Module Catalogue
for the Subject
Mathematical Physics
as a Bachelor’s with 1 major
with the degree "Bachelor of Science"
(180 ECTS credits)

Examination regulations version: 2015
Responsible: Institute of Mathematics
Responsible: Faculty of Physics and Astronomy
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Mathematical Physics

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Numerical Mathematics 2 for Mathematical Physics
Stochastics 1 for Mathematical Physics
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Introduction to Algebra for Mathematical Physics
Introduction to Discrete Mathematics for Mathematical Physics
Introduction to Projective Geometry for Mathematical Physics
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Introduction to Partial Differential Equations for Mathematical Physics
Modelling and Computational Science

Module Group Experimental Physics
Optics and Waves
Atoms and Quanta
Introduction to Solid State Physics
Nuclear and Elementary Particle Physics

Module Group Supplementary Topics in Physics
Group Theory
Computational Physics
Statistics, Data Analysis and Computer Physics
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Module Group Current Topics in Mathematical Physics
Current Topics in Mathematical Physics

Key Skills Area
General Key Skills
General Key Skills (subject-specific)
Exercise tutor or proof-reading in Mathematics
E-Learning and Blended Learning Mathematics 1
E-Learning und Blended Learning Mathematik 2
Preparatory Course Mathematics

Subject-specific Key Skills
Compulsory Courses
Basic Notions and Methods of Mathematical Reasoning
Reasoning and Writing in Mathematics
Seminar Mathematical Physics

Subject-specific Key Skills, Compulsory Electives
Supplementary Seminar Mathematics
Introduction to Topology
Computational Mathematics
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Selected Topics in History of Mathematics
Mathematical Writing
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Content and Objectives of the Programme

The Bachelor programme in Mathematical Physics is offered by the Department of Mathematics, jointly with the Faculty of Physics and Astronomy, with a total of currently (SS 2010) 9 resp. 13 chairs.

At the end of this course of study, the student should be familiar with the main branches of mathematical physics, taught methods of both mathematical and physical reasoning and working as well as analytical thinking, abstract concepts and the ability to recognize and construct complex structures and interconnections.

Through the course these skills which the students acquire provide the basic knowledge required for analyzing and solving subsequently the various problems they encounter, and in particular for obtaining a consecutive Bachelor-Masters degree. Therefore, the main emphasis is put on the comprehension of fundamental mathematical and physical notions and principles, the knowledge of a variety of methods, the development of analytical reasoning and abstraction, and the capacity of a qualitative understanding of complex structural interconnections, rather than a detailed quantitative knowledge of many facts in mathematics and physics.

For the Bachelor thesis the student should work on a thematic and temporally closely limited frame in order to carry out a special task in mathematical physics, using well-known procedures and scientific criteria under guidance but, to a large extent, independently.

The exam should ascertain whether the candidate overlooks the context of the basics in mathematical physics and possesses the ability to apply the corresponding scientific methods. The exam should lead to an internationally comparable degree in mathematical physics and provides the means for entry into the working world. In the framework of a consecutive Bachelor-Masters degree it may also be used as preparation for further Masters study.
Abbreviations used

Course types: E = field trip, K = colloquium, O = conversatorium, P = placement/lab course, R = project, S = seminar, T = tutorial, Ü = exercise, V = lecture

Term: SS = summer semester, WS = winter semester

Methods of grading: NUM = numerical grade, B/NB = (not) successfully completed

Regulations: (L)ASPO = general academic and examination regulations (for teaching-degree programmes), FSB = subject-specific provisions, SFB = list of modules

Other: A = thesis, LV = course(s), PL = assessment(s), TN = participants, VL = prerequisite(s)

Conventions

Unless otherwise stated, courses and assessments will be held in German, assessments will be offered every semester and modules are not creditable for bonus.

Notes

Should there be the option to choose between several methods of assessment, the lecturer will agree with the module coordinator on the method of assessment to be used in the current semester by two weeks after the start of the course at the latest and will communicate this in the customary manner.

Should the module comprise more than one graded assessment, all assessments will be equally weighted, unless otherwise stated below.

Should the assessment comprise several individual assessments, successful completion of the module will require successful completion of all individual assessments.

In accordance with

the general regulations governing the degree subject described in this module catalogue:

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associated official publications (FSB (subject-specific provisions)/SFB (list of modules)):

12-Aug-2015 (2015-80)

This module handbook seeks to render, as accurately as possible, the data that is of statutory relevance according to the examination regulations of the degree subject. However, only the FSB (subject-specific provisions) and SFB (list of modules) in their officially published versions shall be legally binding. In the case of doubt, the provisions on, in particular, module assessments specified in the FSB/SFB shall prevail.
Compulsory Courses

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### Contents
Real numbers and completeness; basic topological notions; convergence and divergence of sequences and series; power series and Taylor series; basics in differential calculus in one variable; basics of integral calculus in one variable (Riemann integral and improper integral).

### Intended learning outcomes
The student knows and masters the essential methods and notions of analysis. He/She is acquainted with the central proof methods in analysis and can employ them to solve easy problems. He/she is able to perform easy mathematical arguments independently and to express mathematical arguments precisely and clearly in written form.

### Courses
(V (4) + Ü (2))

### Method of assessment
Written examination (approx. 90 to 180 minutes) and written exercises (approx. 12 exercise sheets with approx. 4 exercises each)
Language of assessment: German and/or English

### Allocation of places
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### Additional information
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### Referred to in LPO I
(examination regulations for teaching-degree programmes)
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Module title
Overview Analysis for Mathematical Physics

Abbreviation
10-M-ANP-Ü-152-m01

Module coordinator
Dean of Studies Mathematik (Mathematics)

Module offered by
Institute of Mathematics

ECTS
12

Method of grading
numerical grade

Only after succ. compl. of module(s)
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Duration
1 semester

Module level
undergraduate

Other prerequisites
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Contents
Real numbers and completeness, basic topological notions, convergence and divergence of sequences and series, differential and integral calculus in one variable, further topological considerations, differential calculus with a focus on functions in several variables.

Intended learning outcomes
The student knows and masters the essential methods and proof techniques of analysis and is able to apply them independently, He/She has an overview over the fundamental notions and concepts of analysis, their analytic background and geometric interpretation, and can interconnect them and express them adequately in written and oral form.

Courses (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)
V (4) + Ü (2)

Method of assessment (type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module is creditable for bonus)
oral examination of one candidate each (20 to 40 minutes)
Assessment will have reference to the contents of modules 10-M-ANA-1 and 10-M-ANP-Ü.
Language of assessment: German and/or English

Allocation of places
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Additional information
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Referred to in LPO I (examination regulations for teaching-degree programmes)
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Module title  |  Abbreviation
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Advanced Analysis  |  10-M-VAN-152-m01

Module coordinator  |  Module offered by
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ECTS | Method of grading | Only after succ. compl. of module(s)
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7 | numerical grade | --

Duration  |  Module level  |  Other prerequisites
1 semester  |  undergraduate  |  --

Contents
Continuation of analysis in several variables, integration theorems.

Intended learning outcomes
The student is acquainted with advanced topics in analysis. Taking the example of the Lesbegue integral, he or she is able to understand the construction of a complex mathematical concept.

Courses (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)
V (4) + Ü (2)

Method of assessment (type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module is creditable for bonus)
a) written examination (approx. 90 to 180 minutes, usually chosen) or b) oral examination of one candidate each (15 to 30 minutes) or c) oral examination in groups (groups of 2, 10 to 15 minutes per candidate)
Language of assessment: German and/or English creditable for bonus

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**Contents**

Basic notions and structures; vector spaces, linear maps, systems of linear equations; theory of matrices and determinants.

**Intended learning outcomes**

The student knows and masters the basic notions and essential methods of linear algebra. He/She is acquainted with the central proof methods in linear algebra and can apply them to solve easy problems. He/She is able to perform simple mathematical arguments independently, and can present them adequately in written form.

**Courses** (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)

V (4) + Ü (2)

**Method of assessment** (type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module is creditable for bonus)

written examination (approx. 90 to 180 minutes) and written exercises (approx. 12 exercise sheets with approx. 4 exercises each)

Language of assessment: German and/or English

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**Contents**

Basic notions and structures; vector spaces, linear maps and systems of linear equations; theory of matrices and determinants; eigenvalue theory; bilinear forms and Euclidean/unitary vector spaces; diagonalisability and Jordan normal form.

**Intended learning outcomes**

The student knows and masters the essential methods and proof techniques of linear algebra and is able to apply them independently. He/She has an overview over the fundamental notions and methods of linear algebra, knows about their algebraic and geometric background, is able to relate them to each other and can present them adequately in written and oral form.

