

# **CURRICULUM**

**B.Sc. Honours in Physics (1<sup>st</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> Semester)  
(Only for the academic session 2020-2021 under COVID-19 pandemic)**



**UNDER CHOICE BASED CREDIT SYSTEM  
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## B.Sc. Honours in Physics

There will be six semesters in the three- year **B.Sc. Honours in Physics**. The Curriculum consists of 14 Core Courses (C), 2 Ability Enhancement Compulsory Courses (AECC), 2 Skill Enhancement Courses (SEC) and 4 Discipline Specific Elective (DSE) Courses and 4 [Generic Elective \(GE\) courses](#) [to be taken from the pool of [Generic Elective courses](#)]. Each course is of 50 marks. L stands for Lecture Hour, T for Tutorial Hour and P for Practical Hour.

## Course Structure (Physics-Major)

### Details of courses under B.Sc. (Honors)

Course	*Credits	
	Theory+ Practical	Theory + Tutorial
<b>I. Core Course</b>		
<b>(14 Papers)</b>	14X4= 56	14X5=70
<b>Core Course Practical / Tutorial*</b>		
<b>(14 Papers)</b>	14X2=28	14X1=14
<b>II. Elective Course</b>		
<b>(8 Papers)</b>		
A.1. Discipline Specific Elective	4X4=16	4X5=20
<b>(4 Papers)</b>		
A.2. Discipline Specific Elective		
Practical/Tutorial*	4 X 2=8	4X1=4
<b>(4 Papers)</b>		
B.1. Generic Elective/		
Interdisciplinary	4X4=16	4X5=20
<b>(4 Papers)</b>		
B.2. Generic Elective		
Practical/ Tutorial*	4 X 2=8	4X1=4
<b>(4 Papers)</b>		

- **Optional Dissertation or project work in place of one Discipline Specific Elective paper (6 credits) in 6<sup>th</sup> Semester**

### **III. Ability Enhancement Courses**

#### **1. Ability Enhancement Compulsory**

**(2 Papers of 2 credit each)**

2 X 2=4

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Environmental Science

English/MIL Communication

#### **2. Ability Enhancement Elective (Skill Based)**

(Minimum 2)

2 X 2=4

2 X 2=4

**(2 Papers of 2 credit each)**

**Total credit**

**140**

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**Institute should evolve a system/policy about ECA/ General Interest/Hobby/Sports/NCC/NSS/related courses on its own.**

**\* wherever there is a practical there will be no tutorial and vice-versa**

**PROPOSED SCHEME FOR CHOICE BASED CREDIT SYSTEM IN**  
**B. Sc. Honours (Physics)**

	<b>CORE COURSE (14)</b>	<b>Ability Enhancement Compulsory Course (AECC) (2)</b>	<b>Skill Enhancement Course (SEC)(2)</b>	<b>Elective: Discipline Specific DSE (4)</b>	<b>Elective: Generic (GE) (4)</b>
<b>I</b>	Mathematical Physics-I (4+4)	<b>(English/MIL Communication)/ Environmental Science</b>			<b>GE-1</b>
	Mechanics (4+4)				
<b>II</b>	Electricity & Magnetism (4+4)	<b>Environmental Science/ (English/MIL Communication)</b>			<b>GE-2</b>
	Waves and Optics (4+4)				
<b>III</b>	Mathematical Physics-II (4+4)		<b>SEC-1</b>		<b>GE-3</b>
	Thermal Physics (4+4)				
	Digital Systems and Applications				
<b>IV</b>	Mathematical Physics-III (4+4)		<b>SEC-2</b>		<b>GE-4</b>
	Elements and Modern Physics (4+4)				
	Analog Systems and Applications (4+4)				
<b>V</b>	Quantum Mechanics and Applications (4+4)			<b>DSE-1</b>	
	Solid State Physics (4+4)			<b>DSE-2</b>	
<b>VI</b>	Electromagnetic Theory (4+4)			<b>DSE-3</b>	
	Statistical Mechanics (4+4)			<b>DSE-4</b>	

<b>SEMESTER</b>	<b>COURSE OPTED</b>	<b>COURSE NAME</b>	<b>Credits</b>
<b>I</b>	<b>Ability Enhancement Compulsory Course-I</b>	<b>English/MIL communications/ Environmental Science</b>	<b>2</b>
	<b>Core course-I</b>	<b>Mathematical Physics-I</b>	<b>4</b>
	<b>Core Course-I Practical/Tutorial</b>	<b>Mathematical Physics-I Lab</b>	<b>2</b>
	<b>Core course-II</b>	<b>Mechanics</b>	<b>4</b>
	<b>Core Course-II Practical/Tutorial</b>	<b>Mechanics Lab</b>	<b>2</b>
	<b>Generic Elective -1</b>	<b>GE-1</b>	<b>4/5</b>
	<b>Generic Elective -1 Practical/Tutorial</b>		<b>2/1</b>
<b>II</b>	<b>Ability Enhancement Compulsory Course-II</b>	<b>English/MIL communications/ Environmental Science</b>	<b>2</b>
	<b>Core course-III</b>	<b>Electricity and Magnetism</b>	<b>4</b>
	<b>Core Course-III Practical/Tutorial</b>	<b>Electricity and Magnetism Lab</b>	<b>2</b>
	<b>Core course-IV</b>	<b>Waves and Optics</b>	<b>4</b>
	<b>Core Course-IV Practical/Tutorial</b>	<b>Waves and Optics Lab</b>	<b>2</b>
	<b>Generic Elective -2</b>	<b>GE-2</b>	<b>4/5</b>
	<b>Generic Elective -2 Practical/Tutorial</b>		<b>2/1</b>
<b>III</b>	<b>Core course-V</b>	<b>Mathematical Physics-II</b>	<b>4</b>
	<b>Core Course-V Practical/Tutorial</b>	<b>Mathematical Physics-II Lab</b>	<b>2</b>
	<b>Core course-VI</b>	<b>Thermal Physics</b>	<b>4</b>
	<b>Core Course-VI Practical/Tutorial</b>	<b>Thermal Physics Lab</b>	<b>2</b>
	<b>Core course-VII</b>	<b>Digital Systems and Applications</b>	<b>4</b>
	<b>Core Course-VII Practical/Tutorial</b>	<b>Digital Systems &amp; Applications Lab</b>	<b>2</b>
	<b>Skill Enhancement Course -1</b>	<b>SEC-1</b>	<b>2</b>
	<b>Generic Elective -3</b>	<b>GE-3</b>	<b>4/5</b>
	<b>Generic Elective -3 Practical/Tutorial</b>		<b>2/1</b>
<b>IV</b>	<b>Core course-VIII</b>	<b>Mathematical Physics III</b>	<b>4</b>
	<b>Course-VIII Practical/Tutorial</b>	<b>Mathematical Physics-III Lab</b>	<b>2</b>
	<b>Core course-IX</b>	<b>Elements of Modern Physics</b>	<b>4</b>
	<b>Course-IX Practical/Tutorial</b>	<b>Elements of Modern Physics Lab</b>	<b>2</b>
	<b>Core course-X</b>	<b>Analog Systems and Applications</b>	<b>4</b>
	<b>Course- X Practical/Tutorial</b>	<b>Analog Systems &amp; Applications Lab</b>	<b>2</b>
	<b>Skill Enhancement Course -2</b>	<b>SEC -2</b>	<b>2</b>
	<b>Generic Elective -4</b>	<b>GE-4</b>	<b>4/5</b>
	<b>Generic Elective -4 Practical</b>		<b>2/1</b>
<b>V</b>	<b>Core course-XI</b>	<b>Quantum Mechanics &amp; Applications</b>	<b>4</b>
	<b>Core Course-XI Practical/Tutorial</b>	<b>Quantum Mechanics Lab</b>	<b>2</b>
	<b>Core course-XII</b>	<b>Solid State Physics</b>	<b>4</b>
	<b>Core Course-XII Practical/Tutorial</b>	<b>Solid State Physics Lab</b>	<b>2</b>
	<b>Discipline Specific Elective -1</b>	<b>DSE-1</b>	<b>4</b>
	<b>Discipline Specific Elective -1 Practical/Tutorial</b>	<b>DSE-1 Lab</b>	<b>2</b>

	<b>Discipline Specific Elective -2</b>	<b>DSE-2</b>	<b>4</b>
	<b>Discipline Specific Elective- 2 Practical/Tutorial</b>	<b>DSE-2 Lab</b>	<b>2</b>
<b>VI</b>	<b>Core course-XIII</b>	<b>Electro-magnetic Theory</b>	<b>4</b>
	<b>Core Course-XIII Practical/Tutorial</b>	<b>Electro-magnetic Theory Lab</b>	<b>2</b>
	<b>Core course-XIV</b>	<b>Statistical Mechanics</b>	<b>4</b>
	<b>Core Course-XIV Practical/Tutorial</b>	<b>Statistical Mechanics Lab</b>	<b>2</b>
	<b>Discipline Specific Elective -3</b>	<b>DSE-3</b>	<b>4</b>
	<b>Discipline Specific Elective -3 Practical/Tutorial</b>	<b>DSE-3 Lab</b>	<b>2</b>
	<b>Discipline Specific Elective-4</b>	<b>DSE-4</b>	<b>4</b>
	<b>Discipline Specific Elective -4 Practical/Tutorial</b>	<b>DSE-4 Lab</b>	<b>2</b>
<b>Total Credits</b>			<b>140</b>

**Core Papers (C): (Credit: 06 each)** (1 period/week for tutorials or 4 periods/week for practical)

1. Mathematical Physics-I (4 + 4")
2. Mechanics (4 + 4)
3. Electricity and Magnetism (4 + 4)
4. Waves and Optics (4 + 4)
5. Mathematical Physics–II (4 + 4)
6. Thermal Physics (4 + 4)
7. Digital Systems and Applications (4 + 4)
8. Mathematical Physics III (4 + 4)
9. Elements of Modern Physics (4 + 4)
10. Analog Systems and Applications (4 + 4)
11. Quantum Mechanics and Applications (4 + 4)
12. Solid State Physics (4 + 4)
13. Electromagnetic Theory (4 + 4)
14. Statistical Mechanics (4 + 4)

**Discipline Specific Elective Papers: (Credit: 06 each) (4 papers to be selected)- DSE 1-4**

1. Experimental Techniques (4) + Lab (4)
2. COMMUNICATION ELECTRONICS (4) + Lab (4)
3. Classical Dynamics (5) + Tutorials (1)
4. Nuclear and Particle Physics (5) + Tutorials (1)

Note: Universities may include more options or delete some from this list

**Other Discipline (Four papers of any one discipline)- GE 1 to GE 4**

1. Mathematics (5) + Tut (1)
2. Chemistry (4) + Lab (4)
3. Computer Science (4) + Lab (4)

**Skill Enhancement Courses (02 to 04 papers) (Credit: 02 each)- SEC1 to SEC4**

1. Physics Workshop Skills
2. Computational Physics Skills
3. Electrical circuits and Network Skills
4. Basic Instrumentation Skills

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**Generic Elective Papers (GE) (Minor-Physics) (any four) for other Departments/Disciplines: (Credit: 06 each)**

1. Mechanics (4) + Lab (4)
2. Electricity and Magnetism (4) + Lab (4)
3. Thermal Physics (4) + Lab (4)
4. Quantum Mechanics (4) + Lab (4)
5. Nuclear and Particle Physics (5) + Tut (1)
6. DIGITAL, ANALOG CIRCUITS AND INSTRUMENTATION

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**CORE COURSE (HONOURS IN PHYSICS)**

**Semester I**

**PHYSICS-C I: MATHEMATICAL PHYSICS-I (Credits: Theory-04, Practicals-02)**

**Theory: 30 Lectures**

*The emphasis of course is on applications in solving problems of interest to physicists. The students are to be examined entirely on the basis of problems, seen and unseen.*

**Calculus:**

First Order and Second Order Differential equations: First Order Differential Equations and Integrating Factor. Homogeneous Equations with constant coefficients. Wronskian and general solution. Statement of existence and Uniqueness Theorem for Initial Value Problems. Particular Integral. **(8 Lectures)**

Calculus of functions of more than one variable: Partial derivatives, exact and inexact differentials. Integrating factor, with simple illustration. Constrained Maximization using Lagrange Multipliers. **(6 Lectures)**

**Vector Calculus:**

Vector Differentiation: Directional derivatives and normal derivative. Gradient of a scalar field and its geometrical interpretation. Divergence and curl of a vector field. Del and Laplacian operators. Vector identities. **(5 Lectures)**

Vector Integration: Ordinary Integrals of Vectors. Multiple integrals, Jacobian. Notion of infinitesimal line, surface and volume elements. Line, surface and volume integrals of Vector fields. Flux of a vector field. Gauss' divergence theorem, Green's and Stokes Theorems and their applications (no rigorous proofs). **(9 Lectures)**

**Dirac Delta function and its properties:**

Definition of Dirac delta function. Representation as limit of a Gaussian function and rectangular function. Properties of Dirac delta function. **(2 Lectures)**

**Reference Books:**

- Mathematical Methods for Physicists, G.B. Arfken, H.J. Weber, F.E. Harris, 2013, 7<sup>th</sup> Edn., Elsevier.
- An introduction to ordinary differential equations, E.A. Coddington, 2009, PHI learning
- Differential Equations, George F. Simmons, 2007, McGraw Hill.
- Mathematical Tools for Physics, James Nearing, 2010, Dover Publications.
- Mathematical methods for Scientists and Engineers, D.A. McQuarrie, 2003, Viva Book
- Advanced Engineering Mathematics, D.G. Zill and W.S. Wright, 5 Ed., 2012, Jones and Bartlett Learning
- Mathematical Physics, Goswami, 1<sup>st</sup> edition, Cengage Learning
- Engineering Mathematics, S.Pal and S.C. Bhunia, 2015, Oxford University Press
- Advanced Engineering Mathematics, Erwin Kreyszig, 2008, Wiley India.
- Essential Mathematical Methods, K.F.Riley & M.P.Hobson, 2011, Cambridge Univ. Press

## PHYSICS LAB- C I LAB:

**(At least 50 % of the laboratory experiments should be performed)**

### At least 30 Lectures

*The aim of this Lab is not just to teach computer programming and numerical analysis but to emphasize its role in solving problems in Physics.*

- *Highlights the use of computational methods to solve physical problems*
- *The course will consist of lectures (both theory and practical) in the Lab*
- *Evaluation done not on the programming but on the basis of formulating the problem*
- *Aim at teaching students to construct the computational problem to be solved.*
- *Students can use any one operating system Linux or Microsoft Windows.*

Topics	Description with Applications
Introduction and Overview	Computer architecture and organization, memory and Input/output devices
Basics of scientific computing	Binary and decimal arithmetic, Floating point numbers, algorithms, Sequence, Selection and Repetition, single and double precision arithmetic, underflow & overflow-emphasize the importance of making equations in terms of dimensionless variables, Iterative methods
Errors and error Analysis	Truncation and round off errors, Absolute and relative errors, Floating point computations.
Review of C & C++ fundamentals      Programming	Introduction to Programming, constants, variables and data types, operators and Expressions, I/O statements, scanf and printf, c in and c out, Manipulators for data formatting, Control statements (decision making and looping statements) ( <i>If statement. If else Statement. Nested if Structure. Else if Statement. Ternary Operator.</i>



	Goto Statement. Switch Statement. Unconditional and Conditional Looping. While Loop. Do-While Loop. FOR Loop. Break and Continue Statements. Nested Loops), Arrays (1D & 2D) and strings, user defined functions, Structures and Unions, Idea of classes and objects
Programs:	Sum & average of a list of numbers, largest of a given list of numbers and its location in the list, sorting of numbers in ascending descending order, Binary search
Random number generation	Area of circle, area of square, volume of sphere, value of pi ( $\pi$ )
Solution of Algebraic and Transcendental equations by Bisection, Newton Raphson and Secant methods	Solution of linear and quadratic equation, solving $\alpha = \tan \alpha ; I = I_0 \left( \frac{\sin \alpha}{\alpha} \right)^2$ in optics
Interpolation by Newton Gregory Forward and Backward difference formula, Error estimation of linear interpolation	Evaluation of trigonometric functions e.g. $\sin \theta$ , $\cos \theta$ , $\tan \theta$ , etc.
Numerical differentiation (Forward and Backward difference formula) and Integration (Trapezoidal and Simpson rules), Monte Carlo method	Given Position with equidistant time data to calculate velocity and acceleration and vice versa. Find the area of B-H Hysteresis loop

## PHYSICS-C II: MECHANICS

(Credits: Theory-04, Practicals-02)

**Theory: 30 Lectures**

**Elasticity:** Relation between Elastic constants. Twisting torque on a Cylinder or Wire.

**(3 Lectures)**

**Gravitation and Central Force Motion:** Law of gravitation. Gravitational potential energy. Inertial and gravitational mass. Potential and field due to spherical shell and solid sphere. **(3 Lectures)**

Motion of a particle under a central force field. Two-body problem and its reduction to one-body problem and its solution. The energy equation and energy diagram. Kepler's Laws.

**(3 Lectures)**

**Oscillations:** SHM: Simple Harmonic Oscillations. Differential equation of SHM and its solution. Kinetic energy, potential energy, total energy and their time-average values. Damped oscillation. Forced oscillations: Transient and steady states; Resonance, sharpness of resonance; power dissipation and Quality Factor. **(7 Lectures)**

**Non-Inertial Systems:** Non-inertial frames and fictitious forces. Uniformly rotating frame. Laws of Physics in rotating coordinate systems. Centrifugal force. Coriolis force and its applications. Components of Velocity and Acceleration in Cylindrical and Spherical Coordinate Systems. **(4 Lectures)**

**Special Theory of Relativity:** Michelson-Morley Experiment and its outcome. Postulates of Special Theory of Relativity. Lorentz Transformations. Simultaneity and order of events. Lorentz contraction. Time dilation. Relativistic transformation of velocity, frequency and wave number. Relativistic addition of velocities. Variation of mass with velocity. Massless Particles. Mass-energy Equivalence. Relativistic Doppler effect. Relativistic Kinematics. Transformation of Energy and Momentum. **(10 Lectures)**

**Reference Books:**

- An introduction to mechanics, D. Kleppner, R.J. Kolenkow, 1973, McGraw-Hill.
- Mechanics, Berkeley Physics, vol.1, C.Kittel, W.Knight, et.al. 2007, Tata McGraw-Hill.
- Physics, Resnick, Halliday and Walker 8/e. 2008, Wiley.
- Analytical Mechanics, G.R. Fowles and G.L. Cassiday. 2005, Cengage Learning.
- Feynman Lectures, Vol. I, R.P.Feynman, R.B.Leighton, M.Sands, 2008, Pearson Education
- Introduction to Special Relativity, R. Resnick, 2005, John Wiley and Sons.
- University Physics, Ronald Lane Reese, 2003, Thomson Brooks/Cole.

**Additional Books for Reference**

- Mechanics, D.S. Mathur, S. Chand and Company Limited, 2000
  - University Physics. F.W Sears, M.W Zemansky, H.D Young 13/e, 1986, Addison Wesley
  - Physics for scientists and Engineers with Modern Phys., J.W. Jewett, R.A. Serway, 2010, Cengage Learning
  - Theoretical Mechanics, M.R. Spiegel, 2006, Tata McGraw Hill.
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**PHYSICS LAB-C II LAB**

**(At least 50 % of the laboratory experiments should be performed)**

**At least 30 Lectures**

1. Measurements of length (or diameter) using vernier caliper, screw gauge and travelling microscope.
  2. To study the random error in observations.
  3. To determine the height of a building using a Sextant / free fall method.
  4. To study the Motion of Spring and calculate (a) Spring constant, (b)  $g$  and (c) Modulus of rigidity.
  5. To determine the Moment of Inertia of a Flywheel/ metallic bar about an axis passing through its centre of gravity.
  6. To determine  $g$  and velocity for a freely falling body using Digital Timing Technique/ free fall method.
  7. To determine Coefficient of Viscosity of given liquid by Stoke's method/Capillary Flow Method (Poiseuille's method).
  8. To determine the Young's Modulus of a Wire by Optical Lever/flexure Method.
  9. To determine the Modulus of Rigidity of a Wire by Maxwell's needle/dynamical methods/statistical method.
  10. To determine the elastic Constant young's modulus of a wire by Searle's method.
  11. To determine the value of  $g$  using Bar Pendulum.
  12. To determine the value of  $g$  using Kater's Pendulum.
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**Reference Books**

- Advanced Practical Physics for students, B. L. Flint and H.T. Worsnop, 1971, Asia Publishing House

- Advanced level Physics Practicals, Michael Nelson and Jon M. Ogborn, 4<sup>th</sup> Edition, reprinted 1985, Heinemann Educational Publishers
  - A Text Book of Practical Physics, I. Prakash & Ramakrishna, 11<sup>th</sup> Edn, 2011, Kitab Mahal
  - Engineering Practical Physics, S. Panigrahi & B. Mallick, 2015, Cengage Learning India Pvt. Ltd.
  - Practical Physics, G.L. Squires, 2015, 4<sup>th</sup> Edition, Cambridge University Press.
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## Semester II

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### PHYSICS-C III: ELECTRICITY AND MAGNETISM (Credits: Theory-04, Practicals-02)

**Theory: 60 Lectures**

#### **Electric Field and Electric Potential**

Electric field: Electric field lines. Electric flux. Gauss' Law with applications to charge distributions with spherical, cylindrical and planar symmetry. **(6 Lectures)**

Conservative nature of Electrostatic Field. Electrostatic Potential. Laplace's and Poisson equations. The Uniqueness Theorem. Potential and Electric Field of a dipole. Force and Torque on a dipole. **(6 Lectures)**

Electrostatic energy of system of charges. Electrostatic energy of a charged sphere. Conductors in an electrostatic Field. Surface charge and force on a conductor. Capacitance of a system of charged conductors. Parallel-plate capacitor. Capacitance of an isolated conductor. Method of Images and its application to: (1) Plane Infinite Sheet and (2) Sphere. **(10 Lectures)**

**Dielectric Properties of Matter:** Electric Field in matter. Polarization, Polarization Charges. Electrical Susceptibility and Dielectric Constant. Capacitor (parallel plate, spherical, cylindrical) filled with dielectric. Displacement vector **D**. Relations between **E**, **P** and **D**. Gauss' Law in dielectrics. **(8 Lectures)**

**Magnetic Field:** Magnetic force between current elements and definition of Magnetic Field **B**. Biot-Savart's Law and its simple applications: straight wire and circular loop. Current Loop as a Magnetic Dipole and its Dipole Moment (Analogy with Electric Dipole). Ampere's Circuital Law and its application to (1) Solenoid and (2) Toroid. Properties of **B**: curl and divergence. Vector Potential. Magnetic Force on (1) point charge (2) current carrying wire (3) between current elements. Torque on a current loop in a uniform Magnetic Field. **(9 Lectures)**

**Magnetic Properties of Matter:** Magnetization vector (**M**). Magnetic Intensity (**H**). Magnetic Susceptibility and permeability. Relation between **B**, **H**, **M**. Ferromagnetism. B-H curve and hysteresis. **(4 Lectures)**

**Electromagnetic Induction:** Faraday's Law. Lenz's Law. Self Inductance and Mutual Inductance. Reciprocity Theorem. Energy stored in a Magnetic Field. Introduction to Maxwell's Equations. Charge Conservation and Displacement current. **(6 Lectures)**

**Electrical Circuits:** AC Circuits: Kirchhoff's laws for AC circuits. Complex Reactance and Impedance. Series LCR Circuit: (1) Resonance, (2) Power Dissipation and (3) quality Factor, and (4) Band Width. Parallel LCR Circuit. Measurement of a High resistance by the method of leakage of charge of a capacitor. Transient in Mutually coupled circuits.

