

**Department of Physics**  
**Jagannath Barooah University**

Teaching Plan for **Akash Dipta Thakur**, Session :2025-26

Odd Semester: 2025-26

| <b>Class/Semester</b>     | <b>Title &amp; Code of The Paper Allotted (credit)</b> | <b>Method of Teaching</b>             | <b>Teaching Material</b>  | <b>Unit</b>       | <b>Topic</b>                        | <b>Period/Hours Required</b> | <b>Details of the Contents</b>   | <b>Remarks/Books</b>   |
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| <b>B.Sc. 1st Semester</b> | <b>Mechanics (PHYMJ-1)</b><br>(4 Credits)              | Lecture, PPT Presentation, Discussion | Whiteboard, LCD Projector | Unit 2 and Unit 5 | Work and Energy<br><br>Fluid Motion | 6+4=10 hours                 | Unit 2 :Work and Kinetic Energy Theorem.<br>Conservative and non conservative forces.<br>Potential energy. Elastic Potential energy. Force as gradient of potential energy.<br>Work and Potential Energy.<br>Work done by non-conservative forces. Law of conservation of Energy.<br><br>Unit 5 : Kinematics o moving fluids: Poiseuille's Equation for Flow of a Liquid through a Capillary Tube. | <i>1. An Introduction to mechanics, D. Kleppner, R.J. Kolenkow, 1973 McGraw-Hill.</i><br><i>2. Mechanics, D.S. Mathur, S. Chand and Company Limited, 2000.</i> |
| <b>B.Sc. 1st Semester</b> | <b>Mechanics (PHYMI-1)</b><br>(4 Credits)              | Lecture, Discussion, Visual Aids      | Whiteboard, LCD Projector | Unit 2 and 5      | Interior of the Earth               | 6+4=10 hours                 | Unit 2 : Work and Kinetic Energy Theorem.<br>Conservative and non  | <i>1. An Introduction to mechanics, D. Kleppner, R.J. Kolenkow, 1973</i>   |

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|                               |  |                                 |                              |                 |  |          | <p>conservative forces.<br/>Potential energy. Elastic<br/>Potential energy. Force as<br/>gradient of potential energy.<br/>Work and Potential Energy.<br/>Work done by non-<br/>conservative forces. Law of<br/>conservation of Energy.</p> <p>Unit 5 : Kinematics o<br/>moving fluids: Poiseuille's<br/>Equation for Flow of a<br/>Liquid through a Capillary<br/>Tube.</p> | <p><i>McGraw-Hill.</i><br/><i>2. Mechanics, D.S. Mathur,</i><br/><i>S. Chand and Company</i><br/><i>Limited, 2000.</i></p> |
| <b>B.Sc. 3rd<br/>Semester</b> | <b>Physics in<br/>Everyday<br/>Life<br/>(PHYMU-1)</b><br>(3 Credits) | Lecture,<br>Problem-<br>solving | Whiteboard,<br>LCD Projector | Unit 2<br>and 3 | Physics<br>in<br>Human<br>Body<br><br>Househo<br>ld<br>Electrici<br>ty | 26 hours | <p><b>Unit 2 :</b> The Eye as an<br/>optical instrument. Vision<br/>defects. Resolving power.<br/>Sound waves and hearing.<br/>Sound intensity. Decibel<br/>scale and temperature<br/>control.</p>   | <p><i>Conceptual Physics by Paul</i><br/><i>G Hewitt</i></p>   |

