

Mechanical Engineering, Master's Programme

120 credits

Mechanical Engineering, masterprogram

6MMEC

Valid from: 2017 Spring semester

Determined by

Board of Studies for Mechanical
Engineering and Design

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Purpose

A Master of Science in Mechanical Engineering from Linköping University works with all aspects of the realization of complex products and industrial processes. A graduate from this program will be able to take part in multidisciplinary design processes where technical as well as economical, environmental and sustainability requirements are satisfied.

The programme is aimed at students with a Bachelor degree who would like to extend their knowledge in mechanical engineering and engineering science. Graduates are suitable for employment in industry, business, academic institutions and at major research/development laboratories.

Aim

Mathematics, natural sciences and engineering subjects

A Master of Science in Mechanical Engineering

- should have solid foundations in mathematics and engineering science
- should be able to use computer effectively to model and analyze engineering problems as well as to visualize results
- should have a specialized knowledge in one area of mechanical engineering

Personal and professional skills

A Master of Science in Mechanical Engineering

- should have the ability to take a leading role in modern research and engineering
- should be able to gain competency in new fields of engineering, rapidly and independently
- should be able to participate effectively in multidisciplinary design teams, either as team leader or in a specialist role

Interpersonal skills: Teamwork and communication

A Master of Science in Mechanical Engineering

- should be capable of teamwork and collaborate actively within the group by sharing in the tasks and responsibilities
- should be able to initialize, to plan, to carry out and to evaluate scientific and engineering projects
- should be able to communicate and to give presentations in english, orally and in writing

Content

The curriculum includes a core semester with courses such as Engineering Materials, Computerized Manufacturing Equipment and Statistics. After the core semester the student selects a specialization with advanced courses as well as freely elective courses. The programme ends with a one semester Master's thesis in industry or at the university. After the programme the students will be attractive both to industry and to academia.

Entry requirements

- Bachelor's degree in mechanical engineering, or equivalent
- 30 ECTS credits in mathematics/applied mathematics and/or application of mathematics relevant for the programme
- English corresponding to the level of English in Swedish upper secondary education (English 6/B)

Degree thesis

The thesis should be based on the high quality scientific content and carried out in close contact with the research groups involved in the programme and in the area of the profile chosen by the students. The major subject of the Thesis work should be Mechanical Engineering.

Degree requirements

The programme is designed to give the Master's Degree "Teknologie masterexamen i maskinteknik" translated to "Degree of Master of Science (Two Years) with a major in Mechanical Engineering".

The requirements are the following:

- a Bachelor's degree as specified in the entrance requirements
- course requirements for a total of 120 ECTS credits from courses from the curriculum of the programme, or after special decision from the programme board, and thesis work.
- passed the requirements for all compulsory courses
- courses on advancement level A (advanced) 90 ECTS credits including:
 - at least 30 ECTS credits courses from the major subject (Mechanical Engineering)
 - a 30 ECTS credits Master's Thesis in the major subject (Mechanical Engineering)
- at least 45 ECTS credits from courses in mathematics or applications of mathematics from the Bachelor level (basic) or Master level (advanced), see list of specific courses
- a Master's thesis in major subject Mechanical Engineering presented and passed as per Linköping Institute of Technology degree regulations.

Courses overlapping each other regarding contents are not allowed to be included in the degree. Courses used for the Bachelor's degree can never be included in the Master's degree

Degree in Swedish

Master of Science (120 credits) with a major in Mechanical Engineering

Degree in English

Master of Science (two years) with a major in Mechanical Engineering

Specific information

Graduate Level Courses

Certain PhD courses can be taken by master students. These course selections are subject to formal decision by the executive committee of the Program Board.

Common rules

See also common rules.

Curriculum

Semester 1 (Autumn 2017)

| Course code | Course name | Credits | Level | Timetable module | ECV |
|-----------------|---|---------|-------|------------------|-----|
| Period 1 | | | | | |
| TEIO32 | Project Management and Organization | 6* | G2X | 3 | C |
| TKMJ14 | Large Technical Systems and the Environment | 6 | A1X | 1 | C |
| TMKT78 | Product Development | 6 | G2X | 2 | C |
| Period 2 | | | | | |
| TEIO32 | Project Management and Organization | 6* | G2X | 1 | C |
| TMHL63 | Introduction to Computational Mechanics | 6 | G2X | 3 | C |
| TMKM17 | Polymer Materials | 6 | A1X | 4 | C |

