

Physics 106b-2011 Final Exam Coverage

Notes

The exam will be a three hour take home. It will be available for pick-up from the secretaries' office on Monday; you will need to turn in a course evaluation form to the secretaries to receive your exam.

Coverage:

The exam is cumulative, and will include questions on material from the first part of the semester. (For example, there might be a question about Gauss's Law.) However, there will be extra emphasis on material covered since the last exam:

Last part of of class 23 (3-29-11) through end of course

Assignments 9-11

Wolfson & Pasachoff:

34-4 through 34-8

chapter 37 (omitting 37-4 and "Intensity in the Interference Pattern" on pp. 976-8)

Relativity Handouts ("Relativity Fundamentals Explained Well" and "Famous Paradoxes")

W&P 1024-1033

Critical concepts for material covered since exam 2

Electromagnetic Waves

What a plane wave is

Derivation (for planes waves) of the speed c and $E = cB$ from Ampère's law and Faraday's law

Understanding of the geometrical relationship between the direction of \mathbf{E} , the direction of \mathbf{B} , and the direction of propagation

Relationships between λ , k , ω , f , T , and c .

Qualitative understanding of how em waves can be produced

How em waves are detected (via the \mathbf{E} component, the \mathbf{B} component, or the intensity)

Fact that Intensity $\propto E^2$, meaning of Intensity (*i.e.* Power/Area)

For a small source, $S = \frac{P}{4\pi r^2}$

Definition of Poynting vector, using it to find direction, intensity, and radiation pressure

Polarization

Meaning of the term

Be able to compute fraction of light passed through a series of polarizers

Be able to explain why inserting a polarizer between two crossed polarizers can increase the amount of light transmitted

Be able to discuss this both in wave picture and particle picture

Interference & Diffraction

Huygen's principle

Condition for constructive interference (path lengths differ by $m\lambda$)

How to use this condition (e.g. to find peak positions for two-slit interference or diffraction grating)

Diffraction: $\theta_{first\ min} \approx \frac{\lambda}{a}$

Rayleigh Criterion

How to find angular resolution of an instrument, given its aperture size

Meaning of diffraction order for a grating

Relativity

Why c has to be the same in all frames (You should have a deep understanding of the theoretical reason for this from Maxwell's equations, and a superficial understanding of the experimental reason, *i.e.* the Michelson-Morley experiment.)

Derivation of time dilation from light clocks

Derivation of length contraction from time dilation

Derivation of synchronization from time dilation

How synchronization differences resolve the time dilation paradox

The Lorentz Transformation: how to use it

The Lorentz Velocity Transformation: how to use it

Relativistic mass, momentum, and energy

Rest energy

You are expected to be able to integrate and differentiate the following functions:

x^n (where n may be positive or negative, and may or may not be an integer), $\sin ax$, $\cos ax$, $\frac{1}{x}$, e^{ax}

Equations to internalize

(Not the format that they will be given in on the exam; for that, see the following pages.)

Ch. 23:

Coulomb's law: The force between two point charges: $\mathbf{F} = \frac{kq_1q_2}{r^2} \hat{\mathbf{r}}$

Relation between the electric force and the electric field: $\mathbf{F} = \mathbf{E}q$

Electric field of a point charge: $\mathbf{E} = \frac{kq}{r^2} \hat{\mathbf{r}}$ (This is really a variant form of Coulomb's law.)

Principle of superposition: $\mathbf{E} = \mathbf{E}_1 + \mathbf{E}_2 + \dots$

Electric field of a continuous charge distribution: $\mathbf{E} = \int \frac{k dq}{r^2} \hat{\mathbf{r}}$ (Again, this is really a variant form of Coulomb's law.)

Ch. 24:

Definition of electric flux: $\phi_E \equiv \int \mathbf{E} \cdot \hat{\mathbf{n}} dA$ (for flat surface, uniform field, $\phi_E = \mathbf{E} \cdot \hat{\mathbf{n}} A$)

Gauss's law: $\oint \mathbf{E} \cdot \hat{\mathbf{n}} dA = \frac{q_{net \text{ enclosed}}}{\epsilon_0}$

Ch. 25:

Definition of voltage: $V \equiv \frac{U \text{ of a point charge}}{\text{charge of that point charge}}$

Relation of voltage to electric field: $\Delta V_{AB} = -\int_A^B \mathbf{E} \cdot d\bar{\ell}$

Voltage due to a point charge: $V = \frac{kq}{r}$

Superposition of voltages: $V_{TOT} = V_1 + V_2 + \dots$

Voltage of a continuous charge distribution: $V = \int \frac{k dq}{r}$

Relation of electric field to voltage: $\mathbf{E} = -\bar{\nabla}V$, where $\bar{\nabla} \equiv \hat{\mathbf{x}} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + \hat{\mathbf{y}} \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + \hat{\mathbf{z}} \frac{\partial}{\partial z}$

(Note: variants of this would include, for example, $E_\ell = -\frac{dV}{d\ell}$.)