**(6 Lectures)**

**Network theorems:** Ideal Constant-voltage and Constant-current Sources. Network Theorems: Thevenin theorem, Norton theorem, Superposition theorem, Reciprocity theorem, Maximum Power Transfer theorem. Applications to dc circuits. **(4 Lectures)**

**Ballistic Galvanometer:** Torque on a current Loop. Ballistic Galvanometer: Current and Charge Sensitivity. Electromagnetic damping. Logarithmic damping. CDR. **(3 Lectures)**

**Reference Books:**

- Electricity, Magnetism & Electromagnetic Theory, S. Mahajan and Choudhury, 2012, Tata McGraw
  - Electricity and Magnetism, Edward M. Purcell, 1986 McGraw-Hill Education
  - Introduction to Electrodynamics, D.J. Griffiths, 3rd Edn., 1998, Benjamin Cummings.
  - Feynman Lectures Vol.2, R.P. Feynman, R.B. Leighton, M. Sands, 2008, Pearson Education
  - Elements of Electromagnetics, M.N.O. Sadiku, 2010, Oxford University Press.
  - Electricity and Magnetism, J.H. Fewkes & J. Yarwood. Vol. I, 1991, Oxford Univ. Press.
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## **PHYSICS LAB-C III LAB**

### **60 Lectures**

1. Use a Multimeter for measuring (a) Resistances, (b) AC and DC Voltages, (c) DC Current, (d) Capacitances, and (e) Checking electrical fuses.
2. To study the characteristics of a series RC Circuit/ LR circuit.
3. To determine an unknown Low Resistance by fall of potential method.
4. To determine an unknown Low Resistance using Carey Foster's Bridge.
5. Measurement of field strength B and its variation in a solenoid (determine dB/dx).
6. Determination of magnetic field strength between two pole piece for a given current using search coil.
7. To verify the Thevenin and Norton theorems.
8. To verify the Superposition, and Maximum power transfer theorems.
9. To determine self inductance of a coil by Anderson's bridge.
10. To study response curve of a Series LCR circuit and determine its (a) Resonant frequency, (b) Impedance at resonance, (c) Quality factor Q, and (d) Band width.
11. To study the response curve of a parallel LCR circuit and determine its (a) Anti-resonant frequency and (b) Quality factor Q.
12. Measurement of charge and current sensitivity and CDR of Ballistic Galvanometer
13. Determine a high resistance by leakage method using Ballistic Galvanometer.

**Reference Books**

- Advanced Practical Physics for students, B.L. Flint and H.T. Worsnop, 1971, Asia Publishing House
- A Text Book of Practical Physics, I. Prakash & Ramakrishna, 11<sup>th</sup> Ed., 2011, Kitab Mahal
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- Engineering Practical Physics, S.Panigrahi and B.Mallick, 2015, Cengage Learning.
  - A Laboratory Manual of Physics for undergraduate classes, D.P.Khandelwal, 1985, Vani Pub.
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## **PHYSICS-C IV: WAVES AND OPTICS**

**(Credits: Theory-04, Practicals-02)**

**Theory: 60 Lectures**

**Superposition of Collinear Harmonic oscillations:** Linearity and Superposition Principle. Superposition of two collinear oscillations having (1) equal frequencies and (2) different frequencies (Beats). Superposition of N collinear Harmonic Oscillations with (1) equal phase differences and (2) equal frequency differences. **(5 Lectures)**

**Superposition of two perpendicular Harmonic Oscillations:** Graphical and Analytical Methods. Lissajous Figures with equal and unequal frequency and their uses. **(2 Lectures)**

**Wave Motion:** Plane and Spherical Waves. Longitudinal and Transverse Waves. Plane Progressive (Travelling) Waves. Wave Equation. Particle and Wave Velocities. Differential Equation. Pressure of a Longitudinal Wave. Energy Transport. Intensity of Wave. Water Waves: Ripple and Gravity Waves. **(4 Lectures)**

**Velocity of Waves:** Velocity of Transverse Vibrations of Stretched Strings. Velocity of Longitudinal Waves in a Fluid in a Pipe. Newton's Formula for Velocity of Sound. Laplace's Correction. **(6 Lectures)**

**Superposition of Two Harmonic Waves:** Standing (Stationary) Waves in a String: Fixed and Free Ends. Analytical Treatment. Phase and Group Velocities. Changes with respect to Position and Time. Energy of Vibrating String. Transfer of Energy. Normal Modes of Stretched Strings. Plucked and Struck Strings. Melde's Experiment. Longitudinal Standing Waves and Normal Modes. Open and Closed Pipes. Superposition of N Harmonic Waves. **(7 Lectures)**

**Wave Optics:** Electromagnetic nature of light. Definition and properties of wave front. Huygens Principle. Temporal and Spatial Coherence. **(3 Lectures)**

**Interference:** Division of amplitude and wavefront. Young's double slit experiment. Lloyd's Mirror and Fresnel's Biprism. Phase change on reflection: Stokes' treatment. Interference in Thin Films: parallel and wedge-shaped films. Fringes of equal inclination (Haidinger Fringes); Fringes of equal thickness (Fizeau Fringes). Newton's Rings: Measurement of wavelength and refractive index. **(9 Lectures)**

**Interferometer:** Michelson Interferometer-(1) Idea of form of fringes (No theory required), (2) Determination of Wavelength, (3) Wavelength Difference, (4) Refractive Index, and (5) Visibility of Fringes. Fabry-Perot interferometer. **(4 Lectures)**

**Diffraction:** Kirchhoff's Integral Theorem, Fresnel-Kirchhoff's Integral formula.(Qualitative discussion only)  
(2 Lectures)

**Fraunhofer diffraction:** Single slit. Circular aperture, Resolving Power of a telescope. Double slit. Multiple slits. Diffraction grating. Resolving power of grating. (8 Lectures)

**Fresnel Diffraction:** Fresnel's Assumptions. Fresnel's Half-Period Zones for Plane Wave. Explanation of Rectilinear Propagation of Light. Theory of a Zone Plate: Multiple Foci of a Zone Plate. Fresnel's Integral, Fresnel diffraction pattern of a straight edge, a slit and a wire. (7 Lectures)

**Holography:** Principle of Holography. Recording and Reconstruction Method. Theory of Holography as Interference between two Plane Waves. Point source holograms. (3 Lectures)

### Reference Books

- Waves: Berkeley Physics Course, vol. 3, Francis Crawford, 2007, Tata McGraw-Hill.
  - Fundamentals of Optics, F.A. Jenkins and H.E. White, 1981, McGraw-Hill
  - Principles of Optics, Max Born and Emil Wolf, 7<sup>th</sup> Edn., 1999, Pergamon Press.
  - Optics, Ajoy Ghatak, 2008, Tata McGraw Hill
  - The Physics of Vibrations and Waves, H. J. Pain, 2013, John Wiley and Sons.
  - The Physics of Waves and Oscillations, N.K. Bajaj, 1998, Tata McGraw Hill.
  - Fundamental of Optics, A. Kumar, H.R. Gulati and D.R. Khanna, 2011, R. Chand Publications.
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## PHYSICS LAB- C IV LAB

### 60 Lectures

1. To determine the frequency of an electrical tuning fork by Melde's experiment and verify  $\lambda^2 - T$  law.
2. To determine the frequency of an mechanical tuning fork by sonometer.
3. To investigate the motion of coupled oscillators.
4. To study Lissajous Figures.
5. Familiarization with: Schuster's focusing; determination of angle of prism.
6. To determine refractive index of the Material of a prism using sodium source.
7. To determine the dispersive power and Cauchy constants of the material of a prism using mercury/sodium source.
8. Calibrate a spectrometer to study the D- $\lambda$  curve.
9. To determine the wavelength of sodium source using Michelson's interferometer
10. To determine the wavelength of sodium source using spectrometer.
11. To determine wavelength of sodium light using Fresnel Biprism.
12. To determine wavelength of sodium light using Newton's Rings.
13. To determine the thickness of a thin paper by measuring the width of the interference fringes produced by a wedge-shaped Film.
14. To determine wavelength of (1) Na source and (2) spectral lines of Hg source using plane diffraction grating.
15. To determine dispersive power and resolving power of a plane diffraction grating.

### Reference Books

- Advanced Practical Physics for students, B.L. Flint and H.T. Worsnop, 1971, Asia Publishing

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- A Text Book of Practical Physics, I. Prakash & Ramakrishna, 11<sup>th</sup> Ed., 2011, Kitab Mahal
  - Advanced level Physics Practicals, Michael Nelson and Jon M. Ogborn, 4<sup>th</sup> Edition, reprinted 1985, Heinemann Educational Publishers
  - A Laboratory Manual of Physics for undergraduate classes, D.P.Khandelwal, 1985, Vani Pub.
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### Semester III

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#### PHYSICS-C V: MATHEMATICAL PHYSICS-II

(Credits: Theory-04, Practicals-02)

##### Theory: 30 Lectures

*The emphasis of the course is on applications in solving problems of interest to physicists. Students are to be examined on the basis of problems, seen and unseen.*

**Fourier Series:** Periodic functions. Orthogonality of sine and cosine functions, Dirichlet Conditions (Statement only). Expansion of periodic functions in a series of sine and cosine functions and determination of Fourier coefficients. Complex representation of Fourier series. Expansion of functions with arbitrary period. Expansion of non-periodic functions over an interval. Even and odd functions and their Fourier expansions. **(6 Lectures)**

**Frobenius Method and Special Functions:** Singular Points of Second Order Linear Differential Equations and their importance. Frobenius method and its applications to differential equations. Legendre, Bessel, Hermite and Laguerre Differential Equations. Properties of Legendre Polynomials: Rodrigues Formula, Generating Function, Orthogonality.

**(16 Lectures)**

**Some Special Integrals:** Beta and Gamma Functions and Relation between them. Expression of Integrals in terms of Gamma Functions. Error Function (Probability Integral). **(4 Lectures)**

**Theory of Errors:** Systematic and Random Errors. Propagation of Errors. Normal Law of Errors. Standard and Probable Error. Least-squares fit. Error on the slope and intercept of a fitted line. **(4 Lectures)**

##### Reference Books:

- Mathematical Methods for Physicists: Arfken, Weber, 2005, Harris, Elsevier.
  - Fourier Analysis by M.R. Spiegel, 2004, Tata McGraw-Hill.
  - Mathematics for Physicists, Susan M. Lea, 2004, Thomson Brooks/Cole.
  - Differential Equations, George F. Simmons, 2006, Tata McGraw-Hill.
  - Partial Differential Equations for Scientists & Engineers, S.J. Farlow, 1993, Dover Pub.
  - Engineering Mathematics, S.Pal and S.C. Bhunia, 2015, Oxford University Press
  - Mathematical methods for Scientists & Engineers, D.A. McQuarrie, 2003, Viva Books
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## PHYSICS LAB- CV LAB

(At least 50 % of the laboratory experiments should be performed)

### At least 30 Lectures

*The aim of this Lab is to use the computational methods to solve physical problems. Course will consist of lectures (both theory and practical) in the Lab. Evaluation done not on the programming but on the basis of formulating the problem*

Topics	Description with Applications
Introduction to Numerical computation software Scilab	Introduction to Scilab, Advantages and disadvantages, Scilab environment, Command window, Figure window, Edit window, Variables and arrays, Initialising variables in Scilab, Multidimensional arrays, Subarray, Special values, Displaying output data, data file, Scalar and array operations, Hierarchy of operations, Built in Scilab functions, Introduction to plotting, 2D and 3D plotting (2), Branching Statements and program design, Relational & logical operators, the while loop, for loop, details of loop operations, break & continue statements, nested loops, logical arrays and vectorization (2) User defined functions, Introduction to Scilab functions, Variable passing in Scilab, optional arguments, preserving data between calls to a function, Complex and Character data, string function, Multidimensional arrays (2) an introduction to Scilab file processing, file opening and closing, Binary I/o functions, comparing binary and formatted functions, Numerical methods and developing the skills of writing a program (2).
Curve fitting, Least square fit, Goodness of fit, standard deviation	Ohms law to calculate R, Hooke's law to calculate spring Constant
Solution of Linear system of equations by Gauss elimination method and Gauss Seidal method. Diagonalization of matrices, Inverse of a matrix, Eigen vectors, eigen values problems	Solution of mesh equations of electric circuits (3 meshes)  Solution of coupled spring mass systems (3 masses)
Generation of Special functions using User defined functions in Scilab	Generating and plotting Legendre Polynomials Generating and plotting Bessel function
Solution of ODE  First order Differential equation Euler, modified Euler and Runge-Kutta second order methods  Second order differential equation Fixed difference method	First order differential equation <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Radioactive decay</li> <li>• Current in RC, LC circuits with DC source</li> <li>• Newton's law of cooling</li> <li>• Classical equations of motion</li> </ul> Second order Differential Equation <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Harmonic oscillator (no friction)</li> <li>• Damped Harmonic oscillator</li> </ul>



<p>Partial differential equations</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Over damped</li> <li>• Critical damped</li> <li>• Oscillatory</li> <li>• Forced Harmonic oscillator</li> <li>• Transient and</li> <li>• Steady state solution</li> <li>• Apply above to LCR circuits also</li> <li>• Solve <math>\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + 4\frac{dy}{dx} + 1y = 2\sin x</math> with the boundary conditions at <math>x=0</math> and <math>x=\pi</math>.</li> <li>• Plot <math>y</math> and <math>\frac{dy}{dx}</math> against <math>x</math> in the given range on the same graph.</li> <li>• in the range <math>0 \leq x \leq \pi</math></li> </ul> <p>Partial Differential Equation:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Wave equation</li> <li>• Heat equation</li> <li>• Poisson equation</li> <li>• Laplace equation</li> </ul>
<p>Using Scicos / xcos</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Generating square wave, sine wave, saw tooth wave</li> <li>• Solution to harmonic oscillator</li> <li>• Study of beat phenomenon</li> <li>• Phase space plots</li> </ul>

### Reference Books:

- Mathematical Methods for Physics and Engineers, K.F Riley, M.P. Hobson and S. J. Bence, 3<sup>rd</sup> ed., 2006, Cambridge University Press
- Complex Variables, A.S. Fokas & M.J. Ablowitz, 8<sup>th</sup> Ed., 2011, Cambridge Univ. Press
- First course in complex analysis with applications, D.G. Zill and P.D. Shanahan, 1940, Jones & Bartlett
- Computational Physics, D.Walker, 1<sup>st</sup> Edn., 2015, Scientific International Pvt. Ltd.
- A Guide to MATLAB, B.R. Hunt, R.L. Lipsman, J.M. Rosenberg, 2014, 3<sup>rd</sup> Edn., Cambridge University Press
- Simulation of ODE/PDE Models with MATLAB®, OCTAVE and SCILAB: Scientific and Engineering Applications: A.V. Wouwer, P. Saucez, C.V. Fernández. 2014 Springer
- Scilab by example: M. Affouf 2012, ISBN: 978-1479203444 Scilab (A free software to Matlab): H.Ramchandran, A.S.Nair. 2011 S.Chand & Company
- Scilab Image Processing: Lambert M. Surhone. 2010 Betascript Publishing
- [www.scilab.in/textbook\\_companion/generate\\_book/291](http://www.scilab.in/textbook_companion/generate_book/291)

## PHYSICS-C VI: THERMAL PHYSICS

**(Credits: Theory-04, Practicals-02)**

### Theory: 30 Lectures

(Include related problems for each topic)

## Introduction to Thermodynamics

Zeroth and First Law of Thermodynamics and its applications. (2 Lectures)

**Second Law of Thermodynamics:** Reversible and Irreversible process with examples. Conversion of Work into Heat and Heat into Work. Heat Engines. Carnot's Cycle, Carnot engine & efficiency. Refrigerator & coefficient of performance, 2<sup>nd</sup> Law of Thermodynamics: Kelvin-Planck and Clausius Statements and their Equivalence. Carnot's Theorem. Applications of Second Law of Thermodynamics: Thermodynamic Scale of Temperature and its Equivalence to Perfect Gas Scale. (6 Lectures)

**Entropy:** Concept of Entropy, Clausius Theorem. Clausius Inequality, Second Law of Thermodynamics in terms of Entropy. Entropy of a perfect gas. Principle of Increase of Entropy. Entropy Changes in Reversible and Irreversible processes with examples. Entropy of the Universe. Entropy Changes in Reversible and Irreversible Processes. Principle of Increase of Entropy. Temperature-Entropy diagrams for Carnot's Cycle. Third Law of Thermodynamics. Unattainability of Absolute Zero. (6 Lectures)

**Thermodynamic Potentials:** Thermodynamic Potentials: Internal Energy, Enthalpy, Helmholtz Free Energy, Gibb's Free Energy. Their Definitions, Properties and Applications. First and second order Phase Transitions with examples, Clausius Clapeyron Equation and Ehrenfest equations

(4 Lectures)

**Maxwell's Thermodynamic Relations:** Derivations and applications of Maxwell's Relations, Maxwell's Relations: (1) Clausius Clapeyron equation, (2) Values of  $C_p - C_v$ , (3)  $TdS$  Equations, (4) Joule-Kelvin coefficient for Ideal and Van der Waal Gases, (5) Energy equations, (6) Change of Temperature during Adiabatic Process. (3 Lectures)

## Kinetic Theory of Gases

**Distribution of Velocities:** Maxwell-Boltzmann Law of Distribution of Velocities in an Ideal Gas and its Experimental Verification. Mean, RMS and Most Probable Speeds. Degrees of Freedom. Law of Equipartition of Energy (No proof required). Specific heats of Gases. (3 Lectures)

## Real Gases:

Van der Waal's Equation of State for Real Gases. Values of Critical Constants. Law of Corresponding States. Comparison with Experimental Curves. P-V Diagrams. Joule's Experiment. Free Adiabatic Expansion of a Perfect Gas. Joule-Thomson Porous Plug Experiment. Joule-Thomson Effect for Real and Van der Waal Gases. Temperature of Inversion. Joule-Thomson Cooling. (4 Lectures)

## Reference Books:

- Heat and Thermodynamics, M.W. Zemansky, Richard Dittman, 1981, McGraw-Hill.
  - A Treatise on Heat, Meghnad Saha, and B.N. Srivastava, 1958, Indian Press
  - Thermal Physics, S. Garg, R. Bansal and Ghosh, 2<sup>nd</sup> Edition, 1993, Tata McGraw-Hill
  - Modern Thermodynamics with Statistical Mechanics, Carl S. Helrich, 2009, Springer.
  - Thermodynamics, Kinetic Theory & Statistical Thermodynamics, Sears & Salinger. 1988, Narosa.
  - Concepts in Thermal Physics, S.J. Blundell and K.M. Blundell, 2<sup>nd</sup> Ed., 2012, Oxford University Press
  - Thermal Physics, A. Kumar and S.P. Taneja, 2014, R. Chand Publications.
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## PHYSICS LAB- C VI LAB

(At least 50 % of the laboratory experiments should be performed)

### **At least 30 Lectures**

1. Determine Mechanical Equivalent of Heat, J, by Callender and Barne's constant flow method.
2. Determine the Coefficient of Thermal Conductivity of Cu by Searle's Apparatus.
3. Determine the Coefficient of Thermal Conductivity of Cu by Angstrom's Method.
4. Determination of thermal conductivity of glass in form of a tube.
5. To determine the Coefficient of Thermal Conductivity of a bad conductor by Lee and Charlton's disc method.
6. Determine the Temperature Coefficient of Resistance by Platinum Resistance Thermometer (PRT).
7. Study the variation of Thermo-Emf of a Thermocouple with Difference of Temperature of its Two Junctions.
8. Calibration of a thermocouple to measure temperature in a specified Range using  
(1) Null Method, (2) Direct measurement using Op-Amp difference amplifier and to determine Neutral Temperature.

### **Reference Books**

- Advanced Practical Physics for students, B. L. Flint and H.T. Worsnop, 1971, Asia Publishing House
  - A Text Book of Practical Physics, I. Prakash & Ramakrishna, 11<sup>th</sup> Ed., 2011, Kitab Mahal
  - Advanced level Physics Practicals, Michael Nelson and Jon M. Ogborn, 4<sup>th</sup> Edition, reprinted 1985, Heinemann Educational Publishers
- A Laboratory Manual of Physics for undergraduate classes, D.P. Khandelwal, 1985, Vani Pub.

## **PHYSICS-C VII: DIGITAL SYSTEMS AND APPLICATIONS**

**(Credits: Theory-04, Practicals-02)**

### **Theory: 30 Lectures**

**Introduction to CRO:** Block Diagram of CRO. Electron Gun, Deflection System and Time Base. Deflection Sensitivity. Applications of CRO: (1) Study of Waveform, (2) Measurement of Voltage, Current, Frequency, and Phase Difference. **(2 Lectures)**

**Digital Circuits:** Difference between Analog and Digital Circuits. Binary Numbers. Decimal to Binary and Binary to Decimal Conversion. BCD, Octal and Hexadecimal numbers. AND, OR and NOT Gates (realization using Diodes and Transistor). NAND and NOR Gates as Universal Gates. XOR and XNOR Gates and application as Parity Checkers. **(6 Lectures)**

**Boolean algebra:** De Morgan's Theorems. Boolean Laws. Simplification of Logic Circuit using Boolean Algebra. Fundamental Products. Idea of Minterms and Maxterms. Conversion of a Truth table into Equivalent

Logic Circuit by (1) Sum of Products Method and (2) Karnaugh Map. **(6 Lectures)**

**Data processing circuits:** Basic idea of Multiplexers, De-multiplexers, Decoders, Encoders. **(4 Lectures)**

**Arithmetic Circuits:** Binary Addition. Binary Subtraction using 2's Complement. Half and Full Adders. Half & Full Subtractors, 4-bit binary Adder/Subtractor. **(4 Lectures)**

**Sequential Circuits:** SR, D, and JK Flip-Flops. Clocked (Level and Edge Triggered) Flip-Flops. Preset and Clear operations. Race-around conditions in JK Flip-Flop. M/S JK Flip-Flop. **(4 Lectures)**

**Shift registers:** Serial-in-Serial-out, Serial-in-Parallel-out, Parallel-in-Serial-out and Parallel-in-Parallel-out Shift Registers (only up to 4 bits). **(2 Lectures)**

**Counters (4 bits):** Ring Counter. Asynchronous counters, Decade Counter. Synchronous Counter. **(2 Lectures)**

#### **Reference Books:**

- Digital Principles and Applications, A.P. Malvino, D.P. Leach and Saha, 7<sup>th</sup> Ed., 2011, Tata McGraw
  - Fundamentals of Digital Circuits, Anand Kumar, 2<sup>nd</sup> Edn, 2009, PHI Learning Pvt. Ltd.
  - Digital Circuits and systems, Venugopal, 2011, Tata McGraw Hill.
  - Digital Electronics G K Kharate, 2010, Oxford University Press
  - Digital Systems: Principles & Applications, R.J. Tocci, N.S. Widmer, 2001, PHI Learning
  - Logic circuit design, Shimon P. Vingron, 2012, Springer.
  - Digital Electronics, Subrata Ghoshal, 2012, Cengage Learning.
  - Digital Electronics, S.K. Mandal, 2010, 1<sup>st</sup> edition, McGraw Hill
  - Microprocessor Architecture Programming & applications with 8085, 2002, R.S. Goankar, Prentice Hall.
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## **PHYSICS PRACTICAL-C VII LAB**

**(At least 50 % of the laboratory experiments should be performed)**

### **At least 30 Lectures**

1. To measure (a) Voltage, and (b) Time period of a periodic waveform using CRO.
2. To test a Diode and Transistor using a Multimeter.
3. To design a switch (NOT gate) using a transistor.
4. To verify and design AND, OR, NOT and XOR gates using NAND gates.
5. To design a combinational logic system for a specified Truth Table.
6. To convert a Boolean expression into logic circuit and design it using logic gate ICs.
7. To minimize a given logic circuit.
8. Half Adder, Full Adder / 4-bit binary Adder.
9. Half Subtractor/Full Subtractor/ Adder-Subtractor using Full Adder I.C.
10. To build Flip-Flop (RS/Clocked RS/D-type / JK) circuits using NAND gates.
11. To build JK Master-slave flip-flop using Flip-Flop ICs

12. To build a 3 bit/ 4-bit Counter using D-type/JK Flip-Flop ICs and study timing diagram.
13. To make a 3 bit/4-bit Shift Register (serial and parallel) using D-type/JK Flip-Flop ICs.
14. To design an astable multivibrator of given specifications using 555 Timer.
15. To design a monostable multivibrator of given specifications using 555 Timer.
16. Write the following programs using 8085 Microprocessor
  - a) Addition and subtraction of numbers using direct addressing mode.  
or
  - b) Addition and subtraction of numbers using indirect addressing mode. or
  - c) Multiplication by repeated addition.or
  - d) Division by repeated subtraction.or
  - e) Handling of 16-bit Numbers. or
  - f) Use of CALL and RETURN Instruction. or
  - g) Block data handling. or
  - h) Other programs (e.g. Parity Check, using interrupts, etc.).