Semester 2 (Spring 2018)

| Course code | Course name | Credits | Level | Timetable module | ECV |
|-----------------|---|---------|-------|------------------|-----|
| Period 1 | | | | | |
| TMAL51 | Aircraft Conceptual Design | 6 | A1F | 2 | E |
| TMHL41 | Continuum Mechanics | 6 | A1X | 2 | E |
| TMHL62 | The Finite Element Method; advanced course | 6 | A1X | 4 | E |
| TMHP02 | Fluid Power Systems | 6 | G2X | 4 | E |
| TMHP51 | Hydraulic Servo Systems | 6 | A1N | 3 | E |
| TMKM40 | Engineering Materials - New Materials | 6 | A1X | 2 | E |
| TMKT48 | Design Optimization | 6 | A1X | 3 | E |
| TMKT74 | Advanced CAD | 6 | A1X | 1 | E |
| TMMS30 | Multi Body Dynamics and Robotics | 6 | A1X | 3 | E |
| TMMV08 | Computational Fluid Dynamics | 6 | A1X | 3 | E |
| TMPS42 | Production System Automation | 6 | A1X | 1 | E |
| TMQU31 | Statistical Quality Control | 6 | A1X | 2 | E |
| TPPE78 | Quantitative Models and Analysis in Operations Management | 6 | A1X | 1 | E |
| TMPP02 | Project Course - Race Vehicle Engineering | 6* | G1X | - | V |
| Period 2 | | | | | |

| Course code | Course name | Credits | Level | Timetable module | ECV |
|-------------|---|---------|-------|------------------|-----|
| TMHL61 | Damage Mechanics and Life Analysis | 6 | A1X | 2 | E |
| TMKM09 | Engineering Materials for Lightweight Applications | 6 | A1X | 3 | E |
| TMKM18 | Engineering Materials, Welding and Manufacturing Technology | 6 | G2X | 2 | E |
| TMKT57 | Product Modelling | 6 | A1X | 3 | E |
| TMME11 | Road Vehicle Dynamics | 6 | A1X | 1 | E |
| TMMS10 | Fluid Power Systems and Transmissions | 6 | A1X | 2 | E |
| TMMV07 | Computational Fluid Dynamics, advanced course | 6 | A1X | 4 | E |
| TMMV56 | Aerodynamics, Continued Course | 6 | A1X | 3 | E |
| TMPS27 | Production Systems | 6 | A1X | 3 | E |
| TMQU04 | Six Sigma Quality | 6 | A1X | 2 | E |
| TPPE74 | Design and Development of Manufacturing Operations | 6 | A1X | 4 | E |
| TSFS03 | Vehicle Propulsion Systems | 6 | A1X | 3 | E |
| TMPP02 | Project Course - Race Vehicle Engineering | 6* | G1X | - | V |

Specialisation: Applied Mechanics

| Course code | Course name | Credits | Level | Timetable module | ECV |
|-----------------|---|---------|-------|------------------|-----|
| Period 1 | | | | | |
| TMHL41 | Continuum Mechanics | 6 | A1X | 2 | E |
| TMHL62 | The Finite Element Method; advanced course | 6 | A1X | 4 | E |
| TMMV08 | Computational Fluid Dynamics | 6 | A1X | 3 | E |
| Period 2 | | | | | |
| TMHL61 | Damage Mechanics and Life Analysis | 6 | A1X | 2 | E |
| TMME11 | Road Vehicle Dynamics | 6 | A1X | 1 | E |
| TMMV07 | Computational Fluid Dynamics, advanced course | 6 | A1X | 4 | E |
| TMMV56 | Aerodynamics, Continued Course | 6 | A1X | 3 | E |

Specialisation: Engineering Design and Product Development

| Course code | Course name | Credits | Level | Timetable module | ECV |
|-----------------|---------------------|---------|-------|------------------|-----|
| Period 1 | | | | | |
| TMKT48 | Design Optimization | 6 | A1X | 3 | E |
| TMKT74 | Advanced CAD | 6 | A1X | 1 | E |
| Period 2 | | | | | |
| TMKT57 | Product Modelling | 6 | A1X | 3 | E |

Specialisation: Engineering Materials

| Course code | Course name | Credits | Level | Timetable module | ECV |
|-----------------|---|---------|-------|------------------|-----|
| Period 1 | | | | | |
| TMKM40 | Engineering Materials - New Materials | 6 | A1X | 2 | E |
| Period 2 | | | | | |
| TMHL61 | Damage Mechanics and Life Analysis | 6 | A1X | 2 | E |
| TMKM09 | Engineering Materials for Lightweight Applications | 6 | A1X | 3 | E |
| TMKM18 | Engineering Materials, Welding and Manufacturing Technology | 6 | G2X | 2 | E |