Definition of capacitance: $Q = CV$ $\frac{1}{C_{series}} = \frac{1}{C_1} + \frac{1}{C_2} \Leftrightarrow C_{series} = \frac{C_1 C_2}{C_1 + C_2}$ $C_{parallel} = C_1 + C_2$

Energy density of the electric field: $u_E = \frac{\epsilon_0 E^2}{2}$ $U = \int_{\text{all space}} u_E dV$

Dielectric constant: $\kappa \equiv \frac{E_{plates}}{E_{Tot}}$ $C_{parallel \text{ plate}} = \frac{\kappa \epsilon_0 A}{d}$ $U = \frac{1}{2} CV^2$

Ohm's Law: $V = IR$ $\frac{1}{R_{parallel}} = \frac{1}{R_1} + \frac{1}{R_2} \Leftrightarrow R_{parallel} = \frac{R_1 R_2}{R_1 + R_2}$ $R_{series} = R_1 + R_2$

Definition of resistivity: $R = \frac{\rho L}{A}$ **Resistivity in the Drude model:** $\rho = \frac{m}{ne^2\tau}$ **Drift velocity:** $I = nqAv_d$

Electrical power: $P = VI$ $P = I^2R$ $P = V^2/R$ **Output voltage of a real battery:** $V_{out} = \varepsilon - Ir$

RC charging: $V_C = \varepsilon(1 - e^{-t/RC})$ **RC discharging:** $V_C = V_0e^{-t/RC}$

Hall voltage: $V_H = \frac{IB}{nqt}$ **Gauss's Law for magnetic fields:** $\oint \mathbf{B} \cdot \hat{\mathbf{n}} dA = 0$

Lorentz force: $\mathbf{F} = q\mathbf{v} \times \mathbf{B}$

Force on a current-carrying wire: $d\mathbf{F} = I d\vec{\ell} \times \mathbf{B}$ **If wire is straight and B uniform:** $\mathbf{F} = I \vec{\ell} \times \mathbf{B}$

Biot-Savart Law: $d\mathbf{B} = \frac{\mu_0}{4\pi} \frac{I d\vec{\ell} \times \hat{\mathbf{r}}}{r^2}$

Ampère's Law: $\oint \mathbf{B} \cdot d\vec{\ell} = \mu_0 I_{net \text{ threading}} + \mu_0 \varepsilon_0 \frac{d}{dt} \int \mathbf{E} \cdot \hat{\mathbf{n}} dA$ $B_{solenoid} = \mu_0 nI$

Motional emf and/or induction: $\varepsilon_{loop} = -\frac{d\phi_B}{dt}$, where $\phi_B \equiv \int \mathbf{B} \cdot \hat{\mathbf{n}} dA$

Faraday's law: $\oint \mathbf{E} \cdot d\vec{\ell} = -\frac{d}{dt} \int \mathbf{B} \cdot \hat{\mathbf{n}} dA$ **Transformers:** $\varepsilon_s = \varepsilon_p \frac{N_s}{N_p}$ $I_s V_s = I_p V_p$

Radiation: $E = cB$ $c = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\mu_0 \varepsilon_0}}$ $\mathbf{S} = \frac{\mathbf{E} \times \mathbf{B}}{\mu_0}$ $S = P_{rad} c$ **Compact source:** $S = \frac{P}{4\pi r^2}$

Interference: $m\lambda = d \sin \theta_{max}$ **slit diffraction:** $\theta_{min} = \frac{\lambda}{a}$ **hole diffraction:** $\theta_{min} = 1.22 \frac{\lambda}{a}$

Relativity: $V = \frac{\text{distance}}{\text{time}}$ $\gamma \equiv \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 - \frac{V^2}{c^2}}}$ $\Delta t_{other} = \gamma \Delta t_{proper}$ $L_{other} = \frac{L_r}{\gamma}$ $\Delta t_{synch} = \frac{L_r V}{c^2}$

Lorentz transformation: $x = \gamma(x' + Vt')$ $t = \gamma(t' + x'V/c^2)$ $x' = \gamma(x - Vt)$ $t' = \gamma(t - xV/c^2)$

Lorentz velocity transformation: $u_x = \frac{u'_x + V}{1 + u'_x V/c^2}$ $u_y = \frac{u'_y}{\gamma(1 + u'_x V/c^2)}$

Relativistic mass, momentum, & energy: $m_r = \gamma m_0$ $p = m_r u$ $E_{rest} = m_0 c^2$ $E_{Tot} = m_r c^2$