#### Reference Books:

- Modern Digital Electronics, R.P. Jain, 4<sup>th</sup> Edition, 2010, Tata McGraw Hill.
- Basic Electronics: A text lab manual, P.B. Zbar, A.P. Malvino, M.A. Miller, 1994, Mc-Graw Hill.
- Microprocessor Architecture Programming and applications with 8085, R.S. Goankar, 2002, Prentice Hall.
- Microprocessor 8085:Architecture, Programming and interfacing, A. Wadhwa, 2010, PHI Learning.

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### Semester IV

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#### PHYSICS-VIII: MATHEMATICAL PHYSICS-III (Credits: Theory-04, Practicals-02)

##### Theory: 60 Lectures

*The emphasis of the course is on applications in solving problems of interest to physicists. Students are to be examined on the basis of problems, seen and unseen.*

**Complex Analysis:** Brief Revision of Complex Numbers and their GraphicalRepresentation. Euler's formula, De Moivre's theorem, Roots of Complex Numbers. Functions of Complex Variables. Analyticity and Cauchy-Riemann Conditions. Examples of analytic functions. Singular functions: poles and branch points, order of singularity, branch cuts. Integration of a function of a complex variable. Cauchy's Inequality. Cauchy's Integral formula. Simply and multiply connected region. Laurent and Taylor's expansion. Residues and Residue Theorem. Application in solving Definite Integrals. **(30 Lectures)**

### **Integrals Transforms:**

Fourier Transforms: Fourier Integral theorem. Fourier Transform. Examples. Fourier transform of trigonometric, Gaussian, finite wave train & other functions. Representation of Dirac delta function as a Fourier Integral. Fourier transform of derivatives, Inverse Fourier transform, Convolution theorem. Properties of Fourier transforms (translation, change of scale, complex conjugation, etc.). Three dimensional Fourier transforms with examples. Application of Fourier Transforms to differential equations: One dimensional Wave and Diffusion/Heat Flow Equations.

**(15 Lectures)**

Laplace Transforms: Laplace Transform (LT) of Elementary functions. Properties of LTs: Change of Scale Theorem, Shifting Theorem. LTs of 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> order Derivatives and Integrals of Functions, Derivatives and Integrals of LTs. LT of Unit Step function, Dirac Delta function, Periodic Functions. Convolution Theorem. Inverse LT. Application of Laplace Transforms to 2<sup>nd</sup> order Differential Equations: Damped Harmonic Oscillator, Simple Electrical Circuits, Coupled differential equations of 1<sup>st</sup> order. Solution of heat flow along infinite bar using Laplace transform.

**(15 Lectures)**

### **Reference Books:**

- Mathematical Methods for Physics and Engineers, K.F Riley, M.P. Hobson and S. J. Bence, 3<sup>rd</sup> ed., 2006, Cambridge University Press
  - Mathematics for Physicists, P. Dennery and A.Krzywicki, 1967, Dover Publications
  - Complex Variables, A.S.Fokas & M.J.Ablowitz, 8<sup>th</sup> Ed., 2011, Cambridge Univ. Press
  - Complex Variables, A.K. Kapoor, 2014, Cambridge Univ. Press
  - Complex Variables and Applications, J.W. Brown & R.V. Churchill, 7<sup>th</sup> Ed. 2003, Tata McGraw-Hill
  - First course in complex analysis with applications, D.G. Zill and P.D. Shanahan, 1940, Jones & Bartlett
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## **PHYSICS PRACTICAL-C VIII LAB 60 Lectures**

*Scilab/C<sup>++</sup> based simulations experiments based on Mathematical Physics problems*

Like

1. Calculation of error for each data point of observations recorded in experiments done in previous semesters (choose any two).
2. Calculation of least square fitting manually without giving weightage to error. Confirmation of least square fitting of data through computer program.
3. Evaluation of trigonometric functions e.g.  $\sin\theta$ , Given Bessel's function at N points find its value at an intermediate point.
4. Complex analysis: Integrate  $1/(x^2+2)$  numerically and check with computer integration.
5. Compute the  $n^{\text{th}}$  roots of unity for  $n = 2, 3$ , and 4.

6. Find the two square roots of  $-5+12j$ .
7. Solve Kirchoff's Current law for any node of an arbitrary circuit using Laplace's transform.
8. Solve Kirchoff's Voltage law for any loop of an arbitrary circuit using Laplace's transform.
9. Perform circuit analysis of a general LCR circuit using Laplace's transform.

#### Reference Books:

- Mathematical Methods for Physics and Engineers, K.F Riley, M.P. Hobson and S. J. Bence, 3<sup>rd</sup> ed., 2006, Cambridge University Press
  - Mathematics for Physicists, P. Dennery and A. Krzywicki, 1967, Dover Publications
  - Simulation of ODE/PDE Models with MATLAB®, OCTAVE and SCILAB: Scientific and Engineering Applications: A. Vande Wouwer, P. Saucez, C. V. Fernández. 2014 Springer ISBN: 978-3319067896
  - A Guide to MATLAB, B.R. Hunt, R.L. Lipsman, J.M. Rosenberg, 2014, 3<sup>rd</sup> Edn., Cambridge University Press
  - Scilab by example: M. Affouf, 2012. ISBN: 978-1479203444
  - Scilab (A free software to Matlab): H.Ramchandran, A.S.Nair. 2011 S.Chand & Company
  - Scilab Image Processing: Lambert M. Surhone. 2010 Betascript Publishing
  - [https://web.stanford.edu/~boyd/ee102/laplace\\_ckts.pdf](https://web.stanford.edu/~boyd/ee102/laplace_ckts.pdf)
  - [ocw.nthu.edu.tw/ocw/upload/12/244/12handout.pdf](http://ocw.nthu.edu.tw/ocw/upload/12/244/12handout.pdf)
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## PHYSICS-C IX: ELEMENTS OF MODERN PHYSICS

(Credits: Theory-04, Practicals-02)

**Theory: 60 Lectures**

Planck's quantum, Planck's constant and light as a collection of photons; Blackbody

Radiation: Quantum theory of Light; Photo-electric effect and Compton scattering. De Broglie wavelength and matter waves; Davisson-Germer experiment. Wave description of particles by wave packets. Group and Phase velocities and relation between them. Two-Slit experiment with electrons. Probability. Wave amplitude and wave functions.

**(14 Lectures)**

Position measurement- gamma ray microscope thought experiment; Wave-particle duality, Heisenberg uncertainty principle (Uncertainty relations involving Canonical pair of variables): Derivation from Wave Packets impossibility of a particle following a trajectory; Estimating minimum energy of a confined particle using uncertainty principle; Energy-time uncertainty principle- application to virtual particles and range of an interaction. **(5 Lectures)**

Two slit interference experiment with photons, atoms and particles; linear superposition principle as a

consequence; Matter waves and wave amplitude; Schrodinger equation for non-relativistic particles; Momentum and Energy operators; stationary states; physical interpretation of a wave function, probabilities and normalization; Probability and probability current densities in one dimension. **(10 Lectures)**

One dimensional infinitely rigid box- energy eigenvalues and eigenfunctions, normalization; Quantum dot as example; Quantum mechanical scattering and tunnelling in one dimension-across a step potential & rectangular potential barrier. **(10 Lectures)**

Size and structure of atomic nucleus and its relation with atomic weight; Impossibility of an electron being in the nucleus as a consequence of the uncertainty principle. Nature of nuclear force, NZ graph, Liquid Drop model: semi-empirical mass formula and binding energy, Nuclear Shell Model and magic numbers. **(6 Lectures)**

Radioactivity: stability of the nucleus; Law of radioactive decay; Mean life and half-life; Alpha decay; Beta decay- energy released, spectrum and Pauli's prediction of neutrino; Gamma ray emission, energy-momentum conservation: electron-positron pair creation by gamma photons in the vicinity of a nucleus. **(8 Lectures)**

Fission and fusion- mass deficit, relativity and generation of energy; Fission - nature of fragments and emission of neutrons. Nuclear reactor: slow neutrons interacting with Uranium 235; Fusion and thermonuclear reactions driving stellar energy (brief qualitative discussions). **(3 Lectures)**

**Lasers:** Einstein's A and B coefficients. Metastable states. Spontaneous and Stimulated emissions. Optical Pumping and Population Inversion. Three-Level and Four-Level Lasers. Ruby Laser and He-Ne Laser. Basic lasing. **(4 Lectures)**

#### **Reference Books:**

- Concepts of Modern Physics, Arthur Beiser, 2002, McGraw-Hill.
- Introduction to Modern Physics, Rich Meyer, Kennard, Coop, 2002, Tata McGraw Hill
- Introduction to Quantum Mechanics, David J. Griffith, 2005, Pearson Education.
- Physics for scientists and Engineers with Modern Physics, Jewett and Serway, 2010, Cengage Learning.
- Modern Physics, G.Kaur and G.R. Pickrell, 2014, McGraw Hill
- Quantum Mechanics: Theory & Applications, A.K.Ghatak & S.Lokanathan, 2004, Macmillan

#### **Additional Books for Reference**

- Modern Physics, J.R. Taylor, C.D. Zafiratos, M.A. Dubson, 2004, PHI Learning.
- Theory and Problems of Modern Physics, Schaum's outline, R. Gautreau and W. Savin, 2<sup>nd</sup> Edn, Tata McGraw-Hill Publishing Co. Ltd.
- Quantum Physics, Berkeley Physics, Vol.4. E.H.Wichman, 1971, Tata McGraw-Hill Co.
- Basic ideas and concepts in Nuclear Physics, K.Heyde, 3<sup>rd</sup> Edn., Institute of Physics Pub.
- Six Ideas that Shaped Physics: Particle Behave like Waves, T.A.Moore, 2003, McGraw Hill

## **PHYSICS PRACTICAL-C IX LAB**

### **60 Lectures**

1. Measurement of Planck's constant using black body radiation and photo-detector
2. Photo-electric effect: photo current versus intensity and wavelength of light; maximum energy of photo-electrons versus frequency of light
3. To determine work function of material of filament of directly heated vacuum diode.
4. To determine the Planck's constant using LEDs of at least 4 different colours.
5. To determine the Rydberg constant by Hg source.
6. To determine the ionization potential of mercury.



7. To determine the absorption lines in the rotational spectrum of Iodine vapour.
8. To determine the value of  $e/m$  by (a) Magnetic focusing or (b) Bar magnet.
9. To setup the Millikan oil drop apparatus and determine the charge of an electron.
10. To show the tunneling effect in tunnel diode using I-V characteristics.
11. To determine the wavelength of laser source using diffraction by single slit.
12. To determine the wavelength of laser source using diffraction by double slits.
13. To determine (1) wavelength and (2) angular spread of He-Ne laser using plane diffraction grating

### Reference Books

- Advanced Practical Physics for students, B.L. Flint and H.T. Worksnop, 1971, Asia Publishing House
  - Advanced level Physics Practicals, Michael Nelson and Jon M. Ogborn, 4<sup>th</sup> Edition, reprinted 1985, Heinemann Educational Publishers
  - A Text Book of Practical Physics, I. Prakash & Ramakrishna, 11<sup>th</sup> Edn, 2011, Kitab Mahal
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## PHYSICS-C X: ANALOG SYSTEMS AND APPLICATIONS

(Credits: Theory-04, Practicals-02)

**Theory: 60 Lectures**

**Semiconductor Diodes:** P and N type semiconductors. Energy Level Diagram. Conductivity and Mobility, Concept of Drift velocity. PN Junction Fabrication (Simple Idea). Barrier Formation in PN Junction Diode. Static and Dynamic Resistance. Current

Flow Mechanism in Forward and Reverse Biased Diode. Drift Velocity. Derivation for Barrier Potential, Barrier Width and Current for Step Junction. Current Flow Mechanism in Forward and Reverse Biased Diode. **(10 Lectures)**

**Two-terminal Devices and their Applications:** (1) Rectifier Diode: Half-wave Rectifiers. Centre-tapped and Bridge Full-wave Rectifiers, Calculation of Ripple Factor and Rectification Efficiency, C-filter (2) Zener Diode and Voltage Regulation. Principle and structure of (1) LEDs, (2) Photodiode and (3) Solar Cell. **(6 Lectures)**

**Bipolar Junction transistors:** n-p-n and p-n-p Transistors. Characteristics of CB, CE and CC Configurations. Current gains  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  Relations between  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$ . Load Line analysis of Transistors. DC Load line and Q-point. Physical Mechanism of Current Flow. Active, Cutoff and Saturation Regions. **(6 Lectures)**

**Amplifiers:** Transistor Biasing and Stabilization Circuits. Fixed Bias and Voltage Divider Bias. Transistor as 2-port Network. h-parameter Equivalent Circuit. Analysis of a single-stage CE amplifier using Hybrid Model. Input and Output Impedance. Current, Voltage and Power Gains. Classification of Class A, B & C Amplifiers. **(10 Lectures)**

**Coupled Amplifier:** Two stage RC-coupled amplifier and its frequency response. **(4 Lectures)**

**Feedback in Amplifiers:** Effects of Positive and Negative Feedback on Input

Impedance, Output Impedance, Gain, Stability, Distortion and Noise. (4 Lectures)

**Sinusoidal Oscillators:** Barkhausen's Criterion for self-sustained oscillations. RC Phaseshift oscillator, determination of Frequency. Hartley & Colpitts oscillators. (4 Lectures)

**Operational Amplifiers (Black Box approach):** Characteristics of an Ideal and Practical Op-Amp. (IC 741) Open-loop and Closed-loop Gain. Frequency Response. CMRR. Slew Rate and concept of Virtual ground. (4 Lectures)

**Applications of Op-Amps:** (1) Inverting and non-inverting amplifiers, (2) Adder, (3) Subtractor, (4) Differentiator, (5) Integrator, (6) Log amplifier, (7) Zero crossing detector (8) Wein bridge oscillator. (9 Lectures)

**Conversion:** Resistive network (Weighted and R-2R Ladder). Accuracy and Resolution. A/D Conversion (successive approximation) (3 Lectures)

#### Reference Books:

- Integrated Electronics, J. Millman and C.C. Halkias, 1991, Tata Mc-Graw Hill.
  - Electronics: Fundamentals and Applications, J.D. Ryder, 2004, Prentice Hall.
  - Solid State Electronic Devices, B.G. Streetman & S.K. Banerjee, 6<sup>th</sup> Edn., 2009, PHI Learning
  - Electronic Devices & circuits, S. Salivahanan & N.S. Kumar, 3<sup>rd</sup> Ed., 2012, Tata Mc-Graw Hill
    - Microelectronic circuits, A.S. Sedra, K.C. Smith, A.N. Chandorkar, 2014, 6<sup>th</sup> Edn., Oxford University Press.
  - Electronic circuits: Handbook of design & applications, U. Tietze, C. Schenk, 2008, Springer
  - Semiconductor Devices: Physics and Technology, S.M. Sze, 2<sup>nd</sup> Ed., 2002, Wiley India
  - Microelectronic Circuits, M.H. Rashid, 2<sup>nd</sup> Edition, Cengage Learning
  - Electronic Devices, 7/e Thomas L. Floyd, 2008, Pearson India
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## PHYSICS PRACTICAL-C X LAB

### 60 Lectures

1. To study V-I characteristics of PN junction diode, and Light emitting diode.
2. To study the V-I characteristics of a Zener diode and its use as voltage regulator.
3. Study of V-I & power curves of solar cells, and find maximum power point & efficiency.
4. To study the characteristics of a Bipolar Junction Transistor in CE configuration.
5. To study the various biasing configurations of BJT for normal class A operation.
6. To Construct a CE transistor amplifier of a given gain (mid-gain) using voltage divider bias.
7. To study the frequency response of voltage gain of a RC-coupled transistor amplifier.
8. To Construct a Wien bridge oscillator for given frequency using an op-amp.
9. To Construct a phase shift oscillator of given specifications using BJT.
10. To study the Colpitt's oscillator.
11. To Construct a digital to analog converter (DAC) of given specifications.
12. To study the analog to digital converter (ADC) IC.
13. To Construct an inverting amplifier using Op-amp (741/351) for dc voltage of given gain
14. To Construct inverting amplifier using Op-amp (741/351) and study its frequency response

15. To Construct non-inverting amplifier using Op-amp (741/351) & study its frequency response
16. To study the zero-crossing detector and comparator
17. To add two dc voltages using Op-amp in inverting and non-inverting mode
18. To Construct a precision Differential amplifier of given I/O specification using Op-amp.
19. To investigate the use of an op-amp as an Integrator.
20. To investigate the use of an op-amp as a Differentiator.
21. To Construct a circuit to simulate the solution of a  $1^{st}/2^{nd}$  order differential equation.

#### Reference Books:

- Basic Electronics: A text lab manual, P.B. Zbar, A.P. Malvino, M.A. Miller, 1994, Mc-Graw Hill.
  - OP-Amps and Linear Integrated Circuit, R. A. Gayakwad, 4<sup>th</sup> edition, 2000, Prentice Hall.
  - Electronic Principle, Albert Malvino, 2008, Tata Mc-Graw Hill.
  - Electronic Devices & circuit Theory, R.L. Boylestad & L.D. Nashelsky, 2009, Pearson
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### Semester V

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#### PHYSICS-C XI: QUANTUM MECHANICS AND APPLICATIONS (Credits: Theory-04, Practicals-02)

##### Theory: 30 Lectures

**Time dependent Schrodinger equation:** Time dependent Schrodinger equation and dynamical evolution of a quantum state; Properties of Wave Function. Interpretation of Wave Function Probability and probability current densities in three dimensions; Conditions for Physical Acceptability of Wave Functions. Normalization. Linearity and Superposition Principles. Eigenvalues and Eigen functions. Position, momentum and Energy operators; commutator of position and momentum operators; Expectation values of position and momentum. Wave Function of a Free Particle. **(6 Lectures)**

**Time independent Schrodinger equation**-Hamiltonian, stationary states and energy eigen values; expansion of an arbitrary wave function as a linear combination of energy eigen functions; General solution of the time dependent Schrodinger equation in terms of linear combinations of stationary states; Position-momentum uncertainty principle. **(6 Lectures)**

**General discussion of bound states in an arbitrary potential-** continuity of wave function, boundary condition and emergence of discrete energy levels; application to one-dimensional problem-square well potential; Quantum mechanics of simple harmonic oscillator-energy levels and energy eigen functions (Derivation not required) **(6 Lectures)**

**Quantum theory of hydrogen-like atoms:** time independent Schrodinger equation in spherical polar coordinates; separation of variables for second order partial differential equation; angular momentum operator & quantum numbers; Radial wavefunctions from Frobenius method; shapes of the probability densities for ground & first excited states; Orbital angular momentum quantum numbers  $l$  and  $m$ ; s, p, d,... shells. **(8 Lectures)**

**Atoms in Electric & Magnetic Fields:** Electron angular momentum. Spacequantization. Electron Spin and Spin Angular Momentum. Larmor's Theorem. Spin Magnetic Moment. Stern-Gerlach Experiment. Zeeman Effect: Electron Magnetic Moment and Magnetic Energy, Gyromagnetic Ratio and Bohr Magneton. **(3 Lectures)**

**Many electron atoms:** Pauli's Exclusion Principle. Symmetric & Antisymmetric Wave Functions. **(1 Lectures)**

#### Reference Books:

- Text book of Quantum Mechanics, P.M.Mathews and K.Venkatesan, 2<sup>nd</sup> Ed., 2010, McGraw Hill
- Quantum Mechanics, Robert Eisberg and Robert Resnick, 2<sup>nd</sup> Edn., 2002, Wiley.
- Quantum Mechanics, Leonard I. Schiff, 3<sup>rd</sup> Edn. 2010, Tata McGraw Hill.
- Quantum Mechanics, G. Aruldas, 2<sup>nd</sup> Edn. 2002, PHI Learning of India.
- Quantum Mechanics, Bruce Cameron Reed, 2008, Jones and Bartlett Learning.
- Quantum Mechanics: Foundations & Applications, Arno Bohm, 3<sup>rd</sup> Edn., 1993, Springer
- Quantum Mechanics for Scientists & Engineers, D.A.B. Miller, 2008, Cambridge University Press

#### Additional Books for Reference

- Quantum Mechanics, Eugen Merzbacher, 2004, John Wiley and Sons, Inc.
- Introduction to Quantum Mechanics, D.J. Griffith, 2<sup>nd</sup> Ed. 2005, Pearson Education
- Quantum Mechanics, Walter Greiner, 4<sup>th</sup> Edn., 2001, Springer

## PHYSICS PRACTICAL-C XI LAB

**(At least 50 % of the laboratory experiments should be performed)**

### At least 30 Lectures

*Use C/C++/Scilab for solving the following problems based on Quantum Mechanics like*

1. Solve the s-wave Schrodinger equation for the ground state and the first excited state of the hydrogen atom:

$$\frac{d^2\psi}{dr^2} + \frac{2m}{\hbar^2}(E - V)\psi = 0, \quad \text{where } V = -\frac{e^2}{4\pi\epsilon_0 r}$$

Here,  $m$  is the reduced mass of the electron. Obtain the energy eigenvalues and plot the corresponding wavefunctions. Remember that the ground state energy of the hydrogen atom is  $\approx -13.6$  eV. Take  $e = 3.795$  (eVÅ)<sup>1/2</sup>,  $\hbar c = 1973$  (eVÅ) and  $m = 0.511 \times 10^6$  eV/c<sup>2</sup>.

2. Solve the s-wave radial Schrodinger equation for an atom:

where  $m$  is the reduced mass of the system (which can be chosen to be the mass of an electron), for the screened coulomb potential

Find the energy (in eV) of the ground state of the atom to an accuracy of three significant digits. Also, plot the corresponding wavefunction. Take  $e = 3.795 \text{ (eV}\text{\AA})^{1/2}$ ,  $m = 0.511 \times 10^6 \text{ eV}/c^2$ , and  $a = 3 \text{ \AA}, 5 \text{ \AA}, 7 \text{ \AA}$ . In these units  $\hbar c = 1973 \text{ (eV}\text{\AA})$ . The ground state energy is expected to be above -12 eV in all three cases.

3. Solve the s-wave radial Schrodinger equation for a particle of mass  $m$ :

For the anharmonic oscillator potential

$$\frac{1}{2}kx^2 + \frac{1}{3}bx^3$$

for the ground state energy (in MeV) of particle to an accuracy of three significant digits. Also, plot the corresponding wave function. Choose  $m = 940 \text{ MeV}/c^2$ ,  $k = 100 \text{ MeV fm}^{-2}$ ,  $b = 0, 10, 30 \text{ MeV fm}^{-3}$ . In these units,  $\hbar c = 197.3 \text{ MeV fm}$ . The ground state energy is expected to lie between 90 and 110 MeV for all three cases.

4. Solve the s-wave radial Schrodinger equation for the vibrations of hydrogen molecule:

Where  $\mu$  is the reduced mass of the two-atom system for the Morse potential

Find the lowest vibrational energy (in MeV) of the molecule to an accuracy of three significant digits. Also plot the corresponding wave function.

Take:  $m = 940 \times 10^6 \text{ eV}/c^2$ ,  $D = 0.755501 \text{ eV}$ ,  $\alpha = 1.44$ ,  $r_0 = 0.131349 \text{ \AA}$

### Laboratory based experiments:

5. Study of Electron spin resonance- determine magnetic field as a function of the resonance frequency
6. Study of Zeeman effect: with external magnetic field; Hyperfine splitting
7. To show the tunneling effect in tunnel diode using I-V characteristics.
8. Quantum efficiency of CCDs

### Reference Books:

- Schaum's outline of Programming with C++. J.Hubbard, 2000, McGraw-Hill Publication
- Numerical Recipes in C: The Art of Scientific Computing, W.H. Press et al., 3<sup>rd</sup> Edn., 2007, Cambridge University Press.
- An introduction to computational Physics, T.Pang, 2<sup>nd</sup> Edn., 2006, Cambridge Univ. Press
- Simulation of ODE/PDE Models with MATLAB®, OCTAVE and SCILAB: Scientific & Engineering Applications: A. Vande Wouwer, P. Saucez, C. V. Fernández. 2014 Springer.
- Scilab (A Free Software to Matlab): H. Ramchandran, A.S. Nair. 2011 S. Chand & Co.

