MOTION + POWER MANUFACTURERS ALLIANCE™ ABMA

Analytical Gear Chart Interpretation

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COURSE INFORMATION

Course Description

This course is an introduction to the methodology of analytical gear inspection and the evaluation and interpretation of the resulting data. The application of this information to identify and correct manufacturing errors will begin to be explored. Additionally, it reviews chart interpretation and applies inspection data to understand the causes and cures of manufacturing errors. Many chart examples are used to understand cause and effect.

Who Should Attend

People relatively new to gear manufacturing/inspection; Quality control people as well as manufacturing people will benefit from better understanding how gears are measured and evaluated; Others from quoting, processing and sales also can gain knowledge of inspection reports beyond the "wiggly lines"

Learning Objectives

- Identify major gear characteristics measured and methods used
- Evaluate pitch, profile and helix
- Use AGMA ANSI ISO analysis methods
- Compare/contrast 2008-A88 with the current standard AGMA ANSI ISO 1328-1-B14
- Understanding errors from various gear manufacturing processes
- Hobbing
- Shaping
- Shaving
- Grinding
- Understanding the relationship between inspection charts and manufacturing kinematics
- Using inspection chart information to determine the root causes of errors

Required Textbook

Textbook will be provided by AGMA

COURSE OUTLINE

Nomenclature review

Gear terminology

What is measured and how?

How gears are measured

CNC analytical gear inspection

Pitch

Single pitch

Cumulative pitch Analyzed runout

Helix

Is it metal, helix or lead?

Profile

Evaluation of the trace data

AGMA ANSI ISO 1328-1-B14 standard

Total

Form

Angle

Crown

Specified profile, specified helix

AGMA 2000-A88

Real world additional requirements on drawings

Band fit vs analyzed numerical results

What does it mean and what to do about it?

Some Things to Consider

Pitch Errors

Helix Errors

Profile Errors

Interpreting the charts with examples

Helix variation

Patterns and causes

Profile variation

Patterns and causes

Hob runout and solution

Pitch variation

Patterns and causes

STUDENT FEEDBACK AND GRADING PROCEDURES

Assignments

There will be a short self-graded quiz at the end to show knowledge transfer.

COURSE MANAGEMENT

Weather Delays and Cancelations

We will communicate any cancellations, delays or other concerns for safety prior to class via email, voicemail, and/or text message. Please be sure that we have all pertinent contact information as you travel to your class location.

Attendance for Domestic and International Students

Please be mindful that these are short, accelerated courses. Attendance is extremely important. If you are going to be absent from any class day, please contact the course coordinator.

Plagiarism, Cheating and other types of Misconduct

Plagiarism¹, cheating and other types of misconduct are unacceptable.

Students with Disabilities

Students requiring assistance and accommodation should complete the Special Accommodation Request form and submit it to Stephanie Smialek, Education Manager at smialek@motionpower.org. She can be reached at 773-302-8026.

Grievance Procedures

Students who have concerns about the class are encouraged to contact Stephanie Smialek, Education Manager, at smialek@motionpower.org or 773-302-8026.

Outline Changes

The instructor reserves the right to modify the outline during the course of the class.

LEARNING AND OTHER RESOURCES

Links for writing resources:

- grammar.ccc.commnet.edu/grammar
- www.merriam-webster.com

Links for Math resources:

- www.sosmath.com
- Khan Academy on www.youtube.com

Links for time management, study skills and note taking resources:

- www.mindtools.com
- www.testakingtips.com

Links for career resources:

https://www.agma.org/newsroom/jobs/

Industry News:

https://www.agma.org/newsroom/industry-news/

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