**Courses** (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)

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**Method of assessment** (type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module is creditable for bonus)

oral examination of one candidate each (20 to 40 minutes)
Assessment will have reference to the contents of modules 10-M-LNA-1 and 10-M-LNP-Ü.
Language of assessment: German and/or English

**Allocation of places**

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**Referred to in LPO I** (examination regulations for teaching-degree programmes)

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Subfield Classical Physics
(16 ECTS credits)
Module title | Abbreviation
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Classical Physics 1 (Mechanics) | 11-E-M-152-m01

Module coordinator | Module offered by
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Managing Director of the Institute of Applied Physics | Faculty of Physics and Astronomy

ECTS | Method of grading | Only after succ. compl. of module(s)
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8 | numerical grade | --

Duration | Module level | Other prerequisites
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1 semester | undergraduate | Admission prerequisite to assessment: completion of exercises (approx. 13 exercise sheets per semester). Students who successfully completed approx. 50% of exercises will qualify for admission to assessment. The lecturer will inform students about the respective details at the beginning of the semester.

Contents

1. Principles: Physical quantities, prefactors, derived quantities, dimensional analysis, time / length / mass (definition, measurement procedures, SI), importance of metrology;
2. Point Mechanics: Kinematics, motion in 2D and 3D / vectors, special cases: Uniform and constant accelerated motion, free fall, slate litter; circular motion in polar coordinates;
3. Newton’s laws: Forces and momentum definition, weight vs. mass forces on the pendulum, forces on an atomic scale, isotropic and anisotropic friction. Preparation of the equations of motion and solutions;
4. Work and energy: (Kinetic) performance, examples;
5. Elastic, inelastic and super-elastic collision: Energy and momentum conservation, surges in centre of mass and balance system, rocket equation;
6. Conservative and non-conservative force fields: Potential, potential energy; law, weight scale, field strength and potential of gravity (general relations);
7. Rotational motion: Angular momentum, angular velocity, torque, rotational energy, moment of inertia, analogies to linear translation, applications, satellites (geostationary and interstellar), escape velocities, trajectories in the central potential;
8. Tidal forces: Inertial system, reference systems, apparent forces, Foucault pendulum, Coriolis force, centrifugal force;
9. Galilean transformation: Brief digression to Maxwell’s equations, ether, Michelson interferometer, Einstein’s postulates, problem of simultaneity, Lorentz transformation, time dilation and length contraction, relativistic impulse;
10. Rigid body and gyroscope: Determining the centre of mass, inertia tensor and -ellipsoid, principal axes and their stability, tensor on the example of the elasticity tensor, physics of the bike; gyroscope: Precession and nutation, the Earth as a spinning top;
11. Friction: Static and dynamic friction, stick-slip motion, rolling friction, viscous friction, laminar flow, eddy formation;
12. Vibration: Representation by means of complex e-function, equation of motion (DGL) on forces, torque and power approach, Taylor expansion, harmonic approximation; spring and pendulum, physical pendulum, damped vibration (resonant case, Kriechfall, aperiodic limit), forced vibration, Fourier analysis;
13. Coupled vibrations: Eigenvalues and eigenfunctions, double pendulum, deterministic vs. chaotic motion, non-linear dynamics and chaos;
14. Waves: Wave equation, transverse and longitudinal waves, polarisation, principle of superposition, reflection at the open and closed end, speed of sound; interference, Doppler effect; phase and group velocity, dispersion relation;
15. Elastic deformation of solid bodies: Elastic modulus, general Hooke’s law, elastic waves;
16. Fluids: Hydrostatic pressure and buoyancy, surface tension and contact angle, capillary forces, steady flows, Bernoulli equation; Boyle-Mariotte, gas laws, barometric height formula, air pressure, compressibility and compressive modulus;
17. Kinetic theory of gases: ideal and real gas, averages, distribution functions, equipartition theorem, Brownian motion, collision cross section, mean free path, diffusion and osmosis, degrees of freedom, specific heat
### Intended learning outcomes

The students understand the basic contexts and principles of mechanics, vibration, waves and kinetic theory of gases. They are able to apply mathematical methods to the formulation of physical contexts and autonomously apply their knowledge to the solution of mathematical-physical tasks.

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### Additional information

Registration: If a student registers for the exercises and obtains the qualification for admission to assessment, this will be considered a declaration of will to seek admission to assessment pursuant to Section 20 Subsection 3 Sentence 4 ASPO (general academic and examination regulations). If the module coordinators subsequently find that the student has obtained the qualification for admission to assessment, they will put the student’s registration for assessment into effect. Only those students that meet the respective prerequisites can successfully register for an assessment. Students who did not register for an assessment or whose registration for an assessment was not put into effect will not be admitted to the respective assessment. If a student takes an assessment to which he/she has not been admitted, the grade achieved in this assessment will not be considered.

### Referred to in LPO I

(Examination regulations for teaching-degree programmes)

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# Module Title

**Classical Physics 2 (Heat and Electromagnetism)**

### Abbreviation

11-E-E-152-m01

### Module Coordinator

Managing Director of the Institute of Applied Physics

### Module Offered by

Faculty of Physics and Astronomy

### ECTS

8

### Method of Grading

Only after succ. compl. of module(s)

### Numerical Grade

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### Duration

1 semester

### Module Level

undergraduate

### Other Prerequisites

Admission prerequisite to assessment: completion of exercises (approx. 13 exercise sheets per semester). Students who successfully completed approx. 50% of exercises will qualify for admission to assessment. The lecturer will inform students about the respective details at the beginning of the semester.

### Contents

1. Thermodynamics (linked to 11-E-M); temperature and quantity of heat, thermometer, Kelvin scale;
2. Heat conduction, heat transfer, diffusion, convection, radiant heat;
3. Fundamental theorems of thermodynamics, entropy, irreversibility, Maxwell’s demon;
4. Heat engines, working diagrams, efficiency, example: Stirling engine;
5. Real gases and liquids, states of matter (also solids), van der Waals, critical point, phase transitions, critical phenomena (opalescence), coexistence region, Joule-Thomson;
6. Electrostatics, basic concepts: Electrical charge, forces; electric field, reps. field concept, field lines, field of a point charge;
7. Gaussian sentence, related to Coulomb’s law, definition of "river"; Gaussian surface, divergence theorem; special symmetries; divergence and GS in differential form;
8. Electrical potential, working in the E-box, electric. potential, potential difference, voltage; potential equation, equipotential surfaces; several important examples: Sphere, hollow sphere, capacitor plates, electric dipole; lace effects, Segner wheel;
9. Matter in the E-field, charge in a homogeneous field, Millikan experiment, Braun tube; electron: Field emission, thermionic emission, dipole in homogeneous and inhomogeneous field; induction, Faraday cage;
10. Capacitor, mirror charge, definition, capacity; plate and spherical capacitor; combination of capacitors; media in the capacitor; electrical polarisation, displacement and orientation polarisation, microscopic image; dielectric displacement; electrolytic capacitor; Piezoelectric effect;
11. Electricity, introduction, current density, drift velocity, conduction mechanisms;
12. Resistance and conductivity, resistivity, temperature dependence; Ohm’s law; realisations (resistive and non-ohmic, NTC, PTC);
13. Circuits, electrical networks, Kirchhoff’s rules (meshes, nodes); internal resistance of a voltage source, measuring instruments; Wheatstone bridge;
14. Power and energy in the circuit; Capacitor charge; galvanic element; thermovoltage;
15. Transfer mechanisms, conduction in solids: Band model, semiconductor; line in liquids and gases;
16. Magnetostatics, fundamental laws; permanent magnet, field properties, definitions and units; Earth’s magnetic field; Amper’s Law, analogous to e-box, magn. river, swirl;
17. Vector potential, formal derivation, analogous to electric scalar potential; calculation of fields, examples, Helmholtz coils;
18. Moving charge in the static magnetic field, current balance, Lorentz force, right-hand rule, electric motor; dipole field; movement paths, mass spectrometer, Wien filters, Hall effect; electron: e / m determination;
19. matter in the magnetic field, effects of the field on matter, relative permeability, susceptibility; para-, dia-, ferromagnetism; magn. moment of the electron, behaviour at interfaces;
20. Induction, Faraday’s law of induction, Lenz’s rule, flux change, eddy electric field, Waltenhofen’s pendulum; inductance, self-induction; applications: Transformer, generator;
21. Maxwell’s displacement current, choice of integration area, displacement current; Maxwell’s extension, wave equation; Maxwell equations;
22. AC: Fundamentals, sinusoidal vibrations, amplitude, period and phase; power and RMS value, ohmic resistance; Capacitive & inductive resistor, capacitor and coil, phase shift and frequency dependence; impedance; Complex resistance; performance of the AC;
23. Resonant circuits, combinations of RLC; series and parallel resonant circuit; forced vibration, damped harmonic oscillator (related to 11-E-M);
24: Hertz dipole, characteristics of irradiation, near field, far field; Rayleigh scattering; accelerated charge, synchrotron radiation, X-rays; 25. Electromagnetic waves: Principles, Maxwell's determination to electromagnetism, radiation pressure (Poynting vector, radiation pressure).

