# Summer 2 Term 2023 June 29 - July 31 Syllabus for 1308 "Introduction to Electricity and Magnetism"



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## **Textbooks**

Primary textbook: Fundamentals of Physics Halliday, David, Robert Resnick, and Jearl Walker. 11th edition New York: John Wiley & Sons.

Alternate textbook 1 (self learning, not for homework submission): Knight, Randall D. Physics for Scientists & Engineers: A Strategic Approach with Modern Physics. Boston, MA: Addison-Wesley.

Alternate textbook 2 (self learning, not for homework submission): Serway, Raymond A., and John W. Jewett, Jr. *Physics for Scientists and Engineers with Physics Now and InfoTrac*. New York: Brooks/Cole.

# **Class meetings**

The class will meet every weekday from 9 am to 10:50 am.

There will be 1 hr office hour every weekday at 3 pm in room 049 in Fondren Science Building.

# **Course description**

Introductory Electricity and Magnetism is a calculusbased college-level physics course for engineering and physics majors.

Students will be expected to familiarize themselves with the material scheduled for each of the days prior to the class (see Syllabus attached on Canvas). To help to prepare, PowerPoint slides will be posted on Canvas.

Students finishing this course should have a strong conceptual understanding of physics and well-developed skills in performing and analyzing laboratory activities. This course utilizes guided inquiry and student-centered learning to foster the development of critical thinking skills.

Benefits of taking this course

- 1. Quickly acquire UC tags and satisfy your major's requirements
- 2. Retake to improve your grade
- 3. Gain transferable skills in problem solving
- 4. Take advantage of Summer term's small class sizes

# **Disability Accommodations**

Students needing academic accommodations for a disability must first register with Disability Accommodations & Success Strategies (DASS). Students can call 214-768-1470 or visit http://www.smu.edu/Provost/ALEC/DASS to begin the process. Once registered, students should then schedule an appointment with the professor as early in the semester as possible, present a DASS Accommodation Letter, and make appropriate arrangements. Please note that accommodations are not retroactive and require advance notice to implement.

Accommodations for an extended time test need to be made in advance with DASS for all tests. If you chose to take the test in class with the rest of the students, your test will be collected at the same time as others.

You are urged to make extended time arrangements in advance with DASS. Our schedule makes it impossible to accommodate all students who need extra test time without advanced request.

# **Religious Observance**

Religiously observant students wishing to be absent on holidays that require missing class should notify their professors in writing at the beginning of the semester, and should discuss with them, in advance, acceptable ways of making up any work missed because of the absence. (See University Policy No. 1.9.)

# **Excused Absences for University**

Students participating in an officially sanctioned, scheduled University extracurricular activity should be given the opportunity to make up class assignments or other graded assignments missed as a result of their participation. It is the responsibility of the student to make arrangements with the instructor prior to any missed scheduled examination or other missed assignment for making up the work. (University Undergraduate Catalogue)

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# **Student Learning Outcomes**

This is a calculus based course which will include some basic integration, differentiation, and discussion of the use of differential equations. Students will learn about the following topics: the concept of an electromagnetic (EM) field; understand the concepts of charge and current; know the concept of electrostatic potential and why it is useful; build an electric circuit and predict it's behavior; understand duality of light.

- 1. Students will be able to develop quantitative models as related to the course subject matter.
- 2. Students will be able to assess the strengths and limitations of quantitative models and methods.
- 3. Students will be able to apply symbolic systems of representation.

- 4. Students will be able to test hypotheses and make recommendations or predictions based on results.
- 5. Students will be able to communicate and represent quantitative information or results numerically, symbolically, aurally, visually, verbally, or in writing.

# **Teaching strategies**

The first 15 minutes of the class are reserved for review. The next 60 minutes are devoted to lectures and demonstrations. Here, a concept is presented to emphasize practical/real-life applications, stressing important definitions and limitations. The rest of the class is devoted to solving a set of problems and question-answer sessions, the students are guided in a discussion to develop solutions to the problems. Daily homework and quizzes will be assigned. Students are expected to dedicate a minimum of 1 hr a day to this course outside the classroom.

