.