On the exam, you will be provided with the following numerical values:

$k = 8.99_9 \text{ Nm}^2/\text{C}^2$ $\varepsilon_0 = 8.85_{-12} \text{ C}^2/\text{Nm}^2 = 1/(4\pi k)$ Charge of electron = $-e$, where $e = 1.60_{-19} \text{ C}$

$c = 3.00_8 \text{ m/s}$ $\mu_0 = 4\pi_{-7} \text{ N/A}^2$ Mass of electron = $m_e = 9.11_{-31} \text{ kg}$

Mass of proton = $m_p = 1.67_{-27} \text{ kg}$

Equations that will be provided on the exam

IMPORTANT: you are expected to know the conditions under which each of these can be applied!!!

$$\mathbf{E} = \frac{\mathbf{F}}{q} \quad \mathbf{E}_{\text{point charge}} = \frac{kq}{r^2} \hat{\mathbf{r}} \quad \mathbf{E} = \int \frac{k dq}{r^2} \hat{\mathbf{r}} \quad E_{\text{due to sheet charge}} = \frac{\sigma}{2\epsilon_0} \quad E_{\text{total, at metal surface}} = \frac{\sigma}{\epsilon_0}$$

$$\oint \mathbf{E} \cdot \hat{\mathbf{n}} dA = \frac{q_{\text{net, enclosed}}}{\epsilon_0} \quad k = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \quad \phi_E \equiv \int \mathbf{E} \cdot \hat{\mathbf{n}} dA \quad \phi_E = EA \cos \theta$$

$$V \equiv \frac{U_{\text{point}}}{q_{\text{point}}} \quad \Delta V_{AB} = -\int_A^B \mathbf{E} \cdot d\ell \quad \mathbf{E} = -\nabla V \quad \bar{\nabla} \equiv \hat{\mathbf{i}} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + \hat{\mathbf{j}} \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + \hat{\mathbf{k}} \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \quad \Delta V_{AB} = -\mathbf{E} \cdot \ell$$

$$E = -\frac{dV}{dx}$$

$$V_{\text{point charge}} = \frac{kq}{r} \quad V = \int \frac{k dq}{r}$$

$$v = v_0 + at \quad s = \Delta x = x - x_0 = v_0 t + \frac{1}{2} at^2 \quad v^2 = v_0^2 + 2as \quad (\text{and similar equations for } y \text{ and } z.)$$

$$\mathbf{v}_{AC} = \mathbf{v}_{AB} + \mathbf{v}_{BC} \quad a_c = \frac{v^2}{r} \quad \mathbf{F}_{\text{net}} = \frac{d\mathbf{p}}{dt} \quad \mathbf{F}_{\text{net}} = m\mathbf{a}$$

$$F = -kx \quad \mathbf{W} = m\mathbf{g} \quad F_s \leq \mu_s N \quad F_k = \mu_k N \quad F_c = \frac{mv^2}{r}$$

$$F_c = \frac{mv^2}{r} \quad W = \int_{\text{Start}}^{\text{Finish}} \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{s} \quad W = \mathbf{F} \cdot \mathbf{s} = F_s \cos \theta \quad \mathbf{A} \cdot \mathbf{B} = AB \cos \theta$$

$$W_{\text{ext}} + Q_{\text{ext}} = \Delta K + \Delta U + \Delta U_{\text{int}} \quad W_{\text{int}} = \pm \Delta ? \quad U_{\text{grav}} = mgy \quad U_{\text{spring}} = \frac{1}{2} kx^2 \quad K = \frac{1}{2} mv^2$$

$$\Delta U = -\int_{\text{Start}}^{\text{Finish}} \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{s} \quad \mathbf{F} = -\bar{\nabla} U \quad \bar{\nabla} \equiv \hat{\mathbf{i}} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + \hat{\mathbf{j}} \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + \hat{\mathbf{k}} \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \quad F = -\frac{dU}{dx} \quad P \equiv \frac{dE}{dt}$$

$$P = \mathbf{F} \cdot \mathbf{v}$$

$$\mathbf{F} = -\frac{GMm}{r^2} \hat{\mathbf{r}} \quad U = -\frac{GMm}{r} \quad T^2 = \frac{4\pi^2 R^3}{GM} \quad \text{“Equal areas in equal times”}$$

$$\mathbf{R} = \frac{\sum m_i \mathbf{r}_i}{M_{\text{tot}}} \quad \mathbf{F}_{\text{net ext}} = M_{\text{tot}} \frac{d^2 \mathbf{R}}{dt^2} \quad \mathbf{P} = \sum \mathbf{p}_i \quad \mathbf{F}_{\text{net ext}} = \frac{d\mathbf{P}}{dt} \quad v_{fA} = 2v_{CM} - v_{iA}$$

