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Criteria	Range	Resource identified
5.1 Units of measurement used in engineering.	SI units: Metre (m), kilogram (kg), second (s), newton (N), metre cubed (m³), metre per second (m s⁻¹), metre per second squared (m s⁻²), newton metre (N m), Pascal (Pa or N m⁻²), mass per unit volume (kg m⁻³), unit multiples and submultiples (tera, giga, mega, kilo, milli, micro, nano, pico). Imperial units: Foot (ft), inches (in), yard (yd), ounce (oz), gallon (gal)	https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/International_System_of_Units https://byjus.com/physics/si-units-list/ https://www.nist.gov/pml/weights-and-measures/metric-si/si-units









































5.2 Vector and coordinate measuring systems.	Vectors and scalar quantities (distance, displacement, speed, velocity, acceleration), polar coordinates, Cartesian coordinates	https://courses.lumenlearning.com/physics/chapter/2-2-vectors-scalars-and-coordinate-systems/https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/guides/z2b9hv4/revision/6https://www.mathsisfun.com/algebra/scalar-vector-matrix.html
5.3 Scientific methods and approaches to scientific inquiry and research.	Concept of the scientific method (observation, questioning, making a hypothesis, prediction / simulation, testing, conclusion, iteration)	https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Scientific_method https://www.sciencemadesimple.com/scientific_method.html https://www.khanacademy.org/science/biology/intro-to-biology/science-of-biology/a/the-science-of-biology
	How to analyse, evaluate, synthesise and apply information, data, research findings, deliberation, and the processes, results and outcomes of testing, modelling and experimenting (accuracy, reliability, precision and replication)	https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/books/NBK547523/https://www.nap.edu/read/10236/chapter/5#58









































5.4 Measurement equipment, techniques and principles	Equipment – Rule, callipers (digital Vernier), micrometers (inside, outside, depth), gauges (angle, slip, go/no-go), dial test indicator (DTI), coordinate measuring machines (CMM)	https://gaugehow.com/2019/10/08/30-measuring-instruments-for-mechanical-engineer/ https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=lou9kAFGOjk https://www.mitutoyo.co.uk/ https://www.engineersupply.com/measuring-tools.aspx
	Principles – Precision, accuracy, uncertainty, resolution, calibration, tolerance	https://www.omsmeasure.com/blog/accuracy-tolerance-uncertainty-primer https://www.mccdaq.com/TechTips/TechTip-1.aspx https://instrumentationtools.com/difference-between-accuracy-tolerance-uncertainty-and-error/
5.5 Chemical composition and behaviours.	Chemical composition – Atomic structure (atom, nucleus, electron, proton, neutron, valence, valence shell, ion, element, molecule),	https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/guides/z9sdmp3/revision/1 https://courses.lumenlearning.com/boundless-chemistry/chapter/the-structure-of-the-atom/ https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=cpBb2bgFO6I https://manoa.hawaii.edu/exploringourfluidearth/chemical/chemistry-and-seawater/atoms-and-molecules
	Chemical composition – chemical structure (solutions, suspensions, solubility, compound and mixture), periodic table	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=FbaXQ8u6IP8 https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Chemical_structure https://www.rsc.org/periodic-table/?gclid=CjwKCAjw2bmLBhBREiwAZ6ugoy7S55Z8H4Xzj8rd2Mi-WbGfH86m9KTkBsteHf-I6QRZXo-XX2BrXxoCUUwQAvD_BwEhttps://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Periodic_table







































	Behaviours – Chemicals in electricity (cells (simple, primary and secondary), capacity, internal resistance), electrolysis (anode, cathode, electrolyte, anion, cation, dissociation, plating, galvanic protection), reactions of metals and alloys with weak and strong acids and alkalis	https://edu.rsc.org/resources/electricity-from-chemicals/392.article https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Electrochemistry https://socratic.org/questions/what-are-some-examples-of-electrochemical-processes https://intl.siyavula.com/read/science/grade-12/electrochemical-reactions/13-electrochemical-reactions- 07
5.6 Forces and motion in engineering.	Forces and motion – Types of motion (rotary, linear, reciprocating, oscillating), pressure, vector representation of forces, balanced and unbalanced forces, moments about a force, torque, conditions for equilibrium, coplanar forces	https://engineeringlibrary.org/reference/force-and-motion-doe-handbook https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Force https://www.drfrostmaths.com/resource.php?rid=343 https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2eNOIXC4UMs https://www.alevelphysicsonline.com/forces









































5.7 Fluid dynamics in engineering.	Fluid dynamics – Hydrostatic pressure (p = r g h), hydrostatic thrust on an immersed plane surface (F = ρ g A x), viscosity,	https://www.sciencedirect.com/topics/engineering/fluid-mechanics https://engineering.fandom.com/wiki/Fluid_dynamics https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Fluid_dynamics https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=SNZSQLu4tZQ https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=zA4g9oVur88 https://www.khanacademy.org/science/physics/fluids https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Eo0sGKYDz-o
	Bernoulli's principle	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=DW4rltB20h4 https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=UJ3-Zm1wblQ https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Bernoulli%27s_principle
	flow characteristics around a two-dimensional shape (laminar, turbulent, vortices, separation points)	https://www.ldeo.columbia.edu/~martins/hydro/lectures/fluid_dynamics.html https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9A-uUG0WR0w https://www.tec-science.com/mechanics/gases-and-liquids/flow-separation-boundary-layer-separation/
	principles of aerodynamics (drag, thrust, lift)	https://www.nasa.gov/audience/forstudents/k-4/stories/nasa-knows/what-is-aerodynamics-k4.html https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Aerodynamics https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ZFEzMKYjShc







































5.8 Thermodynamics	ir
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Thermodynamics – Heat transfer mechanisms (conduction, convection, radiation), systems (open, closed, temperature, pressure, volume), sensible heat, latent heat of fusion, latent heat of vaporisation, expansivity, coefficiency of heat, equations (absolute temperature, absolute pressure, volume, mass, density, Boyle's law (pV = constant), Charles' law (V/T = constant), general gas equation (pV/T = constant), characteristic gas equation (pV = mRT)

https://www.accessscience.com/content/thermodynamic-principles/690700

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Laws of thermodynamics

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=702XIdi1ZWw

https://www.voutube.com/watch?v=F07SJRTzb0Q

https://www.grc.nasa.gov/www/k-12/airplane/boyle.html

https://www.khanacademy.org/science/in-in-class11th-physics/in-in-phy-kinetic-theory/in-in-phy-ideal-gas-

laws/v/boyles-law

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Charles%27s law

https://www.thoughtco.com/formula-for-charles-law-604281





















