

MULTIDISCIPLINARY ENGINEERING TECHNOLOGY - BS, ELECTRO MARINE ENGINEERING TECHNOLOGY TRACK

Multidisciplinary Engineering Technology (MXET) prepares students for careers requiring an understanding of technical problems and systems that combine principles from two or more engineering technology disciplines.

Program Requirements

The freshman year is identical for degrees in aerospace engineering, architectural engineering, civil engineering, computer engineering, computer science, data engineering, electrical engineering, electronic systems engineering technology, environmental engineering, industrial distribution, industrial engineering, interdisciplinary engineering, manufacturing and mechanical engineering technology, mechanical engineering, multidisciplinary engineering technology, nuclear engineering, ocean engineering, and petroleum engineering. The freshman year is slightly different for chemical engineering, biomedical engineering and materials science and engineering degrees in that students take CHEM 119 or CHEM 107/CHEM 117 and CHEM 120. Students pursuing degrees in biological and agricultural engineering should refer to the specific curriculum for this major. It is recognized that many students will change the sequence and number of courses taken in any semester. Deviations from the prescribed course sequence, however, should be made with care to ensure that prerequisites for all courses are met.

First Year

Fall		Semester Credit Hours
CHEM 107	General Chemistry for Engineering Students ^{1,4}	3
CHEM 117	General Chemistry for Engineering Students Laboratory ^{1,4}	1
ENGL 103 or ENGL 104	Introduction to Rhetoric and Composition ¹ or Composition and Rhetoric	3
ENGR 102	Engineering Lab I - Computation ¹	2
MATH 151	Engineering Mathematics I ^{1,2}	4
University Core Curriculum (https://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/general-information/university-core-curriculum/) ³		3
Semester Credit Hours		16

Spring

ENGR 216/ PHYS 216	Experimental Physics and Engineering Lab II - Mechanics ¹	2
MATH 152	Engineering Mathematics II ¹	4
PHYS 206	Newtonian Mechanics for Engineering and Science ¹	3

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Select one of the following: 3-4

CHEM 120 Fundamentals of Chemistry II ^{1,4}

University Core Curriculum (<https://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/general-information/university-core-curriculum/>) ^{3,5}

Semester Credit Hours 15-16

Total Semester Credit Hours 31-32

¹ A grade of C or better is required.

² Entering students will be given a math placement exam. Test results will be used in selecting the appropriate starting course which may be at a higher or lower level.

³ Of the 21 hours shown as University Core Curriculum electives, 3 must be from creative arts (see AREN curriculum for more information), 3 from social and behavioral sciences (see DAEN and IDIS curriculum for more information), 3 from language, philosophy and culture (see CVEN, EVEN and PETE curriculum for more information), 6 from American history and 6 from government/political science. The required 3 hours of international and cultural diversity and 3 hours of cultural discourse may be met by courses satisfying the creative arts, social and behavioral sciences, language, philosophy and culture, and American history requirements if they are also on the approved list of international and cultural diversity (<https://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/general-information/degree-information/international-cultural-diversity-requirements/>) courses and cultural discourse (<https://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/general-information/degree-information/cultural-discourse-requirements/>) courses.

⁴ BMEN, CHEN and MSEN require 8 hours of fundamentals of chemistry which are satisfied with CHEM 119 or CHEM 107/CHEM 117 and CHEM 120; Students with an interest in BMEN, CHEN and MSEN can take CHEM 120 second semester freshman year. CHEM 120 will substitute for CHEM 107/CHEM 117.

⁵ For BS-PETE, allocate 3 hours to core communications course (ENGL 210, COMM 203, COMM 205, or COMM 243) and/or 3 hours to UCC elective. For BS-MEEN, allocate 3 hours to core communications course (ENGL 203, ENGL 210, COMM 203 or COMM 205) and/or 3 hours to UCC elective.

Second Year

Fall		Semester Credit Hours
ENGR 217/ PHYS 217	Experimental Physics and Engineering Lab III - Electricity and Magnetism ¹	2
ESET 210	Circuit Analysis ¹	4
ESET 219	Digital Electronics ¹	4
PHYS 207	Electricity and Magnetism for Engineering and Science ¹	3
Math elective ^{1,6}		3
Semester Credit Hours		16

Spring

ESET 269	Embedded Systems Development in C ¹	3
ESET 350	Analog Electronics ¹	4
MMET 207	Metallic Materials ¹	3
MMET 275	Mechanics for Technologists ¹	3

MMET 370 or MARE 315	Thermodynamics for Technologists ¹ or Thermodynamics for Technologists	4
Semester Credit Hours		17
Third Year		
Fall		
ESET 211	Power Systems and Circuit Applications ^{1,7}	3
ESET 349	Microcontroller Architecture ^{1,7}	4
MMET 376	Strength of Materials ¹	4
MXET 375	Applied Dynamic Systems ¹	3
Select one of the following:		3
COMM 203	Public Speaking	
COMM 205	Communication for Technical Professions	
ENGL 210	Technical and Professional Writing	
Semester Credit Hours		17
Spring		
ESET 315	Local-and-Metropolitan-Area Networks ^{1,7}	4
ESET 359	Electronic Instrumentation ¹	4
ESET 369	Embedded Systems Software ^{1,7}	4
MMET 363	Mechanical Design Applications I ¹	3
High Impact Experience ⁸		0
ENTC 399	High Impact Experience	
Semester Credit Hours		15
Fourth Year		
Fall		
ESET 355	Electromagnetics and High Frequency Systems ^{1,7}	4
ESET 419	Engineering Technology Capstone I ¹	3
MXET 300	Mechatronics I – Mobile Robotic Systems ^{1,7}	3
University Core Curriculum (https://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/general-information/university-core-curriculum/) ³		6
Semester Credit Hours		16
Spring		
ESET 420	Engineering Technology Capstone II ¹	2
ESET 455	Wireless Transmission Systems ^{1,7}	4
MARE 402	Shipboard Automation and Control ^{1,7}	3
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Semester Credit Hours		15
Total Semester Credit Hours		96

⁶ See a departmental advisor for a list of approved electives.

⁷ Meets the 29 hr Electro Marine Engineering Technology focus area requirements.

⁸ All students are required to complete a high-impact experience in order to graduate. The list of possible high-impact experiences is available from a departmental advisor.

This curriculum lists the minimum number of classes required for graduation. Additional courses may be taken.

Total Program Hours 127