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| <b>B.Sc. 5th Semester</b> | <b>Solid State Physics-1 And Atomic and Molecular Physics (PHYMJ-051 and PHYMJ-052) (4+4 Credits)</b> | Lecture, PPT Presentation | Whiteboard, LCD Projector | Unit 3<br>Unit 7 (PHY MJ-051) and Unit 7 (PHY MJ-052) | Magnetic Properties of matter And Superconductor (PHYM J-051) Lasers (PHYM J-052) | 22 hours | <p><b>PHYMJ-051</b></p> <p><b>Unit 3:</b> Dia, Para, Ferri and Ferromagnetic materials. Langevin theory of dia and paramagnetic domains. Quantum Mechanical treatment of Paramagnetism. Curies law, Weiss Theory of Ferromagnetism and Ferromagnetic domains. Discussion of B-H curve. Hysteresis and energy loss.</p> <p><b>Unit 7:</b> Experimental results. Critical Temperature. Critical magnetic field. Meissner effect. Type I and type II Superconductors, London's Equation and Penetration Depth. Isotope effect. Idea of BCS theory (No derivation)</p> | <p>1) Introduction to Solid State Physics, Charles Kittel, 8th Edition, 2004, Wiley India Pvt. Ltd.</p> <p>2) Elements of Solid State Physics, J.P. Srivastava, 4th Edition, 2015, Prentice-Hall of India</p> <p>3) Introduction to Solids, Leonid V. Azaroff, 2004, Tata McGrawHill</p> <p>1) 10 K. Thyagarajan and A.K.</p> |
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|  |  |  |  |  |  |  | <p>PHYMJ-052</p> <p><b>Unit 7: Lasers:</b></p> <p>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.</p> | <p>Ghatak,<br/>Laser: Theory and<br/>Applicaton,.</p> <p>2) 11 B.B. Laud,<br/>Lasers and<br/>Non-linear<br/>Optics</p> |
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| B.Sc. 5th Semester | Thermal Physics (PHYMI-054) (Credits : 4) | Lecture, PPT Presentation | Whiteboard, LCD Projector | Unit 1<br>Unit 2<br>Unit 3 | Unit 1<br><b>Introduction to Thermodynamics</b><br><b>Zeroth and First Law of Thermodynamics</b><br>Unit 2<br><b>Second Law of Thermodynamics</b><br>Unit 3<br><b>Entropy:</b> | 21 hours | Unit 1 :<br>Extensive and intensive Thermodynamic Variables, Thermodynamic Equilibrium, Zeroth Law of Thermodynamics & Concept of Temperature, Concept of Work & Heat, State Functions, First Law of Thermodynamics and its differential form, Internal Energy, First Law & various processes, Applications of First Law: General Relation between $C_p$ and $C_v$ , Work Done during Isothermal and Adiabatic Processes, Compressibility and Expansion Co-efficient.<br>Unit 2 : Reversible and Irreversible process with examples.<br>Conversion of Work into Heat and Heat into | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) A Treatise on Heat, Meghnad Saha, and B.N.Srivastava, 1958, Indian Press</li> <li>2) Thermal Physics, S. Garg, R. Bansal and Ghosh, 2<sup>nd</sup> Edition, 1993, Tata McGraw-Hill</li> <li>3) Modern Thermodynamics with Statistical Mechanics, Carl S. Helrich, 2009, Springer.</li> </ol> |
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|  |  |  |  |  |  |  | <p>Work. Heat Engines.<br/>Carnot's Cycle, Carnot engine &amp; efficiency.<br/>Refrigerator &amp; coefficient of performance, 2nd 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.</p> <p>Unit 3 :<br/>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</p> |  |
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|                           |  |              |                            |   |  |          | 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. |   |
| <b>M.Sc. 2st Semester</b> | Electromagnetic Theory and Electrodynamics<br><b>Course Code: PHYC-201</b><br><b>Credits: 4</b><br><b>(4 – Theory)</b><br>Nuclear and particle | Lecture, PPT | White board, LCD projector | Unit I<br>PHYC-021<br>Unit I, II, V<br>PHYC-022 | Review of Maxwell’s equations<br><br>Introduction to Nucleus<br><br>Nuclear Models<br><br>Particle accelerat | 34 hours | Review of Maxwell's Equations: Fundamental problem of electromagnetic theory. Scalar and vector potentials. Gauge transformations. Coulomb and Lorentz gauges. Poynting’s theorem, Energy and momentum conservation; Electromagnetic waves: wave equation, propagation of                 | Classical Electrodynamics by John David Jackson (3rd Ed., Wiley,1998)<br>2. Introduction to Electrodynamics by David Griffiths (3rd Ed., Benjamin Cummings, 1999)<br>3. Principles of Electrodynamics by Melvin Schv-iartz (Dover Publications, |