Specialisation: Manufacturing Engineering

| Course code | Course name | Credits | Level | Timetable module | ECV |
|-----------------|---|---------|-------|------------------|-----|
| Period 1 | | | | | |
| TMPS42 | Production System Automation | 6 | A1X | 1 | E |
| TMQU31 | Statistical Quality Control | 6 | A1X | 2 | E |
| TPPE78 | Quantitative Models and Analysis in Operations Management | 6 | A1X | 1 | E |
| Period 2 | | | | | |
| TMKM18 | Engineering Materials, Welding and Manufacturing Technology | 6 | G2X | 2 | E |
| TMPS27 | Production Systems | 6 | A1X | 3 | E |
| TMQU04 | Six Sigma Quality | 6 | A1X | 2 | E |
| TPPE74 | Design and Development of Manufacturing Operations | 6 | A1X | 4 | E |

Specialisation: Mechatronics

| Course code | Course name | Credits | Level | Timetable module | ECV |
|-----------------|---------------------------------------|---------|-------|------------------|-----|
| Period 1 | | | | | |
| TMHP02 | Fluid Power Systems | 6 | G2X | 4 | E |
| TMHP51 | Hydraulic Servo Systems | 6 | A1N | 3 | E |
| Period 2 | | | | | |
| TMMS10 | Fluid Power Systems and Transmissions | 6 | A1X | 2 | E |

Semester 3 (Autumn 2018)

| Course code | Course name | Credits | Level | Timetable module | ECV |
|-----------------|--|---------|-------|------------------|-----|
| Period 1 | | | | | |
| TFYA88 | Additive Manufacturing: Tools, Materials and Methods | 6 | A1N | 3 | E |
| TKMJ31 | Biofuels for Transportation | 6 | A1N | 1 | E |
| TMAL02 | Aircraft and Vehicle Design | 6 | G2F | 4 | E |
| TMHL19 | Advanced Material and Computational Mechanics | 6 | A1X | 1 | E |
| TMKM16 | Sustainable Material Selection | 6 | A1X | 4 | E |
| TMKT79 | Collaborative Multidisciplinary Design Optimization | 6 | A1X | 2 | E |
| TMME14 | Machine Elements, Second Course | 6 | A1X | 3 | E |
| TMME40 | Vibration Analysis of Structures | 6 | A1X | 3 | E |
| TMMS11 | Models of Mechanics | 6* | A1X | 3 | E |
| TMMS13 | Electro Hydraulic Systems | 6 | A1X | 2 | E |
| TMMV01 | Aerodynamics | 6 | A1X | 2 | E |
| TMMV12 | Gas Turbine Engines | 6 | A1F | 4 | E |
| TMPS33 | Virtual Manufacturing | 6 | A1N | 4 | E |
| TMPS35 | Emerging Factory Technologies | 6 | A1N | 3 | E |
| TMPP02 | Project Course - Race Vehicle Engineering | 6* | G1X | - | V |
| Period 2 | | | | | |
| TAMS11 | Probability and Statistics, first course | 6 | G2F | 4 | E |
| TAOP18 | Supply Chain Optimization | 6 | A1F | 1 | E |
| TMHL03 | Mechanics of Light Structures | 6 | A1X | 3 | E |

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|-------------|--|---------|-------|------------------|-----|
| TMHP03 | Engineering Systems Design | 6 | A1X | 4 | E |
| TMKM90 | Engineering Materials - Deformation and Fracture | 6 | A1X | 2 | E |
| TMME50 | Flight Mechanics | 6 | A1X | 2 | E |
| TMMS07 | Biomechanics | 6 | A1X | 4 | E |
| TMMS11 | Models of Mechanics | 6* | A1X | 4 | E |
| TMMS20 | Structural Optimization | 6 | A1X | 1 | E |
| TMMV18 | Fluid Mechanics | 6 | A1X | 2 | E |
| TMMV54 | Computational Heat Transfer | 6 | A1X | 1 | E |
| TMPS22 | Assembly Technology | 6 | A1N | 3 | E |
| TMPS31 | Sustainable Manufacturing | 6 | A1X | 1 | E |
| TMPP02 | Project Course - Race Vehicle Engineering | 6* | G1X | - | V |