**Intended learning outcomes**

The students understand the basic principles and contexts of thermodynamics, science of electricity and magnetism. They know relevant experiments to observe and measure these principles and contexts. They are able to apply mathematical methods to the formulation of physical contexts and autonomously apply their knowledge to the solution of mathematical-physical tasks.

**Courses** (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)

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**Method of assessment** (type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module is creditable for bonus)

- written examination (approx. 120 minutes)
- Language of assessment: German and/or English

**Allocation of places**

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**Additional information**

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Subfield Theoretical Mechanics and Quantum Mechanics
(16 ECTS credits)
Module title: Theoretical Mechanics
Abbreviation: 11-T-M-152-m01

Module coordinator: Managing Director of the Institute of Theoretical Physics and Astrophysics
Module offered by: Faculty of Physics and Astronomy

ECTS: 8
Method of grading: numerical grade
Only after succ. compl. of module(s):

Duration: 1 semester
Module level: undergraduate
Other prerequisites: Admission prerequisite to assessment: completion of exercises (approx. 13 exercise sheets per semester). Students who successfully completed approx. 50% of exercises will qualify for admission to assessment. The lecturer will inform students about the respective details at the beginning of the semester.

Contents:
1. Newton's formulation: Inertial systems, Newton's laws of motion, equations of motion; one-dimensional motion, energy conservation; Harmonic oscillator; Movement in space of intuition, conservative forces;
2. Lagrangian formulation: Variational principles, Euler-Lagrange equation; constraints; coordinate transformations, mechanical gauge transformation; symmetries, Noether theorem, cyclic coordinates; accelerated reference systems and apparent forces;
3. Hamiltonian formulation: Legendre transformation, phase space; Hamilton function, canonical equations; Poisson brackets, canonical transformations; generator of symmetries, conservation laws; minimal coupling; Liouville theorem; Hamilton-Jacobi formulation [optional];
4. Applications: Central-force problems; mechanical similarity, Virial theorem; minor vibrations; particles in an electromagnetic field; rigid bodies, torque and inertia tensor, centrifugal and Euler equations [optional]; scattering, cross section [optional];
5. Relativistic dynamics: Lorentz Transformation; Minkowski space; equations of motion; 6. Non-linear dynamics: Stability theory; KAM theory [optional]; deterministic chaos [optional];

Intended learning outcomes:
The students have gained first experiences concerning the working methods of Theoretical Physics. They are familiar with the principles of theoretical mechanics and their different formulations. They are able to independently apply the acquired mathematical methods and techniques to simple problems of Theoretical Physics and to interpret the results. They have especially acquired knowledge of basic mathematical concepts.

Courses:

Module taught in: Ü: German or English

Method of assessment:
written examination (approx. 120 minutes)
Language of assessment: German and/or English

Allocation of places:

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Quantum Mechanics | 11-T-Q-152-m01

Module coordinator | Module offered by
Managing Director of the Institute of Theoretical Physics and Astrophysics | Faculty of Physics and Astronomy

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1 semester | undergraduate | Admission prerequisite to assessment: completion of exercises (approx. 13 exercise sheets per semester). Students who successfully completed approx. 50% of exercises will qualify for admission to assessment. The lecturer will inform students about the respective details at the beginning of the semester.

Contents
1. History and basics: Limits of classical physics; fundamental historical experiments; from classical physics to quantum mechanics (QM);
2. Wave function and Schrödinger equation (SG): SG for free particles; superposition; probability distribution for pulse measurement; correspondence principles: postulates of QM; Ehrenfest theorem; continuity equation; stationary solutions of SG
3. Formalisation of QM: Eigenvalue equations; Physical significance of the eigenvalues of an operator; state space and Dirac notation; representations in state space; tensor products of state spaces
4. Postulates of QM (and their interpretation): State; measurement; chronological development; energy-time uncertainty;
5. One-Dimensional problems: The harmonic oscillator; potential level; potential barrier; potential well; symmetry properties;
6. Spin-1/2 systems I: Theoretical description in Dirac notation; Spin 1/2 in the homogeneous magnetic field; two-level systems (qubits);
7. Angular momentum: Commutation and rotations; eigenvalues of the angular momentum operators (abstract); solution of the eigenvalue equation in polar coordinates (concrete);
8. Central potential - hydrogen atom: Bonding states in 3D; Coulomb potential;
9. Motion in an electromagnetic field: Hamiltonian; Normal Zeeman effect; canonical and kinetic momentum; Gauge transformation; Aharonov-Bohm effect; Schrödinger, Heisenberg and interaction representation; motion of a free electron in a magnetic field;
10. Spin-1/2 systems II: Formulation using angular momentum algebra;
11. Addition of angular momenta:
12. Approximation methods: Stationary perturbation theory (with examples); variational method; WKB method; time-dependent perturbation theory;
13. Atoms with several electrons: Identical particles; Helium atom; Hartree and Hartree-Fock approximation; atomic structure and Hund’s rules

Intended learning outcomes
The students have gained first experiences concerning the working methods of Theoretical Physics. They are familiar with the principles of quantum theory. They are able to apply the acquired mathematical methods and techniques to simple problems of quantum theory and to interpret the results. They have especially acquired knowledge of advanced mathematical concepts.

Courses (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)
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Module taught in: Ü: German or English

Method of assessment (type, scope, language — if other than German)
written examination (approx. 120 minutes)
Language of assessment: German and/or English
Allocation of places

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Subfield Statistical Physics and Electrodynamics I
(6 ECTS credits)
Module title | Abbreviation
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Statistical Physics and Electrodynamics | 11-T-SE-152-m01

Module coordinator | Module offered by
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Managing Director of the Institute of Theoretical Physics and Astrophysics | Faculty of Physics and Astronomy

ECTS | Method of grading | Only after succ. compl. of module(s)
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6 | numerical grade | --

Duration | Module level | Other prerequisites
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2 semester | undergraduate | --

Contents

A. Statistical Physics;
o. Principles of statistics: Elements of statistics (central limit theorem and statistics of extremes); Micro- and macro-states; probability space (conditional probability, statistical independence);
1. Statistical Physics: Entropy and probability theory; entropy in classical physics; thermodynamic equilibrium in closed and open systems (with energy and / or particle exchange);
2. Ideal systems: Spin systems; linear oscillators; ideal gas;
3. Statistical Physics and thermodynamics: The 1st law; quasi-static processes; entropy and temperature; generalised forces; the second and third law; reversibility; transition from Statistical Physics to thermodynamics;
4. Thermodynamics: Thermodynamic fundamentals relationship; thermodynamic potentials; changes of state; thermodynamic machines (Carnot engine and efficiency); chemical potential;
5. Ideal Systems II, quantum statistics: Systems of identical particles; ideal Fermi gas; ideal Bose gas and Bose-Einstein condensation; grids and normal modes: Phonons;
6. Systems of interacting particles: Approximation methods (mean-field theory, Sommerfeld expansion); computer simulation (Monte Carlo method); interacting phonons (Debye approximation); Ising models (particularities in 1 and 2 dimensions); Yang-Lee-theorems; Van der Waals equation for real interacting gases;
7. Critical phenomena: Scaling laws, critical slowing down, fast variable as Bad (electron-phonon interaction and BCS superconductivity); magnetism (quantum criticality at low temperatures, quantum phase transitions at T = 0); problems of the thermodynamic limit;

B. Electrodynamics;
o. Mathematical tools: Gradient, divergence, curl; curve, surface, volume integrals; Stokes and Gaussian sentence; Delta function; Fourier transform; full functional systems; solving PDEs;
1. Maxwell equations;
2. Electrostatics: Coulomb’s law; electrostatic potential; charged interface; electrostatic field energy (capacitor); multipole expansion; Boundary value problems; numerical solution; Image charges; Green’s functions; development according to orthogonal functions;
3. Magnetostatics: Current density; continuity equation; vector potential; Biot-Savart law; magnetic moment; analogies to electrostatics;
4. Maxwell equations in matter: Electrical and magnetic susceptibility; interfaces;
5. Dynamics of electromagnetic fields: Faraday induction; RCL-circuits; field energy and pulse; potentials; plane waves; wave packets; plane waves in matter; cavity resonators and wave guides; inhomogeneous wave equation; temporally oscillating sources and dipole radiation; accelerated point charges;
6. Special Theory of Relativity: Lorentz transform; simultaneity; length contraction and time dilation; light cone; effect, energy and momentum; co- and contra-variant tensors; covariant classical mechanics;
7. Covariant electrodynamics: Field strength tensor and Maxwell’s equations; transformation of the fields; Dopper effect; Lorentz force

Intended learning outcomes

The students have advanced knowledge of the methods of Theoretical Physics. They know the principles of electrodynamics, thermodynamics and statistical mechanics. They are able to discuss the acquired theoretical concepts and to attribute them to bigger physical contexts.

