**PHYS 1112: Introductory Physics — Optics, Electricity & Magnetism**

Section: 25676; TH 11:00 A.M. - 12:15 P.M.

Lecture Location: Physics Building, Room 202

Office hours: T 1:30 P.M. - 2:30 P.M. and H 2:30 P.M. - 3:30 P.M. in Room 230, Physics Building

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**I. GENERAL INFORMATION**

- Primary method of communication: during office hours; email through: phys1112wmd@physast.uga.edu
- Text: James S. Walker, Physics, Volume II 5th edition. Earlier editions are fine, but you will be responsible for knowing about any changes in content.)
  
  The bookstore describes the text as: **Physics (Vol 2)(w/MasteringPhysics etext VP Acc)**
  
  Make sure you get a copy that says: **w/MasteringPhysics**.
- Mastering Physics: To register use Course Code: **MPDENNIS02038** – You will need to enter your 81X number. **Enter 9 digits only – do not enter the last digit.**
- You will NOT need a clicker for this course.

**II. ACADEMIC HONESTY**

- The University of Georgia has a comprehensive policy on academic honesty, described in a document entitled “A Culture of Honesty.”
- The document is available through the Office of the Vice President for Instruction or online at [https://ovpi.uga.edu/academic-honesty](https://ovpi.uga.edu/academic-honesty).
- The policy covers all academic work. As a UGA student, you are responsible for knowing and understanding this policy.
- If you have any question about the appropriateness of your actions or your work, you are obligated to ask me for clarification.

**III. IN-CLASS RULES**

- Attend all classes.
- No laptops, pagers, cellphones, iPads, iPods, or any other electronic/communication devices are permitted in the classroom.
- Students must attend the sections they are assigned to. No test credit will be given if you attend a “wrong” section.
IV. GRADING POLICY

• Overall grade will be determined as follows:

20% LAB grade (attendance mandatory; see Section V for details)
20% HOMEWORK (no makeup; working in groups OK; must be submitted individually)
60% EXAM 1 (no makeup; must be taken with the section you are registered for)
EXAM 2 (no makeup; must be taken with the section you are registered for)
EXAM 3 (no makeup; must be taken with the section you are registered for)
EXAM 4 (no makeup; must be taken with the section you are registered for)
EXAM 5 (no makeup; must be taken with the section you are registered for)
Worst of 5 exams dropped

100% TOTAL

• Letter grades will be assigned in accordance with the following cut-offs (for additional rules see below):

F: [0, 55)
D: [55, 65)
C−: [65, 68) C+: [72, 75)
B−: [75, 78) B: [78, 82) B+: [82, 85)
A−: [85, 90) A: [90, 100]

NOTE: There is no rounding, 64.99 = “D”, etc.

V. LABS (20%)

• All students are required to attend LABS.
• Students who are not assigned a lab grade due to non-attendance will automatically receive a failing grade (“F”) for the course.
• PLEASE NOTE:
  ▪ Labs will begin meeting the week of Monday, August 20th
  ▪ The lab syllabus can be found at. Use the link below from the Department’s web site, then scroll down to your particular lab section.
    https://www.physast.uga.edu/courses

VI. HOMEWORK (20%)

• There will be a number of HOMEWORK assignments posted online (on the Mastering Physics website).
• All assignments count towards your grade.
• All assignments must be submitted on time.
• No makeup, no late submission.
• Rules:
  ▪ You may work in groups.
  ▪ You submit your work individually.
VII. EXAMS (60% TOTAL)

• There will be a total of five (5) EXAMS on selected chapters.
• Worst of the five exam grades will be dropped (such as, e.g., a “0” due to non-attendance), so, technically, each exam is worth 15%.
• No makeups or re-scheduling is permitted.

• Rules for the EXAMS:
  § ONE (1) STANDARD SHEET of paper containing anything you want (e.g., physical constants, formulae, diagrams, problem solutions, etc.) ALL HANDWRITTEN. You may write on both sides
  § A simple (non-graphing, non-symbolic, non-programmable) scientific calculator.
  § No other electronic device(s) permitted.
  § Must work individually.