$$\text{Impulse} = \mathbf{F}_{\text{av}} \Delta t = \Delta \mathbf{P}$$

$$\omega \equiv \frac{d\theta}{dt} \quad \boldsymbol{\alpha} = d\boldsymbol{\omega}/dt \quad v_t = \omega r \quad a_t = \alpha r \quad \omega = \omega_0 + \alpha t \quad \Delta \theta = \theta - \theta_0 = \omega_0 t + \frac{1}{2} \alpha t^2$$

$$\omega^2 = \omega_0^2 + 2\alpha \Delta \theta$$

$$\mathbf{A} \times \mathbf{B} \equiv AB \sin \theta \hat{\mathbf{n}} \quad I = \sum m_i r_i^2 \quad I = I_{\text{CM}} + Mh^2 \quad \boldsymbol{\tau} = \mathbf{r} \times \mathbf{F}$$

$$K = \frac{1}{2} mv_{\text{CM}}^2 + K_{\text{rot}} \quad K_{\text{rot}} = \frac{1}{2} I\omega^2 \quad W = \tau \Delta \theta \quad v_{\text{CM}} = \omega r \quad \mathbf{L} = I\boldsymbol{\omega} = \mathbf{r} \times \mathbf{p} \quad \boldsymbol{\tau}_{\text{net ext}} = d\mathbf{L}/dt$$

$$\omega_0 = \sqrt{\frac{k}{m}} \quad \omega = \sqrt{\frac{g}{\ell}} \quad \omega = \frac{2\pi}{T} = 2\pi f \quad x = A \cos(\omega t + \phi) \quad \gamma \equiv \frac{b}{m} \quad Q = \frac{\omega_s}{\gamma}$$

$$y = A \cos(kx \pm \omega t) \quad k = \frac{2\pi}{\lambda} \quad v = \frac{\lambda}{T} = \frac{\omega}{k} \quad I \equiv \frac{P}{A} \quad I \equiv \frac{P}{4\pi r^2}$$

$$y = A \cos(kx + \omega t) + A \cos(kx - \omega t) = 2A \cos \omega t \sin kx \quad L = \frac{n}{2} \lambda$$

$$P \equiv \frac{F}{A} \quad \text{The equipartition theorem.} \quad P = \frac{kA \Delta T}{\Delta x} \quad R \equiv \frac{\Delta x}{k} \quad P = e \sigma A T^4$$

$$PV = Nk_B T = nRT \quad C \equiv \frac{dQ}{dT} \quad c \equiv \frac{C}{m} \quad C_V = \frac{dU_{INT}}{dT} \quad C_m \equiv \frac{C}{n} \quad C_{mV, \text{solid}} = 3R$$

$$Q = CV \quad \frac{1}{C_{series}} = \frac{1}{C_1} + \frac{1}{C_2} \Leftrightarrow C_{series} = \frac{C_1 C_2}{C_1 + C_2} \quad C_{parallel} = C_1 + C_2$$

$$u_E = \frac{\epsilon_0 E^2}{2} \quad U = \int_{\text{all space}} u_E dV \quad \kappa \equiv \frac{E_{plates}}{E_{Tot}} \quad C_{parallel, \text{plate}} = \frac{\kappa \epsilon_0 A}{d} \quad U = \frac{1}{2} CV^2$$

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$$R = \frac{\rho L}{A} \quad \rho = \frac{m}{ne^2 \tau} \quad I = nqAv_d \quad P = VI \quad P = I^2 R \quad P = V^2 / R \quad V_{out} = \epsilon - Ir$$

$$V_C = \epsilon \left(1 - e^{-t/RC}\right) \quad V_C = V_0 e^{-t/RC} \quad V_H = \frac{IB}{nqt} \quad \oint \mathbf{B} \cdot \hat{\mathbf{n}} dA = 0 \quad \mathbf{F} = q\mathbf{v} \times \mathbf{B}$$

$$d\mathbf{F} = I d\vec{\ell} \times \mathbf{B} \quad \mathbf{F} = I \vec{\ell} \times \mathbf{B} \quad d\mathbf{B} = \frac{\mu_0}{4\pi} \frac{I d\vec{\ell} \times \hat{\mathbf{r}}}{r^2}$$

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$$\epsilon_{loop} = -\frac{d\phi_B}{dt} \quad \phi_B \equiv \int \mathbf{B} \cdot \hat{\mathbf{n}} dA \quad \oint \mathbf{E} \cdot d\vec{\ell} = -\frac{d}{dt} \int \mathbf{B} \cdot \hat{\mathbf{n}} dA \quad \epsilon_s = \epsilon_p \frac{N_s}{N_p} \quad I_s V_s = I_p V_p$$

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