

### Summary Information

<b>Module Code</b>	5524USST
<b>Formal Module Title</b>	Instrumentation and Control Engineering
<b>Owning School</b>	Engineering
<b>Career</b>	Undergraduate
<b>Credits</b>	20
<b>Academic level</b>	FHEQ Level 5
<b>Grading Schema</b>	40

### Module Contacts

#### Module Leader

Contact Name	Applies to all offerings	Offerings
Dante Matellini	Yes	N/A

#### Module Team Member

Contact Name	Applies to all offerings	Offerings
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#### Partner Module Team

Contact Name	Applies to all offerings	Offerings
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### Teaching Responsibility

LJMU Schools involved in Delivery
LJMU Partner Taught

## Partner Teaching Institution

Institution Name
University of Shanghai For Science and Technology

## Learning Methods

Learning Method Type	Hours
Lecture	22
Practical	11
Tutorial	11

## Module Offering(s)

Offering Code	Location	Start Month	Duration
JAN-PAR	PAR	January	12 Weeks

## Aims and Outcomes

<b>Aims</b>	To develop an understanding of components and the principles of control systems, basic design and analysis techniques, and practice some control applications.
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## Learning Outcomes

After completing the module the student should be able to:

Code	Description
MLO1	Analyse measurement devices for temperature, position and force.
MLO2	Demonstrate an understanding of the basic concepts of dynamic system response and closed loop control.
MLO3	Develop models for simple dynamic plant.
MLO4	Demonstrate ability to design controllers and analyse system performance.
MLO5	Simulate control systems with appropriate software and assess system performance.

## Module Content

### Outline Syllabus

Temperature measurement: thermometers, thermistors and thermo-couples

Force and weight measurement: strain gauges and bridge circuit

Displacement measurement: potentiometers, LVDT (linear variable difference transformer)

P&ID Diagrams

Introduction: control system structure including sensors, controllers, actuators and plants.

Matlab/Simulink

Modelling & Simulation: introduce transfer function models for different plants, how to simulate a control system with Matlab/Simulink for system analysis and performance assessment.

Block diagram analysis.

Stability analysis: pole location method and Routh method

Time response analysis: characteristics for first order and second order systems, response to step and ramp input.

Controller design: design specification in time domain, functions of P, I and D control, empirical controller parameter setting method.

State space representation

Computer packages will be used to gain experience in applying and simulating techniques.

### Module Overview

## Additional Information

This level 5 module develops an understanding of the modelling, application, design and analysis of control systems with Matlab/Simulink.

### General Notes

### UNESCO Sustainable Development Goals

Good Health and Wellbeing  
Quality Education  
Affordable and Clean Energy  
Decent Work and Economic Growth  
Industry, Innovation and Infrastructure  
Sustainable Cities and Communities  
Responsible Consumption and Production

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#### CEng.

M1 Apply a comprehensive knowledge of mathematics, statistics, natural science and engineering principles to the solution of complex problems. Much of the knowledge will be at the forefront of the particular subject of study and informed by a critical awareness of new developments and the wider context of engineering.

M2 Formulate and analyse complex problems to reach substantiated conclusions. This will involve evaluating available data using first principles of mathematics, statistics, natural science and engineering principles, and using engineering judgment to work with information that may be uncertain or incomplete, discussing the limitations of the techniques employed.

M3 Select and apply appropriate computational and analytical techniques to model complex problems, discussing the limitations of the techniques employed.

M6 Apply an integrated or systems approach to the solution of complex problems.

M9 Use a risk management process to identify, evaluate and mitigate risks (the effects of uncertainty) associated with a particular project or activity.

M12 Use practical laboratory and workshop skills to investigate complex problems.

M13 Select and apply appropriate materials, equipment, engineering technologies and processes, recognising their limitations.

M17 Communicate effectively on complex engineering matters with technical and non-technical audiences, evaluating the effectiveness of the methods used.

M18 Plan and record self-learning and development as the foundation for lifelong learning/CPD.

#### IEng.

B1 Apply knowledge of mathematics, statistics, natural science and engineering principles to broadly-defined problems. Some of the knowledge will be informed by current developments in the subject of study.

B2 Analyse broadly-defined problems reaching substantiated conclusions using first principles of mathematics, statistics, natural science and engineering principles.

B3 Select and apply appropriate computational and analytical techniques to model broadly-defined problems, recognising the limitations of the techniques employed.

B6 Apply an integrated or systems approach to the solution of broadly-defined problems.

B9 Use a risk management process to identify, evaluate and mitigate risks (the effects of uncertainty) associated with a particular project or activity

B12 Use practical laboratory and workshop skills to investigate broadly-defined problems.  
B13 Select and apply appropriate materials, equipment, engineering technologies and processes.  
B17 Communicate effectively with technical and non-technical audiences.  
B18 Plan and record self-learning and development as the foundation for lifelong learning/CPD.

## Assessments

Assignment Category	Assessment Name	Weight	Exam/Test Length (hours)	Learning Outcome Mapping
Exam	Exam	60	2	MLO1, MLO2, MLO3, MLO4
Report	Report	40	0	MLO1, MLO3, MLO5