Courses (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)

V (4) + V (4)
### Method of assessment
(type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module is creditable for bonus)

- **oral examination of one candidate each (approx. 30 minutes)**
- **Language of assessment:** German and/or English

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Subfield Statistical Physics and Electrodynamics II
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**Contents**

Exercises in Statistical Physics and theoretical thermodynamics according to the content of 11 T-SEV content. Among others Principles of statistics, Statistical Physics, ideal systems, fundamental theorems, thermodynamic potentials, quantum statistics, Fermi and Bose gas, systems of interacting particles, approximation methods, Ising models, critical phenomena, etc.

**Intended learning outcomes**

The students are familiar with the mathematical methods of theoretical thermodynamics and Statistical Physics and are able to independently apply them to the description and solution of problems of Statistical Physics and to interpret the results in a physical manner.

**Courses** (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)

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### Module title
Electrodynamics - Exercises

### Abbreviation
11-T-EA-152-m01

### Module coordinator
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### Module offered by
Faculty of Physics and Astronomy

### ECTS
5

### Method of grading
Numerical grade

### Only after succ. compl. of module(s)
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### Duration
1 semester

### Module level
Undergraduate

### Other prerequisites
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### Contents
Exercises in electrodynamics according to the content of 11 T-SEV. Among others Mathematical tools, Maxwell's equations, electrostatics, magnetostatics, Maxwell equations in matter, dynamic electromagnetic fields, electromagnetic waves, special relativity, covariant electrodynamics etc.

### Intended learning outcomes
The students are familiar with the mathematical methods of theoretical electrodynamics and are able to independently apply them to the description and solution of problems of electrodynamics and to interpret the results in a physical manner.

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Subfield Laboratory Course Physics

(15 ECTS credits)
### Module title

**Laboratory Course Physics A (Mechanics, Heat, Electromagnetism)**

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1 semester

### Module level

undergraduate

### Other prerequisites

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### Contents

Measurement tasks in mechanics, thermodynamics and electricity theory, e.g. measurement of voltages and currents, heat capacity, calorimetry, density of bodies, dynamic viscosity, elasticity, surface tension, spring constant, drafting of graphics and drafting of measurement protocols.

### Intended learning outcomes

The students know and have mastered physical measuring methods and experimenting techniques. They are able to independently plan and conduct experiments, to cooperate with others, and to document the results in a measuring protocol.

### Courses

(type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)

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### Method of assessment

(type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module is creditable for bonus)

practical assignment with talk (approx. 30 minutes)

Preparing, performing and evaluating (record of readings or lab report) the experiments will be considered successfully completed if a Testat (exam) is passed. Exactly one experiment that was not successfully completed can be repeated once. After completion of all experiments, talk (with discussion; approx. 30 minutes) to test the candidate’s understanding of the physics-related contents of the module. Talks that were not successfully completed can be repeated once. Both components of the assessment have to be successfully completed.

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### Additional information

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### Referred to in LPO I

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Module title | Abbreviation
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Data and Error Analysis | 11-P-FR1-152-m01

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Managing Director of the Institute of Applied Physics

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**Contents**
Types of errors, error approximation and propagation, graphic representations, linear regression, mean values and standard deviation.

**Intended learning outcomes**
The students are able to evaluate measuring results on the basis of error propagation and of the principles of statistics and to draw, present and discuss the conclusions.

**Courses**
(type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)

V (1) + Ü (1)
Module taught in: Ü: German or English

**Method of assessment**
(type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module is creditable for bonus)

written examination (approx. 120 minutes)
Language of assessment: German and/or English

**Allocation of places**
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**Additional information**
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**Contents**
Physical laws of optics, vibrations and waves, science of electricity and circuits with electric components.

**Intended learning outcomes**
The students know and have mastered physical measuring methods and experimenting techniques. They are able to independently plan and conduct experiments, to cooperate with others, and to document the results in a measuring protocol. They are able to evaluate the measuring results on the basis of error propagation and of the principles of statistics and to draw, present and discuss the conclusions.

**Courses**

type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German

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**Method of assessment**
(type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module is creditable for bonus)

practical assignment with talk (approx. 30 minutes)
Preparing, performing and evaluating (record of readings or lab report) the experiments will be considered successfully completed if a Testat (exam) is passed. Exactly one experiment that was not successfully completed can be repeated once. After completion of all experiments, talk (with discussion; approx. 30 minutes) to test the candidate's understanding of the physics-related contents of the module. Talks that were not successfully completed can be repeated once. Both components of the assessment have to be successfully completed.

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**Contents**

Physical laws of wave optics, Molecular, Atomic and Nuclear Physics and modern measuring methods using special computerised devices with examples from optics and Solid-State Physics.

**Intended learning outcomes**

The students are able to build and almost independently operate advanced experimental setups. They are able to record measuring results in a structured manner, even in case of huge data traffic, and to analyse the results by using error propagation and statistics. They are able to evaluate results, to draw conclusions and to present and discuss them in a scientific paper and a presentation.

**Courses** (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)

P (2)

**Method of assessment** (type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module is creditable for bonus)

practical assignment with talk (approx. 30 minutes)
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Advanced methods of data analysis and error calculation. Distribution function, significance tests, modelling. Computerised data analysis.

### Intended learning outcomes

The students have advanced knowledge of the analysis of measuring data and error calculation. They have mastered methods of computerised data analysis are able to apply them to self-obtained measuring data and to discuss the results.

### Courses

(V (1) + Ü (1))

### Method of assessment

Exercises (successful completion of approx. 50% of approx. 10 exercise sheets)
Assessment offered: Once a year, summer semester

### Allocation of places

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**Intended learning outcomes**

The student knows and masters the essential methods and basic notions in differential geometry. He/She is acquainted with the central concepts in this field, and is able to apply the fundamental proof methods independently.

**Courses**

(type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)

V (4) + Ü (2)

**Method of assessment**

(type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module is creditable for bonus)

a) written examination (approx. 90 to 180 minutes, usually chosen) or b) oral examination of one candidate each (15 to 30 minutes) or c) oral examination in groups (groups of 2, 10 to 15 minutes per candidate)

Assessment offered: In the semester in which the course is offered and in the subsequent semester

Language of assessment: German and/or English

creditable for bonus

**Allocation of places**

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## Ordinary Differential Equations

**Module title**: Ordinary Differential Equations  
**Abbreviation**: 10-M-DGL-152-m01

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Dean of Studies Mathematik (Mathematics)

### Module offered by
Institute of Mathematics

### ECTS
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### Method of grading
- Only after succ. compl. of module(s)

### Duration
- **1 semester**

### Module level
- **undergraduate**

### Other prerequisites
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### Contents
Existence and uniqueness theorem; continuous dependence of solutions on initial values, systems of linear differential equations, matrix exponential series, linear differential equations of higher order.

### Intended learning outcomes
The student is acquainted with the fundamental concepts and methods of the theory of ordinary differential equations. He/she is able to apply these methods to practical problems.

### Courses
- **V (4) + Ü (2)**

### Method of assessment
(a) written examination (approx. 90 to 180 minutes, usually chosen) or b) oral examination of one candidate each (15 to 30 minutes) or c) oral examination in groups (groups of 2, 10 to 15 minutes per candidate)

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The student is acquainted with the fundamental concepts and methods in complex analysis. He/she is able to apply these methods to practical problems.

**Courses** (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)

V (4) + Ü (2)

**Method of assessment** (type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module is creditable for bonus)

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Abbreviation: 10-M-GAN-152-m01

Module coordinator: Dean of Studies Mathematik (Mathematics)
Module offered by: Institute of Mathematics

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Method of grading: Only after succ. compl. of module(s)
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Duration: 1 semester
Module level: undergraduate
Other prerequisites: --

Contents:
Fundamentals in analysis on manifolds, submanifolds, calculus of differential forms, Stoke's theorem and applications in vector analysis and topology.