- A Guide to MATLAB, B.R. Hunt, R.L. Lipsman, J.M. Rosenberg, 2014, 3<sup>rd</sup> Edn., Cambridge University Press
  - Scilab Image Processing: L.M.Surhone.2010 Betascript Publishing ISBN:978-6133459274
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## **PHYSICS-C XII: SOLID STATE PHYSICS**

**(Credits: Theory-04, Practicals-02)**

**Theory: 30 Lectures**

**Crystal Structure:** Solids: Amorphous and Crystalline Materials. Lattice Translation Vectors. Lattice with a Basis – Central and Non-Central Elements. Unit Cell. Miller Indices. Reciprocal Lattice. Types of Lattices. Brillouin Zones. Diffraction of X-rays by Crystals. Bragg's Law. Atomic and Geometrical Factor. **(7 Lectures)**

**Magnetic Properties of Matter:** Dia-, Para-, Ferri- and Ferromagnetic Materials. Classical Langevin Theory of dia- and Paramagnetic Domains. Quantum Mechanical Treatment of Paramagnetism. Curie's law, Weiss's Theory of Ferromagnetism and Ferromagnetic Domains. Discussion of B-H Curve. Hysteresis and Energy Loss.

**(8 Lectures)**

**Dielectric Properties of Materials:** Polarization. Local Electric Field at an Atom. Depolarization Field. Electric Susceptibility. Polarizability. Clausius Mosotti Equation.

**(4 Lectures)**

**Elementary band theory:** Kronig Penny model. Band Gap. Conductor, Semiconductor (P and N type) and insulator. Conductivity of Semiconductor, mobility, Hall Effect. Measurement of conductivity (04 probe method) & Hall coefficient. **(7 Lectures)**

**Superconductivity:** Experimental Results. Critical Temperature. Critical magnetic field. Meissner effect. Type I and type II Superconductors. **(4 Lectures)**

### **Reference Books:**

- Introduction to Solid State Physics, Charles Kittel, 8<sup>th</sup> Edition, 2004, Wiley India Pvt. Ltd.
  - Elements of Solid State Physics, J.P. Srivastava, 4<sup>th</sup> Edition, 2015, Prentice-Hall of India
  - Introduction to Solids, Leonid V. Azaroff, 2004, Tata Mc-Graw Hill
  - Solid State Physics, N.W. Ashcroft and N.D. Mermin, 1976, Cengage Learning
  - Solid-state Physics, H. Ibach and H. Luth, 2009, Springer
  - Solid State Physics, Rita John, 2014, McGraw Hill
  - Elementary Solid State Physics, 1/e M. Ali Omar, 1999, Pearson India
  - Solid State Physics, M.A. Wahab, 2011, Narosa Publications
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## **PHYSICS PRACTICAL-C XII LAB**

**(At least 50 % of the laboratory experiments should be performed)**

**At least 30 Lectures**

1. Measurement of susceptibility of paramagnetic solution (Quinck's Tube Method)
2. To measure the Magnetic susceptibility of Solids.
3. To determine the Coupling Coefficient of a Piezoelectric crystal.
4. To measure the Dielectric Constant of a dielectric Materials with frequency
5. To determine the complex dielectric constant and plasma frequency of metal using Surface Plasmon resonance (SPR)
6. To determine the refractive index of a dielectric layer using SPR
7. To study the PE Hysteresis loop of a Ferroelectric Crystal.
8. To draw the BH curve of Ferromagnetic using Solenoid & determine energy loss from Hysteresis.
9. To measure the resistivity of a semiconductor (Ge) with temperature by four-probe method (room temperature to 150 °C) and to determine its band gap.
10. To determine the Hall coefficient of a semiconductor sample.
11. To draw the IH curve using solenoid for a fixed gap.

#### Reference Books

- Advanced Practical Physics for students, B.L. Flint and H.T. Worsnop, 1971, Asia Publishing House.
- Advanced level Physics Practicals, Michael Nelson and Jon M. Ogborn, 4<sup>th</sup> Edition, reprinted 1985, Heinemann Educational Publishers.
- A Text Book of Practical Physics, I.Prakash & Ramakrishna, 11<sup>th</sup> Ed., 2011, Kitab Mahal
- Elements of Solid State Physics, J.P. Srivastava, 2<sup>nd</sup> Ed., 2006, Prentice-Hall of India.

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### Semester VI

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#### PHYSICS-C XIII: ELECTROMAGNETIC THEORY

(Credits: Theory-04, Practicals-02)

**Theory: 60 Lectures**

**Maxwell Equations:** Review of Maxwell's equations. Displacement Current. Vector and Scalar Potentials. Gauge Transformations: Lorentz and Coulomb Gauge. Boundary Conditions at Interface between Different Media. Wave Equations. Plane Waves in Dielectric Media. Poynting Theorem and Poynting Vector. Electromagnetic (EM) Energy Density. Physical Concept of Electromagnetic Field Energy Density, Momentum Density and Angular Momentum Density. **(12 Lectures)**

**EM Wave Propagation in Unbounded Media:** Plane EM waves through vacuum and isotropic dielectric medium, transverse nature of plane EM waves, refractive index and dielectric constant, wave impedance. Propagation through conducting media, relaxation time, skin depth. Wave propagation through dilute plasma, electrical conductivity of ionized gases, plasma frequency, refractive index, skin depth, application to propagation through ionosphere. **(10 Lectures)**

**EM Wave in Bounded Media:** Boundary conditions at a plane interface between two media. Reflection & Refraction of plane waves at plane interface between two dielectric media-Laws of Reflection & Refraction. Fresnel's Formulae for perpendicular & parallel polarization cases, Brewster's law. Reflection & Transmission coefficients. Total internal reflection, evanescent waves. Metallic reflection (normal Incidence)

**(10 Lectures)**

**Polarization of Electromagnetic Waves:** Description of Linear, Circular and Elliptical Polarization. Propagation of E.M. Waves in Anisotropic Media. Symmetric Nature of Dielectric Tensor. Fresnel's Formula. Uniaxial and Biaxial Crystals. Light Propagation in Uniaxial Crystal. Double Refraction. Polarization by Double Refraction. Nicol Prism. Ordinary & extraordinary refractive indices. Production & detection of Plane, Circularly and Elliptically Polarized Light. Phase Retardation Plates: Quarter-Wave and Half-Wave Plates. Babinet Compensator and its Uses. Analysis of Polarized Light **(12 Lectures)**

Rotatory Polarization: Optical Rotation. Biot's Laws for Rotatory Polarization. Fresnel's Theory of optical rotation. Calculation of angle of rotation. Experimental verification of Fresnel's theory. Specific rotation. Laurent's half-shade polarimeter. **(5 Lectures)**

**Wave Guides:** Planar optical wave guides. Planar dielectric wave guide. Condition of continuity at interface. Phase shift on total reflection. Eigenvalue equations. Phase and group velocity of guided waves. Field energy and Power transmission. **(8 Lectures)**

**Optical Fibres:-** Numerical Aperture. Step and Graded Indices (Definitions Only). Single and Multiple Mode Fibres (Concept and Definition Only). **(3 Lectures)**

#### **Reference Books:**

- Introduction to Electrodynamics, D.J. Griffiths, 3<sup>rd</sup> Ed., 1998, Benjamin Cummings.
- Elements of Electromagnetics, M.N.O. Sadiku, 2001, Oxford University Press.
- Introduction to Electromagnetic Theory, T.L. Chow, 2006, Jones & Bartlett Learning
- Fundamentals of Electromagnetics, M.A.W. Miah, 1982, Tata McGraw Hill
- Electromagnetic field Theory, R.S. Kshetrimayun, 2012, Cengage Learning
- Engineering Electromagnetic, William H. Hayt, 8<sup>th</sup> Edition, 2012, McGraw Hill.
- Electromagnetic Field Theory for Engineers & Physicists, G. Lehner, 2010, Springer

#### **Additional Books for Reference**

- Electromagnetic Fields & Waves, P.Lorrain & D.Corson, 1970, W.H.Freeman & Co.
- Electromagnetics, J.A. Edminster, Schaum Series, 2006, Tata McGraw Hill.
- Electromagnetic field theory fundamentals, B. Guru and H. Hiziroglu, 2004, Cambridge University Press

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## **PHYSICS PRACTICAL-C XIII LAB**

### **60 Lectures**

1. To verify the law of Malus for plane polarized light.
2. To determine the specific rotation of sugar solution using Polarimeter.
3. To analyze elliptically polarized Light by using a Babinet's compensator.
4. To study dependence of radiation on angle for a simple Dipole antenna.
5. To determine the wavelength and velocity of ultrasonic waves in a liquid (Kerosene Oil, Xylene, etc.) by studying the diffraction through ultrasonic grating.
6. To study the reflection, refraction of microwaves



7. To study Polarization and double slit interference in microwaves.
8. To determine the refractive index of liquid by total internal reflection using Wollaston's air-film.
9. To determine the refractive Index of (1) glass and (2) a liquid by total internal reflection using a Gaussian eyepiece.
10. To study the polarization of light by reflection and determine the polarizing angle for air-glass interface.
11. To verify the Stefan's law of radiation and to determine Stefan's constant.
12. To determine the Boltzmann constant using V-I characteristics of PN junction diode.

### Reference Books

- Advanced Practical Physics for students, B.L. Flint and H.T. Worsnop, 1971, Asia Publishing House.
  - Advanced level Physics Practicals, Michael Nelson and Jon M. Ogborn, 4<sup>th</sup> Edition, reprinted 1985, Heinemann Educational Publishers
  - A Text Book of Practical Physics, I.Prakash & Ramakrishna, 11<sup>th</sup> Ed., 2011, Kitab Mahal
  - Electromagnetic Field Theory for Engineers & Physicists, G. Lehner, 2010, Springer
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## PHYSICS-C XIV: STATISTICAL MECHANICS

(Credits: Theory-04, Practicals-02)

**Theory: 60 Lectures**

**Classical Statistics:** Macrostate & Microstate, Elementary Concept of Ensemble, PhaseSpace, Entropy and Thermodynamic Probability, Maxwell-Boltzmann Distribution Law, Partition Function, Thermodynamic Functions of an Ideal Gas, Classical Entropy Expression, Gibbs Paradox, Sackur Tetrode equation, Law of Equipartition of Energy (with proof) – Applications to Specific Heat and its Limitations, Thermodynamic Functions of a Two-Energy Levels System, Negative Temperature. **(18 Lectures)**

**Classical Theory of Radiation:** Properties of Thermal Radiation. Blackbody Radiation. Pure temperature dependence. Kirchhoff's law. Stefan-Boltzmann law: Thermodynamic proof. Radiation Pressure. Wien's Displacement law. Wien's Distribution Law. Saha's Ionization Formula. Rayleigh-Jean's Law. Ultraviolet Catastrophe. **(9 Lectures)**

**Quantum Theory of Radiation:** Spectral Distribution of Black Body Radiation. Planck's Quantum Postulates. Planck's Law of Blackbody Radiation: Experimental Verification. Deduction of (1) Wien's Distribution Law, (2) Rayleigh-Jeans Law, (3) Stefan-Boltzmann Law, (4) Wien's Displacement law from Planck's law. **(5 Lectures)**

**Bose-Einstein Statistics:** B-E distribution law, Thermodynamic functions of a strongly Degenerate Bose Gas, Bose Einstein condensation, properties of liquid He (qualitative description), Radiation as a photon gas and Thermodynamic functions of photon gas. Bose derivation of Planck's law. **(13 Lectures)**

**Fermi-Dirac Statistics:** Fermi-Dirac Distribution Law, Thermodynamic functions of a Completely and strongly Degenerate Fermi Gas, Fermi Energy, Electron gas in a Metal, Specific Heat of Metals, Relativistic Fermi gas, White Dwarf Stars, Chandrasekhar Mass Limit. **(15 Lectures)**

### Reference Books:

- Statistical Mechanics, R.K. Pathria, Butterworth Heinemann: 2<sup>nd</sup> Ed., 1996, Oxford University Press.

- Statistical Physics, Berkeley Physics Course, F. Reif, 2008, Tata McGraw-Hill
  - Statistical and Thermal Physics, S. Lokanathan and R.S. Gambhir. 1991, Prentice Hall
  - Thermodynamics, Kinetic Theory and Statistical Thermodynamics, Francis W. Sears and Gerhard L. Salinger, 1986, Narosa.
  - Modern Thermodynamics with Statistical Mechanics, Carl S. Helrich, 2009, Springer
  - An Introduction to Statistical Mechanics & Thermodynamics, R.H. Swendsen, 2012, Oxford Univ. Press
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## PHYSICS PRACTICAL-C XIV LAB

### 60 Lectures

*Use C/C++/Scilab/other numerical simulations for solving the problems based on Statistical Mechanics like*

1. Computational analysis of the behavior of a collection of particles in a box that satisfy Newtonian mechanics and interact via the Lennard-Jones potential, varying the total number of particles  $N$  and the initial conditions:
  - a) Study of local number density in the equilibrium state (i) average; (ii) fluctuations
  - b) Study of transient behavior of the system (approach to equilibrium)
  - c) Relationship of large  $N$  and the arrow of time
  - d) Computation of the velocity distribution of particles for the system and comparison with the Maxwell velocity distribution
  - e) Computation and study of mean molecular speed and its dependence on particle mass
  - f) Computation of fraction of molecules in an ideal gas having speed near the most probable speed
2. Computation of the partition function  $Z(\beta)$  for examples of systems with a finite number of single particle levels (e.g., 2 level, 3 level, etc.) and a finite number of non-interacting particles  $N$  under Maxwell-Boltzmann, Fermi-Dirac and Bose-Einstein statistics:
  - a) Study of how  $Z(\beta)$ , average energy  $\langle E \rangle$ , energy fluctuation  $\Delta E$ , specific heat at constant volume  $C_v$ , depend upon the temperature, total number of particles  $N$  and the spectrum of single particle states.

Ratios of occupation numbers of various states for the systems considered above

  - c) Computation of physical quantities at large and small temperature  $T$  and comparison of various statistics at large and small temperature  $T$ .
3. Plot Planck's law for Black Body radiation and compare it with Raleigh-Jeans Law at high temperature and low temperature.
4. Plot Specific Heat of Solids (a) Dulong-Petit law, (b) Einstein distribution function, (c) Debye distribution function for high temperature and low temperature and compare them for these two cases.
5. Plot the following functions with energy at different temperatures
  - a) Maxwell-Boltzmann distribution

- b) Fermi-Dirac distribution
- c) Bose-Einstein distribution

#### **Reference Books:**

- Elementary Numerical Analysis, K.E. Atkinson, 3<sup>rd</sup> Edition, 2007, Wiley India Edition
  - Statistical Mechanics, R.K. Pathria, Butterworth Heinemann: 2<sup>nd</sup> Ed., 1996, Oxford University Press.
  - Introduction to Modern Statistical Mechanics, D. Chandler, Oxford University Press, 1987
  - Thermodynamics, Kinetic Theory and Statistical Thermodynamics, Francis W. Sears and Gerhard L. Salinger, 1986, Narosa.
  - Modern Thermodynamics with Statistical Mechanics, Carl S. Helrich, 2009, Springer
  - Statistical and Thermal Physics with computer applications, Harvey Gould and Jan Tobochnik, Princeton University Press, 2010.
  - Simulation of ODE/PDE Models with MATLAB®, OCTAVE and SCILAB: Scientific and Engineering Applications: A. Vande Wouwer, P. Saucez, C. V. Fernández. 2014 Springer ISBN: 978-3319067896
  - Scilab by example: M. Affouf, 2012. ISBN: 978-1479203444
  - Scilab Image Processing: L.M. Surhone. 2010, Betascript Pub., ISBN: 978-6133459274
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## **PHYSICS-DSE I-IV (ELECTIVES)**

### **PHYSICS-DSE: EXPERIMENTAL TECHNIQUES**

**(Credits: Theory-04, Practicals-02)**

#### **Theory: 60 Lectures**

**Measurements:** Accuracy and precision. Significant figures. Error and uncertainty analysis. Types of errors: Gross error, systematic error, random error. Statistical analysis of data (Arithmetic mean, deviation from mean, average deviation, standard deviation, chi-square) and curve fitting. Gaussian distribution. **(7 Lectures)**

**Signals and Systems:** Periodic and aperiodic signals. Impulse response, transfer function and frequency response of first and second order systems. Fluctuations and Noise in measurement system. S/N ratio and Noise figure. Noise in frequency domain. Sources of Noise: Inherent fluctuations, Thermal noise, Shot noise, 1/f noise **(7 Lectures)**

**Shielding and Grounding:** Methods of safety grounding. Energy coupling. Grounding. Shielding: Electrostatic shielding. Electromagnetic Interference. **(4 Lectures)**

#### **Transducers & industrial instrumentation (working principle, efficiency, applications):**

Static and dynamic characteristics of measurement Systems. Generalized performance of systems, Zero order first order, second order and higher order systems. Electrical, Thermal and Mechanical systems. Calibration.

Transducers and sensors. Characteristics of Transducers. Transducers as electrical element and their signal conditioning. Temperature transducers: RTD, Thermistor, Thermocouples, Semiconductor type temperature sensors (AD590, LM35, LM75) and signal conditioning. Linear Position transducer: Strain gauge, Piezoelectric. Inductance change transducer: Linear variable differential transformer (LVDT), Capacitance change transducers. Radiation Sensors: Principle of Gas filled detector, ionization chamber, scintillation detector. **(21 Lectures)**

**Digital Multimeter:** Comparison of analog and digital instruments. Block diagram of digital multimeter, principle of measurement of I, V, C. Accuracy and resolution of measurement. **(5 Lectures)**

**Impedance Bridges and Q-meter:** Block diagram and working principles of RLC bridge. Q-meter and its working operation. Digital LCR bridge. **(4 Lectures)**

**Vacuum Systems:** Characteristics of vacuum: Gas law, Mean free path. Application of vacuum. Vacuum system- Chamber, Mechanical pumps, Diffusion pump & Turbo Modular pump, Pumping speed, Pressure gauges (Pirani, Penning, ionization). **(12 Lectures)**

#### **Reference Books:**

- Measurement, Instrumentation and Experiment Design in Physics and Engineering, M. Sayer and A. Mansingh, PHI Learning Pvt. Ltd.
- Experimental Methods for Engineers, J.P. Holman, McGraw Hill
- Introduction to Measurements and Instrumentation, A.K. Ghosh, 3<sup>rd</sup> Edition, PHI Learning Pvt. Ltd.
- Transducers and Instrumentation, D.V.S. Murty, 2<sup>nd</sup> Edition, PHI Learning Pvt. Ltd.
- Instrumentation Devices and Systems, C.S. Rangan, G.R. Sarma, V.S.V. Mani, Tata McGraw Hill
- Principles of Electronic Instrumentation, D. Patranabis, PHI Learning Pvt. Ltd.
- Electronic circuits: Handbook of design & applications, U.Tietze, Ch.Schenk, Springer

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### **PRACTICAL- DSE LAB: EXPERIMENTAL TECHNIQUES**

#### **60 Lectures**

1. Determine output characteristics of a LVDT & measure displacement using LVDT
2. Measurement of Strain using Strain Gauge.
3. Measurement of level using capacitive transducer.
4. To study the characteristics of a Thermostat and determine its parameters.
5. Study of distance measurement using ultrasonic transducer.
6. Calibrate Semiconductor type temperature sensor (AD590, LM35, or LM75)
7. To measure the change in temperature of ambient using Resistance Temperature Device (RTD).
8. Create vacuum in a small chamber using a mechanical (rotary) pump and measure the chamber pressure using a pressure gauge.
9. Comparison of pickup of noise in cables of different types (co-axial, single shielded, double shielded, without shielding) of 2m length, understanding of importance of grounding using function generator of mV level & an oscilloscope.
10. To design and study the Sample and Hold Circuit.
11. Design and analyze the Clippers and Clampers circuits using junction diode
12. To plot the frequency response of a microphone.
13. To measure Q of a coil and influence of frequency, using a Q-meter.

### Reference Books:

- Electronic circuits: Handbook of design and applications, U. Tietze and C. Schenk, 2008, Springer
  - Basic Electronics: A text lab manual, P.B. Zbar, A.P. Malvino, M.A. Miller, 1990, Mc-Graw Hill
  - Measurement, Instrumentation and Experiment Design in Physics & Engineering, M. Sayer and A. Mansingh, 2005, PHI Learning.
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## PHYSICS- DSE: COMMUNICATION ELECTRONICS

**(Credits: Theory-04, Practicals-02)**

**Theory: 30 Lectures**

**Analog Modulation:** Amplitude Modulation, modulation index and frequency spectrum. Generation of AM (Emitter Modulation), Amplitude Demodulation (diode detector), Concept of Single side band generation and detection. Frequency Modulation (FM) and Phase Modulation (PM), modulation index and frequency spectrum, equivalence between FM and PM, Generation of FM using VCO, FM detector (slope detector), Qualitative idea of Super heterodyne receiver **(10 Lectures)**

**Digital Pulse Modulation:** Need for digital transmission, Pulse Code Modulation, Digital Carrier Modulation Techniques, Sampling, Quantization and Encoding. Concept of Amplitude Shift Keying (ASK), Frequency Shift Keying (FSK), Phase Shift Keying (PSK), and Binary Phase Shift Keying (BPSK). **(10 Lectures)**

**Introduction to Communication and Navigation systems:**

**Satellite Communication**– Introduction, need, Geosynchronous satellite orbits, geostationary satellite advantages of geostationary satellites. Satellite visibility, transponders (C - Band), path loss, ground station, simplified block diagram of earth station. Uplink and downlink. **(10 Lectures)**

### Reference Books:

- Electronic Communications, D. Roddy and J. Coolen, Pearson Education India.
  - Advanced Electronics Communication Systems- Tomasi, 6<sup>th</sup> edition, Prentice Hall.
  - Electronic Communication systems, G. Kennedy, 3<sup>rd</sup> Edn., 1999, Tata McGraw Hill.
  - Principles of Electronic communication systems – Frenzel, 3rd edition, McGraw Hill
  - Communication Systems, S. Haykin, 2006, Wiley India
  - Electronic Communication system, Blake, Cengage, 5<sup>th</sup> edition.
  - Wireless communications, Andrea Goldsmith, 2015, Cambridge University Press
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## PHYSICS PRACTICAL-DSE LAB: COMMUNICATION ELECTRONICS LAB

**(At least 50 % of the laboratory experiments should be performed)**

**At least 30 Lectures**

1. To design an Amplitude Modulator using Transistor
2. To study envelope detector for demodulation of AM signal
3. To study FM - Generator and Detector circuit
4. To study AM Transmitter and Receiver
5. To study FM Transmitter and Receiver

6. To study Time Division Multiplexing (TDM)
7. To study Pulse Amplitude Modulation (PAM)
8. To study Pulse Width Modulation (PWM)
9. To study Pulse Position Modulation (PPM)
10. To study ASK, PSK and FSK modulators

#### Reference Books:

- Electronic Communication systems, G. Kennedy, 1999, Tata McGraw Hill.
- Electronic Communication system, Blake, Cengage, 5<sup>th</sup> edition.

### PHYSICS-DSE: CLASSICAL DYNAMICS (Credits: Theory-05, Tutorials-01)

#### Theory: 38 Lectures

*The emphasis of the course is on applications in solving problems of interest to physicists. Students are to be examined on the basis of problems, seen and unseen.*

**Classical Mechanics of Point Particles:** Generalized coordinates and velocities, Hamilton's principle, Lagrangian and the Euler-Lagrange equations, one-dimensional examples of the Euler-Lagrange equations- one-dimensional Simple Harmonic Oscillations and falling body in uniform gravity; applications to simple systems such as coupled oscillators Canonical momenta & Hamiltonian. Hamilton's equations of motion.

