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Syllabus for T.Y. B.Sc.
Program: B.Sc.
Course: Physics
Credit Based Semester and Grading System with the Effect from
Academic Year 2021-22

Syllabus for B.Sc. Physics (Theory and Practical)
As per credit based system
Third Year B.Sc.2021–2022.

The revised syllabus in Physics as per credit based system for the Third Year B.Sc. Course will be implemented from the academic year **2021–2022.**

Preamble:

The systematic and planned curricula from these courses shall motivate and encourage learners to understand basic concepts of Physics.

Objectives:

- To develop analytical abilities towards real world problems
- To familiarize with current and recent scientific and technological developments
- To enrich knowledge through problem solving, hands on activities, study visits, projects etc.

SEMESTER V				
Theory				
Course	**UNIT**	**TOPICS**	**Credits**	**Lectures per Week**
USPH501	I	Mathematical Methods in Physics	**2.5**	**4**
	II	Mathematical Methods in Physics		
	III	Thermal and Statistical Physics		
	IV	Thermal and Statistical Physics		
USPH502	I	Solid State Physics	**2.5**	**4**
	II	Solid State Physics		
	III	Solid State Physics		
	IV	Solid State Physics		
USPH503	I	Atomic Physics	**2.5**	**4**
	II	Atomic Physics		
	III	Molecular Physics		
	IV	Molecular Physics		
USPH504	I	Electrodynamics	**2.5**	**4**
	II	Electrodynamics		
	III	Electrodynamics		
	IV	Electrodynamics		

Practicals			
USPHP05	Practicals of Course USPH501 + Course USPH502	**2.5**	**6**
USPHP06	Practicals of Course USPH503 + Course USPH504	**2.5**	**6**
Project			
USPHPR1	USPH501 + USPH502 + USPH503 + USPH504	**1**	**4**

SEMESTER VI				
Theory				
Course	**UNIT**	**TOPICS**	**Credits**	**Lectures per Week**
USPH601	I	Classical Mechanics	**2.5**	**4**
	II	Classical Mechanics		
	III	Classical Mechanics		
	IV	Classical Mechanics		
USPH602	I	Electronics	**2.5**	**4**
	II	Electronics		
	III	Electronics		
	IV	Electronics		
USPH603	I	Nuclear Physics	**2.5**	**4**
	II	Nuclear Physics		
	III	Nuclear Physics		
	IV	Nuclear Physics		
USPH604	I	Special Theory of Relativity	**2.5**	**4**
	II	Special Theory of Relativity		
	III	Special Theory of Relativity		
	IV	Special Theory of Relativity		
Practicals				
USPH605	Practicals of Course USPH601 + Course USPH602		**2.5**	**6**
USPH606	Practicals of Course USPH603 + Course USPH604		**2.5**	**6**
Project				
USPHPR2	USPH601 + USPH602 + USPH603 + USPH604		**1**	**4**

SEMESTER V

Theory Course - USPH501: Mathematical, Thermal and Statistical Physics

Learning outcomes: From this course, the students are expected to learn some mathematical techniques required to understand the physical phenomena at the undergraduate level and get exposure to important ideas of statistical mechanics.

The students are expected to be able to solve simple problems in probability, understand the concept of independent events and work with standard continuous distributions. The students will have idea of the functions of complex variables; solve nonhomogeneous differential equations and partial differential equations using simple methods. The units on statistical mechanics would introduce the students to the concept of microstates, Boltzmann distribution and statistical origins of entropy. It is also expected that the student will understand the difference between different statistics, classical as well as quantum.

Unit - I	**Probability**	(15 lect.)
Review of basic concepts, introduction, sample space, events, independent events, conditional probability, probability theorems, methods of counting (derivation of formulae not expected), random variables, continuous distributions (omit joint distributions), binomial distribution, the normal distribution, the Poisson distribution. Ref: MB – 15.1-15.9 Expected to cover solved problems from each section and solve at least the following problems:		

section 2: 1-5, 11-15, **section 3:** 1, 3, 4, 5, **section 4:** 1, 3, 5,13, 21, **section 5:** 1, 10, 13, **section 6:** 1 to 9, **section 8:** 1 and 3, **section 9:** 2, 3, 4, 9.

Unit -II	**Complex functions and differential equations**	(15 lect.)

1. Functions of complex variables: The exponential and trigonometric functions, hyperbolic functions, logarithms, complex roots and powers, inverse trigonometric and hyperbolic functions, some applications.

Ref.: MB: 2.11 to 2.16

Expected to cover all solved problems. In addition, solve the following problems:

section 2: 16 – 2, 3, 8, 9, 10.

2. Second-order nonhomogeneous equations with constant coefficients, partial differential equations, some important partial differential equations in physics, method of separation of variables.

Ref : CH :5.2.4, 5.3.1 to 5.3.4

Expected to cover all solved problems. In addition, solve the following problems:

5.17 a to e, 5.23, 5.26, 5.29 to 5.35.

Unit -III	**Statistical Thermodynamics**	(15 lect.)

Microstates and configurations, derivation of Boltzmann distribution, dominance of Boltzmann distribution, physical meaning of the Boltzmann distribution law, definition of , the canonical ensemble, relating Q to q for an ideal gas, translational partition function, equipartition theorem, energy, entropy

ER: 13.1 to 13.5, 14.1, 14.2, 14.4, 14.8, 15.1, 15.4

Unit -IV	**Classical and Quantum Statistics**	(15 lect.)

The probability of a distribution, The most probable distribution, Maxwell- Boltzmann statistics, Molecular speeds.

Bose-Einstein statistics, Black-body radiation, The Rayleigh-Jeans formula,

The Planck radiation formula, Fermi-Dirac statistics, Comparison of results. AB : 15.2 to 15.5, 16.1 to 16.6

References:

1.	MB: Mathematical Methods in the Physical sciences: Mary L. Boas Wiley India, 3rd ed.
2.	ER: Thermodynamics, Statistical Thermodynamics and Kinetics: T. Engel and P. Reid (Pearson).
3.	AB: Perspectives of Modern Physics: Arthur Beiser, (Mc Graw Hill International).
4.	CH: Introduction to Mathematical Methods: Charlie Harper (PHI Learning).
Additional References:	
1.	Mathematical Physics: A K Ghatak, Chua – 1995 Macmillian India Ltd.
2.	Mathematical Method of Physics: Riley, Hobson and Bence, Cambridge (Indian edition).
3.	Mathematical Physics: H. K. Das, S. Chand & Co.
4.	Mathematical Methods of Physics: Jon Mathews & R. L. Walker, W A Benjamin inc.
5.	A Treatise on heat: Saha and Srivastava (Indian press, Allahabad)
6.	Statistical Physics: F. Reif (Berkeley Physics Course, McGraw Hill)
7.	Introductory Statistical Mechanics: R. Bowley and M. Sanchez (Oxford Science Publications).
8.	An Introduction to Thermal Physics: D. V. Schroeder (Pearson).
9.	PROBABILITY: Schaum's Outlines Series by S. Lipschutz and M. L. Lipson (Mc Graw Hill International).