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PHYS 111-111: Physics I

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Time: Mondays, Wednesdays and Thursdays 06:00 PM – 08:50 PM

Room: TIER 113 or virtual

Delivery Mode: **Hybrid** (NJIT Definition: Delivery of instruction in which some traditional face-to-face contact hours are replaced with required synchronous or asynchronous online instruction (frequently through the learning management system). The amount of online activity is set by the instructor and varies by course. Students should refer to the course syllabi for the course meeting schedule, however no Hybrid course should be more than 50% online. (sometimes referred to as blended learning).)

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COREQUISITE: Math 111, Phys 111A.

FAILURE TO MEET EITHER CO-Requisites or PRE-Requisites will result in student being dropped from class.

COURSE MATERIAL:

Access to electronic version of the textbook and online homework can be obtained through purchasing of: **Mastering Physics with Pearson eText -- Standalone Access Card -- for University Physics with Modern Physics (by Young & Freedman), 15th edition, ISBN 13: 978-0-1351-5955-2**. Note: only the card for the 15th edition will allow you the access eText and homework; similarly you must login through **Pearsonmastering.com** (other addresses, even from the same publisher, can bring you to the wrong course). However, if you would also like a hardcopy version of the textbook, you can use any recent edition of the Young & Freedman's text. We use Chapters 1 to 13 which sometimes you can get separately from the rest.

Homework assignments will be posted on-line. Students login, download and solve the assigned problems, and submit answers to the automated grading system. Specific Information for the **Pearson Mastering (PM)** homework system are as follows:

You first create an account on the PM platform and then need a valid Pearson Mastering access code to sign up for the course.

The pearsonmastering.com homework course ID is: TBA

For your own reference, record the unique course identifier announced by your instructor, and your login ID and password. Instructors cannot access forgotten logins or passwords.

NOTE: The Laboratory course, PHYS 111A used to be taken concurrently with the PHYS 111. Because of the COVID19 issues, the Department allows students to take the PHYS 111 without the PHYS 111A, thus allowing one to take the PHYS 111A in a later semester.

ATTENDANCE: It is expected that students will attend all lectures and recitations in person or virtually as it is given in the course schedule. Attendance will be taken at all classes and exams. More than 3 unexcused absences (in total) are excessive. If you have excusable absences contact the Dean of First Year Students. If you must withdraw from the course, do it officially through the Registrar. Do not simply stop attending and taking exams: that forces the instructor to assign a course grade of "F".

HELP: Visit or email your instructors if you are having trouble with the course; do not simply hope for a miracle and fall further behind. The Physics Dept. office on the 4th floor of Tiernan has specific information on tutoring. Physics tutoring is available through the CAPE organization, and possibly elsewhere.

GRADING: Your final letter grade in Phys 111 will be based on a composite score for term's work that includes the common midterm exam score, the final exam, lecture/recitation quizzes, and the homework score.

1) **Common Midterm Exam** There will be one common midterm exam given during the semester. The exam schedule is as follows:

- **Midterm Exam: June 13, 2022 (In person) 6:00-7:30PM**

In-class quizzes covering the preceding or current work may be given during lectures and/or recitations. Those scores count toward your final course grade. **There are no make-ups for in class activities.** Students missing a quiz will receive a grade of zero for that item. The general policy is that students who miss a common exam will receive a score of zero for that Exam. That score will be included in the calculation of your final grade. Students who anticipate an absence from a exam should discuss their situation with their instructor PRIOR TO their absence. In order to be qualified to receive a "make-up" common exam score (a very rare occurrence), the student should present documentation for not being able to take the test as scheduled. As is the standard policy of NJIT, this documentation should be presented to the student's to the **Dean of Students - (973) 596-3466, Room 255 Campus Center**. BOTH the Physics 111 instructor and Dean of Students must concur in permitting a "make-up" common exam. Students who miss common exams that do not present documentation within 7 days of the common exam will receive a score of zero for the common exam.

In the event that the above qualification is met, a separate make-up test for the missed common quiz will not be offered. Instead, the portion of the final exam relevant to the contents of the missed test will be considered for giving a grade for the missed test. The instructor will evaluate the final exam questions from those chapters and normalize this portion of the student's grade for the missed common quiz.

Midterm Exam and Final Exam are scheduled to be taken in person.

No online Exams will be provided.

2) **Lecture Quizzes** A short quiz will be given during each lecture/recitation period.

3) **Homework** Homework assignments will be posted on-line using the Pearson Mastering Homework System, as described on the previous page.

4) **Final Exam** **Comprehensive Final Exam will be given** during last day of class

Final Letter Grades: Here are the approximate weights to be used for calculating the composite score:

- **25%** for the Midterm Exam
- **32%** for the final exam
- **20%** for the total of homework work
- **23%** for the in-class quizzes

The cutoff percentages for various letter grades will be:

Percentage	Letter Grade
> 85%	A
85 - 80	B+
80 - 70	B
70 - 65	C+
65 - 55	C
55 - 50	D
< 50	F

Final grades are not negotiable: A score of 84.99% is a B+, not an A.

