

Automation & Robotics Virtual Learning 7th & 8th Gear Ratios Day 2

April 22nd, 2020



PLTW: Automation & Robotics Lesson: Gear Ratios Day 2 [April 22nd]

Objective/Learning Target:

Students will review their knowledge of gear ratios and demonstrate their understanding of how gear ratios affect speed and torque in a mechanism.

Instructions (same as Day 1)



*To complete the Warm-up, practice, and questions electronically, click here

Warm-up

Today we will be using our knowledge of gear ratios to determine what is happening to speed and torque in a given mechanism.

In our second lesson, Mechanisms Day 2 (April 7th) we learned four facts about speed and torque.

Can you recall a different fact about Speed then the one you picked yesterday? Your answer:

Can you recall different fact about Torque then the one you picked yesterday? Your answer:

(If you need help here is the link to Mechanisms Day 2)

1.) What is the simplified gear ratio for 55:100 and what is happening to Speed and Torque?



2.) What is the simplified gear ratio for 88:48 and what is happening to Speed and Torque?



3.) What is the simplified gear ratio for 50:50 and what is happening to Speed and Torque?



4.) What is the simplified gear ratio for 42:48 and what is happening to Speed and Torque?



Extend Your Learning

To learn more about calculating compound Gear ratios check this <u>video</u> out!