

Module: Mechanics of Solids

Level	Master	Short Name	MeSo
Responsible Lecturers	Schieck, Berthold, Prof. Dr.-Ing.		
Department, Facility	Mechanical Engineering and Business Administration		
Course of Studies	Mechanical Engineering, Master		
Compulsory/elective	Elective	ECTS Credit Points	5
Semester of Studies	1	Semester Hours per Week	4
Length (semesters)	1	Workload (hours)	150
Frequency	WiSe	Presence Hours	60
Teaching Language	English	Self-Study Hours	90

The following section is filled only if there is **exactly one** module-concluding exam.

Exam Type	Written Exam	Exam Language	English
Exam Length (minutes)	120	Exam Grading System	One-third Grades
Learning Outcomes	<p>The students know the basics of the mechanics of solids, suitable to finitely large deformations in non-Euclidean geometry suitable for bodies with curved geometry undergoing large deformations.</p> <p>This course is currently not selectable.</p>		
Participation Prerequisites			

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Consideration of Gender and Diversity Issues	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✘ Use of gender-neutral language (THL standard) ✘ Target group specific adjustment of didactic methods ✘ Making subject diversity visible (female researchers, cultures etc.)
Applicability	Course on „Selected Topics of the Finite Element Method“
Remarks	This module is currently not selectable.

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Course Type	Lecture	Form of Learning	Presence
Mandatory Attendance	no	ECTS Credit Points	5
Participation Limit		Semester Hours per Week	4
Group Size		Workload (hours)	150
Teaching Language	English	Presence Hours	60
Study Achievements ("Studienleistung", SL)		Self-Study Hours	90
SL Length (minutes)		SL Grading System	

The following section is filled only if there is a course-specific exam.

Exam Type		Exam Language	
Exam Length (minutes)		Exam Grading System	
Learning Outcomes			
Participation Prerequisites			

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Contents	<p>Tensor calculus in Riemannian manifolds</p> <p>Differential calculus of tensors in Riemannian manifolds</p> <p>Polar decomposition of the deformation gradient</p> <p>Lagrangian and Eulerian setting</p> <p>Strain tensors for finitely large deformations</p> <p>Stress tensors</p> <p>Pull back and push forward</p> <p>Balance of linear and angular momentum</p> <p>Objectivity: frame indifference, spatial covariance, objective rates</p> <p>Isotropic elastic and nonlinear elastic material</p> <p>The principles of virtual work and minimum of total potential</p>
Literature	<p><i>Textbooks:</i></p> <p>A. Bertram: Elasticity and plasticity of large deformations. An introduction. Springer, Berlin, Heidelberg, 2005</p> <p>G.E. Mase, G.T. Mase: Continuum mechanics for engineers. London: CRC Press, 1991</p> <p>M.E. Gurtin: An introduction to continuum mechanics. Mathematics in science and engineering vol. 158, Academic Press, Inc. 1981</p>

J. Altenbach, H. Altenbach: Einführung in die Kontinuumsmechanik.
Stuttgart: Teubner, 1984

Some recently published papers:

C. Miehe: A constitutive frame of elastoplasticity at large strains based on the notion of the plastic metric. Int. J. Solids Structures vol. 35.30 (1998), pp. 3859-3897.

B. Schieck, H. Stumpf: The appropriate corotational rate, exact formula for the plastic spin and constitutive model for finite elastoplasticity. Int. J. Solids Structures vol. 32.24 (1995), pp. 3643-3667.

B. Schieck, W. Smolenski, H. Stumpf: A shell finite element for large strain elastoplasticity with anisotropies. Part I: Shell theory and variational principle. Int. J. Solids Structures vol. 36 (1999), pp. 5399-5424. Part II: Constitutive equations and numerical applications. Int. J. Solids Structures vol. 36 (1999), pp. 5425-5451.

Remarks

The present course would be a good preparation for a PhD study of topics that are related to mechanics at a scientific university.