Applications: Hamiltonian for a harmonic oscillator, solution of Hamilton's equation for Simple Harmonic Oscillations; particle in a central force field- conservation of angular momentum and energy. **(20 Lectures)**

**Small Amplitude Oscillations:** Minima of potential energy and points of stable equilibrium, expansion of the potential energy around a minimum, small amplitude oscillations about the minimum, normal modes of oscillations example of N identical masses connected in a linear fashion to (N -1) - identical springs. **(10 Lectures)**

**Fluid Dynamics:** Density  $\rho$  and pressure P in a fluid, an element of fluid and its velocity, continuity equation and mass conservation, stream-lined motion, laminar flow, Poiseuille's equation for flow of a liquid through a pipe, Navier-Stokes equation, qualitative description of turbulence, Reynolds number. **(8 Lectures)**

#### Reference Books:

- Classical Mechanics, H. Goldstein, C.P. Poole, J.L. Safko, 3<sup>rd</sup> Edn. 2002, Pearson Education.
- Mechanics, L. D. Landau and E. M. Lifshitz, 1976, Pergamon.
- Classical Electrodynamics, J.D. Jackson, 3<sup>rd</sup> Edn., 1998, Wiley.
- The Classical Theory of Fields, L.D Landau, E.M Lifshitz, 4<sup>th</sup> Edn., 2003, Elsevier.
- Introduction to Electrodynamics, D.J. Griffiths, 2012, Pearson Education.
- Classical Mechanics, P.S. Joag, N.C. Rana, 1<sup>st</sup> Edn., McGraw Hall.
- Classical Mechanics, R. Douglas Gregory, 2015, Cambridge University Press.
- Classical Mechanics: An introduction, Dieter Strauch, 2009, Springer.
- Solved Problems in classical Mechanics, O.L. Delange and J. Pierrus, 2010, Oxford Press

### PHYSICS-DSE: Nuclear and Particle Physics (Credits: Theory-05, Tutorials-01)

#### Theory: 75 Lectures

**General Properties of Nuclei:** Constituents of nucleus and their Intrinsic properties, quantitative facts about mass, radii, charge density (matter density), binding energy, average binding energy and its

variation with mass number, main features of binding energy versus mass number curve, N/A plot, angular momentum, parity, magnetic moment, electric moments, nuclear excited states. **(10 Lectures)**

**Nuclear Models:** Liquid drop model approach, semi empirical mass formula and significance of its various terms, condition of nuclear stability, two nucleon separation energies, Fermi gas model (degenerate fermion gas, nuclear symmetry potential in Fermi gas), evidence for nuclear shell structure, nuclear magic numbers, basic assumption of shell model, concept of mean field, residual interaction, concept of nuclear force. **(12 Lectures)**

**Radioactivity decay:** (a) Alpha decay: basics of  $\alpha$ -decay processes, theory of  $\alpha$ -emission, Gamow factor, Geiger Nuttall law,  $\alpha$ -decay spectroscopy. (b)  $\beta$ -decay kinematics for  $\beta$ -decay, positron emission, electron capture, neutrino hypothesis. (c) Gamma decay: Gamma rays emission & kinematics, internal conversion. **(10 Lectures)**

**Nuclear Reactions:** Types of Reactions, Conservation Laws, kinematics of reactions, Q-value, reaction rate, reaction cross section, Concept of compound and direct Reaction, resonance reaction, Coulomb scattering (Rutherford scattering). **(8 Lectures)**

**Interaction of Nuclear Radiation with matter:** Energy loss due to ionization (Bethe-Block formula), energy loss of electrons, Cerenkov radiation. Gamma ray interaction through matter, photoelectric effect, Compton scattering, pair production, neutron interaction with matter. **(8 Lectures)**

**Detector for Nuclear Radiations:** Gas detectors: estimation of electric field, mobility of particle, for ionization chamber and GM Counter. Basic principle of Scintillation Detectors and construction of photo-multiplier tube (PMT). Semiconductor Detectors (Si and Ge) for charge particle and photon detection (concept of charge carrier and mobility), neutron detector. **(8 Lectures)**

**Particle Accelerators:** Accelerator facility available in India: Van-de Graaff generator (Tandem accelerator), Linear accelerator, Cyclotron, Synchrotrons. **(5 Lectures)**

**Particle physics:** Particle interactions; basic features, types of particles and its families. Symmetries and Conservation Laws: energy and momentum, angular momentum, parity, baryon number, Lepton number, Isospin, Strangeness and charm, concept of quark model, color quantum number and gluons. **(14 Lectures)**

#### **Reference Books:**

- Introductory nuclear Physics by Kenneth S. Krane (Wiley India Pvt. Ltd., 2008).
- Concepts of nuclear physics by Bernard L. Cohen. (Tata Mcgraw Hill, 1998).
- Introduction to the physics of nuclei & particles, R.A. Dunlap. (Thomson Asia, 2004).
- Introduction to High Energy Physics, D.H. Perkins, Cambridge Univ. Press
- Introduction to Elementary Particles, D. Griffith, John Wiley & Sons
- Quarks and Leptons, F. Halzen and A.D. Martin, Wiley India, New Delhi
- Basic ideas and concepts in Nuclear Physics - An Introductory Approach by K. Heyde (IOP-Institute of Physics Publishing, 2004).
- Radiation detection and measurement, G.F. Knoll (John Wiley & Sons, 2000).
- Physics and Engineering of Radiation Detection, Syed Naeem Ahmed (Academic Press, Elsevier, 2007).
- Theoretical Nuclear Physics, J.M. Blatt & V.F. Weisskopf (Dover Pub. Inc., 1991)

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**Skill Enhancement Course (any four) (Credit: 02 each)- SEC1 to SEC4**

## PHYSICS WORKSHOP SKILL (Credits: 02)

### 30 Lectures

*The aim of this course is to enable the students to familiar and experience with various mechanical and electrical tools through hands-on mode*

**Introduction:** Measuring units. conversion to SI and CGS. Familiarization with meterscale, Vernier calliper, Screw gauge and their utility. Measure the dimension of a solid block, volume of cylindrical beaker/glass, diameter of a thin wire, thickness of metal sheet, etc. Use of Sextant to measure height of buildings, mountains, etc. **(4 Lectures)**

**Mechanical Skill:** Concept of workshop practice. Overview of manufacturing methods: casting, foundry, machining, forming and welding. Types of welding joints and welding defects. Common materials used for manufacturing like steel, copper, iron, metal sheets, composites and alloy, wood. Concept of machine processing, introduction to common machine tools like lathe, shaper, drilling, milling and surface machines. Cutting tools, lubricating oils. Cutting of a metal sheet using blade. Smoothing of cutting edge of sheet using file. Drilling of holes of different diameter in metal sheet and wooden block. Use of bench vice and tools for fitting. Make funnel using metal sheet. **(10 Lectures)**

**Electrical and Electronic Skill:** Use of Multimeter. Soldering of electrical circuit having discrete components (R, L, C, diode) and ICs on PCB. Operation of oscilloscope. Making regulated power supply. Timer circuit, Electronic switch using transistor and relay. **(10 Lectures)**

**Introduction to prime movers:** Mechanism, gear system, wheel, Fixing of gears with motor axle. Lever mechanism, Lifting of heavy weight using lever. braking systems, pulleys, working principle of power generation systems. Demonstration of pulley experiment. **(6 Lectures)**

### Reference Books:

- A text book in Electrical Technology - B L Theraja – S. Chand and Company.
- Performance and design of AC machines – M.G. Say, ELBS Edn.
- Mechanical workshop practice, K.C. John, 2010, PHI Learning Pvt. Ltd.
- Workshop Processes, Practices and Materials, Bruce J Black 2005, 3<sup>rd</sup> Edn., Editor Newnes [ISBN: 0750660732]
- New Engineering Technology, Lawrence Smyth/Liam Hennessy, The Educational Company of Ireland [ISBN: 0861674480]

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## COMPUTATIONAL PHYSICS (Credits: 02)

### Theory: 30 Lectures

*The aim of this course is not just to teach computer programming and numerical analysis but to emphasize its role in solving problems in Physics.*

- *Highlights the use of computational methods to solve physical problems*
- *Use of computer language as a tool in solving physics problems (applications)*
- *Course will consist of hands on training on the Problem solving on Computers.*

**Introduction:** Importance of computers in Physics, paradigm for solving physics problems for solution. Usage of linux as an Editor. **Algorithms and Flowcharts:** Algorithm: Definition, properties and development. Flowchart: Concept of flowchart, symbols, guidelines, types. Examples: Cartesian to Spherical Polar Coordinates, Roots



of Quadratic Equation, Sum of two matrices, Sum and Product of a finite series, calculation of  $\sin(x)$  as a series, algorithm for plotting (1) lissajous figures and (2) trajectory of a projectile thrown at an angle with the horizontal. **(4 Lectures)**

**Scientific Programming:** Some fundamental Linux Commands (Internal and External commands). Development of FORTRAN, Basic elements of FORTRAN: Character Set, Constants and their types, Variables and their types, Keywords, Variable Declaration and concept of instruction and program. Operators: Arithmetic, Relational, Logical and Assignment Operators. Expressions: Arithmetic, Relational, Logical, Character and Assignment Expressions. Fortran Statements: I/O Statements (unformatted/formatted), Executable and Non-Executable Statements, Layout of Fortran Program, Format of writing Program and concept of coding, Initialization and Replacement Logic. Examples from physics problems. **(5 Lectures)**

**Control Statements:** Types of Logic (Sequential, Selection, Repetition), Branching Statements (Logical IF, Arithmetic IF, Block IF, Nested Block IF, SELECT CASE and ELSE IF Ladder statements), Looping Statements (DO-CONTINUE, DO-ENDDO, DO-WHILE, Implied and Nested DO Loops), Jumping Statements (Unconditional GOTO, Computed GOTO, Assigned GOTO) Subscripted Variables (Arrays: Types of Arrays, DIMENSION Statement, Reading and Writing Arrays), Functions and Subroutines (Arithmetic Statement Function, Function Subprogram and Subroutine), RETURN, CALL, COMMON and EQUIVALENCE Statements), Structure, Disk I/O Statements, open a file, writing in a file, reading from a file. Examples from physics problems.

**Programming:**

1. Exercises on syntax on usage of FORTRAN
2. Usage of GUI Windows, Linux Commands, familiarity with DOS commands and working in an editor to write sources codes in FORTRAN.
3. To print out all natural even/ odd numbers between given limits.
4. To find maximum, minimum and range of a given set of numbers.
5. Calculating Euler number using  $\exp(x)$  series evaluated at  $x=1$  **(6 Lectures)**

**Scientific word processing: Introduction to LaTeX:** TeX/LaTeX word processor, preparing a basic LaTeX file, Document classes, Preparing an input file for LaTeX, Compiling LaTeX File, LaTeX tags for creating different environments, Defining LaTeX commands and environments, Changing the type style, Symbols from other languages. **Equation representation:** Formulae and equations, Figures and other floating bodies, Lining in columns- Tabbing and tabular environment, Generating table of contents, bibliography and citation, Making an index and glossary, List making environments, Fonts, Picture environment and colors, errors. **(6 Lectures)**

**Visualization:** Introduction to graphical analysis and its limitations. Introduction to Gnuplot. importance of visualization of computational and computational data, basic Gnuplot commands: simple plots, plotting data from a file, saving and exporting, multiple data sets per file, physics with Gnuplot (equations, building functions, user defined variables and functions), Understanding data with Gnuplot

**Hands on exercises:**

1. To compile a frequency distribution and evaluate mean, standard deviation etc.
2. To evaluate sum of finite series and the area under a curve.
3. To find the product of two matrices
4. To find a set of prime numbers and Fibonacci series.
5. To write program to open a file and generate data for plotting using Gnuplot.
6. Plotting trajectory of a projectile projected horizontally.
7. Plotting trajectory of a projectile projected making an angle with the horizontally.
8. Creating an input Gnuplot file for plotting a data and saving the output for seeing on the screen. Saving it as an eps file and as a pdf file.
9. To find the roots of a quadratic equation.

10. Motion of a projectile using simulation and plot the output for visualization.
11. Numerical solution of equation of motion of simple harmonic oscillator and plot the outputs for visualization.
12. Motion of particle in a central force field and plot the output for visualization.

**(9 Lectures)**

**Reference Books:**

- Introduction to Numerical Analysis, S.S. Sastry, 5<sup>th</sup> Edn., 2012, PHI Learning Pvt. Ltd.
  - Computer Programming in Fortran 77". V. Rajaraman (Publisher: PHI).
  - LaTeX–A Document Preparation System", Leslie Lamport (Second Edition, Addison-Wesley, 1994).
  - Gnuplot in action: understanding data with graphs, Philip K Janert, (Manning 2010)
  - Schaum's Outline of Theory and Problems of Programming with Fortran, S Lipsdutz and A Poe, 1986Mc-Graw Hill Book Co.
  - Computational Physics: An Introduction, R. C. Verma, et al. New Age International Publishers, New Delhi(1999)
  - A first course in Numerical Methods, U.M. Ascher and C. Greif, 2012, PHI Learning
  - Elementary Numerical Analysis, K.E. Atkinson, 3<sup>rd</sup> Edn., 2007, Wiley India Edition.
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## **ELECTRICAL CIRCUITS AND NETWORK SKILLS (Credits: 02)**

### **Theory: 15 Lectures**

*The aim of this course is to enable the students to design and trouble shoots the electrical circuits, networks and appliances through hands-on mode*

**Basic Electricity Principles:** Voltage, Current, Resistance, and Power. Ohm's law.Series, parallel, and series-parallel combinations. AC Electricity and DC Electricity. Familiarization with multimeter, voltmeter and ammeter. **(2 Lectures)**

**Understanding Electrical Circuits:** Main electric circuit elements and their combination. Rules to analyze DC sourced electrical circuits. Current and voltage drop across the DC circuit elements. Single-phase and three-phase alternating current sources. Rules to analyze AC sourced electrical circuits. Real, imaginary and complex power components of AC source. Power factor. Saving energy and money. **(3 Lectures)**

**Generators and Transformers:** DC Power sources. AC/DC generators. Inductance, capacitance, and impedance. Operation of transformers. **(3 Lectures)**

**Electric Motors:** Single-phase, three-phase & DC motors. Basic design. Interfacing DC or AC sources to control heaters & motors. Speed & power of ac motor. **(4 Lectures)**

**Solid-State Devices:** Resistors, inductors and capacitors. Diode and rectifiers. Components in Series or in shunt. Response of inductors and capacitors with DC or AC sources. **(3 Lectures)**

### Reference Books:

- A text book in Electrical Technology - B L Theraja - S Chand & Co.
  - A text book of Electrical Technology - A K Theraja
  - Performance and design of AC machines - M G Say ELBS Edn.
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## BASIC INSTRUMENTATION SKILLS (Credits: 02)

### Theory: 30 Lectures

*This course is to get exposure with various aspects of instruments and their usage through hands-on mode. Experiments listed below are to be done in continuation of the topics.*

**Basic of Measurement:** Instruments accuracy, precision, sensitivity, resolution range etc. Errors in measurements and loading effects. **Multimeter:** Principles of measurement of dc voltage and dc current, ac voltage, ac current and resistance. Specifications of a multimeter and their significance. **(4 Lectures)**

**Electronic Voltmeter:** Advantage over conventional multimeter for voltage measurement with respect to input impedance and sensitivity. Principles of voltage, measurement (block diagram only). Specifications of an electronic Voltmeter/ Multimeter and their significance. **AC millivoltmeter:** Type of AC millivoltmeters: Amplifier- rectifier, and rectifier- amplifier. Block diagram ac millivoltmeter, specifications and their significance. **(4 Lectures)**

**Cathode Ray Oscilloscope:** Block diagram of basic CRO. Construction of CRT, Electron gun, electrostatic focusing and acceleration (Explanation only– no mathematical treatment), brief discussion on screen phosphor, visual persistence & chemical composition. Time base operation, synchronization. Front panel controls. Specifications of a CRO and their significance. **(6 Lectures)**

Use of CRO for the measurement of voltage (dc and ac frequency, time period. Special features of dual trace, introduction to digital oscilloscope, probes. Digital storage Oscilloscope: Block diagram and principle of working. **(3 Lectures)**

**Signal Generators and Analysis Instruments:** Block diagram, explanation and specifications of low frequency signal generators. pulse generator, and function generator. Brief idea for testing, specifications. Distortion factor meter, wave analysis.

**(4 Lectures)**

**Impedance Bridges & Q-Meters:** Block diagram of bridge. working principles of basic (balancing type) RLC bridge. Specifications of RLC bridge. Block diagram & working principles of a Q- Meter. Digital LCR bridges. **(3 Lectures)**

**Digital Instruments:** Principle and working of digital meters. Comparison of analog & digital instruments. Characteristics of a digital meter. Working principles of digital voltmeter. **(3 Lectures)**

**Digital Multimeter:** Block diagram and working of a digital multimeter. Working principle of time interval, frequency and period measurement using universal counter/ frequency counter, time- base stability, accuracy and resolution. **(3 Lectures)**

### The test of lab skills will be of the following test items:

1. Use of an oscilloscope.
2. CRO as a versatile measuring device.

3. Circuit tracing of Laboratory electronic equipment,
4. Use of Digital multimeter/VTVM for measuring voltages
5. Circuit tracing of Laboratory electronic equipment,
6. Winding a coil / transformer.
7. Study the layout of receiver circuit.
8. Trouble shooting a circuit
9. Balancing of bridges

#### **Laboratory Exercises:**

1. To observe the loading effect of a multimeter while measuring voltage across a low resistance and high resistance.
2. To observe the limitations of a multimeter for measuring high frequency voltage and currents.
3. To measure Q of a coil and its dependence on frequency, using a Q- meter.
4. Measurement of voltage, frequency, time period and phase angle using CRO.
5. Measurement of time period, frequency, average period using universal counter/ frequency counter.
6. Measurement of rise, fall and delay times using a CRO.
7. Measurement of distortion of a RF signal generator using distortion factor meter.
8. Measurement of R, L and C using a LCR bridge/ universal bridge.

#### **Open Ended Experiments:**

1. Using a Dual Trace Oscilloscope
2. Converting the range of a given measuring instrument (voltmeter, ammeter)

#### **Reference Books:**

- A text book in Electrical Technology - B L Theraja - S Chand and Co.
- Performance and design of AC machines - M G Say ELBS Edn.
- Digital Circuits and systems, Venugopal, 2011, Tata McGraw Hill.
- Logic circuit design, Shimon P. Vingron, 2012, Springer.
- Digital Electronics, Subrata Ghoshal, 2012, Cengage Learning.
- Electronic Devices and circuits, S. Salivahanan & N. S.Kumar, 3<sup>rd</sup> Ed., 2012, Tata Mc-Graw Hill
- Electronic circuits: Handbook of design and applications, U.Tietze, Ch.Schenk, 2008, Springer
- Electronic Devices, 7/e Thomas L. Floyd, 2008, Pearson India

**Generic Elective Papers (GE) (Minor-Physics) (any four) for other Departments/Disciplines: (Credit: 06 each)**

#### **GE: MECHANICS**

**(Credits: Theory-04, Practicals-02)**

**Theory: 30 Lectures**

**Vectors:** Vector algebra. Scalar and vector products. Derivatives of a vector with respect to a parameter. **(4 Lectures)**

**Gravitation:** Newton's Law of Gravitation. Motion of a particle in a central forcefield (motion is in a plane, angular momentum is conserved, areal velocity is constant). Kepler's Laws (statement only). **(5 Lectures)**

**Oscillations:** Simple harmonic motion. Differential equation of SHM and its solutions. Kinetic and Potential Energy, Total Energy and their time averages. Damped oscillations. **(6 Lectures)**

**Elasticity:** Hooke's law - Stress-strain diagram - Elastic moduli-Relation between elastic constants - Poisson's Ratio-Expression for Poisson's ratio in terms of elastic constants - Work done in stretching and work done in twisting a wire - Twisting couple on a cylinder - Determination of Rigidity modulus by static torsion - Torsional pendulum-Determination of Rigidity modulus and moment of inertia -  $q$ ,  $\eta$  and  $\sigma$  by Searles method. (8 Lectures)

**Special Theory of Relativity:** Constancy of speed of light. Postulates of Special Theory of Relativity. Length contraction. Time dilation. Relativistic addition of velocities. (7 Lectures)

*Note: Students are not familiar with vector calculus. Hence all examples involved differentiation either in one dimension or with respect to the radial coordinate*

**Reference Books:**

- University Physics. F.W. Sears, M.W. Zemansky and H.D. Young, 13/e, 1986. Addison-Wesley
  - Mechanics Berkeley Physics, v.1: Charles Kittel, et. al. 2007, Tata McGraw-Hill.
  - Physics – Resnick, Halliday & Walker 9/e, 2010, Wiley
  - Engineering Mechanics, Basudeb Bhattacharya, 2<sup>nd</sup> edn., 2015, Oxford University Press
  - University Physics, Ronald Lane Reese, 2003, Thomson Brooks/Cole.
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**PHYSICS LAB: GE LAB: MECHANICS**

**(At least 50 % of the laboratory experiments should be performed)**

**At least 30 Lectures**

1. Measurements of length (or diameter) using vernier caliper, screw gauge and travelling microscope.
2. To determine the Height of a Building using a Sextant/free fall method.
3. To determine the Moment of Inertia of a Flywheel/ metallic bar axis passing through the centre of gravity.
4. To determine the Young's Modulus of a Wire by Optical Lever/ flexure Method.
5. To determine the Modulus of Rigidity of a Wire by Maxwell's needle/dynamical/statistical.
6. To determine the Elastic Constant young's modulus of a Wire by Searle's method/flexure method.
7. To determine  $g$  by Bar Pendulum.
8. To determine  $g$  by Kater's Pendulum.
9. To study the Motion of a Spring and calculate (a) Spring Constant, (b)  $g$ .

**Reference Books:**

- Advanced Practical Physics for students, B.L. Flint and H.T. Worsnop, 1971, Asia Publishing House.
  - Advanced level Physics Practicals, Michael Nelson and Jon M. Ogborn, 4<sup>th</sup> Edition, reprinted 1985, Heinemann Educational Publishers.
  - Engineering Practical Physics, S.Panigrahi & B.Mallick, 2015, Cengage Learning India Pvt. Ltd.
  - A Text Book of Practical Physics, Indu Prakash and Ramakrishna, 11<sup>th</sup> Edition, 2011, Kitab Mahal, New Delhi.
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## **GE: ELECTRICITY, MAGNETISM & EMT**

**(Credits: Theory-04, Practicals-02)**

### **Theory: 60 Lectures**

**Vector Analysis:** Review of vector algebra (Scalar and Vector product), gradient, divergence, Curl and their significance, Vector Integration, Line, surface and volume integrals of Vector fields, Gauss-divergence theorem and Stoke's theorem of vectors (statement only).

**(12 Lectures)**

**Electrostatics:** Electrostatic Field, electric flux, Gauss's theorem of electrostatics. Applications of Gauss theorem- Electric field due to point charge, infinite line of charge, uniformly charged spherical shell and solid sphere, plane charged sheet, charged conductor. Electric potential as line integral of electric field, potential due to a point charge, electric dipole, uniformly charged spherical shell and solid sphere. Calculation of electric field from potential. Capacitance of an isolated spherical conductor. Parallel plate, spherical and cylindrical condenser. Energy per unit volume in electrostatic field. Dielectric medium, Polarisation, Displacement vector. Gauss's theorem in dielectrics. Parallel plate capacitor completely filled with dielectric.

**(22 Lectures)**

### **Magnetism:**

**Magnetostatics:** Biot-Savart's law and its applications- straight conductor, circular coil, solenoid carrying current. Divergence and curl of magnetic field. Magnetic vector potential. Ampere's circuital law.

**Magnetic properties of materials:** Magnetic intensity, magnetic induction, permeability, magnetic susceptibility. Brief introduction of dia-, para-and ferro-magnetic materials. **(10 Lectures)**

**Electromagnetic Induction:** Faraday's laws of electromagnetic induction, Lenz's law, self and mutual inductance,  $L$  of single coil,  $M$  of two coils. Energy stored in magnetic field. **(6 Lectures)**

**Maxwell's equations and Electromagnetic wave propagation:** Equation of continuity of current, Displacement current, Maxwell's equations, Poynting vector, energy density in electromagnetic field, electromagnetic wave propagation through vacuum and isotropic dielectric medium, transverse nature of EM waves, polarization.