HONOR CODE STATEMENT: NJIT has a zero-tolerance policy for cheating of any kind and for student behavior that disrupts learning by others. Violations will be reported to the Dean of Students. The penalties range from a minimum of failure in the course plus disciplinary probation up to expulsion from NJIT. Avoid situations where your own behavior could be misinterpreted as dishonorable. **Students are required to agree to the NJIT Honor Code on each exam, assignment, quiz, etc. for the course.**

Turn off all cellular phones, wireless devices, computers, and messaging devices of all kinds during classes and exams. Please do not eat, drink, or create noise in class that interferes with the work of other students or instructors. Creating noise or otherwise interfering with the work of the class will not be tolerated.

LEARNING OUTCOMES: For this course, which is the first of the introductory Physics series, you can expect to be assessed on the following learning outcomes:

1. Manipulate vectors in components form and as magnitude/direction. Perform vector operations such as addition, subtraction, scalar, and cross products.
2. Recall the definitions and relationships involving position, velocity, speed, acceleration.
3. Apply the equations governing 1-D constant acceleration to mechanical systems for various initial conditions.
4. Apply the equations governing 2-D constant acceleration to mechanical systems for various initial conditions.
5. Comprehend the meaning of the equations governing net force and acceleration (Newton's Laws) for linear motion, and be able to manipulate them in conjunction with a free-body diagram to obtain any desired quantitative relationship.
6. Understand the extension of free-body diagrams and Newton's laws to rotational motion.
7. Understand the extension of free-body diagrams and Newton's laws to frictional forces.
8. Comprehend the definitions and application of work, energy, and conservation of energy principles to solving mechanical and non-conservative systems.
9. Comprehend the meaning of equations governing momentum, impulse, and collisions. Apply the equations governing momentum, impulse, and collisions mechanical systems for various initial conditions. Understand under what conditions momentum is conserved and how to use this relation to calculate unknown quantities based on physical relationships, initial conditions, and known quantities.
10. Define and calculate the center of mass of a system as well as the moment of inertia.
11. Extend the concepts and equations of 1-D constant acceleration to rotational motion for various initial conditions.
12. Understand the extension of linear motion equations to rotational motion. Comprehend the meaning of the equations governing rotational motion and acceleration, and be able to manipulate them in conjunction with a free-body diagram to obtain any desired quantitative relationship.

13. Understand the extension of work, energy, and conservation of energy principles to rotational motion.
14. Recall the definitions of angular momentum. Apply this concept to conservation of angular momentum.
15. Apply concepts of Newton's Laws to equilibrium of linear and rotational motion.
16. Understand the extension of conservation of energy and mass equations to fluid dynamics.
17. Understand the extension of Newton's Laws and energy concepts to gravitation.

PHYSICS 111 Section 111 Class Schedule for First Summer Session 2022

TOPIC	TEXT STUDIES	NOTES
5/23 (In person) Units, Physical Quantities, and Vectors	Chapt.1	
5/25 (In person) Motion in One Dimension	Chapt. 2	
5/26 (In person) Motion in Two Dimensions	Chapt. 3	Optional: Sect. 3.5
6/1 (Remotely) Newton's Laws of Motion	Chapt. 4	
6/2(Remotely) Applying Newton's Laws	Chapt. 5	Optional: Sect. 5.5
6/6(Remotely) Work, Kinetic Energy	Chapt. 6	Refresh: scalar (dot) product
6/8 (In person) Potential Energy, Conservation of Energy	Chapt. 7	Optional: Sect. 7.5
6/9 (In person) Linear Momentum and Collision	Chapt. 8	Optional: Sect. 8.6
Midterm Exam, 6/13 (In person) 6:00-7:30PM		Chapters 1 to7
6/13(In person) 7:45-9:00 PM Rotation, Moment of Inertia	Chapt. 9	
6/15(Remotely) Dynamics of Rotational Motion	Chapt. 10 – Sections 1-6	Refresh: vector (cross) product
6/16(Remotely) Static Equilibrium	Chapt. 11 – Sections 1-3	
6/20(Remotely) Fluid Mechanics	Chap.12 – Sections 1-5	
6/22(Remotely) Universal Gravitation	Chap. 13	Optional: Sect. 13.6, 13.7
6/23 (In person)	REVIEW	
6/27 Final Exam (In person)		Comprehensive Exam Chapters 1 to 13 with emphasis on 8 to 13

First Summer Session: May 23, 2022 - June 27, 2022

May	23	First Summer Session Begins
May	25	Last Day to Add/Drop for First Summer Session
May	25	Last Day for 100% Refund
May	26	W Grades Posted for all Withdrawals from First Summer Session;
May	26	80% Refund Begins
May	29	80% Refund Ends
May	30	Memorial Day - No Classes Scheduled. University Closed
May	30	60% Refund Begins
Jun	1	60% Refund Ends
Jun	2	40% Refund Begins
Jun	4	40% Refund Ends
Jun	5	20% Refund Begins
Jun	7	20% Refund Ends
Jun	11	Last Day to Withdraw from a class in First Summer Session
Jun	17	Juneteenth Holiday - No Classes Scheduled. University Closed
Jun	27	Last Day of Classes
Jun	30	Final Grades Due