Intended learning outcomes:
The student is acquainted with the fundamental concepts and methods in geometric analysis. He/she is able to apply these methods to practical problems.

Courses:
(type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)
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**Contents**

Banach spaces and Hilbert spaces, bounded operators, principles of functional analysis.

**Intended learning outcomes**

The student knows the fundamental concepts and methods of functional analysis as well as the pertinent proof methods, is able to apply methods from linear algebra and analysis to functional analysis, and realises the broad applicability of the theory to other branches of mathematics.

**Courses**  
(type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)

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**Contents**
Examples of partial differential equations and partial differential equations of first order, existence and uniqueness theorems, basic equations of mathematical physics, boundary value problems, maximum principle and Dirichlet problem.

**Intended learning outcomes**
The student is acquainted with the fundamental concepts and methods in the theory of partial differential equations. He/she is able to apply these methods to practical problems.

**Courses**
(type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)
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Subfield Overview Mathematical Methods
(13 ECTS credits)
### Module title
Overview Differential Geometry and Ordinary Differential Equations for Mathematical Physics

### Abbreviation
10-M-DGGD-PÜ-152-m01

### Module coordinator
Dean of Studies Mathematik (Mathematics)

### Module offered by
Institute of Mathematics

### ECTS
13

### Method of grading
numerical grade

### Only after succ. compl. of module(s)

### Duration
1 semester

### Module level
undergraduate

### Other prerequisites

### Contents
Curves in Euclidean spaces, curvature, Frenet equations, local classification, submanifolds (hypersurfaces in particular) in Euclidean spaces, curvature of hypersurfaces, geodesics, isometries, main theorem on local surface theory, special classes of surfaces; existence and uniqueness theorem, continuous dependence of solutions on initial values, systems of linear differential equations, matrix exponential series, linear differential equations of higher order.

### Intended learning outcomes
The student is acquainted with fundamental concepts and methods in differential geometry and the theory of ordinary differential equations. He/She is able to relate these concepts with one another, and realises the advantages of thinking across the borders of different branches in mathematics.

### Courses
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### Method of assessment
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oral examination of one candidate each (20 to 40 minutes)
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Language of assessment: German and/or English

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### Other prerequisites
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### Contents
Complex differentiability and Cauchy-Riemann differential equations, path integrals and Cauchy integral theorems, isolated singularities, meromorphic functions and Laurent series, residue theorem and applications, Weierstrass product theorem and theorem of Mittag-Leffler, conformal maps; curves in Euclidean spaces, curvature, Frenet equations, local classification, submanifolds (hypersurfaces in particular) in Euclidean spaces, curvature of hypersurfaces, geodesics, isometries, main theorem on local surface theory, special classes of surfaces.

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Language of assessment: German and/or English

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## Intended learning outcomes

The student is acquainted with fundamental concepts and methods in geometric analysis and complex analysis. He/She is able to relate these concepts with one another, and realises the advantages of thinking across the borders of different branches in mathematics.

## Courses

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**Intended learning outcomes**

The student is acquainted with fundamental concepts and methods in functional analysis and the theory of ordinary differential equations. He/She is able to relate these concepts with one another, and realises the advantages of thinking across the borders of different branches in mathematics.

**Courses** (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)

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### Intended learning outcomes
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### Courses
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10-M-FAGA-PÜ-152-m01

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**Other prerequisites**  
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**Contents**

Banach spaces and Hilbert spaces, bounded operators, principles of functional analysis; fundamentals in analysis on manifolds, submanifolds, calculus of differential forms, Stoke's theorem and applications in vector analysis and topology.

**Intended learning outcomes**

The student is acquainted with fundamental concepts and methods in functional analysis and geometric analysis. He/She is able to relate these concepts with one another, and realises the advantages of thinking across the borders of different branches in mathematics.

**Courses**

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### Contents
Curves in Euclidean spaces, curvature, Frenet equations, local classification, submanifolds (hypersurfaces in particular) in Euclidean spaces, curvature of hypersurfaces, geodesics, isometries, main theorem on local surface theory, special classes of surfaces; examples of partial differential equations and partial differential equations of first order, existence and uniqueness theorems, basic equations of mathematical physics, boundary value problems, maximum principle and Dirichlet problem.

### Intended learning outcomes
The student is acquainted with fundamental concepts and methods in differential geometry and the theory of partial differential equations. He/She is able to relate these concepts with one another, and realises the advantages of thinking across the borders of different branches in mathematics.

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Existence and uniqueness theorem, continuous dependence of solutions on initial values, systems of linear differential equations, matrix exponential series, linear differential equations of higher order; examples of partial differential equations and partial differential equations of first order, existence and uniqueness theorems, basic equations of mathematical physics, boundary value problems, maximum principle and Dirichlet problem.

## Intended learning outcomes

The student is acquainted with fundamental concepts and methods in the theory of ordinary and partial differential equations. He/She is able to relate these concepts with one another, and realises the advantages of thinking across the borders of different branches in mathematics.

## Courses (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)

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Basics in analysis on manifolds, e.g. submanifolds and calculus of differential forms, Stoke's theorem and its applications in vector calculus and topology, examples of first order partial differential equations, existence and uniqueness theorems, basic equations in mathematical physics, boundary value theorems, maximum principle and Dirichlet problem.

### Intended learning outcomes
The student is acquainted with fundamental concepts and methods in geometric analysis and the theory of partial differential equations. He/She is able to relate these concepts with one another, and realises the advantages of thinking across the borders of different branches in mathematics.

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**Intended learning outcomes**
- The student is acquainted with fundamental concepts and methods in functional analysis and the theory of partial differential equations. He/She is able to relate these concepts with one another, and realises the advantages of thinking across the borders of different branches in mathematics.

**Courses** (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)
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### Contents
Solution of systems of linear equations and curve fitting problems, nonlinear equations and systems of equations, interpolation with polynomials, splines and trigonometric functions, numerical integration.

### Intended learning outcomes
The student is acquainted with the fundamental concepts and methods in numerical mathematics, applies them to practical problems and knows about their typical fields of application.

### Courses
(V (4) + Ü (2))

### Method of assessment
(a) written examination (approx. 90 to 180 minutes, usually chosen) or b) oral examination of one candidate each (15 to 30 minutes) or c) oral examination in groups (groups of 2, 10 to 15 minutes per candidate)

Language of assessment: German and/or English creditable for bonus

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**Contents**
Eigenvalue problems, linear programming, methods for initial value problems for ordinary differential equations, boundary value problems.

**Intended learning outcomes**
The student is able to draw a distinction between the different concepts of numerical mathematics and knows about their advantages and limitations concerning the possibilities of application in different fields of natural and engineering sciences and economics.

**Courses**
(type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)
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**Contents**

Combinatorics, Laplace models, selected discrete distributions, elementary measure and integration theory, continuous distributions: normal distribution, random variable, distribution function, product measures and stochastic independence, elementary conditional probability, characteristics of distributions: expected value and variance, limit theorems: law of large numbers, central limit theorem.

**Intended learning outcomes**

The student is acquainted with fundamental concepts and methods in stochastics, applies these methods to practical problems and knows about the typical fields of application.

**Courses** (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)

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### Contents

Elements of data analysis, statistics of data in normal and other distributions, elements of multivariate statistics.

### Intended learning outcomes

The student is acquainted with fundamental concepts and methods in statistics, applies these methods to practical problems and knows about the typical fields of application.

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**Contents**

Fundamental algebraic structures (groups, rings, fields), Galois theory.

**Intended learning outcomes**

The student knows and masters the essential methods and basic notions in algebra. He/She is acquainted with the central concepts in this field, and is able to apply the fundamental proof methods independently.

**Courses** (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)

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**Contents**
Techniques from combinatorics, introduction to graph theory (including applications), cryptographic methods, error-correcting codes.

**Intended learning outcomes**
The student is acquainted with the fundamental concepts and results in discrete mathematics, masters the relevant proof techniques, is able to apply methods from number theory and algebra to discrete mathematics and realises the scope of applications of discrete structures.

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- Projective and affine planes, projective and affine spaces, theorem of Desargues, fundamental theorems for projective spaces, dualities and polarities of projective spaces.

### Intended learning outcomes

The student is acquainted with the fundamental concepts and methods of projective geometry. He/she is able to apply these methods to practical problems.

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### Contents
Elementary properties of divisibility, prime numbers and prime number factorisation, modular arithmetics, prime tests and methods for factorisation, structure of the residue class rings, theory of quadratic remainder, quadratic forms, diophantine approximation and diophantine equations.