**(10 Lectures)**

### **Reference Books:**

- Electricity and Magnetism, Edward M. Purcell, 1986, McGraw-Hill Education
  - Electricity & Magnetism, J.H. Fewkes & J. Yarwood. Vol. I, 1991, Oxford Univ. Press
  - Electricity and Magnetism, D C Tayal, 1988, Himalaya Publishing House.
  - University Physics, Ronald Lane Reese, 2003, Thomson Brooks/Cole.
  - D.J.Griffiths, Introduction to Electrodynamics, 3rd Edn, 1998, Benjamin Cummings.
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## **GE LAB: ELECTRICITY, MAGNETISM & EMT**

### **60 .Lectures**

1. To use a Multimeter for measuring (a) Resistances, (b) AC and DC Voltages, (c) DC Current, and (d) checking electrical fuses.
2. Ballistic Galvanometer:
  - (i) Measurement of charge and current sensitivity

- (ii) Measurement of CDR
- (iii) Determine a high resistance by Leakage Method
- (iv) To determine Self Inductance of a Coil by Rayleigh's Method.
- 3. To compare capacitances using De'Sauty's bridge.
- 4. Measurement of field strength B and its variation in a Solenoid (Determine dB/dx)
- 5. To study the Characteristics of a Series RC Circuit/ LR circuit.
- 6. To study a series LCR circuit LCR circuit and determine its (a) Resonant frequency, (b) Quality factor
- 7. To study a parallel LCR circuit and determine its (a) Anti-resonant frequency and (b) Quality factor Q
- 8. To determine the value of a Low Resistance by Carey Foster's Bridge.
- 9. To determine the value of a Low Resistance by fall of potential method.
- 10. To verify the Thevenin and Norton theorems
- 11. To verify the Superposition, and Maximum Power Transfer Theorems

### Reference Books

- Advanced Practical Physics for students, B.L.Flint & H.T.Worsnop, 1971, Asia Publishing House.
  - Advanced level Physics Practicals, Michael Nelson and Jon M. Ogborn, 4<sup>th</sup> Edition, reprinted 1985, Heinemann Educational Publishers
  - A Text Book of Practical Physics, I.Prakash & Ramakrishna, 11<sup>th</sup> Ed.2011, Kitab Mahal
  - Engineering Practical Physics, S.Panigrahi & B.Mallick,2015, Cengage Learning India Pvt. Ltd.
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## GE: THERMAL PHYSICS AND STATISTICAL MECHANICS

(Credits: Theory-04, Practicals-02)

**Theory: 60 Lectures**

**Laws of Thermodynamics:** Thermodynamic Description of system: Zeroth Law of thermodynamics and temperature. First law and internal energy, conversion of heat into work, Various Thermodynamical Processes, Applications of First Law: General Relation between  $C_p$  and  $C_v$ , Work Done during Isothermal and Adiabatic Processes, Compressibility and Expansion Coefficient, Reversible and irreversible processes, Second law and Entropy, Carnot's cycle & theorem, Entropy changes in reversible & irreversible processes, Entropy-temperature diagrams, Third law of thermodynamics, Unattainability of absolute zero. **(22 Lectures)**

**Thermodynamical Potentials:** Enthalpy, Gibbs, Helmholtz and Internal Energy functions, Maxwell's relations and applications - Joule-Thompson Effect, Clausius-Clapeyron Equation, Expression for  $(C_p - C_v)$ ,  $C_p/C_v$ ,  $TdS$  equations. **(10 Lectures)**

**Kinetic Theory of Gases:** Derivation of Maxwell's law of distribution of velocities and its experimental verification, Mean free path (Zeroth Order), Transport Phenomena: Viscosity, Conduction and Diffusion (for vertical case), Law of equipartition of energy (no derivation) and its applications to specific heat of gases; mono-atomic and diatomic gases. **(10 Lectures)**

**Theory of Radiation:** Blackbody radiation, Spectral distribution, Concept of Energy Density, Derivation of Planck's law, Deduction of Wien's distribution law, Rayleigh-Jeans Law, Stefan Boltzmann Law and Wien's displacement law from Planck's law. **(6 Lectures)**

**Statistical Mechanics:** Phase space, Macrostate and Microstate, Entropy and Thermodynamic probability, Maxwell-Boltzmann law - distribution of velocity - Quantum statistics - Fermi-Dirac distribution law - electron gas - Bose-Einstein distribution law - photon gas - comparison of three statistics. **(12 Lectures)**

**Reference Books:**

- Thermal Physics, S. Garg, R. Bansal and C. Ghosh, 1993, Tata McGraw-Hill.
  - A Treatise on Heat, Meghnad Saha, and B.N. Srivastava, 1969, Indian Press.
  - Thermodynamics, Enrico Fermi, 1956, Courier Dover Publications.
  - Heat and Thermodynamics, M.W. Zemansky and R. Dittman, 1981, McGraw Hill
  - Thermodynamics, Kinetic theory & Statistical thermodynamics, F.W. Sears and G.L. Salinger. 1988, Narosa
  - University Physics, Ronald Lane Reese, 2003, Thomson Brooks/Cole.
  - Thermal Physics, A. Kumar and S.P. Taneja, 2014, R. Chand Publications.
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## **GE LAB: THERMAL PHYSICS AND STATISTICAL MECHANICS**

### **60 Lectures**

1. To determine Mechanical Equivalent of Heat, J, by Callender and Barne's constant flow method.
2. Measurement of Planck's constant using black body radiation.
3. To determine Stefan's Constant.
4. To determine the coefficient of thermal conductivity of Cu by Searle's Apparatus.
5. To determine the Coefficient of Thermal Conductivity of Cu by Angstrom's Method.
6. To determine the coefficient of thermal conductivity of a bad conductor by Lee and Charlton's disc method.
7. To determine the temperature co-efficient of resistance by Platinum resistance thermometer.
8. To study the variation of thermo emf across two junctions of a thermocouple with temperature.
9. To record and analyze the cooling temperature of an hot object as a function of time using a thermocouple and suitable data acquisition system
10. To calibrate Resistance Temperature Device (RTD) using Null Method/Off-Balance Bridge.

**Reference Books:**

- Advanced Practical Physics for students, B.L. Flint & H.T. Worsnop, 1971, Asia Publishing House.
  - Advanced level Physics Practicals, Michael Nelson and Jon M. Ogborn, 4<sup>th</sup> Edition, reprinted 1985, Heinemann Educational Publishers
  - A Text Book of Practical Physics, Indu Prakash and Ramakrishna, 11<sup>th</sup> Edition, 2011, Kitab Mahal, New Delhi.
  - A Laboratory Manual of Physics for Undergraduate Classes, D.P. Khandelwal, 1985, Vani Publication.
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## **GE: WAVES AND OPTICS**

**(Credits: Theory-04, Practicals-02)**

**Theory: 60 Lectures**

**Superposition of Two Collinear Harmonic oscillations:** Linearity & Superposition Principle. (1) Oscillations having equal frequencies and (2) Oscillations having different frequencies (Beats). **(4 Lectures)**

**Superposition of Two Perpendicular Harmonic Oscillations:** Graphical and Analytical Methods. Lissajous Figures with equal and unequal frequency and their uses. **(2 Lectures)**

**Waves Motion- General:** Transverse waves on a string. Travelling and standing waves on a string. Normal Modes of a string. Group velocity, Phase velocity. Plane waves. Spherical waves, Wave intensity. **(7 Lectures).**

**Fluids:** Surface Tension: Synclastic and anticlastic surface - Excess of pressure - Application to spherical and cylindrical drops and bubbles - variation of surface tension with temperature - Jaeger's method. Viscosity - Rate flow of liquid in a capillary tube - Poiseuille's formula - Determination of coefficient of viscosity of a liquid - Variations of viscosity of liquid with temperature- lubrication. **(6 Lectures)**

**Sound:** Simple harmonic motion - forced vibrations and resonance - Fourier's Theorem - Application to saw tooth wave and square wave - Intensity and loudness of sound - Decibels - Intensity levels - musical notes - musical scale. Acoustics of buildings: Reverberation and time of reverberation - Absorption coefficient - Sabine's formula - measurement of reverberation time - Acoustic aspects of halls and auditoria.

**(6 Lectures)**

**Wave Optics:** Electromagnetic nature of light. Definition and Properties of wavefront. Huygens Principle. **(3 Lectures)**

**Interference:** Interference: Division of amplitude and division of wavefront. Young's Double Slit experiment. Lloyd's Mirror and Fresnel's Biprism. Phase change on reflection: Stokes' treatment. Interference in Thin Films: parallel and wedge-shaped films. Fringes of equal inclination (Haidinger Fringes); Fringes of equal thickness (Fizeau Fringes). Newton's Rings: measurement of wavelength and refractive index.

**(10 Lectures)**

**Michelson's Interferometer:** Idea of form of fringes (no theory needed), Determination of wavelength, Wavelength difference, Refractive index, and Visibility of fringes. **(3 Lectures)**

**Diffraction:** Fraunhofer diffraction- Single slit; Double Slit. Multiple slits and Diffraction grating. Fresnel Diffraction: Half-period zones. Zone plate. Fresnel Diffraction pattern of a straight edge, a slit and a wire using half-period zone analysis.

**(14 Lectures)**

**Polarization:** Transverse nature of light waves. Plane polarized light – production and analysis. Circular

and elliptical polarization. **(5 Lectures)**

**Reference Books:**

- Fundamentals of Optics, F.A Jenkins and H.E White, 1976, McGraw-Hill
  - Principles of Optics, B.K. Mathur, 1995, Gopal Printing
  - Fundamentals of Optics, H.R. Gulati and D.R. Khanna, 1991, R. Chand Publications
  - University Physics. F.W. Sears, M.W. Zemansky and H.D. Young. 13/e, 1986. Addison-Wesley
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**GE LAB: WAVES AND OPTICS**

**60 Lectures**

1. To investigate the motion of coupled oscillators
2. To determine the Frequency of an Electrically Maintained Tuning Fork by Melde's Experiment and to verify  $\lambda^2 - T$  Law/sonometer.
3. To determine the density of sonometer wire using a sonometer and verify n-l curve and verify the laws of string under tension.
4. To study Lissajous Figures
5. Familiarization with Schuster's focussing; determination of angle of prism.
6. To determine the Refractive Index of the Material of a Prism using Sodium Light.
7. To determine Dispersive Power of the Material of a Prism using Mercury/sodium Light
8. To determine the value of Cauchy Constants.
9. To determine the Resolving Power of a Prism.
10. To determine wavelength of sodium light using Fresnel Biprism.
11. To determine wavelength of sodium light using Newton's Rings.
12. To determine the wavelength of Laser light using Diffraction of Single Slit.
13. To determine wavelength of (1) Sodium and (2) Spectral lines of the Mercury light using plane diffraction Grating
14. To determine the Resolving Power of a Plane Diffraction Grating.
15. To measure the intensity using photosensor and laser in diffraction patterns of single and double slits.

**Reference Books:**

- Advanced Practical Physics for students, B.L. Flint and H.T. Worsnop, 1971, Asia Publishing House.
  - Advanced level Physics Practicals, Michael Nelson and Jon M. Ogborn, 4<sup>th</sup> Edition, reprinted 1985, Heinemann Educational Publishers
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**GE: DIGITAL, ANALOG CIRCUITS AND INSTRUMENTATION**

**(Credits: Theory-04, Practicals-02)**

**Theory: 60 Lectures**

**UNIT-1: Digital Circuits**

Difference between Analog and Digital Circuits. Binary Numbers. Decimal to Binary and Binary to Decimal Conversion, AND, OR and NOT Gates (Realization using Diodes and Transistor). NAND and NOR Gates as Universal Gates. XOR and XNOR Gates. **(4 Lectures)**

De Morgan's Theorems. Boolean Laws. Simplification of Logic Circuit using Boolean Algebra. Fundamental Products. Minterms and Maxterms. Conversion of a Truth Table into an Equivalent Logic Circuit by (1) Sum of Products Method and (2) Karnaugh Map. **(5 Lectures)**

Binary Addition. Binary Subtraction using 2's Complement Method). Half Adders and Full Adders and Subtractors, 4-bit binary Adder-Subtractor. **(4 Lectures)**

### **UNIT-2: Semiconductor Devices and Amplifiers:**

Semiconductor Diodes: P and N type semiconductors. Barrier Formation in PN Junction Diode. Qualitative Idea of Current Flow Mechanism in Forward and Reverse Biased Diode. PN junction and its characteristics. Static and Dynamic Resistance. Principle and structure of (1) LEDs, (2) Photodiode, (3) Solar Cell. **(5 Lectures)**

Bipolar Junction transistors: n-p-n and p-n-p Transistors. Characteristics of CB, CE and CC Configurations. Active, Cutoff & Saturation regions Current gains  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$ . Relations between  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$ . Load Line analysis of Transistors. DC Load line & Q-point. Voltage Divider Bias Circuit for CE Amplifier. h-parameter Equivalent Circuit. Analysis of single-stage CE amplifier using hybrid Model. Input & output Impedance. Current, Voltage and Power gains. Class A, B & C Amplifiers. **(12 Lectures)**

### **UNIT-3: Operational Amplifiers (Black Box approach):**

Characteristics of an Ideal and Practical Op-Amp (IC 741), Open-loop and closed-loop Gain. CMRR, concept of Virtual ground. Applications of Op-Amps: (1) Inverting and non-inverting Amplifiers, (2) Adder, (3) Subtractor, (4) Differentiator, (5) Integrator, (6) Zero crossing detector. **(13 Lectures)**

**Sinusoidal Oscillators:** Barkhausen's Criterion for Self-sustained Oscillations. Determination of Frequency of RC Oscillator **(5 Lectures)**

**UNIT-4: Instrumentations:** Introduction to CRO: Block Diagram of CRO. Applications of CRO: (1) Study of Waveform, (2) Measurement of Voltage, Current, Frequency, and Phase Difference. **(3 Lectures)** Power Supply: Half-wave Rectifiers. Centre-tapped and Bridge Full-wave Rectifiers Calculation of Ripple Factor and Rectification Efficiency, Basic idea about capacitor filter, Zener Diode and Voltage Regulation. **(6 Lectures)** Timer IC: IC 555 Pin diagram and its application as Astable and Monostable Multivibrator. **(3 Lectures)**

### **Reference Books:**

- Integrated Electronics, J. Millman and C.C. Halkias, 1991, Tata Mc-Graw Hill.
- Electronic devices & circuits, S. Salivahanan & N.S. Kumar, 2012, Tata Mc-Graw Hill
- Microelectronic Circuits, M.H. Rashid, 2<sup>nd</sup> Edn., 2011, Cengage Learning.
- Modern Electronic Instrumentation and Measurement Tech., Helfrick and Cooper, 1990, PHI Learning
- Digital Principles and Applications, A.P. Malvino, D.P. Leach and Saha, 7<sup>th</sup> Ed., 2011, Tata McGraw Hill
- Microelectronic circuits, A.S. Sedra, K.C. Smith, A.N. Chandorkar, 2014, 6<sup>th</sup> Edn., Oxford University Press.
- Fundamentals of Digital Circuits, A. Anand Kumar, 2<sup>nd</sup> Edition, 2009, PHI Learning Pvt. Ltd.
- OP-AMP & Linear Digital Circuits, R.A. Gayakwad, 2000, PHI Learning Pvt. Ltd.

## GE LAB: DIGITAL, ANALOG CIRCUITS AND INSTRUMENTS

### 60 Lectures

1. To measure (a) Voltage, and (b) Frequency of a periodic waveform using CRO
2. To verify and design AND, OR, NOT and XOR gates using NAND gates.
3. To minimize a given logic circuit.
4. Half adder, Full adder and 4-bit Binary Adder.
5. Adder-Subtractor using Full Adder I.C.
6. To design an astable multivibrator of given specifications using 555 Timer.
7. To design a monostable multivibrator of given specifications using 555 Timer.
8. To study IV characteristics of PN diode, Zener and Light emitting diode
9. To study the characteristics of a Transistor in CE configuration.
10. To design a CE amplifier of given gain (mid-gain) using voltage divider bias.
11. To design an inverting amplifier of given gain using Op-amp 741 and study its frequency response.
12. To design a non-inverting amplifier of given gain using Op-amp 741 and study its Frequency Response.
13. To study Differential Amplifier of given I/O specification using Op-amp.
14. To investigate a differentiator made using op-amp.
15. To design a Wien Bridge Oscillator using an op-amp.

### Reference Books:

- Basic Electronics: A text lab manual, P.B. Zbar, A.P. Malvino, M.A. Miller, 1994, Mc-Graw Hill.
  - Electronics: Fundamentals and Applications, J.D. Ryder, 2004, Prentice Hall.
  - OP-Amps & Linear Integrated Circuit, R.A. Gayakwad, 4<sup>th</sup> Edn, 2000, Prentice Hall.
  - Electronic Principle, Albert Malvino, 2008, Tata Mc-Graw Hill.
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## GE: Nuclear and Particle Physics

(Credits: Theory-05, Tutorials-01)

### Theory: 75 Lectures

*Prerequisites: Knowledge of "Elements of Modern Physics"*

**General Properties of Nuclei:** Constituents of nucleus and their Intrinsic properties, quantitative facts about mass, radii, charge density (matter density), binding energy, average binding energy and its variation with mass number, main features of binding energy versus mass number curve, N/A plot, angular momentum, parity, magnetic moment, electric moments, nuclear excited states. **(10 Lectures)**

**Nuclear Models:** Liquid drop model approach, semi empirical mass formula and significance of its various terms, condition of nuclear stability, two nucleon separation energies, Fermi gas model (degenerate fermion gas, nuclear symmetry potential in Fermi gas), evidence for nuclear shell structure, nuclear magic numbers, basic assumption of shell model, concept of mean field, residual interaction, concept of nuclear force. **(12 Lectures)**

**Radioactivity decay:** (a) Alpha decay: basics of  $\alpha$ -decay processes, theory of  $\alpha$ -emission, Gamow factor,

Geiger Nuttall law,  $\alpha$ -decay spectroscopy. (b)  $\beta$ -decay: energy kinematics for  $\beta$ -decay, positron emission, electron capture, neutrino hypothesis. (c) Gamma decay: Gamma rays emission & kinematics, internal conversion. **(10 Lectures)**

**Nuclear Reactions:** Types of Reactions, Conservation Laws, kinematics of reactions, Q-value, reaction rate, reaction cross section, Concept of compound and direct reaction, resonance reaction, Coulomb scattering (Rutherford scattering). **(8 Lectures)**

**Interaction of Nuclear Radiation with matter:** Energy loss due to ionization (Bethe-Block formula), energy loss of electrons, Cerenkov radiation. Gamma ray interaction through matter, photoelectric effect, Compton scattering, pair production, neutron interaction with matter. **(8 Lectures)**

**Detector for Nuclear Radiations:** Gas detectors: estimation of electric field, mobility of particle, for ionization chamber and GM Counter. Basic principle of Scintillation Detectors and construction of photo-multiplier tube (PMT). Semiconductor Detectors (Si and Ge) for charge particle and photon detection (concept of charge carrier and mobility), neutron detector. **(8 Lectures)**

**Particle Accelerators:** Accelerator facility available in India: Van-de Graaff generator (Tandem accelerator), Linear accelerator, Cyclotron, Synchrotrons.

**(5 Lectures)**

**Particle physics:** Particle interactions; basic features, types of particles and its families. Symmetries and Conservation Laws: energy and momentum, angular momentum, parity, baryon number, Lepton number, Isospin, Strangeness and charm, concept of quark model, color quantum number and gluons. **(14 Lectures)**

#### **Reference Books:**

- Introductory nuclear Physics by Kenneth S. Krane (Wiley India Pvt. Ltd., 2008).
  - Concepts of nuclear physics by Bernard L. Cohen. (Tata McGraw Hill, 1998).
  - Introduction to the physics of nuclei & particles, R.A. Dunlap. (Thomson Asia, 2004)
  - Introduction to Elementary Particles, D. Griffith, John Wiley & Sons
  - Quarks and Leptons, F. Halzen and A.D. Martin, Wiley India, New Delhi
  - Basic ideas and concepts in Nuclear Physics - An Introductory Approach by K. Heyde (IOP- Institute of Physics Publishing, 2004).
  - Radiation detection and measurement, G.F. Knoll (John Wiley & Sons, 2000).
  - Theoretical Nuclear Physics, J.M. Blatt & V.F. Weisskopf (Dover Pub. Inc., 1991)
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**B.Sc. with Physics (1<sup>st</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> Semester)**

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**B.Sc. with Physics**

There will be six semesters in the three- year **B.Sc. with Physics**. The Curriculum consists of 12 Core Courses (C), 2 Ability Enhancement Compulsory Courses (AECC), 2 Skill Enhancement Courses (SEC) and 6 Discipline Specific Elective (DSE) Courses. Each course is of 50 marks. L stands for Lecture Hour, T for Tutorial Hour and P for Practical Hour.

**Details of Courses under Undergraduate Program (B.Sc.)**

Course	*Credits	
	Theory+ Practical	Theory+Tutorials
<b><u>I. Core Course</u></b>	12X4= 48	12X5=60
(12 Papers)		
04 Courses from each of the		
03 disciplines of choice		
<b>Core Course Practical / Tutorial*</b>	12X2=24	12X1=12
(12 Practical/ Tutorials*)		
04 Courses from each of the		
03 Disciplines of choice		
<b><u>II. Elective Course</u></b>	6x4=24	6X5=30
(6 Papers)		
Two papers from each discipline of choice		
including paper of interdisciplinary nature.		



**Elective Course Practical / Tutorials\***      6 X 2=12      6X1=6

**(6 Practical / Tutorials\*)**

Two Papers from each discipline of choice

including paper of interdisciplinary nature

**Optional Dissertation or project work in place of one Discipline elective paper (6 credits) in 6<sup>th</sup> Semester**

### **III. Ability Enhancement Courses**

**1. Ability Enhancement Compulsory**      2 X 2=4      2X2=4

**(2 Papers of 2 credits each)**

**Environmental Science**

**English/MIL Communication**

**2. Skill Enhancement Course**      4 X 2=8      4 X 2=8

**(Skill Based)**

**(4 Papers of 2 credits each)**

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**Total credit= 120**

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**Institute should evolve a system/policy about ECA/ General Interest/Hobby/Sports/NCC/NSS/related courses on its own. \*wherever there is practical there will be no tutorials and vice –versa**

### Proposed scheme for choice based credit system in B. Sc. with Physics

	<b>CORE COURSE (14)</b>	<b>Ability Enhancement Compulsory Course (AECC) (2)</b>	<b>Skill enhancement Course (SEC) (2)</b>	<b>Discipline Specific DSE (4)</b>
<b>I</b>	<b>Mechanics</b>	<b>(English/MIL Communication)/ Environmental Science</b>		
	DSC 2 A			
	DSC 3A			
<b>II</b>	Electricity, Magnetism & EMT	<b>Environmental Science/ (English/MIL Communication)</b>		
	DSC 2 B			
	DSC 3 B			
<b>III</b>	Thermal Physics and Statistical Mechanics		<b>SEC-1</b>	
	DSC- 2 C			
	DSC 3 C			
<b>IV</b>	Waves and Optics		<b>SEC-2</b>	
	DSC- 2 D			
	DSC 3 D			
<b>V</b>			<b>SEC- 3</b>	<b>DSE- 1 A</b>
				<b>DSE- 2 A</b>
				<b>DSE- 3 A</b>
<b>VI</b>			<b>SEC- 4</b>	<b>DSE- 1 B</b>
				<b>DSE- 2 B</b>
				<b>DSE- 3 B</b>

<b>SEMESTER</b>	<b>COURSE OPTED</b>	<b>COURSE NAME</b>	<b>Credits</b>
<b>I</b>	<b>Ability Enhancement Compulsory Course-I</b>	<b>English/MIL communications/ Environmental Science</b>	<b>2</b>
	<b>Core course-I</b>	<b>Mechanics</b>	<b>4</b>
	<b>Core Course-I Practical/Tutorial</b>	<b>Mechanics Lab</b>	<b>2</b>
	<b>Core course-II</b>	<b>DSC 2A</b>	<b>6</b>
	<b>Core Course-III</b>	<b>DSC 3A</b>	<b>6</b>
<b>II</b>	<b>Ability Enhancement Compulsory Course-II</b>	<b>English/MIL communications/ Environmental Science</b>	<b>2</b>
	<b>Core course-IV</b>	<b>Electricity, Magnetism and EMT</b>	<b>4</b>
	<b>Core Course-IV Practical/Tutorial</b>	<b>Electricity, Magnetism and EMT Lab</b>	<b>2</b>
	<b>Core course-V</b>	<b>DSC 2B</b>	<b>6</b>
	<b>Core Course-VI</b>	<b>DSC 3B</b>	<b>6</b>
<b>III</b>	<b>Core course-VII</b>	<b>Thermal Physics and Statistical Mechanics</b>	<b>4</b>
	<b>Core Course-VII Practical/Tutorial</b>	<b>Thermal Physics and Statistical Mechanics Lab</b>	<b>2</b>
	<b>Core course-VIII</b>	<b>DSC 2C</b>	<b>6</b>
	<b>Core Course-IX</b>	<b>DSC 3C</b>	<b>6</b>
	<b>Skill Enhancement Course -1</b>	<b>SEC-1</b>	<b>2</b>
<b>IV</b>	<b>Core course-X</b>	<b>Waves and Optics</b>	<b>4</b>
	<b>Course-X Practical/Tutorial</b>	<b>Waves and Optics Lab</b>	<b>2</b>
	<b>Core course-XI</b>	<b>DSC 2D</b>	<b>6</b>
	<b>Core course-XII</b>	<b>DSC 3D</b>	<b>6</b>
	<b>Skill Enhancement Course -2</b>	<b>SEC -2</b>	<b>2</b>
<b>V</b>	<b>Skill Enhancement Course -3</b>	<b>SEC -3</b>	<b>2</b>
	<b>Discipline Specific Elective -1</b>	<b>DSE-1A</b>	<b>6</b>
	<b>Discipline Specific Elective -2</b>	<b>DSE-2A</b>	<b>6</b>
	<b>Discipline Specific Elective -3</b>	<b>DSE-3A</b>	<b>6</b>
<b>VI</b>	<b>Skill Enhancement Course -4</b>	<b>SEC -4</b>	<b>2</b>
	<b>Discipline Specific Elective -4</b>	<b>DSE-1B</b>	<b>6</b>
	<b>Discipline Specific Elective -5</b>	<b>DSE-2B</b>	<b>6</b>
	<b>Discipline Specific Elective-6</b>	<b>DSE-3B</b>	<b>6</b>
<b>Total Credits</b>			<b>120</b>

## **B.Sc. Physical Science**

### **Core papers Physics (Credit: 06 each) (CP 1-4):**

1. Mechanics (4) + Lab (4)
2. Electricity and Magnetism (4) + Lab (4)
3. Thermal Physics and Statistical Mechanics (4) + Lab (4)
4. Waves and Optics (4) + Lab (4)

### **Discipline Specific Elective papers (Credit: 06 each) (DSE 1, DSE 2): Choose 2**

1. Digital, Analog and Instrumentation (4) + Lab (4)
2. Elements of Modern Physics (4) + Lab (4)
3. Mathematical Physics (4) + Lab (4)

Note: Universities may include more options or delete some from this list

### **Skill Enhancement Course (any four) (Credit: 02 each)- SEC 1 to SEC 4**

1. Physics Workshop Skills
2. Computational Physics Skills
3. Electrical circuits and Network Skills
4. Basic Instrumentation Skills

Note: Universities may include more options or delete some from this list

### **Important:**

1. Each University/Institute should provide a brief write-up about each paper outlining the salient features, utility, learning objectives and prerequisites.
2. University/Institute can add/delete some experiments of similar nature in the Laboratory papers.
3. The size of the practical group for practical papers is recommended to be 12-15 students. University/Institute can add to the list of reference books given at the end of each

paper.