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|  | <p>physics<br/> <b>Course Code: PHYC-202</b><br/> <b>Credits: 4</b><br/> <b>(4 - Theory</b></p> |  |  |  | ors | <p>electromagnetic waves in non-conducting medium, reflection and refraction at dielectric interface, total internal reflection, Brewster's angle, complex refractive index.<br/> Recapitulation of nuclear properties and nuclear forces, Yukawa hypothesis, Nuclear models: Thomas Fermi model, nuclear shell model, magnetic moments and spin parity of nuclei, the magic numbers; The collective model and application to even-even nuclei, their spectrum and selection rules for radiation. Particle accelerators and detectors: electrostatic accelerators, cyclotron, synchrotron, linear accelerators, colliding beam accelerators, ionization chamber, scintillation detectors, semiconductor detectors, their simple applications to material</p> | <p>1987)<br/> 4. Classical Electrodynamics by J. Schwinge</p> |
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|                           |   |              |                            |                    |                                       |          | science and medicine.  |  |
| <b>M.Sc. 3rd Semester</b> | <b>COURSE TITLE: Lasers and Nonlinear Optics Course Code: PHYD-302 Credits: 4</b> | Lecture, PPT | White board, LCD projector | Unit I, II and III | Lasers, Types and formation of Pulses | 26 hours | <p><b>Fundamentals of Lasers:</b> Absorption, Spontaneous emission and Stimulated emission, Einstein coefficients and their significance, Lasing mechanisms, Laser oscillator, Laser characteristics, Principles for operation of Lasers, modes and mode selection, Temporal &amp; Spatial Coherence, comparison of laser with conventional sources of light, Laser Line width and Line broadening mechanisms, Gaussian Beams and optical resonators.</p> <p><b>Types of Lasers:</b> Rate equations, CW lasers, and Pulsed Lasers, Gas lasers, solid state lasers, semiconductor lasers, Dye Lasers and Fiber lasers, Spectral coverage with current</p> | <p>Laser fundamentals- W. T .Silfvast, 2nd edition, Cambridge University Press (2008) (Text).</p> <p>2. Lasers: Fundamentals and Applications, K. Thyagarajan and Ajoy Ghatak, Springer, 2nd edition (2011)</p> <p>3. Principles of Lasers, Orazio Svelto and David C. Hanna, Springer, Fifth Edition (2010)</p> |

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|  |  |  |  |  |  |  | <p>Laser technologies.</p> <p><b>Generation of short and Ultrashort pulses:</b></p> <p>Q-Switching,<br/>Mode locking, Chirping<br/>and Pulse compression,<br/>YAG Lasers,<br/>State-of-art-lasers (Ti:<br/>Sapphire Lasers and<br/>Fiber Lasers).</p> |  |
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Even Semester: 2025-26

| Class/Semester        | Title & Code of The Paper Allotted (credit)     | Method of Teaching         | Teaching Material         | Unit              | Topic   | Period/Hours Required | Details of the Contents   | Remarks/Books  |
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| B.Sc.<br>2nd Semester | Electricity and Magnetism (PHYMJ-2) (4 Credits) | Lecture, PPT Presentation, | Whiteboard, LCD Projector | Unit 3 And Unit 4 | <b>Unit 3 :<br/>Magnetic Field:<br/>Unit 4 :<br/>Magnetic Properties of Matter:</b> | 18 hours              | Unit 3 :<br>Magnetic force between current elements and definition of Magnetic Field <b>B</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>B</b> : curl and divergence. Vector Potential. Magnetic Force on (1) point charge (2) current carrying wire (3) between current | 1. Electricity, Magnetism & Electromagnetic Theory, S. Mahajan and Choudhury, 2012, Tata McGraw<br>2. Electricity and Magnetism, Edward M. |