### Intended learning outcomes
The student is acquainted with the fundamental concepts and methods of number theory. He/she is able to employ the basic methods and proof techniques independently.

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## Contents
Linear programming, duality theory, transport problems, integral linear programming, graph theoretic problems.

## Intended learning outcomes
The student is acquainted with the fundamental methods in operations research, as required as a central tool for solving many practical problems especially in economics. He/She is able to apply these methods to practical problems, both theoretically and numerically.

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Curves in Euclidean spaces, curvature, Frenet equations, local classification, submanifolds (hypersurfaces in particular) in Euclidean spaces, curvature of hypersurfaces, geodesics, isometries, main theorem on local surface theory, special classes of surfaces.

### Intended learning outcomes

The student knows and masters the essential methods and basic notions in differential geometry. He/She is acquainted with the central concepts in this field, and is able to apply the fundamental proof methods independently.

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Existence and uniqueness theorem; continuous dependence of solutions on initial values, systems of linear differential equations, matrix exponential series, linear differential equations of higher order.

### Intended learning outcomes

The student is acquainted with the fundamental concepts and methods of the theory of ordinary differential equations. He/she is able to apply these methods to practical problems.

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**Contents**

Fundamentals in analysis on manifolds, submanifolds, calculus of differential forms, Stoke's theorem and applications in vector analysis and topology.

**Intended learning outcomes**

The student is acquainted with the fundamental concepts and methods in geometric analysis. He/she is able to apply these methods to practical problems.

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**Contents**
Banach spaces and Hilbert spaces, bounded operators, principles of functional analysis.

**Intended learning outcomes**
The student knows the fundamental concepts and methods of functional analysis as well as the pertinent proof methods, is able to apply methods from linear algebra and analysis to functional analysis, and realises the broad applicability of the theory to other branches of mathematics.

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**Contents**

Examples of partial differential equations and partial differential equations of first order, existence and uniqueness theorems, basic equations of mathematical physics, boundary value problems, maximum principle and Dirichlet problem.

**Intended learning outcomes**

The student is acquainted with the fundamental concepts and methods in the theory of partial differential equations. He/she is able to apply these methods to practical problems.

**Courses**

(type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)

V (4) + Ü (2)

**Method of assessment**

(type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module is creditable for bonus)

a) oral examination of one candidate each (15 to 30 minutes) or b) oral examination in groups of 2 candidates (10 to 15 minutes each)

Assessment will have reference to a topic in pure mathematics as agreed upon with the examiner. Each topic may only be selected as the subject of one examination in the sub-field Gesamtüberblick Mathematische Methoden (Overview Mathematical Methods) or in module group Ergänzung Mathematik (Supplementary Topics in Mathematics).

Assessment offered: In the semester in which the course is offered and in the subsequent semester

Language of assessment: German and/or English creditable for bonus

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### Intended learning outcomes

The student masters the fundamental mathematical methods and techniques to simulate processes from natural and engineering sciences on a computer.

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Module taught in: German and/or English

### Method of assessment

(a) written examination (approx. 90 to 180 minutes, usually chosen) or (b) oral examination of one candidate each (15 to 30 minutes) or (c) oral examination in groups (groups of 2, 10 to 15 minutes per candidate)

Language of assessment: German and/or English

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### Allocation of places

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Module Group Experimental Physics
(ECTS credits)
Module Catalogue for the Subject
Mathematical Physics
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1. Light (linked to 11-E-E): basic concepts, the speed of light, Huygens-Fresnel principle: reflection, refraction.
2. Light in matter: propagation velocity in the medium; dispersion, complex and frequency-dependent dielectric constant; absorption, Kramers-Kronig relation, interfaces, Fresnel equations, polarization, generation by absorption, birefringence, optical activity (dipole).
3. Geometrical optics: basic concepts, Fermat’s principle, optical path, planar interfaces, Snell’s law, total reflection, optical tunneling, evanescent waves, prism; normal and anomalous dispersion, curved interfaces, thin and thick lenses, lens systems, lens grinder formula, aberrations, imaging errors (spherical & chromatic aberration, astigmatism, coma, distortion, correction approaches).
4. Optical instruments: characteristics; camera, eye, magnifying glass, microscope, telescope types, bundle beam vs. image construction (electron lenses, electron microscope), confocal microscopy.
5. Wave optics: spatial and temporal coherence, Young’s double slit experiment, interference pattern (intensity profile), thin films, parallel layers, wedge-shaped layers, phase shift, Newton rings, interferometer (Michelson, Mach-Zender, Fabry-Perot).
6. Diffraction in the far field: Fraunhofer diffraction, single slit, intensity distribution, apertures, resolving power, Rayleigh & Abbé criterion, Fourier optics, optical grating, n-fold slit, intensity distribution, grating spectrometer and resolution, diffraction off atomic lattices, convolution theorem.
7. Diffraction in the near field: Fresnel, near-field diffraction at circular apertures/disks, Fresnel zone plate, near-field microscopy, holography, Huygens-Fresnel concept; white light hologram.
8. Failure of classical physics I - from light wave to photon: black body radiation and Planck’s quantum hypothesis; photoelectric effect and Einstein’s explanation, Compton effect, light as a particle, wave-particle duality, quantum structure of nature.
9. Failure of classical physics II - particles as waves: de Broglie’s matter wave concept; diffraction of particle waves (Davidson-Germer-experiment, double slit interference).
10. Wave mechanics: wave packets, phase and group velocity (recap of 11-EM), uncertainty principle, Nyquist-Shannon theorem, wave function as probability amplitude, probability of residence, measurement process in quantum mechanics (double-slit experiment & which-way information, collapse of the wave function, Schrödinger’s cat).
11. Mathematical concepts of quantum mechanics: Schrödinger equation as wave equation, conceptual comparison to wave optics, free particle and particles in a potential, time-independent Schrödinger equation as eigenvalue equation, simple examples in 1D (potential step, potential barrier and tunnel effect, box potential and energy quantization, harmonic oscillator), box potential in higher dimensions and degeneracy, formal theory of QM (states, operators, observables).

Intended learning outcomes

The students understand the basic principles and contexts of radiation, wave and quantum optics. They understand the theoretical concepts and know the structure and application of important optical instruments and measuring methods. They are able to apply mathematical methods to the formulation of physical contexts and autonomously apply their knowledge to the solution of mathematical-physical tasks.

Courses (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)

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Atoms and Quanta | 11-E-A-152-m01

Module coordinator | Module offered by
Managing Director of the Institute of Applied Physics | Faculty of Physics and Astronomy

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5. Fine and hyperfine structure: Electron spin and magnetic spin moment, Stern-Gerlach experiment, Einstein-de Haas effect, glimpse of the Dirac equation (spin as a relativistic phenomenon and existence of antimatter), electron spin resonance (ESR), spin-orbit interaction, relativistic fine structure, Lamb shift (quantum electrodynamics), nuclear spin and hyperfine structure.
7. Light-matter interaction: Time-dependent perturbation theory (Fermi's Golden Rule) and optical transitions, matrix elements and dipole approximation, selection rules and symmetry, line broadening (lifespan, Doppler effect, collision broadening), atomic spectroscopy.
8. Laser: Elementary optical processes (absorption, spontaneous and stimulated emission), stimulated emission as light amplification, Einstein's rate equations, thermal equilibrium, non-equilibrium character of a laser: Rate equations, population inversion and laser condition, basic structure of a laser, optical pumping, 2-, 3- and 4-level lasers, examples (ruby laser, He-Ne laser, semiconductor laser).
11. Molecular rotations and vibrations: Born-Oppenheimer approximation, energy levels of the rigid rotator (symmetric and asymmetrical molecules), centrifugal expansion, molecule as (an)harmonic oscillator, Morse potential, normal modes, vibrational-rotational interaction.

Intended learning outcomes

The students understand the basic principles and contexts of quantum phenomena as well as Atomic and Molecular Physics. They understand the ideas and concepts of quantum theory and Astrophysics and the relevant experiments to observe and measure quantum phenomena. They are able to apply mathematical methods to the
formulation of physical contexts and autonomously apply their knowledge to the solution of mathematical-physical tasks.

