

## Liverpool John Moores University

Title: COMPUTER AIDED ENGINEERING ANALYSIS  
Status: Definitive  
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Owning School/Faculty: Maritime and Mechanical Engineering  
Teaching School/Faculty: Maritime and Mechanical Engineering

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**Academic Level:** FHEQ6      **Credit Value:** 24      **Total Delivered Hours:** 76  
**Total Learning Hours:** 240      **Private Study:** 164

### Delivery Options

Course typically offered: Summer

Component	Contact Hours
Lecture	24
Practical	40
Tutorial	12

**Grading Basis:** 40 %

### Assessment Details

Category	Short Description	Description	Weighting (%)	Exam Duration
Portfolio	AS1	Portfolio of FE exercises	15	
Portfolio	AS2	Portfolio of CFD exercises	15	
Portfolio	AS3	Analysis project	35	
Portfolio	AS4	Analysis report	35	

### Aims

*The module aims to provide the student with a fundamental understanding of important techniques in computational analysis and to extend their experience and skill in engineering analysis with the aid of applications related software.*

## Learning Outcomes

After completing the module the student should be able to:

- 1 Use a typical finite element package.
- 2 Set up and validate an efficient and accurate FE model of an engineering component or structure
- 3 Use a commercial CFD package to solve a real fluid flow problem
- 4 Appreciate the limitations and use of FEA or CFD as part of the design process.
- 5 Evaluate the output from FE and CFD analyses
- 6 Understand the basic theory underpinning commercial CFD and FE codes.

## Learning Outcomes of Assessments

The assessment item list is assessed via the learning outcomes listed:

Portfolio of FE exercises	1	2	4	5	6
Portfolio of CFD exercises	3	4	5	6	
Major CFD project	3	4	5		
Major FEA project	1	2	4	5	

## Outline Syllabus

*Introduction to the finite element method as applied to solid structures and continuums.*

*General theory of the FE method.*

*Optimum finite element modeling of real structures/continuums.*

*Element selection.*

*Application of boundary conditions and applied loading.*

*Introduction to the use of finite element software packages.*

*Analysis of output from finite element packages.*

*Introduction to non-linear FE analysis.*

*Introduction to CFD with industrial examples of usage.*

*Use of commercial CFD code to solve engineering problems.*

## Learning Activities

Lectures, tutorials and guided computer workshops.

## Notes

The module extends the students' knowledge of modern FEA/CFD analysis

techniques. The emphasis is on applications and problem solving