#### Material to be covered in the course:

Friday June 29 2023

#### Intro

Charge and Electrostatics Coulomb's law

HW 1 assigned due on last day of classes by 11:59 pm

Monday July 2 2023

Quiz 1 on Coulomb's Law (on Wiley)

#### The Electric Field

The electric field Point-charge distributions

HW 2 assigned, due on last day of classes by 11:59 pm

Tuesday July 3 2023

Quiz 2 on E-field (on Wiley)

Continuous charge distributions Motion of charged particles in an electric field

HW 3 assigned, due on last day of classes by 11:59 pm

Wednesday, July 4, 2023. Holiday

## Thursday, July 5 2023

Quiz 3 on E-field for continuous charge distribution (on Wiley)

Gauss' law

Electric flux

Gauss's law (general)

Gauss's law and various continuous charge distributions

HW 4 assigned, due on last day of classes by 11:59 pm

Friday July 6 2023

Quiz 4 on Gauss' Law (on Wiley)

## Electric Potential (part 1)

Electric potential and potential difference Potential differences in uniform electric fields HW 5 assigned due on last day of classes by 11:59 pm

Monday July 9 2023

Quiz 5 on Electric potential (on Wiley)

Potential and point charges Potential and continuous charge distributions

HW 6 assigned due on last day of classes by 11:59 pm

Tuesday July 10 2023

Quiz 6 on Potential difference (on Wiley)

Capacitance

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Gauss' law and capacitance

Combination of capacitors Energy stored in capacitors Dielectrics

HW 7 assigned due on last day of classes by 11:59 pm

Wednesday July 11 2023

Quiz 7 on Capacitance (on Wiley)

#### DC circuits

Ohm's law Resistivity Electrical power

HW 8 assigned due on last day of classes by 11:59 pm

## Thursday July 12 2023

Quiz 8 on DC circuits (on Wiley)

Electromotive force and internal resistance Equivalent resistance

Kirchhoff's rules RC circuits

HW 9 assigned due on last day of classes by 11:59 pm

## Friday July 13 2023

Quiz 9 on Kirchhoff's rules (on Wiley)

## Magnetism

Magnetic force on moving charges and currents Path of moving charge in a magnetic field Hall effect

HW 10 assigned due on last day of classes by 11:59 pm

Monday July 16 2023

Quiz 10 on Magnetic force (on Wiley)

Biot-Savart law

Parallel conductors Ampere's law Solenoids and toroids

HW 11 assigned due on last day of classes by 11:59 pm

#### Tuesday July 17 2023

Quiz 11 on Biot-Savart, Ampere's , laws (on Wiley)

## **Magnetic Induction**

Magnetic flux

Gauss's law of magnetism Faraday's law of induction

Lenz's law

Induced emf and electric fields

Generators and motors

HW 12 assigned due on last day of classes by 11:59 pm

Wednesday July 18 2023

Quiz 12 on Faraday's and Lenz's laws (on Wiley)

**Inductance** 

Self-inductance RL circuits

HW 13 assigned due on last day of classes by 11:59 pm

Thursday July 19 2023

Quiz 13 on RL circuits (on Wiley)

Energy in magnetic fields Mutual inductance Electronic oscillations in LC circuits

HW 14 assigned due on last day of classes by 11:59 pm

Friday July 20 2023

**Alternating Current** 

The RLC circuit

Quiz 14 on RLC circuits (on Wiley)

## Electromagnetic waves

Nature of light

**Mirrors** 

HW 15 assigned due on last day of classes by 11:59 pm

Monday July 23 2023

Quiz 15 on light and mirrors (on Wiley)

Lenses

HW 16 assigned due on last day of classes by 11:59 pm

Tuesday July 24 2023

Quiz 16 on lenses (on Wiley)

Interference

Diffraction

HW 17 assigned due on last day of classes by 11:59 pm

Wednesday July 25 2023

Quiz 17 on interference and diffraction (on Wiley)

Thursday July 26 & Friday July 27 2023

Preparation for the Final Exam

Monday July 31 2023

Final Exam (Cumulative) at 9 am-12 pm in class 158 Fondren Science Building

# **Grading**

"Final Grade" will be calculated as following:

10% Class Participation + 30% Quizzes + 30% Homework + 30% Final Exam Grade

Letter grade breakdown:

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"A": [91%-100%],

"A-": [88%-90%],
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"B+": [83%-87%],

"B": [78%-82%],

"B-": [73%-77%],

"C+": [69%-72%],

"C": [64%-68%],

"C-": [61%-63%],

"D": [50%-60%],
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There is no grade curving in this course

One lowest Homework grade and one lowest Quiz grade will be dropped.

**Final Exams**: Please, refer to Academic calendar at http://smu.edu/ registrar/ academic\_calendar.asp