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|                                   |  |              |                            |                                      |  |                  | <p>elements. Torque on a current loop in a uniform Magnetic Field.</p> <p>Unit 4 :</p> <p>Magnetization vector (<b>M</b>). Magnetic Intensity(<b>H</b>). Magnetic Susceptibility and permeability. Relation between <b>B, H, M</b>. Ferromagnetism. B-H curve and hysteresis.</p> | <p>Purcell, 1986 McGraw-Hill Education</p> <p>3. Introduction to Electrodynamics, D.J. Griffiths, 3rd Edn., 1998, Benjamin Cummings.</p>                           |
| <b>B.Sc.<br/>4th<br/>Semester</b> | <b>Thermal Physics (PHYMJ-042) (4 Credits)</b> | Lecture, PPT | Whiteboard, LCD Projector, | Unit 1<br>Unit 2<br>Unit 3<br>Unit 4 | <p>Unit 1<br/><b>Introduction to Thermodynamics</b></p> <p><b>Zeroth and First Law of Thermodynamics</b></p> <p>Unit 2<br/><b>Second Law of Thermodynamics</b></p> | 28hours (Theory) | <p><b>Introduction to Thermodynamics Zeroth and First Law of Thermodynamics:</b></p> <p>Extensive and intensive Thermodynamic Variables, Thermodynamic Equilibrium, Zeroth Law of Thermodynamics &amp; Concept of Temperature, Concept of Work &amp; Heat, State</p>              | <p>1) Heat and Thermodynamics, M.W. Zemansky, Richard Dittman, 1981, McGraw-Hill.</p> <p>2) A Treatise on Heat, Meghnad Saha, and B.N.Srivastava, 1958, Indian</p> |