VIII. INCOMPLETES

• You may be assigned an “I” (incomplete) for the course in accordance with the UGA Regulations, provided all of the following applies:
  § You received a non-failing grade in LABS (> 70)
  § You received a non-failing grade (> 55%) on at least one EXAM,
  § No violation of the Academic Honesty Policy took place during the course of the semester.

XI. WITHDRAWALS

• The Undergraduate Bulletin and the Registrar’s Office website describe the University policies regarding withdrawals and incompletes. The deadline for withdrawal is Wednesday, October 17th.

XII. LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION

• If your final grade is in the top 5% of the class, you will qualify for a letter of recommendation. All requests for letters of recommendation including resume, personal statement and signed release form must be submitted before Wednesday, May 1, 2019.

XIII. TUTORS

• Tutors are available through the following:
  § Department of Physics and Astronomy: https://www.physast.uga.edu/tutors/
  § UGA Tutoring Program: http://tutor.uga.edu/arc/tutoring/ Please remember: the goal is to learn from your tutor, not for them to do your homework for you.
XIV. HOW TO DO WELL IN THIS CLASS

• Read each chapter before it is discussed in class.
• Attend every lecture.
• Participate actively in discussions.
• Re-read chapter carefully after class.
• Do assigned homework.
• Solve as many end-of-chapter problems as possible.
• Concepts first. Do NOT plug-and-chug.
• Use a buddy system: find a friend with whom to discuss physics.
• Think about physics on a regular basis.
• If everything fails, consider dropping the class before the deadline and retaking it at a later time.
### TABLE I: Fall 2018 Master Schedule

**ATTENTION:** This schedule is preliminary and is subject to modification. Especially Reading Assignments, which will be assigned at the end of each class.

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<td>Aug 14</td>
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<td>Intro to this course; Principles of GO</td>
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<td>Aug 16</td>
<td>26.1-2</td>
<td>GO: Reflection; Plane mirrors; Spherical mirrors</td>
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<td>OI: Human eye, camera; Corrective optics</td>
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<td>OI: Magnifying glass; Microscope; Telescope</td>
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<td>WO: Superposition &amp; interference, Two-slit explt.</td>
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<td>WO: Single-slit diffraction; Diffraction gratings;</td>
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<td>Sep 13</td>
<td>19.2,3</td>
<td>EF: Electric charge</td>
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<td>19.4-5</td>
<td>EF: Electric field; field lines; capacitor</td>
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<td>Sep 20</td>
<td>19.6-7</td>
<td>EF: Shield. &amp; charge. by induction, Electric flux &amp; Gauss’ Law</td>
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<td>Sep 25 (E2)</td>
<td>20.1-2</td>
<td>REVISITING: Energy, WET &amp; LCE; EP: Electric potential &amp; energy; Energy conservation</td>
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<td>EP: Electric potential of pt. charges; Equipot. surfaces &amp; E-field</td>
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<td>20.5-6</td>
<td>EP: Capacitors &amp; dielectrics; Electric energy storage</td>
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<td>21.1-4</td>
<td>CH. 20-21: Problem Solving; DC: Electric current; Ohm’s Law; Energy &amp; power in EC</td>
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<td>MF: Motion of charged particles in magnetic field; Magnetic force on c-carrying wire</td>
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<td>22.5</td>
<td>MF: Magnetic force on c-carrying loops &amp; magn. torque MF: Ampere’s Law; loops &amp; solenoids; Magnetism in matter</td>
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<td>EMI: Induced EMF; Magnetic flux; Faraday’s Law; Lenz’s Rule</td>
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<td>EMI: Work &amp; E. Energy; Generators; Inductance; RL circuits; Energy in a B-field; transformers; AC1: RMS values; EMW: Doppler effect;</td>
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