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- written examination (approx. 120 minutes)
- Language of assessment: German and/or English

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Introduction to Solid State Physics

11-E-F-152-m01

Module coordinator
Managing Director of the Institute of Applied Physics

Module offered by
Faculty of Physics and Astronomy

ECTS 8

Method of grading Only after succ. compl. of module(s)
numerical grade --

Duration 1 semester
Module level undergraduate
Other prerequisites --

Contents
1. The free-electron gas (FEG), free electrons; density of states; Pauli principle; Fermi-Dirac statistics; spec. heat, Sommerfeld coefficient; electrons in fields: Drude-Lorentz-Sommerfeld; electrical and thermal conductivity, Wiedemann-Franz law; Hall effect; limitations of the model
2. Crystal structure, periodic lattice; types of lattices; Bravais lattice; Miller indices; simple crystal structures; lattice defects; polycrystals; amorphous solids; group theoretical approaches, the importance of symmetry for electronic properties
3. The reciprocal lattice (RG), motivation: Diffraction; Bragg condition; definition; Brillouin zones; diffraction theory: Scattering; Ewald construction; Bragg equation; Laue’s equation; structure and form factor
4. Structure determination, probes: X-ray, electron, neutron; methods: Laue, Debye-Scherrer, rotating crystal; electron diffraction, LEED
5. lattice vibrations (phonons), equations of motion; dispersion; group velocity; diatomic base: optical, acoustic branch; quantisation: Phonon momentum; optical properties in the infrared; dielectric function (Lorentz model); examples of dispersion curves (occ. Kramers-Kronig), measurement methods
6. Thermal properties of insulators, Einstein and Debye model; phonon density of states; anharmonicity and thermal expansion; thermal conductivity; Umklapp processes; crystal defects
7. Electrons in a periodic potential, Bloch theorem; band structure; approximation of nearly free electrons (NFE); strongly bound electrons (tight binding, LCAO); examples of band structures, Fermi surfaces, spin-orbit interaction
8. Superconductivity, BCS theory, pairing, coupling of bosonic and fermionic modes, band structure, many-particle aspects (quasiparticle concept)

Intended learning outcomes
The students understand the basic contexts and principles of Solid-State Physics (bonding and structure, lattice dynamics, thermal properties, principles of electronic properties (free electron gas)). They understand the structure of solids and know the experimental methods and theoretical models for the description of phenomena of Solid-State Physics. They are able to apply mathematical methods to the formulation of physical contexts and autonomously apply their knowledge to the solution of mathematical-physical tasks.

Courses (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)

V (4) + Ü (2)

Module taught in: Ü: German or English

Method of assessment (type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module is creditable for bonus)

written examination (approx. 120 minutes)
Language of assessment: German and/or English

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Nuclear and Elementary Particle Physics

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### Contents
1. Overview, historical introduction, history and significance of Nuclear and Particle Physics
2. Methods of Nuclear Physics, scattering and spectroscopy, nuclear radius, composition of matter, mass and charge distribution in the nucleus, the discovery of the proton and neutron
3. Nuclear models, the mass of the atomic nuclei, droplet model, bonding energy, nuclear shell model
4. Structure of cores, angular momentum, spin, parity, mag. and electr. moments, collective excitation forms, spin-orbit interaction
5. Radioactivity and spectroscopy, radioactive decay, natural and civilisational sources of ionising radiation
6. Nuclear energy, nuclear fission, nuclear reactors, nuclear fusion, star power, star development, formation of the chemical elements of hydrogen
7. Radiation and matter, interaction of radiation and matter, Bethe-Bloch formula, photoelectric effect, pair production
8. Instruments, accelerators and detectors
9. Electromagnetic interaction, differential cross section, virtual photons, Feynman graphs, exchange interaction
10. Strong interaction, quarks, gluons, colour and degree of freedom, deep-inelastic electron-proton scattering, confinement, asymptotic freedom, particle zoo, isospin, strangeness, SU (3) symmetry, antiprotons
11. Weak interaction, cracked mirror symmetries, Wu experiment, charge conjugation, time reversal, CP invariance, exchange particles, W and Z, neutrinos, neutrino vibrations
12. Standard model, three families of leptons and quarks, quark-lepton symmetry, Higgs boson, free parameters

### Intended learning outcomes
The students understand the basic connections between fundamental Nuclear and Elementary Particle Physics. They have an overview of the experimental observations of Particle Physics and the theoretical models which describe them.

### Courses (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)
V (3) + Ü (1)
Module taught in: Ü: German or English

### Method of assessment (type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module is creditable for bonus)
written examination (approx. 120 minutes)
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Module Group Supplementary Topics in Physics
(ECTS credits)
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### Intended learning outcomes
The students know the basics of group theory, especially of Lie groups. They are able to identify problems of group theory and to solve them by using the acquired methods. They are able to apply group theory to the formulation and processing of physical problems.

### Courses
- (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)
  - V (2) + R (2)
  - Module taught in: German or English

### Method of assessment
- (type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module is creditable for bonus)
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- Introduction to programming on the basis of C++ / Java /Mathematica
- numerical solution of differential equations
- simulation of chaotic systems
- generation of random numbers
- random walk
- many-particle processes and reaction-diffusion model

**Intended learning outcomes**

The students have knowledge of two major programming languages and know algorithms important for Physics. They have knowledge of numerical standard methods and are able to apply computer-assisted processes to the solution of physical problems, e.g. algorithms for solving numerical problems of Physics.

**Courses** (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)

V (3) + R (1)

Module taught in: German or English

**Method of assessment** (type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — If not every semester, information on whether module is creditable for bonus)

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Assessment offered: Once a year, winter semester

Language of assessment: German and/or English

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- **Module level**: graduate  
- **Other prerequisites**: --

**Contents**

Statistics, data analysis and computer physics.

**Intended learning outcomes**

The students have specific and advanced knowledge in the field of statistics, data analysis and Computational Physics.

**Courses** (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)

- **V (2) + R (1)**  
  Module taught in: German or English

**Method of assessment** (type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module is creditable for bonus)

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  Assessment offered: Once a year, winter semester  
  Language of assessment: German and/or English

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# Module Catalogue for the Subject
# Mathematical Physics

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History of astronomy, coordinates and time measurement, the Solar System, exoplanets, astronomical scales, telescopes and detectors, stellar structure and atmospheres, stellar evolution and end stages, interstellar medium, molecular clouds, structure of the milky way, the local universe, the expanding universe, galaxies, active galactic nuclei, large-scale structures, cosmology.

### Intended learning outcomes
The students are familiar with the modern world view of Astrophysics. They know methods and tools for astrophysical observations and evaluations. They are able to use these methods to plan and analyse own observations. They are familiar with the physics and development of the main astrophysical objects such as stars and galaxies.

### Courses
(type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)

- V (2) + R (2)

Module taught in: German or English

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Language of assessment: German and/or English

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**Contents**

- Theoretical description of the Standard Model
- Electroweak symmetry breaking through the Higgs mechanism
- Parity Violation
- Bhabha scattering
- Z-Line Shape and forward / reverse asymmetry
- Higgs production and decay
- Experimental setup and results of key experiments to test the Standard Model and for determining its parameters
- Search for the Higgs boson

**Intended learning outcomes**

The students know the theoretical fundamental laws of the standard model of Particle Physics and the key experiments that have established and confirmed the standard model. They are able to interpret experimental or theoretical results in the framework of the standard model and know its validity and limits.

**Courses** (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)

- V (4) + R (2)

Module taught in: German or English

**Method of assessment** (type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module is creditable for bonus)

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Language of assessment: German and/or English

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(ECTS credits)
Module title
Current Topics in Mathematical Physics

Abbreviation
11-BXMP5-152-m01

Module coordinator
chairperson of examination committee Mathematische Physik (Mathematical Physics)

Module offered by
Faculty of Physics and Astronomy

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Duration
1 semester

Module level
undergraduate

Other prerequisites
Approval from examination committee required.

Contents
Current topics of Mathematical Physics. Accredited academic achievements, e.g. in case of change of university or study abroad.

Intended learning outcomes
The students have advanced competencies corresponding to the requirements of a module of Mathematical Physics of the Bachelor’s programme. They have knowledge of a current subdiscipline of Mathematical Physics and understand the numeric and analytic methods necessary to acquire this knowledge. They are able to classify the subject-specific contexts and know the application areas.

Courses
(type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)
V (2) + R (2)

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Language of assessment: German and/or English

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**Mathematical Physics**
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**Courses** (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)
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**Courses** (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)

V (4) + R (2)

**Method of assessment** (type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module is creditable for bonus)

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Key Skills Area
(20 ECTS credits)
General Key Skills
(5 ECTS credits)

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Tutoring or grading homework for one of the basic courses in the Bachelor’s or teaching degree programmes under supervision of the respective lecturer or exercise supervisor.

**Intended learning outcomes**

The student is able to support the acquisition of mathematical skills and knowledge. He/She helps to identify mistakes in mathematical proof exercises and to find possible solutions.

