# SAULT COLLEGE OF APPLIED ARTS AND TECHNOLOGY

# **SAULT STE. MARIE, ONTARIO**



## **COURSE OUTLINE**

COURSE TITLE: NETWORK ANALYSIS

CODE NO.: ELR309 SEMESTER: 6

PROGRAM: ELECTRICAL/ELECTRONIC TECHNOLOGY

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**TOTAL CREDITS**: 8

APPROVED:

PREREQUISITE(S): ELR109 MTH551

**HOURS/WEEK**: 5

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#### I. COURSE DESCRIPTION:

An in-depth study of electric circuits using network theorems, differential equations and Laplace transforms.

### II. LEARNING OUTCOMES AND ELEMENTS OF THE PERFORMANCE:

Upon successful completion of this course the student will demonstrate the ability to:

1) Analyze a resistive circuit using Nodal analysis and Mesh analysis.

Potential Elements of the Performance:

- Using a matrix solution of the network equations, determine the voltage and current in the elements of a resistive circuit.
- 2) Analyze a First-Order circuit.

Potential Elements of the Performance:

- Write and solve a differential equation for a network with resistors a capacitor.
- Write and solve a differential equation for a network with resistors and an inductor.
- 3) Analyze a Second-Order circuit using differential equations.

Potential Elements of the Performance:

- Write and solve a differential equation for a Second-Order circuit with resistors, inductors and capacitors.
- Solve the differential equation for a Second-Order circuit with excitation by initial conditions, excitation by a source and excitation by initial conditions and a source.
- Write complementary, particular and complete solutions.
- Solve for the under-damped case, critically-damped case and overdamped case.
- 4) Analyze a First-Order circuit using Laplace transforms.

Potential Elements of the Performance:

- Define the Laplace transform.
- Analyze a circuit with a transformed network if excited by a source.
- Analyze a circuit by transforming the differential equation if the circuit is excited by initial conditions and a source.

# III. TOPICS:

- 1) Basic Circuit Laws
- 2) Resistive Networks
- 3) Capacitors and Inductors
- 4) First-Order Circuit Analysis
- 5) Second-Order Circuit Analysis
- 6) Laplace Transform Circuit Analysis

# IV. REQUIRED RESOURCES/TEXTS/MATERIALS:

Course Notes package

# V. EVALUATION PROCESS/GRADING SYSTEM:

The grading weight will be: Theory 100%

The following semester grades will be assigned to students in postsecondary courses:

		<b>Grade Point</b>
<u>Grade</u>	<u>Definition</u>	<u>Equivalent</u>
A+	90 - 100%	4.00
Α	80 - 89%	3.75
В	70 - 79%	3.00
С	60 - 69%	2.00
R (Repeat)	59% or below	0.00
CR (Credit)	Credit for diploma requirements has been	
	awarded.	
S	Satisfactory achievement in field	
	placement or non-graded subject areas.	
U	Unsatisfactory achievement in field	
	placement or non-graded subject areas.	
X	A temporary grade. This is used in	
	limited situations with extenuating	
	circumstances giving a student additional	
	time to complete the requirements for a	
	course (see Policies & Procedures	
	Manual – Deferred Grades and Make-up).	
NR	Grade not reported to Registrar's office.	
	This is used to facilitate transcript	
	preparation when, for extenuating	
	circumstances, it has not been possible	
	for the faculty member to report grades.	

### VI. SPECIAL NOTES:

## **Special Needs**:

If you are a student with special needs (e.g. physical limitations, visual impairments, hearing impairments, or learning disabilities), you are encouraged to discuss required accommodations with your instructor and/or the Special Needs office. Visit Room E1204 or call Extension 493, 717, or 491 so that support services can be arranged for you.

## Retention of course outlines:

It is the responsibility of the student to retain all course outlines for possible future use in acquiring advanced standing at other postsecondary institutions.

#### Plagiarism:

Students should refer to the definition of "academic dishonesty" in *Student Rights and Responsibilities*. Students who engage in "academic dishonesty" will receive an automatic failure for that submission and/or such other penalty, up to and including expulsion from the course/program, as may be decided by the professor/dean. In order to protect students from inadvertent plagiarism, to protect the copyright of the material referenced, and to credit the author of the material, it is the policy of the department to employ a documentation format for referencing source material.

### Course outline amendments:

The Professor reserves the right to change the information contained in this course outline depending on the needs of the learner and the availability of resources.

Substitute course information is available in the Registrar's office.

#### VII. PRIOR LEARNING ASSESSMENT:

Students who wish to apply for advanced credit in the course should consult the professor. Credit for prior learning will be given upon successful completion of a challenge exam or portfolio.

#### VIII. DIRECT CREDIT TRANSFERS:

Students who wish to apply for direct credit transfer (advanced standing) should obtain a direct credit transfer form from the Dean's secretary. Students will be required to provide a transcript and course outline related to the course in question.