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### **Semester I**

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### **PHYSICS-DSC 1 A: MECHANICS (Credits: Theory-04, Practicals-02)**

**Theory: 30 Lectures**

**Vectors:** Vector algebra. Scalar and vector products. Derivatives of a vector with respect to a parameter. (4 Lectures)

**Gravitation:** Newton's Law of Gravitation. Motion of a particle in a central force field (motion is in a plane, angular momentum is conserved, areal velocity is constant). Kepler's Laws (statement only).

**(5 Lectures)**

**Oscillations:** Simple harmonic motion. Differential equation of SHM and its solutions. Kinetic and Potential Energy, Total Energy and their time averages. Damped oscillations. **(6 Lectures)**

**Elasticity:** Hooke's law - Stress-strain diagram - Elastic moduli-Relation between elastic constants - Poisson's Ratio-Expression for Poisson's ratio in terms of elastic constants - Work done in stretching and work done in twisting a wire - Twisting couple on a cylinder - Determination of Rigidity modulus by static torsion - Torsional pendulum-Determination of Rigidity modulus and moment of inertia -  $q$ ,  $\eta$  and  $\sigma$  by Searles method **(8 Lectures)**

**Special Theory of Relativity:** Constancy of speed of light. Postulates of Special Theory of Relativity. Length contraction. Time dilation. Relativistic addition of velocities. **(7 Lectures)**

*Note: Students are not familiar with vector calculus. Hence all examples involve differentiation either in one dimension or with respect to the radial coordinate.*

**Reference Books:**

- University Physics. FW Sears, MW Zemansky and HD Young 13/e, 1986. Addison-Wesley
  - Mechanics Berkeley Physics course, v.1: Charles Kittel, et. Al. 2007, Tata McGraw-Hill.
  - Physics – Resnick, Halliday & Walker 9/e, 2010, Wiley
  - Engineering Mechanics, Basudeb Bhattacharya, 2<sup>nd</sup> edn., 2015, Oxford University Press
  - University Physics, Ronald Lane Reese, 2003, Thomson Brooks/Cole.
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**PHYSICS LAB: DSC 1A LAB: MECHANICS**

**(At least 50 % of the laboratory experiments should be performed)**

**At least 30 Lectures**

1. Measurements of length (or diameter) using vernier caliper, screw gauge and travelling microscope.
2. To determine the Height of a Building using a Sextant/ free fall method.
3. To determine the Moment of Inertia of a Flywheel/metallic bar about an axis passing through its centre of gravity.
4. To determine the Young's Modulus of a Wire by Optical Lever Method/flexure method.
5. To determine the Modulus of Rigidity of a Wire by Maxwell's needle/dynamical/statical method.
6. To determine the Elastic Constant/ young's modulus of a Wire by Searle's method.
7. To determine  $g$  by Bar Pendulum.
8. To determine  $g$  by Kater's Pendulum.
9. To determine  $g$  and velocity for a freely falling body using Digital Timing Technique/free fall method.
10. To study the Motion of a Spring and calculate (a) Spring Constant (b) Value of  $g$

**Reference Books:**

- Advanced Practical Physics for students, B.L.Flint and H.T.Worsnop, 1971, Asia Publishing House.
- Advanced level Physics Practicals, Michael Nelson and Jon M. Ogborn, 4<sup>th</sup> Edition, reprinted 1985, Heinemann Educational Publishers.
- Engineering Practical Physics, S.Panigrahi & B.Mallick, 2015, Cengage Learning India Pvt. Ltd.

- A Text Book of Practical Physics, Indu Prakash and Ramakrishna, 11<sup>th</sup> Edition, 2011, Kitab Mahal, New Delhi.
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## Semester II

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### **PHYSICS-DSC 2A: ELECTRICITY, MAGNETISM AND ELECTROMAGNETIC THEORY.**

**(Credits: Theory-04, Practicals-02)**

**Theory: 60 Lectures**

**Vector Analysis:** Review of vector algebra (Scalar and Vector product), gradient, divergence, Curl and their significance, Vector Integration, Line, surface and volume integrals of Vector fields, Gauss-divergence theorem and Stoke's theorem of vectors (statement only). **(12 Lectures)**

**Electrostatics:** Electrostatic Field, electric flux, Gauss's theorem of electrostatics. Applications of Gauss theorem- Electric field due to point charge, infinite line of charge, uniformly charged spherical shell and solid sphere, plane charged sheet, charged conductor. Electric potential as line integral of electric field, potential due to a point charge, electric dipole, uniformly charged spherical shell and solid sphere. Calculation of electric field from potential. Capacitance of an isolated spherical conductor. Parallel plate, spherical and cylindrical condenser. Energy per unit volume in electrostatic field. Dielectric medium, Polarisation, Displacement vector. Gauss's theorem in dielectrics. Parallel plate capacitor completely filled with dielectric.

**(22 Lectures)**

#### **Magnetism:**

**Magnetostatics:** Biot-Savart's law & its applications- straight conductor, circular coil, solenoid carrying current. Divergence and curl of magnetic field. Magnetic vector potential. Ampere's circuital law.

**Magnetic properties of materials:** Magnetic intensity, magnetic induction, permeability, magnetic susceptibility. Brief introduction of dia-, para- and ferro-magnetic materials.

**(10 Lectures)**

**Electromagnetic Induction:** Faraday's laws of electromagnetic induction, Lenz's law, self and mutual inductance,  $L$  of single coil,  $M$  of two coils. Energy stored in magnetic field. **(6 Lectures)**

**Maxwell's equations and Electromagnetic wave propagation:** Equation of continuity of current, Displacement current, Maxwell's equations, Poynting vector, energy density in electromagnetic field, electromagnetic wave propagation through vacuum and isotropic dielectric medium, transverse nature of EM waves, polarization. **(10 Lectures)**

**Electrical Circuits:** AC Circuits: Kirchhoff's laws for AC circuits. Complex Reactance and Impedance. Series LCR Circuit: (1) Resonance, (2) Power Dissipation and (3) quality Factor, and (4) Band Width. Parallel LCR Circuit. Measurement of a High resistance by the method of leakage of charge of a capacitor. Transient in Mutually coupled circuits. **(6 Lectures)**

#### **Reference Books:**

- Electricity and Magnetism, Edward M. Purcell, 1986, McGraw-Hill Education..
  - Electricity and Magnetism, J.H. Fewkes & J. Yarwood. Vol. I, 1991, Oxford Univ. Press.
  - Electricity and Magnetism, D C Tayal, 1988, Himalaya Publishing House.
  - University Physics, Ronald Lane Reese, 2003, Thomson Brooks/Cole.
  - D.J. Griffiths, Introduction to Electrodynamics, 3rd Edn, 1998, Benjamin Cummings.
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### **PHYSICS LAB- DSC 2A LAB: ELECTRICITY, MAGNETISM AND ELECTROMAGNETIC THEORY**

#### **60 Lectures**

1. To use a Multimeter for measuring (a) Resistances, (b) AC and DC Voltages, (c) DC Current, and (d) checking electrical fuses.
2. To determine a Low Resistance by fall of potential method.
3. To compare capacitances using De'Sauty's bridge/ Anderson's Bridge.
4. Measurement of field strength B and its variation in a Solenoid (Determine dB/dx).
5. To study the Characteristics of a Series RC Circuit
6. To study the Characteristics of a Series LR circuit.
7. To study the a series LCR circuit and determine its (a) Resonant Frequency, (b) Quality Factor
8. To study a parallel LCR circuit and determine its (a) Anti-resonant frequency and Quality factor Q
9. To determine a Low Resistance by Carey Foster's Bridge.
10. To verify the Thevenin and Norton theorem
11. To verify the Superposition, and Maximum Power Transfer Theorem

#### **Reference Books**

- Advanced Practical Physics for students, B.L.Flint & H.T.Worsnop, 1971, Asia Publishing House.
- A Text Book of Practical Physics, Indu Prakash and Ramakrishna, 11<sup>th</sup> Edition, 2011, Kitab Mahal, New Delhi.
- Engineering Practical Physics, S.Panigrahi & B.Mallick, 2015, Cengage Learning India Pvt. Ltd.

- Advanced level Physics Practicals, Michael Nelson and Jon M. Ogborn, 4<sup>th</sup> Edition, reprinted 1985, Heinemann Educational Publishers
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### Semester III

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## PHYSICS-DSC 3A: THERMAL PHYSICS AND STATISTICAL MECHANICS

(Credits: Theory-04, Practicals-02)

**Theory: 30 Lectures**

### Laws of Thermodynamics:

**Thermodynamic Description of system:** Zeroth Law of thermodynamics and temperature. First law and internal energy, conversion of heat into work, Various Thermodynamical Processes, Applications of First Law: General Relation between  $C_p$  &  $C_v$ , Work Done during Isothermal and Adiabatic Processes, Compressibility & Expansion Coefficient, Reversible & irreversible processes, Second law & Entropy, Carnot's cycle & theorem, Entropy changes in reversible & irreversible processes, Entropy-temperature diagrams, Third law of thermodynamics, Unattainability of absolute zero.

(14 Lectures)

**Kinetic Theory of Gases:** Derivation of Maxwell's law of distribution of velocities and its experimental verification, Mean free path (Zeroth Order). (4 Lectures)

**Theory of Radiation:** Blackbody radiation, Spectral distribution, Concept of Energy Density, Derivation of Planck's law, Wien's distribution law, Rayleigh-Jeans Law, Stefan Boltzmann Law and Wien's displacement law from Planck's law (Statement only).

(4 Lectures)

**Statistical Mechanics:** Phase space, Macrostate and Microstate, Entropy and Thermodynamic probability, Maxwell-Boltzmann law - distribution of velocity - Quantum statistics - Fermi-Dirac distribution law - electron gas - Bose-Einstein distribution law - photon gas - comparison of three statistics. (8 Lectures)

### Reference Books:

- Thermal Physics, S. Garg, R. Bansal and C. Ghosh, 1993, Tata McGraw-Hill.



- A Treatise on Heat, Meghnad Saha, and B.N. Srivastava, 1969, Indian Press.
  - Thermodynamics, Enrico Fermi, 1956, Courier Dover Publications.  
Heat and Thermodynamics, M.W.Zemasky and R. Dittman, 1981, McGraw Hill
  - Thermodynamics, Kinetic theory & Statistical thermodynamics, F.W.Sears & G.L.Salinger. 1988, Narosa
  - University Physics, Ronald Lane Reese, 2003, Thomson Brooks/Cole.
  - Thermal Physics, A. Kumar and S.P. Taneja, 2014, R. chand Publications.
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## **PHYSICS LAB-DSC 3A LAB:**

### **THERMAL PHYSICS AND STATISTICAL MECHANICS**

**(At least 50% of the laboratory experiments should be performed)**

#### **At least 30 Lectures**

1. To determine Mechanical Equivalent of Heat, J, by Callender and Barne's constant flow method.
2. Measurement of Planck's constant using black body radiation.
3. To determine Stefan's Constant.
4. To determine the coefficient of thermal conductivity of copper/ good conductor by Searle's Apparatus.
5. To determine the Coefficient of Thermal Conductivity of Cu by Angstrom's Method / Bad conductor by cylindrical heat flow method. Or  
Determination of thermal conductivity of glass in the form of tube.
6. To determine the coefficient of thermal conductivity of a bad conductor by Lee and Charlton's disc method.
7. To determine the temperature co-efficient of resistance by Platinum resistance thermometer.
8. To study the variation of thermo emf across two junctions of a thermocouple with temperature.
9. To record and analyze the cooling temperature of an hot object as a function of time using a thermocouple and suitable data acquisition system
10. To calibrate Resistance Temperature Device (RTD) using Null Method/Off-Balance Bridge.
11. Determination of temperature co efficient of resistance by using meter bridge.

#### **Reference Books:**

- Advanced Practical Physics for students, B.L.Flint & H.T.Worsnop, 1971, Asia Publishing House.
  - Advanced level Physics Practicals, Michael Nelson and Jon M. Ogborn, 4<sup>th</sup> Edition, reprinted 1985, Heinemann Educational Publishers
  - A Text Book of Practical Physics, Indu Prakash and Ramakrishna, 11<sup>th</sup> Edition, 2011, Kitab Mahal, New Delhi.
  - A Laboratory Manual of Physics for Undergraduate Classes, D.P. Khandelwal, 1985, Vani Publication.
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## Semester IV

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### PHYSICS-DSC 4A: WAVES AND OPTICS

(Credits: Theory-04, Practicals-02)

**Theory: 60 Lectures**

**Superposition of Two Collinear Harmonic oscillations:** Linearity and Superposition Principle. (1) Oscillations having equal frequencies and (2) Oscillations having different frequencies (Beats). **(4 Lectures)**

**Superposition of Two Perpendicular Harmonic Oscillations:** Graphical and Analytical Methods. Lissajous Figures with equal and unequal frequency and their uses.

**(2 Lectures)**

**Waves Motion- General:** Transverse waves on a string. Travelling and standing waves on a string. Normal Modes of a string. Group velocity, Phase velocity. Plane waves. Spherical waves, Wave intensity. **(7 Lectures)**

**Fluids:** Surface Tension: Synclastic and anticlastic surface - Excess of pressure - Application to spherical and cylindrical drops and bubbles - variation of surface tension with temperature - Jaeger's method. Viscosity: Viscosity - Rate flow of liquid in a capillary tube - Poiseuille's formula - Determination of coefficient of viscosity of a liquid - Variations of viscosity of a liquid with temperature lubrication. Physics of low pressure - production and measurement of low pressure - Rotary pump - Diffusion pump - Molecular pump - Knudsen absolute gauge - penning and pirani gauge – Detection of leakage. **(6 Lectures)**

**Sound:** Simple harmonic motion - forced vibrations and resonance - Fourier's Theorem - Application to saw tooth wave and square wave - Intensity and loudness of sound - Decibels - Intensity levels - musical notes - musical scale. Acoustics of buildings: Reverberation and time of reverberation - Absorption coefficient - Sabine's formula - measurement of reverberation time - Acoustic aspects of halls and auditoria.

**(6 Lectures)**

**Wave Optics:** Electromagnetic nature of light. Definition and Properties of wave front. Huygens Principle. **(3 Lectures)**

**Interference:** Interference: Division of amplitude and division of wavefront. Young's Double Slit experiment. Lloyd's Mirror and Fresnel's Biprism. Phase change on reflection: Stokes' treatment. Interference in Thin Films: parallel and wedge-shaped films. Fringes of equal inclination (Haidinger Fringes); Fringes of equal thickness (Fizeau Fringes). Newton's Rings: measurement of wavelength and refractive index.

**(10 Lectures)**

**Michelson's Interferometer:** Idea of form of fringes (no theory needed), Determination of wavelength, Wavelength difference, Refractive index and Visibility of fringes.

**(3 Lectures)**

**Diffraction:** Fraunhofer diffraction: Single slit; Double Slit. Multiple slits & Diffraction grating. Fresnel Diffraction: Half-period zones. Zone plate. Fresnel Diffraction pattern of a straight edge, a slit and a wire using half-period zone analysis. **(14 Lectures)**

**Polarization:** Transverse nature of light waves. Plane polarized light – production and analysis. Circular and elliptical polarization. **(5 Lectures)**

### Reference Books:

- Fundamentals of Optics, F A Jenkins and H E White, 1976, McGraw-Hill
- Principles of Optics, B.K. Mathur, 1995, Gopal Printing
- Fundamentals of Optics, H.R. Gulati and D.R. Khanna, 1991, R. Chand Publication
- University Physics. FW Sears, MW Zemansky and HD Young 13/e, 1986. Addison-Wesley

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## PHYSICS LAB-DSC 4A LAB: WAVES AND OPTICS

### 60 Lectures

1. To investigate the motion of coupled oscillators
2. To determine the frequency of an electric/mechanical tuning fork by Melde's experiment and verify  $\lambda^2 - T$  law.
3. To determine the frequency of an electric/mechanical tuning fork by sonometer.
4. To study Lissajous Figures.
5. Familiarization with Schuster's focussing; determination of angle of prism.
6. To determine the Refractive Index of the Material of a given Prism using Sodium Light / Hg source.
7. To determine Dispersive Power of the Material of a given Prism using Mercury Light/ sodium source.
8. To determine the value of Cauchy Constants of a material of a prism.
9. To determine the Resolving Power of a Prism.
10. To determine wavelength of sodium light using Fresnel Biprism.
11. To determine wavelength of sodium light using Newton's Rings.
12. To determine the wavelength of Laser light/ sodium source using Diffraction of Single Slit.
13. To determine wavelength of (1) Sodium & (2) spectrum of Mercury light using plane diffraction Grating
14. To determine the Resolving Power of a Plane Diffraction Grating.
15. To measure the intensity using photosensor and laser in diffraction patterns of single and double slits.

### Reference Books:

- 61 Advanced Practical Physics for students, B.L. Flint & H.T. Worsnop, 1971, Asia Publishing House.
- Advanced level Physics Practicals, Michael Nelson and Jon M. Ogborn, 4<sup>th</sup> Edition, reprinted 1985, Heinemann Educational Publishers
  - A Text Book of Practical Physics, Indu Prakash and Ramakrishna, 11<sup>th</sup> Edition, 2011, Kitab Mahal, New Delhi.

## **Discipline Specific Elective**

**Select two papers**

### **PHYSICS- DSE: DIGITAL AND ANALOG CIRCUITS AND INSTRUMENTATION**

**(Credits: Theory-04, Practicals-02)**

**Theory: 30 Lectures**

#### **UNIT-1: Digital Circuits**

Difference between Analog and Digital Circuits. Binary Numbers. Decimal to Binary and Binary to Decimal Conversion, AND, OR and NOT Gates (Realization using Diodes and Transistor). NAND and NOR Gates as Universal Gates. XOR and XNOR Gates.

**(4 Lectures)**

De Morgan's Theorems. Boolean Laws. Simplification of Logic Circuit using Boolean Algebra. Fundamental Products. Minterms and Maxterms. Conversion of a Truth Table into an Equivalent Logic Circuit by (1) Sum of Products Method and (2) Karnaugh Map.

**(5 Lectures)**

Binary Addition. Binary Subtraction using 2's Complement Method). **(2 Lectures)**

#### **UNIT-2: Semiconductor Devices and Amplifiers:**

Semiconductor Diodes: p and n type semiconductors. Barrier Formation in PN Junction Diode. Qualitative Idea of Current Flow Mechanism in Forward and Reverse Biased Diode. PN junction and its characteristics. Static and Dynamic Resistance. Principle and structure of (1) LEDs (2) Photodiode (3) Solar Cell.

**(5 Lectures)**

Bipolar Junction transistors: n-p-n and p-n-p Transistors. Characteristics of CB, CE and CC Configurations. Active, Cutoff, and Saturation Regions. Current gains  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$ . Relations between  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$ . Load Line analysis of Transistors. DC Load line and Q-point.

**(8 Lectures)**

#### **UNIT-3: Operational Amplifiers (Black Box approach):**

Characteristics of an Ideal and Practical Op-Amp (IC 741), Open-loop & Closed-loop Gain. CMRR, concept of Virtual ground. Applications of Op-Amps: (1) Inverting and Non-inverting Amplifiers, (2) Adder, (3) Subtractor, (4) Differentiator, (5) Integrator, (6) Zero Crossing Detector.

**(10 Lectures)**

#### **UNIT-4: Instrumentations:**

Power Supply: Half-wave Rectifiers. Centre-tapped and Bridge Full-wave Rectifiers Calculation of Ripple Factor and Rectification Efficiency, Basic idea about capacitor filter, Zener Diode and Voltage Regulation **(4 Lectures)**

### Reference Books:

- Integrated Electronics, J. Millman and C.C. Halkias, 1991, Tata Mc-Graw Hill.
- Electronic devices and circuits, S. Salivahanan and N. Suresh Kumar, 2012, Tata Mc-Graw Hill.
- Microelectronic Circuits, M.H. Rashid, 2<sup>nd</sup>Edn.,2011, Cengage Learning.
- Modern Electronic Instrumentation & Measurement Tech., Helfrick&Cooper,1990, PHI Learning
- Digital Principles & Applications, A.P. Malvino, D.P. Leach & Saha, 7<sup>th</sup> Ed.,2011, Tata McGraw Hill
- Microelectronic circuits, A.S. Sedra, K.C. Smith, A.N. Chandorkar, 2014, 6<sup>th</sup> Edn., Oxford University Press.
- Fundamentals of Digital Circuits, A. Anand Kumar, 2<sup>nd</sup> Edition, 2009, PHI Learning Pvt. Ltd.
- OP-AMP and Linear Digital Circuits, R.A. Gayakwad, 2000, PHI Learning Pvt. Ltd.

## PRACTICALS - DSE LAB: DIGITAL AND ANALOG CIRCUITS AND INSTRUMENTS

(At least 50 % of the laboratory experiments should be performed)

### At least 30 Lectures

1. To measure (a) Voltage, and (b) Frequency of a periodic waveform using a CRO
2. To verify and design AND, OR, NOT and XOR gates using NAND gates.
3. To minimize a given logic circuit.
4. Half adder, Full adder / 4-bit Binary Adder.
5. Adder-Subtractor using Full Adder I.C.
6. To design an astable multivibrator of given specifications using 555 Timer.
7. To design a monostable multivibrator of given specifications using 555 Timer.
8. To study IV characteristics of PN diode, Zener / Light emitting diode
9. To study the characteristics of a Transistor in CE configuration.
10. To design a CE amplifier of a given gain (mid-gain) using voltage divider bias.
11. To design an inverting amplifier using Op-amp 741 or study its frequency response.
12. To design a non-inverting amplifier using Op-amp 741 or study its Frequency Response.
13. To study a precision Differential Amplifier using Op-amp.
14. To investigate the use of an op-amp as a Differentiator
15. To design a Wien Bridge Oscillator using an op-amp.