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|  |  |  |  |  | <p><b>dynamic<br/>s</b></p> <p><b>Unit 3<br/>Entropy</b></p> <p><b>Unit 4<br/>Thermodynamic potential.</b></p> | <p>Functions, First Law of Thermodynamics and its differential form, Internal Energy, First Law &amp; various processes, Applications of First Law: General Relation between <math>C_p</math> and <math>C_v</math>, Work Done during Isothermal and Adiabatic Processes, Compressibility and Expansion Co-efficient.</p> <p><b>Second Law of Thermodynamics:</b> Reversible and Irreversible process with examples. Conversion of Work into Heat and Heat into Work. Heat Engines. Carnot's Cycle, Carnot engine &amp; efficiency. Refrigerator &amp; coefficient of performance, 2nd Law</p> | <p>Press</p> <p>3) Thermal Physics, S. Garg, R. Bansal and Ghosh, 2<sup>nd</sup> Edition, 1993, Tata McGraw-Hill</p> <p>4) Modern Thermodynamics with Statistical Mechanics, Carl S. Helrich, 2009, Springer.</p> |
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|  |  |  |  |  |  |  | <p>of Thermodynamics:<br/>Kelvin-Planck and<br/>Clausius Statements<br/>and their Equivalence.<br/>Carnot's Theorem.<br/>Applications of<br/>Second Law of<br/>Thermodynamics:<br/>Thermodynamic Scale<br/>of Temperature and its<br/>Equivalence to Perfect<br/>Gas Scale.</p> <p><b>Entropy:</b> Concept of<br/>Entropy, Clausius<br/>Theorem. Clausius<br/>Inequality, Second<br/>Law of<br/>Thermodynamics in<br/>terms of Entropy.<br/>Entropy of a perfect<br/>gas. Principle of<br/>Increase of Entropy.<br/>Entropy Changes in<br/>Reversible and<br/>Irreversible processes<br/>with examples.<br/>Entropy of the<br/>Universe. Entropy<br/>Changes in Reversible</p> |  |
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|  |  |  |  |  |  |  | <p>and Irreversible Processes. Principle of Increase of Entropy. Temperature–Entropy diagrams for Carnot’s Cycle. Third Law of Thermodynamics. Unattainability of Absolute Zero.</p> <p><b>Thermodynamic Potentials:</b></p> <p>Thermodynamic Potentials: Internal Energy, Enthalpy, Helmholtz Free Energy, Gibb’s Free Energy. Their Definitions, Properties and Applications. Magnetic Work, Cooling due to adiabatic demagnetization, First and second order Phase Transitions with examples, Clausius Clapeyron Equation.</p> |  |
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| B.Sc.<br>6th<br>Semester | <b>ELECTROMAGNETIC THEORY &amp; ELECTRODYNAMICS</b><br>(PHYMJ-061)<br><b>NUCLEAR AND PARTICLE PHYSICS</b><br>(PHYMJ-063)<br>(4 Credits) | Lecture | Whiteboard,<br>LCD Projector | Unit1<br>Unit2<br>Unit3 | Unit1<br><b>Maxwell Equations</b><br><br>Unit2<br><b>EMWave Propagation in Unbounded Media</b><br><br>Unit3<br><b>EMWave Propagation in Unbounded Media</b> | 53 hours | <b>Unit I: Definition of Charge density, Current density. Relation of current density with Electric field. Review of Ampere's circuital law, Gauss's law in electrostatics and Magnetostatics, Faraday's law in electromagnetic induction, Divergence and Curl of magnetic field, Magnetic vector potential. Electric polarization vector and polarization Charge density. Useful vector identities in electromagnetic theory.</b><br><br>Equation of continuity, conservation of charge. Maxwell's equations, Derivation of Maxwell's equation. Maxwell's equation in Integral Physical | 1) Introduction to Geometrical and Physical Optics- B.K.Mathur<br>2) Introduction to Electrodynamics, D.J. Griffiths, 3 <sup>rd</sup> Ed., 1998, Benjamin Cummings.<br>3) Elements of Electromagnetics, M.N. O.Sadiku, 2001, Oxford University Press.<br>4) Introduction to Electromagnetic Theory, T.L.Chow, 2006, Jones & Bartlett Learning<br>1) Introductory nuclear Physics by Kenneth S.Krane (Wiley India Pvt. Ltd., 2008). |
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|  |  |  |  |  |  |  | <p>interpretation of Maxwell's equations. Displacement Current. Vector and scalar potential. Gauge Transformations: Lorentz and Coulomb Gauge. Electrostatic and Magnetostatic energy densities. Poynting Theorem and Poynting Vector. Physical Concept of Electromagnetic Field Energy Density, Electromagnetic Momentum Densities (linear and angular).. <b>Unit II:</b> The wave equation and its solution. Plane EM waves through free space and isotropic dielectric medium. Plane electromagnetic wave in anisotropic dielectric medium. Transverse nature of plane EM waves, refractive index and dielectric constant, wave impedance. Propagation of</p> | <p>2) Concept of nuclear physics by Bernard L. Cohen. (Tata McGraw Hill, 1998).</p> <p>3) Introduction to the physics of nuclear &amp; particles, R. A. Dunlap. (Thomson Asia, 2004).</p> <p>4) Introduction to High Energy Physics, D. H. Perkins, Cambridge Univ. Press</p> |
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|  |  |  |  |  |  |  | <p>electromagnetic wave through conducting media, relaxation time, skin depth. Drude model of Dynamic conductivity, electrical conductivity of ionized gases, Wave propagation through dilute plasma, plasma frequency, refractive index, skin depth, application to propagation through ionosphere..</p> <p><b>Unit III:</b></p> <p>Boundary conditions at a plane interface between two media. Reflection &amp; Refraction of plane wave at plane interface between two dielectric media- Laws of Reflection &amp; Refraction. Kinematic and Dynamic Properties of reflection and refraction. Fresnel's Formulae for perpendicular &amp; parallel polarization cases, Brewster's law. Reflection &amp; Transmission coefficients. Normal</p> |  |
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|  |  |  |  |  |  |  | <p>and oblique incidence. Degree of polarization.</p> <p>Total internal reflection</p> <p>PHYMJ-063</p> <p>Unit 1 : All about a nucleus – its constituents and basic characteristics.</p> <p>General ideas about isotope, isobar, isotone, isomer and mirror nuclei, Structure of atomic nucleus and its relation with atomic weight, Intrinsic properties of nuclei, Impossibility of an electron being in the nucleus as a consequence of the uncertainty principle, Nuclear composition theories, Nature of nuclear force, NZ graph, Nuclear binding energy, average</p> |  |
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|  |  |  |  |  |  |  | <p>agebindingenergy and its variation with mass number, main features of binding energy versus mass number curve</p> <p>Unit 4 :<br/>Nuclear Fission and Fusion-mass deficit; relativity and generation of energy; Fission- Chain reaction, nature of fragments and emission of neutrons. Nuclear reactor: Power and Breeder reactor. Fusion and thermonuclear reaction driving stellar energy.</p> |  |
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Besides the Theory Classes, we use to demonstrate in practical classes of both UG and PG; and also supervise the projects to be performed by both UG and PG students.