

COURSE OVERVIEW ME0397 Practical Pump & Valve Technology

Selection, Operation, Control, Maintenance & Troubleshooting

Course Title

Practical Pump & Valve Technology: Selection, Operation, Control, Maintenance & Troubleshooting

o CEUs

(30 PDHs)

Course Reference

ME0397

Course Duration/Credits

Five days/3.0 CEUs/3.0 PDHs



Course Date/Venue

Session(s)	Date	Venue
1	May 19-23, 2024	Kizkulesi, Crown Plaza Istanbul Asia Hotels & Convention Center, Istanbul, Turkey
2	September 22-26, 2024	The Kooh Al Noor Meeting Room, The H Dubai Hotel, Sheikh Zayed Rd - Trade Centre, Dubai, UAE
3	October 21-25, 2024	Hampstead Meeting Room, London Marriott Hotel Regents Park, London, United Kingdom
4	February 09-13, 2025	Oryx Meeting Room, Doubletree By Hilton Doha-Al Sadd, Doha, Qatar

Course Description







This practical highly-interactive course includes various practical sessions and exercises. Theory learnt will be applied using our state-of-the-art simulators.

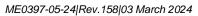
The aim of this course is to provide delegates with a detailed and up-to-date overview of the operating performance of valves and pumps commonly employed in process plant and the manner in which they are chosen to provide the optimum configuration.

This course will concentrate on the fundamental aspects and operating principles and practice of pumps and control valves and will address the operating problems which are often experienced by plant personnel. This course will deliver this important engineering discipline whilst reducing to the absolute minimum the level of mathematics required.

On completion of this course, participants will be able to acquire the practical engineering knowledge to enable them not only to choose the correct device or combination of devices for a particular application but also to be in a position to resolve common operating problems associated with this topic. In addition, this course addresses the importance of safety in the selection and operation of these devices.



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Course Objectives

Upon the successful completion of this course, each participant will be able to:-

- Select, operate, control, maintain and troubleshoot pumps and valves used in process industry
- Solve operating problems of pumps and valves which are often experienced by plant personnel
- Apply practical engineering knowledge that is essential not only to choose the correct device or combination of devices for a particular application but also to troubleshoot such devices correctly
- Recognize design issues and installation guidance for optimum performance of pumps and valves
- Employ proper techniques in operation and maintenance of pump and valves
- Implement proven control strategies for optimum pump and valve performance including analogue and digital controls signals

Who Should Attend

This course provides an overview of all significant aspects and considerations of pump and valve for project engineers, process engineers and plant engineers in the oil, chemical and other process industries, who require a wider and deeper appreciation of the operating characteristics and the procedure required for the selection of pumps and valves. No prior knowledge of the topic is required.

Training Methodology

All our Courses are including **Hands-on Practical Sessions** using equipment, State-of-the-Art Simulators, Drawings, Case Studies, Videos and Exercises. The courses include the following training methodologies as a percentage of the total tuition hours:-

- 30% Lectures
- 20% Practical Workshops & Work Presentations
- 30% Hands-on Practical Exercises & Case Studies
- 20% Simulators (Hardware & Software) & Videos

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In an unlikely event, the course instructor may modify the above training methodology before or during the course for technical reasons.

Course Fee

Istanbul	US\$ 6,000 per Delegate + VAT . This rate includes Participants Pack (Folder, Manual, Hand-outs, etc.), buffet lunch, coffee/tea on arrival, morning & afternoon of each day.
Dubai	US\$ 5,500 per Delegate + VAT . This rate includes H-STK [®] (Haward Smart Training Kit), buffet lunch, coffee/tea on arrival, morning & afternoon of each day.
London	US\$ 8,800 per Delegate + VAT . This rate includes Participants Pack (Folder, Manual, Hand-outs, etc.), buffet lunch, coffee/tea on arrival, morning & afternoon of each day
Doha	US\$ 6,000 per Delegate. This rate includes H-STK [®] (Haward Smart Training Kit), buffet lunch, coffee/tea on arrival, morning & afternoon of each day.
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Course Certificate(s)

Internationally recognized certificates will be issued to all participants of the course who completed a minimum of 80% of the total tuition hours.

Certificate Accreditations

Certificates are accredited by the following international accreditation organizations:-

The International Accreditors for Continuing Education and Training (IACET - USA)

Haward Technology is an Authorized Training Provider by the International Accreditors for Continuing Education and Training (IACET), 2201 Cooperative Way, Suite 600, Herndon, VA 20171, USA. In obtaining this authority, Haward Technology has demonstrated that it complies with the ANSI/IACET 2018-1 Standard which is widely recognized as the standard of good practice internationally. As a result of our Authorized Provider membership status, Haward Technology is authorized to offer IACET CEUs for its programs that gualify under the ANSI/IACET 2018-1 Standard.

