

ME 686 Micro-manufacturing (3-0-0-6)

Introduction to micro-manufacturing: definition, need/importance, applications. Size effect. Classification of micro-manufacturing processes. Micro-machining processes: molecular dynamics at atomistic scale, diamond micro-machining and grinding, ultrasonic micro-machining, micro-EDM, laser beam micro-machining, micro-ECM, electron beam micro-machining, focused ion-beam techniques, abrasive micro-finishing techniques. Micro-forming techniques: laser micro-bending, micro-deep drawing and micro-extrusion. Micro-welding and joining techniques. Micro-fabrication using deposition techniques such as epitaxial, sputtering, chemical vapor deposition (CVD) techniques and Lithography (LIGA) based techniques. Sensors and actuators for micro-manufacturing. Metrology for micro-manufacturing. Introduction to nano-scale manufacturing.

Textbooks:

- [1] V.K. Jain, Micromanufacturing Processes, Taylor and Francis, 2012.
- [2] J. McGeough, Micromachining of Engineering Materials, Marcel Dekker, 2002.

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- [1] K. F. Ehmann, Micromanufacturing: International Assessment of Research and Development, Springer, 2007.
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- [4] R. W. Johnstone, Introduction to Surface micromachining, Kluwer Academic, 2004..
- [5] M. Madou, Fundamentals of microfabrication, CRC Press, 1997.
- [6] H. J. Levinson, Principles of lithography, 2nd ed., SPIE Press, 2005.