### Reference Books:

- Basic Electronics: A text lab manual, P.B. Zbar, A.P. Malvino, M.A. Miller, 1994, Mc-Graw Hill.
  - Electronics: Fundamentals and Applications, J.D. Ryder, 2004, Prentice Hall.
  - OP-Amps and Linear Integrated Circuit, R. A. Gayakwad, 4<sup>th</sup> edition, 2000, Prentice Hall.
  - Electronic Principle, Albert Malvino, 2008, Tata Mc-Graw Hill.
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## PHYSICS- DSE: ELEMENTS OF MODERN PHYSICS

(Credits: Theory-04, Practicals-02)

### Theory: 60 Lectures

Planck's quantum, Planck's constant and light as a collection of photons; Photo-electric effect and Compton

scattering. De Broglie wavelength and matter waves; Davisson-Germer experiment. **(8 Lectures)** Problems with Rutherford model- instability of atoms and observation of discrete atomic spectra; Bohr's quantization rule and atomic stability; calculation of energy levels for hydrogen like atoms and their spectra. **(4 Lectures)**

Position measurement- gamma ray microscope thought duality, experiment; Wave-particle of a Heisenberg uncertainty principle- impossibility trajectory; particle following a particle using Estimating minimum energy of a confined principle; Energy-time uncertainty principle. **(4 Lectures)**

Two slit interference experiment with photons, atoms and particles; linear superposition principle as a consequence; Matter waves and wave amplitude; Schrodinger equation for non-relativistic particles; Momentum and Energy operators; stationary states; physical interpretation of wavefunction, probabilities and normalization; Probability and probability current densities in one dimension. **11 Lectures)**

One dimensional infinitely rigid box- energy eigenvalues and eigenfunctions, normalization; Quantum dot as an example; Quantum mechanical scattering and tunnelling in one dimension - across a step potential and across a rectangular potential barrier. **(12 Lectures)**

Size and structure of atomic nucleus and its relation with atomic weight; Impossibility of an electron being in the nucleus as a consequence of the uncertainty principle. Nature of nuclear force, NZ graph, semi-empirical mass formula and binding energy.

**(6 Lectures)**

Radioactivity: stability of nucleus; Law of radioactive decay; Mean life & half-life;  $\alpha$  decay;  $\beta$  decay - energy released, spectrum and Pauli's prediction of neutrino;  $\gamma$ -ray emission. **(11 Lectures)**

Fission and fusion - mass deficit, relativity and generation of energy; Fission - nature of fragments and emission of neutrons. Nuclear reactor: slow neutrons interacting with Uranium 235; Fusion and thermonuclear reactions.

**(4 Lectures)**

#### **Reference Books:**

- Concepts of Modern Physics, Arthur Beiser, 2009, McGraw-Hill
  - Modern Physics, John R. Taylor, Chris D. Zafiratos, Michael A. Dubson, 2009, PHI Learning
  - Six Ideas that Shaped Physics: Particle Behave like Waves, Thomas A. Moore, 2003, McGraw Hill
  - Quantum Physics, Berkeley Physics Course Vol.4. E.H. Wichman, 2008, Tata McGraw-Hill Co.
  - Modern Physics, R.A. Serway, C.J. Moses, and C.A. Moyer, 2005, Cengage Learning
- Modern Physics, G. Kaur and G.R. Pickrell, 2014, McGraw Hill.

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## PRACTICALS -DSE-1 LAB: ELEMENTS OF MODERN PHYSICS

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1. To determine value of Boltzmann constant using V-I characteristic of PN diode.
  2. To determine work function of material of filament of directly heated vacuum diode.
  3. To determine value of Planck's constant using LED of at least 4 different colours/ photo detector .
  4. To determine the ionization potential of mercury.
  5. To determine the wavelength of H-alpha emission line of Hydrogen atom.
- To determine the absorption lines in the rotational spectrum of Iodine vapour.
7. To study the diffraction patterns of single and double slits using laser source and measure its intensity variation using Photosensor and compare with incoherent source – Na light.
  8. Photo-electric effect: photo current versus intensity and wavelength of light; maximum energy of photo-electrons versus frequency of light
  9. To determine the value of  $e/m$  by magnetic focusing.
  10. To setup the Millikan oil drop apparatus and determine the charge of an electron.

### Reference Books:

- Advanced Practical Physics for students, B.L. Flint & H.T. Worsnop, 1971, Asia Publishing House.
  - Advanced level Physics Practicals, Michael Nelson and Jon M. Ogborn, 4<sup>th</sup> Edition, reprinted 1985, Heinemann Educational Publishers
  - A Text Book of Practical Physics, Indu Prakash and Ramakrishna, 11<sup>th</sup> Edition, 2011, Kitab Mahal, New Delhi.
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## PHYSICS-DSE: MATHEMATICAL PHYSICS (Credits:

### Theory-04, Practicals-02)

### Theory: 60 Lectures

*The emphasis of the course is on applications in solving problems of interest to physicists. The students are to be examined entirely on the basis of problems, seen and unseen.*

**Calculus of functions of more than one variable:** Partial derivatives, exact and inexact differentials. Integrating factor, with simple illustration. Constrained Maximization using Lagrange Multipliers. (6 Lectures)

**Fourier Series:** Periodic functions. Orthogonality of sine and cosine functions, Dirichlet Conditions (Statement only). Expansion of periodic functions in a series of sine and cosine functions and determination of Fourier coefficients. Complex representation of Fourier series. Expansion of functions with arbitrary period. Expansion of non-periodic functions over an interval. Even and odd functions and their Fourier expansions. Application. Summing of Infinite Series. (10 Lectures)

**Frobenius Method and Special Functions:** Singular Points of Second Order Linear Differential Equations and their importance. Frobenius method and its applications to differential equations. Legendre, Bessel, Hermite and Laguerre Differential Equations. Properties of Legendre Polynomials: Rodrigues Formula, Orthogonality. Simple recurrence relations. **(16 Lectures)**

**Some Special Integrals:** Beta and Gamma Functions and Relation between them. Expression of Integrals in terms of Gamma Functions. Error Function (Probability Integral). **(4 Lectures)**

**Partial Differential Equations:** Solutions to partial differential equations, using separation of variables: Laplace's Equation in problems of rectangular, cylindrical and spherical symmetry. **(10 Lectures)**

**Complex Analysis:** Brief Revision of Complex Numbers and their Graphical Representation. Euler's formula, De Moivre's theorem, Roots of Complex Numbers. Functions of Complex Variables. Analyticity and Cauchy-Riemann Conditions. Examples of analytic functions. Singular functions: poles and branch points, order of singularity, branch cuts. Integration of a function of a complex variable. Cauchy's Inequality. Cauchy's Integral formula. **(14 Lectures)**

#### **Reference Books:**

- Mathematical Methods for Physicists: Arfken, Weber, 2005, Harris, Elsevier.
- Fourier Analysis by M.R. Spiegel, 2004, Tata McGraw-Hill.
- Mathematics for Physicists, Susan M. Lea, 2004, Thomson Brooks/Cole.
- An Introduction to Ordinary Differential Equations, Earl A Coddington, 1961, PHI Learning.
- Differential Equations, George F. Simmons, 2006, Tata McGraw-Hill.
- Essential Mathematical Methods, K.F. Riley and M.P. Hobson, 2011, Cambridge University Press
- Partial Differential Equations for Scientists and Engineers, S.J. Farlow, 1993, Dover Publications.
- Mathematical methods for Scientists and Engineers, D.A. McQuarrie, 2003, Viva Books.

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## **PRACTICALS -DSE LAB: MATHEMATICAL PHYSICS 60**

### **Lectures**

*The aim of this course is not just to teach computer programming and numerical analysis but to emphasize its role in solving problems in Physics.*

- *Highlights the use of computational methods to solve physical problems*
- *Use of computer language as a tool in solving physics problems (applications)*
- *The course will consist of lectures (both theory and practical) in the Computer Lab*
- *Evaluation done not on the programming but on the basis of formulating the problem*



- Aim at teaching students to construct the computational problem to be solved
- Students can use anyone operating system Linux or Microsoft Windows

Topics	Description with Applications
Introduction and Overview	Computer architecture and organization, memory and Input/output devices

#### Reference Books:

- Introduction to Numerical Analysis, S.S. Sastry, 5<sup>th</sup>Edn., 2012, PHI Learning Pvt. Ltd.
- Schaum's Outline of Programming with C<sup>++</sup>. J.Hubbard, 2000, McGraw-Hill Publications.
- Numerical Recipes in C<sup>++</sup>: The Art of Scientific Computing, W.H. Press et al., 3<sup>rd</sup>Edn., 2007, Cambridge University Press.
- A first course in Numerical Methods, Uri M. Ascher and Chen Greif, 2012, PHI Learning
- Elementary Numerical Analysis, K.E. Atkinson, 3<sup>rd</sup> Edn., 2007, Wiley India Edition.
- Numerical Methods for Scientists and Engineers, R.W. Hamming, 1973, Courier Dover Pub.
- An Introduction to Computational Physics, T. Pang, 2<sup>nd</sup>Edn., 2006, Cambridge Univ. Press

## PHYSICS-DSE: Nuclear & Particle Physics

(Credits: Theory-05, Tutorials-01)

### Theory: 75 Lectures

**General Properties of Nuclei:** Constituents of nucleus and their Intrinsic properties, quantitative facts about size, mass, charge density (matter energy), binding energy, average binding energy and its variation with mass number, main features of binding energy versus mass number curve, N/A plot, angular momentum, parity, magnetic moment, electric moments, nuclear excited states. **(10 Lectures)**

**Nuclear Models:** Liquid drop model approach, semi empirical mass formula and significance of various terms, condition of nuclear stability. Two nucleon separation energies, Fermi gas model (degenerate fermion gas, nuclear symmetry potential in Fermi gas), evidence for nuclear shell structure, nuclear magic numbers, basic assumption of shell model, concept of mean field, residual interaction, concept of nuclear force.

**(12 Lectures)**

**Radioactivity decay:**(a) Alpha decay: basics of  $\alpha$ -decay processes, theory of  $\alpha$ -emission, Gamow factor, Geiger Nuttall law,  $\alpha$ -decay spectroscopy. (b)  $\beta$ -decay: energy kinematics for  $\beta$ -decay, positron emission, electron capture, neutrino hypothesis. (c) Gamma decay: Gamma rays emission & kinematics, internal conversion.

**(10 Lectures)**

**Nuclear Reactions:** Types of Reactions, Conservation Laws, kinematics of reactions, Q-value, reaction rate, reaction cross section, Concept of compound and direct reaction, resonance reaction, Coulomb scattering (Rutherford scattering). **(8 Lectures)**

**Interaction of Nuclear Radiation with matter:** Energy loss due to ionization (Bethe-Block formula), energy loss of electrons, Cerenkov radiation, Gamma ray interaction through matter, photoelectric effect, Compton scattering, pair production, neutron interaction with matter. **(8 Lectures)**

**Detector for Nuclear Radiations:** Gas detectors: estimation of electric field, mobility of particle, for ionization chamber and GM Counter. Basic principle of Scintillation

Detectors and construction of photo-multiplier tube (PMT). Semiconductor Detectors (Si & Ge) for charge particle and photon detection (concept of charge carrier and mobility).

**(8 Lectures)**

**Particle Accelerators:** Accelerator facility available in India: Van-de Graaff generator (Tandem accelerator), Linear accelerator, Cyclotron, Synchrotrons. **(5 Lectures)**

**Particle physics:** Particle interactions; basic features, types of particles and its families. Symmetries and Conservation Laws: energy and momentum, angular momentum, parity, baryon number, Lepton number, Isospin, Strangeness and charm, concept of quark model, color quantum number and gluons. **(14 Lectures)**

#### **Reference Books:**

- Introductory nuclear Physics by Kenneth S. Krane (Wiley India Pvt. Ltd., 2008).
  - Concepts of nuclear physics by Bernard L. Cohen. (Tata Mcgraw Hill, 1998).
  - Introduction to the physics of nuclei & particles, R.A. Dunlap. (Thomson Asia, 2004)
  - Introduction to Elementary Particles, D. Griffith, John Wiley & Sons
  - Quarks and Leptons, F. Halzen and A.D. Martin, Wiley India, New Delhi
  - Basic ideas and concepts in Nuclear Physics - An Introductory Approach by K. Heyde (IOP- Institute of Physics Publishing, 2004).
  - Radiation detection and measurement, G.F. Knoll (John Wiley & Sons, 2000).
  - Theoretical Nuclear Physics, J.M. Blatt & V.F. Weisskopf (Dover Pub.Inc., 1991)
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## Skill Enhancement Course (any four) (Credit: 02 each)- SEC1 to SEC4

### PHYSICS WORKSHOP SKILL (Credits: 02)

#### 15 Lectures

*The aim of this course is to enable the students to familiar and experience with various mechanical and electrical tools through hands-on mode*

**Introduction:** Measuring units. conversion to SI and CGS. Familiarization with meter scale, Vernier calliper, Screw gauge and their utility. Measure the dimension of a solid block, volume of cylindrical beaker/glass, diameter of a thin wire, thickness of metal sheet, etc. Use of Sextant to measure height of buildings, mountains, etc. **(4 Lectures)**

**Mechanical Skill:** Concept of workshop practice. Overview of manufacturing methods: casting, foundry, machining, forming and welding. Types of welding joints and welding defects. Common materials used for manufacturing like steel, copper, iron, metal sheets, composites and alloy, wood. **(4 Lectures)**

**Electrical and Electronic Skill:** Use of Multimeter. Soldering of electrical circuits having discrete components (R, L, C, diode) and ICs on PCB. Operation of oscilloscope. Making regulated power supply. **(7 Lectures)**

#### Reference Books:

9. A text book in Electrical Technology - B L Theraja – S. Chand and Company.
  10. Performance and design of AC machines – M.G. Say, ELBS Edn technical workshop practice, K.C. John, 2010, PHI Learning Pvt. Ltd.
  - Workshop Processes, Practices and Materials, Bruce J Black 2005, 3<sup>rd</sup> Edn., Editor Newnes [ISBN: 0750660732]
  - New Engineering Technology, Lawrence Smyth/Liam Hennessy, The Educational Company of Ireland [ISBN: 0861674480]
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### COMPUTATIONAL PHYSICS (Credits: 02)

#### Theory: 30 Lectures

*The aim of this course is not just to teach computer programming and numerical analysis but to emphasize its role in solving problems in Physics.*

- Highlights the use of computational methods to solve physical problems
- Use of computer language as a tool in solving physics problems (applications)
- Course will consist of hands on training on the Problem solving on Computers.

**Introduction:** Importance of computers in Physics, paradigm for solving physics problems for solution. Usage of linux as an Editor. **Algorithms and Flowcharts:** Algorithm: Definition, properties and development. Flowchart: Concept of flowchart, symbols, guidelines, types. Examples: Cartesian to Spherical Polar Coordinates, Roots of Quadratic Equation, Sum of two matrices, Sum and Product of a finite series, calculation of  $\sin(x)$  as a series, algorithm for plotting (1) lissajous figures and (2) trajectory

of a projectile thrown at an angle with the horizontal. **(4 Lectures)**

**Scientific Programming:** Some fundamental Linux Commands (Internal and External commands). Development of FORTRAN, Basic elements of FORTRAN: Character Set, Constants and their types, Variables and their types, Keywords, Variable Declaration and concept of instruction and program. Operators: Arithmetic, Relational, Logical and Assignment Operators. Expressions: Arithmetic, Relational, Logical, Character and Assignment Expressions. Fortran Statements: I/O Statements (unformatted/formatted), Executable and Non-Executable Statements, Layout of Fortran Program, Format of writing Program and concept of coding, Initialization and Replacement Logic. Examples from physics problems. **(5 Lectures)**

**Control Statements:** Types of Logic (Sequential, Selection, Repetition), Branching Statements (Logical **IF**, Arithmetic **IF**, Block **IF**, Nested Block **IF**, **SELECT CASE** and **ELSE IF** Ladder statements), Looping Statements (**DO-CONTINUE**, **DO-ENDDO**, **DO-WHILE**, Implied and Nested **DO** Loops), Jumping Statements (Unconditional **GOTO**, Computed **GOTO**, Assigned **GOTO**) Subscripted Variables (Arrays: Types of Arrays, **DIMENSION** Statement, Reading and Writing Arrays), Functions and Subroutines (Arithmetic Statement Function, Function Subprogram and Subroutine), **RETURN**, **CALL**, **COMMON** and **EQUIVALENCE** Statements), Structure, Disk I/O Statements, open a file, writing in a file, reading from a file. Examples from physics problems.

**Programming:**

1. Exercises on syntax on usage of FORTRAN
- 61 Usage of GUI Windows, Linux Commands, familiarity with DOS commands and working in an editor to write sources codes in FORTRAN.
- 62 To print out all natural even/ odd numbers between given limits.
- 63 To find maximum, minimum and range of a given set of numbers.
5. Calculating Euler number using  $\exp(x)$  series evaluated at  $x=1$  **(6 Lectures)**

**Scientific word processing: Introduction to LaTeX:** TeX/LaTeX word processor, preparing a basic LaTeX file, Document classes, Preparing an input file for LaTeX, Compiling LaTeX File, LaTeX tags for creating different environments, Defining LaTeX commands and environments, Changing the type style, Symbols from other languages. **Equation representation:** Formulae and equations, Figures and other floating bodies, Lining in columns- Tabbing and tabular environment, Generating table of contents, bibliography and citation, Making an index and glossary, List making environments, Fonts, Picture environment and colors, errors. **(6 Lectures)**

**Visualization:** Introduction to graphical analysis and its limitations. Introduction to Gnuplot. importance of visualization of computational and computational data, basic Gnuplot commands: simple plots, plotting data from a file, saving and exporting, multiple data sets per file, physics with Gnuplot (equations, building functions, user defined variables and functions), Understanding data with Gnuplot

**Hands on exercises:**

1. To compile a frequency distribution and evaluate mean, standard deviation etc.
2. To evaluate sum of finite series and the area under a curve.
3. To find the product of two matrices
4. To find a set of prime numbers and Fibonacci series.
5. To write program to open a file and generate data for plotting using Gnuplot.
6. Plotting trajectory of a projectile projected horizontally.
7. Plotting trajectory of a projectile projected making an angle with the horizontally.
8. Creating an input Gnuplot file for plotting a data and saving the output for seeing on the screen. Saving it as an eps file and as a pdf file.

- ☐ To find the roots of a quadratic equation.
- ☐ Motion of a projectile using simulation and plot the output for visualization.
- ☐ Numerical solution of equation of motion of simple harmonic oscillator and plot the outputs for visualization.
- ☐ Motion of particle in a central force field and plot the output for visualization.

**(9 Lectures)**

### Reference Books:

- Introduction to Numerical Analysis, S.S. Sastry, 5<sup>th</sup> Edn., 2012, PHI Learning Pvt. Ltd.
- Computer Programming in Fortran 77". V. Rajaraman (Publisher:PHI).
- LaTeX–A Document Preparation System", Leslie Lamport (Second Edition, Addison-Wesley, 1994).
- Gnuplot in action: understanding data with graphs, Philip K Janert, (Manning 2010)
- Schaum's Outline of Theory and Problems of Programming with Fortran, S Lipsdutz and A Poe, 1986Mc-Graw Hill Book Co.
- Computational Physics: An Introduction, R. C. Verma, et al. New Age International Publishers, New Delhi(1999)
- A first course in Numerical Methods, U.M. Ascher and C. Greif, 2012, PHI Learning

Elementary Numerical Analysis, K.E. Atkinson, 3<sup>rd</sup> Edn ., 2007, Wiley India Edition.

## **ELECTRICAL CIRCUITS AND NETWORK SKILLS (Credits: 02)**

### **Theory: 30 Lectures**

*The aim of this course is to enable the students to design and trouble shoots the electrical circuits, networks and appliances through hands-on mode*

**Basic Electricity Principles:** Voltage, Current, Resistance, and Power. Ohm's law. Series, parallel, and series-parallel combinations. AC Electricity and DC Electricity.

Familiarization with multimeter, voltmeter and ammeter.

**(3 Lectures)**

**Understanding Electrical Circuits:** Main electric circuit elements and their combination. Rules to analyze DC sourced electrical circuits. Current and voltage drop across the DC circuit elements. Single-phase and three-phase alternating current sources. Rules to analyze AC sourced electrical circuits. Real, imaginary and complex power components of AC source. Power factor. Saving energy and money. **(4 Lectures)**

**Electrical Drawing and Symbols:** Drawing symbols. Blueprints. Reading Schematics. Ladder diagrams. Electrical Schematics. Power circuits. Control circuits. Reading of circuit schematics. Tracking the connections of elements and identify current flow and voltage drop. **(4 Lectures)**

**Generators and Transformers:** DC Power sources. AC/DC generators. Inductance, capacitance, and impedance. Operation of transformers. **(3 Lectures)**

**Electric Motors:** Single-phase, three-phase & DC motors. Basic design. Interfacing DC or AC sources to control heaters & motors. Speed & power of ac motor. **(4 Lectures)**

**Solid-State Devices:** Resistors, inductors and capacitors. Diode and rectifiers.

Components in Series or in shunt. Response of inductors and capacitors with DC or AC sources (3 Lectures)

**Electrical Protection:** Relays. Fuses and disconnect switches. Circuit breakers. Overload devices. Ground-fault protection. Grounding and isolating. Phase reversal. Surge protection. Interfacing DC or AC sources to control elements (relay protection device) (4 Lectures)

**Electrical Wiring:** Different types of conductors and cables. Basics of wiring-Star and delta connection. Voltage drop and losses across cables and conductors. Instruments to measure current, voltage, power in DC and AC circuits. Insulation. Solid and stranded cable. Conduit. Cable trays. Splices: wirenuts, crimps, terminal blocks, split bolts, and solder. Preparation of extension board. (5 Lectures)

**Reference Books:**

- A text book in Electrical Technology - B L Theraja - S Chand & Co.
  - A text book of Electrical Technology - A K Theraja
  - Performance and design of AC machines - M G Say ELBS Edn.
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**BASIC INSTRUMENTATION SKILLS (Credits: 02)**

**Theory: 15 Lectures**

*This course is to get exposure with various aspects of instruments and their usage through hands-on mode. Experiments listed below are to be done in continuation of the topics.*

**Cathode Ray Oscilloscope:** Block diagram of basic CRO. Construction of CRT, Electron gun, electrostatic focusing and acceleration (Explanation only– no mathematical treatment), brief discussion on screen phosphor, visual persistence & chemical composition. Time base operation, synchronization. Front panel controls. Specifications of a CRO and their significance. (5 Lectures)

Use of CRO for the measurement of voltage (dc and ac frequency, time period. Special features of dual trace, introduction to digital oscilloscope, probes. (3 Lectures)

**Signal Generators and Analysis Instruments:** Block diagram, explanation and specifications of low frequency signal generators. pulse generator, and function generator. Brief idea for testing, specifications. Distortion factor meter, wave analysis.

(4 Lectures)

**Digital Multimeter:** Block diagram and working of a digital multimeter. Working principle of time interval, frequency and period measurement using universal counter/ frequency counter, time- base stability, accuracy and resolution. (3 Lectures)

**The test of lab skills will be of the following test items:**

1. Use of an oscilloscope.
2. CRO as a versatile measuring device.
3. Circuit tracing of Laboratory electronic equipment,
4. Use of Digital multimeter/VTVM for measuring voltages
5. Circuit tracing of Laboratory electronic equipment,
6. Winding a coil / transformer.
7. Study the layout of receiver circuit.

8. Trouble shooting a circuit
9. Balancing of bridges

**Laboratory Exercises:**

1. To observe the loading effect of a multimeter while measuring voltage across a low resistance and high resistance.
13. To observe the limitations of a multimeter for measuring high frequency voltage and currents.
14. To measure Q of a coil and its dependence on frequency, using a Q- meter.
15. Measurement of voltage, frequency, time period and phase angle using CRO.
16. Measurement of time period, frequency, average period using universal counter/ frequency counter.
17. Measurement of rise, fall and delay times using a CRO.
18. Measurement of distortion of a RF signal generator using distortion factor meter.
19. Measurement of R, L and C using a LCR bridge/ universal bridge.

**Open Ended Experiments:**

- ☐ Using a Dual Trace Oscilloscope
- ☐ Converting the range of a given measuring instrument (voltmeter, ammeter)

**Reference Books:**

- A text book in Electrical Technology - B L Theraja - S Chand and Co.
  - Performance and design of AC machines - M G Say ELBS Edn.
  - Digital Circuits and systems, Venugopal, 2011, Tata McGraw Hill.
  - Logic circuit design, Shimon P. Vingron, 2012, Springer.
  - Digital Electronics, Subrata Ghoshal, 2012, Cengage Learning.
  - Electronic Devices and circuits, S. Salivahanan & N. S.Kumar, 3<sup>rd</sup> Ed., 2012, Tata Mc-Graw Hill
  - Electronic circuits: Handbook of design and applications, U.Tietze, Ch.Schenk, 2008, Springer
  - Electronic Devices, 7/e Thomas L. Floyd, 2008, Pearson India
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