Haward Technology's courses meet the professional certification and continuing education requirements for participants seeking Continuing Education Units (CEUs) in accordance with the rules & regulations of the International Accreditors for Continuing Education & Training (IACET). IACET is an international authority that evaluates programs according to strict, research-based criteria and guidelines. The CEU is an internationally accepted uniform unit of measurement in qualified courses of continuing education.

Haward Technology Middle East will award 3.0 CEUs (Continuing Education Units) or 30 PDHs (Professional Development Hours) for participants who completed the total tuition hours of this program. One CEU is equivalent to ten Professional Development Hours (PDHs) or ten contact hours of the participation in and completion of Haward Technology programs. A permanent record of a participant's involvement and awarding of CEU will be maintained by Haward Technology. Haward Technology will provide a copy of the participant's CEU and PDH Transcript of Records upon request.

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British Accreditation Council (BAC)

Haward Technology is accredited by the British Accreditation Council for Independent Further and Higher Education as an International Centre. BAC is the British accrediting body responsible for setting standards within independent further and higher education sector in the UK and overseas. As a BAC-accredited international centre, Haward Technology meets all of the international higher education criteria and standards set by BAC.

Accommodation

Accommodation is not included in the course fees. However, any accommodation required can be arranged at the time of booking.



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Course Instructor(s)

This course will be conducted by the following instructor(s). However, we have the right to change the course instructor(s) prior to the course date and inform participants accordingly:



During his career life, Mr. Ladwig has gained his practical experience through his various significant positions and dedication as the Mechanical Engineer, Project Engineer, Reliability & Maintenance Engineer, Maintenance Support Engineer, Process Engineer, HSE Supervisor, Warehouse Manager, Quality Manager, Business Analyst, Senior Process Controller, Process Controller, Safety Officer, Mechanical Technician, Senior Lecturer and Senior Consultant/Trainer for various companies such as the Sasol Ltd., Sasol Wax, Sasol Synfuels, just to name a few.

Mr. Ladwig has a **Bachelor's** degree in **Chemical Engineering** and a **Diploma** in **Mechanical Engineering**. Further, he is a **Certified Instructor/Trainer**, a **Certified Internal Verifier/Assessor/Trainer** by the **Institute of Leadership & Management (ILM)** and has delivered various trainings, workshops, seminars, courses and conferences internationally.



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Course Program

The following program is planned for this course. However, the course instructor(s) may modify this program before or during the course for technical reasons with no prior notice to participants. Nevertheless, the course objectives will always be met:

Day 1		
0730 - 0800	Registration & Coffee	
0800 - 0815	Welcome & Introduction	
0815 - 0830	PRE-TEST	
0830 - 0930	Introduction to Pumps and Valves	
0030 - 0330	Highlighted Problem Areas	
0930 - 0945	Break	
0945 - 1100	General Description of Centrifugal Pumps and Turbines	
1100 – 1215	Centrifugal Pumps	
1100 - 1215	Torque, Head and Flow Calculations	
1215 – 1230	Break	
1220 1220	Axial Flow Pumps	
1230 – 1330	Torque and Power Calculations	
1330 - 1400	Video: Basic Pump Types and Technologies	
1400 - 1420	Discussion	
1420 - 1430	Recap	
1430	Lunch & End of Day One	

Day 2

	Pump Performance Curves	
0730 – 0830	Centrifugal Multistage Pump • Mixed-Flow Machines • Effect of Impeller Speed and Diameter on Performance	
0830 - 0930	Pump Specific Speed and Specific Radius	
0930 - 0945	Break	
0945 - 1100	Centrifugal Pumps Basics	
	Types of Centrifugal PumpsSelf-Priming PumpsSpecific SpeedsSuction Specific SpeedOptimum Efficiency Point	
1100 - 1215	Centrifugal Pump Design Issues Balancing Disc Impeller NPSHR Impeller Centre-Rib Mechanical Seals Velocity Head Affinity Laws Suction Lift Re-Rate/Retrofit • Head-Rise Radial/Horizontal Split Case	
1215 - 1230	Break	
1230 - 1400	<i>Centrifugal Pump Installation Guidance for Optimum Performance</i> Foundation Problems • Soft Foot • Suction Pipe • Suction Strainer	
1400 – 1420	Video: Fundamentals of Pump Performance	
1420 - 1430	Recap Using this Course Overview, the Instructor(s) will Brief Participants about the Topics that were Discussed Today and Advise Them of the Topics to be Discussed Tomorrow	
1430	Lunch & End of Day Two	