Specialisation: Applied Mechanics

| Course code | Course name | Credits | Level | Timetable module | ECV |
|-----------------|---|---------|-------|------------------|-----|
| Period 1 | | | | | |
| TMPM07 | Project Course Advanced - Applied Mechanics | 12* | A1X | - | C |
| TMHL19 | Advanced Material and Computational Mechanics | 6 | A1X | 1 | E |
| TMME14 | Machine Elements, Second Course | 6 | A1X | 3 | E |
| TMME40 | Vibration Analysis of Structures | 6 | A1X | 3 | E |
| TMMS11 | Models of Mechanics | 6* | A1X | 3 | E |
| TMMV01 | Aerodynamics | 6 | A1X | 2 | E |
| TMMV12 | Gas Turbine Engines | 6 | A1F | 4 | E |
| Period 2 | | | | | |
| TMPM07 | Project Course Advanced - Applied Mechanics | 12* | A1X | - | C |
| TMHL03 | Mechanics of Light Structures | 6 | A1X | 3 | E |
| TMME50 | Flight Mechanics | 6 | A1X | 2 | E |
| TMMS07 | Biomechanics | 6 | A1X | 4 | E |
| TMMS11 | Models of Mechanics | 6* | A1X | 4 | E |
| TMMS20 | Structural Optimization | 6 | A1X | 1 | E |
| TMMV18 | Fluid Mechanics | 6 | A1X | 2 | E |
| TMMV54 | Computational Heat Transfer | 6 | A1X | 1 | E |

Specialisation: Engineering Design and Product Development

| Course code | Course name | Credits | Level | Timetable module | ECV |
|-----------------|--|---------|-------|------------------|-----|
| Period 1 | | | | | |
| TMPM05 | Project Course Advanced - Design Engineering and Product Development | 12* | A1X | - | C |
| TMKT79 | Collaborative Multidisciplinary Design Optimization | 6 | A1X | 2 | E |
| TMME14 | Machine Elements, Second Course | 6 | A1X | 3 | E |
| Period 2 | | | | | |
| TMPM05 | Project Course Advanced - Design Engineering and Product Development | 12* | A1X | - | C |
| TMHP03 | Engineering Systems Design | 6 | A1X | 4 | E |

Specialisation: Engineering Materials

| Course code | Course name | Credits | Level | Timetable module | ECV |
|-----------------|--|---------|-------|------------------|-----|
| Period 1 | | | | | |
| TMPM09 | Project Course Advanced - Engineering Materials | 12* | A1X | - | C |
| TMHL19 | Advanced Material and Computational Mechanics | 6 | A1X | 1 | E |
| TMKM16 | Sustainable Material Selection | 6 | A1X | 4 | E |
| Period 2 | | | | | |
| TMPM09 | Project Course Advanced - Engineering Materials | 12* | A1X | - | C |
| TMKM90 | Engineering Materials - Deformation and Fracture | 6 | A1X | 2 | E |

Specialisation: Manufacturing Engineering

| Course code | Course name | Credits | Level | Timetable module | ECV |
|-----------------|---|---------|-------|------------------|-----|
| Period 1 | | | | | |
| TMPM08 | Project Course Advanced - Manufacturing Engineering | 12* | A1F | - | C |
| TMPS33 | Virtual Manufacturing | 6 | A1N | 4 | E |
| TMPS35 | Emerging Factory Technologies | 6 | A1N | 3 | E |
| Period 2 | | | | | |
| TMPM08 | Project Course Advanced - Manufacturing Engineering | 12* | A1F | - | C |
| TAOP18 | Supply Chain Optimization | 6 | A1F | 1 | E |
| TMPS22 | Assembly Technology | 6 | A1N | 3 | E |
| TMPS31 | Sustainable Manufacturing | 6 | A1X | 1 | E |

Specialisation: Mechatronics

| Course code | Course name | Credits | Level | Timetable module | ECV |
|-----------------|--|---------|-------|------------------|-----|
| Period 1 | | | | | |
| TMPM06 | Project Course Advanced - Mechatronics | 12* | A1X | - | C |
| TMMS13 | Electro Hydraulic Systems | 6 | A1X | 2 | E |
| Period 2 | | | | | |
| TMPM06 | Project Course Advanced - Mechatronics | 12* | A1X | - | C |
| TMHP03 | Engineering Systems Design | 6 | A1X | 4 | E |

Semester 4 (Spring 2019)

| Course code | Course name | Credits | Level | Timetable module | ECV |
|-----------------|----------------------------------|---------|-------|------------------|-----|
| Period 1 | | | | | |
| TQXX30 | Degree project - Master's Thesis | 30* | A1X | - | C |
| Period 2 | | | | | |
| TQXX30 | Degree project - Master's Thesis | 30* | A1X | - | C |

ECV = Elective / Compulsory / Voluntary

*The course is divided into several semesters and/or periods