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Day 3

	Optimum Centrifugal Pump Operation	
0730 - 0930	Start-up Minimum Flow Maximum Pump RPM Motor Motor	
	Current/Specific Gravity • Entrained Gas • Operation at Shut Off •	
	Temperature-Rise • Thermal Shock	
0930 - 0945	Break	
0945 – 1100	Centrifugal Pump Maintenance	
	Case Gasket • Checking For Wear Clearance • Oil Change • Pump Storage	
0040 1100	• Bearing Failures • Bearing Housing Oil Leakage • Cavitation Noise and	
	Damage • Pump Vibration • Cracked Volute Tongues	
1100 - 1215	Centrifugal Pump Re-Rate/Retrofit	
	Impeller Cut • NPSH • De-Staging • Electric Motor Sizing • Effect of	
	Viscosity Changes on Optimum Performance	
1215 – 1230	Break	
1230 – 1300	Video: Pump Hydraulic Loads, Critical Speed and Torque	
1300 – 1330	Video: Bearings, Seals and Couplings	
1330 - 1420	Discussion Forum	
	Recap	
1420 - 1430	Using this Course Overview, the Instructor(s) will Brief Participants about the	
	Topics that were Discussed Today and Advise Them of the Topics to be	
	Discussed Tomorrow	
1430	Lunch & End of Day Three	

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	Principles of Control Valve Technology [1]	
0730 – 0830	Types of Control Valves, e.g. Globe, Butterfly, Ball and Cage Valves etc. •	
	Control Valve Flow Characteristics • Noise and Cavitation in Control Valves	
	Principles of Control Valve Technology [2]	
0830 - 0930	Actuators and Positioners • Valve Testing • Transmitters for Each of the	
	Process Variables • Smart Transmitters • Control Loop Testing	
0930 - 0945	Break	
	Valve Control Loops	
0945 – 1100	The 3-15 psi and 4 - 20 MA Control Loops • Digital Transmission and the	
	Control Room	
	Control Strategies for Optimum Valve Performance	
1100 – 1215	Manual Control • Feedback Control • Feed Forward Control • Simple On-	
	Off Control	
1215 – 1230	Break	
1000 1000	Other Control Strategies	
1230 – 1330	Proportional, Integral and Derivative Control-Valve Systems	
1330 - 1420	Analogue and Digital Control Signals	
	Direct Digital Control, Analogue/Digital Conversion, Digital/Analogue	
	Conversion	
1420 - 1430	Recap	
	Using this Course Overview, the Instructor(s) will Brief Participants about the	
	Topics that were Discussed Today and Advise Them of the Topics to be	
	Discussed Tomorrow	
1430	Lunch & End of Day Four	



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Day 5

0730 – 0930	<i>Valve Safety Issues</i> <i>Cleanliness, Fault-Finding Instrumentation, Preventive Maintenance</i>	
0930 - 0945	Break	
0945 – 1215	Centrifugal Pump Troubleshooting	
	Bearing Failures • Bearing Housing Oil Leakage • Cavitation Noise and	
0040 - 1210	Damage • Impeller Cavitation/Erosion • Vibration • Cracked Volute	
	Tongues Net Positive Suction Head	
1215 – 1230	Break	
1230 – 1300	Video: Special Pump Topics	
1300 - 1345	Discussion Forum	
1345 – 1400	Course Conclusion	
1400 - 1415	POST-TEST	
1415 – 1430	Presentation of Course Certificates	
1430	Lunch & End of Course	



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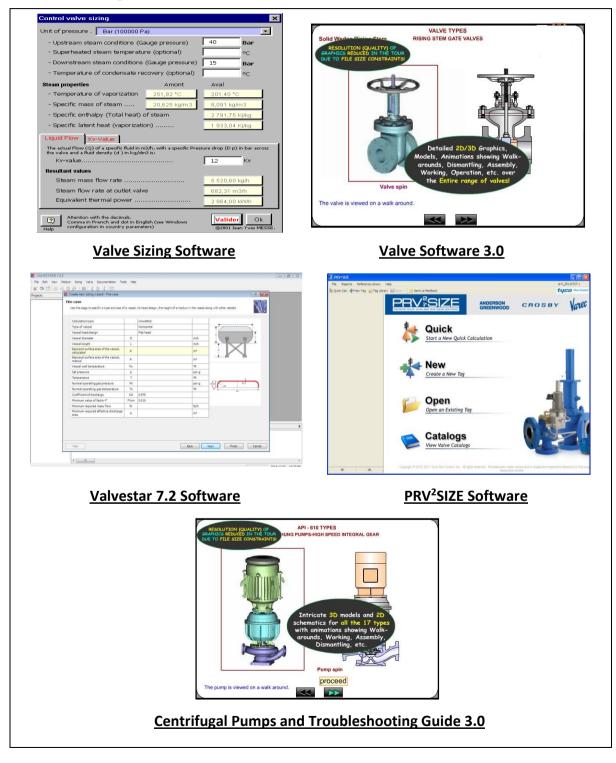


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Simulators (Hands-on Practical Sessions)

Practical sessions will be organized during the course for delegates to practice the theory learnt. Delegates will be provided with an opportunity to carryout various exercises using our state-of-the-art "Valve Sizing Software", "Valve Software 3.0", "Valvestar 7.2 Software", "PRV²SIZE Software" and "Centrifugal Pumps and Troubleshooting Guide 3.0" simulators.



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