**Courses** (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)

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**Method of assessment** (type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module is creditable for bonus)

Assessment of tutoring activities or correcting work by supervising lecturers or exercise supervisors (1 to 2 teaching units or approx. 5 pieces of correcting work)

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Becoming familiar with and reflecting techniques in e-learning and blended learning in mathematics.

Intended learning outcomes

The student is able to employ basic methods of e-learning and blended learning in mathematics.

Courses (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)

Ü (2)

Course type: eLearning, mostly Virtuelle Hochschule Bayern (vhb)

Method of assessment (type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module is creditable for bonus)

project (web-based, 15 to 20 hours)
Assessment offered: Once a year, winter semester

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**Duration**
1 semester

**Module level**
undergraduate

**Other prerequisites**
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**Contents**
Becoming familiar with and reflecting techniques in e-learning and blended learning in mathematics.

**Intended learning outcomes**
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**Courses**
(type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)

Ü (2)
Course type: eLearning, mostly Virtuelle Hochschule Bayern (vhb)

**Method of assessment**
(type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module is creditable for bonus)

project (web-based, 15 to 20 hours)
Assessment offered: Once a year, summer semester

**Allocation of places**
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### Module title
Preparatory Course Mathematics

### Abbreviation
11-P-VKM-152-m01

### Module coordinator
Managing Directors of the Institute of Applied Physics and the Institute of Theoretical Physics and Astrophysics

### Module offered by
Faculty of Physics and Astronomy

### ECTS
2

### Method of grading
Only after succ. compl. of module(s)

### Duration
1 semester

### Module level
undergraduate

### Other prerequisites
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### Contents
Principles of mathematics and elementary calculation methods from school and partially beyond, especially for the introduction to and preparation for the modules of Experimental and Theoretical Physics.

1. Basic geometry and algebra
2. Coordinate systems and complex numbers
3. Vectors - vectored values
4. Differential calculus
5. Integral calculus

### Intended learning outcomes
The students know the principles of mathematics and elementary calculation methods which are required for successfully studying Theoretical and Experimental Physics.

### Courses
(type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)

T (2)

### Method of assessment
(type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module is creditable for bonus)

a) exercises (successful completion of approx. 50% of approx. 6 exercise sheets) or b) talk (approx. 15 minutes)

Assessment offered: Once a year, winter semester

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**Contents**

Introduction to the basic notions and proof techniques in mathematics: approach to sets, formal logic and maps.

**Intended learning outcomes**

The student gets acquainted with the basic working techniques which are prerequisites for the further courses in the Bachelor’s degree study programme.

**Courses** (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)

- **V (1) + Ü (1)**

**Method of assessment** (type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module is creditable for bonus)

- project (10 to 15 pages)
- Language of assessment: German and/or English

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**Contents**
Introduction to fundamental methods of thinking and proving, basic techniques in mathematics as well as mathematical writing; insight into examples of abstract concepts in mathematics; approach to axiomatic and deduction.

**Intended learning outcomes**
The student is acquainted with the basic proof methods and techniques in mathematics. He/She is able to perform easy mathematical arguments independently and present them adequately and reasonably in written and oral form.

**Courses**
(type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)

V (1) + Ü (1)

**Method of assessment**
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project (10 to 20 pages)
Language of assessment: German and/or English

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A selected topic of Mathematical Physics.

**Intended learning outcomes**  
The students learn about the principles of independent scientific work. This involves the development and division of a given topic on the basis of literature, the preparation of a lecture as well as the ability to actively participate in discussions.

**Courses**  
(type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)

S (2)  
Module taught in: German or English

**Method of assessment**  
(type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module is creditable for bonus)

Talk (60 to 120 minutes)  
Language of assessment: German and/or English

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**Additional information**  
Registration: If a student registers for the exercises and obtains the qualification for admission to assessment, this will be considered a declaration of will to seek admission to assessment pursuant to Section 20 Subsection 3 Sentence 4 ASPO (general academic and examination regulations). If the module coordinators subsequently find that the student has obtained the qualification for admission to assessment, they will put the student’s registration for assessment into effect. Only those students that meet the respective prerequisites can successfully register for an assessment. Students who did not register for an assessment or whose registration for an assessment was not put into effect will not be admitted to the respective assessment. If a student takes an assessment to which he/she has not been admitted, the grade achieved in this assessment will not be considered.

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Basics in set-theoretic topology, topological spaces and continuity, separation properties, connectivity, examples and constructions of topological spaces, quotients, convergence of sequences and nets, different notions of compactness, additional topics (optional), e.g. the theorems of Stone-Weierstraß, Arzela-Ascoli and Baire, and introduction to algebraic topology.

**Intended learning outcomes**
The student knows the fundamental concepts and methods of topology as well as the pertinent proof methods, is able to apply methods from linear algebra and analysis to topology, and realises the broad applicability of the theory to other branches of mathematics.

**Courses**
(type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)

V (2) + Ü (2)

**Method of assessment**
(type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module is creditable for bonus)

a) written examination (approx. 90 to 180 minutes, usually chosen) or b) oral examination of one candidate each (15 to 30 minutes) or c) oral examination in groups (groups of 2, 10 to 15 minutes per candidate)
Assessment offered: In the semester in which the course is offered and in the subsequent semester
Language of assessment: German and/or English
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**Contents**

Introduction to modern mathematical software for symbolic computation (e.g. Mathematica or Maple) and numerical computation (e.g. Matlab) to supplement the basic modules in analysis and linear algebra (10-M-ANA-G and 10-M-LNA-G). Computer-based solution of problems in linear algebra, geometry, analysis, in particular differential and integral calculus; visualisation of functions.

**Intended learning outcomes**

The student learns the use of advanced modern mathematical software packages, and is able to assess their fields of application to solve mathematical problems.

**Courses** (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)

V (1) + Ü (2)

**Method of assessment** (type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module is creditable for bonus)

Project in the form of programming exercises (approx. 20 to 25 hours)
Assessment offered: Once a year, winter semester
Language of assessment: German and/or English

**Allocation of places**

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**Referred to in LPO I** (examination regulations for teaching-degree programmes)

§ 22 II Nr. 3 f)
## Module title
Programming course for students of Mathematics and other subjects

## Abbreviation
10-M-PRG-152-m01

### Module coordinator
Dean of Studies Mathematik (Mathematics)

### Module offered by
Institute of Mathematics

### ECTS
3

### Method of grading
Only after succ. compl. of module(s)

### Duration
1 semester

### Contents
Basics of a modern programming language (e.g., C).

### Intended learning outcomes
The student is able to work independently on small programming exercises and standard programming problems in mathematics.

### Courses
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### Method of assessment
(type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module is creditable for bonus)

- Project in the form of programming exercises (approx. 20 to 25 hours)
- Assessment offered: Once a year, summer semester
- Language of assessment: German and/or English

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**Contents**

Historical and cultural development as well as social relevance of mathematics; more in-depth discussion of the fundamentals of mathematics, in particular in its relation to other sciences and humanities as well as to the image of mathematics in modern society.

**Intended learning outcomes**

Based on selected examples, the student has gained insight into the historical and cultural genesis of mathematical theories and their social relevance. He/she is able to present mathematical ideas and concepts to a general audience.

**Courses** (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)

V (2) + Ü (2)

**Method of assessment** (type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module is creditable for bonus)

a) talk (45 to 90 minutes) or b) term paper (10 to 15 pages) or c) project (15 to 25 hours)

Assessment offered: In the semester in which the course is offered and in the subsequent semester

Language of assessment: German and/or English

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§ 22 II Nr. 3 f)
Module title | Abbreviation
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Mathematical Writing | 10-M-MSC-152-m01

| Module coordinator | Module offered by |
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Dean of Studies Mathematik (Mathematics) | Institute of Mathematics

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| Duration | Module level | Other prerequisites |
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Contents
Discussion of good and bad mathematical writing using practical exercises and case examples. The course covers the whole range of mathematical texts from short proofs and the formulation of theorems and definitions to comprehensive works such as Bachelor's or Master's theses. Important aspects include not only mathematical rigour and efficiency but also didactic questions.

Intended learning outcomes
The student is able to formulate mathematical subject matter precisely and comprehensibly. He/She knows about the structures and conventions of mathematical literature and the requirements of scientific work.

Courses (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)
V (2) + Ü (2)

Method of assessment (type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module is creditable for bonus)
a) talk (45 to 90 minutes) or b) term paper (10 to 15 pages) or c) project (15 to 25 hours)
Assessment offered: In the semester in which the course is offered and in the subsequent semester
Language of assessment: German and/or English

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**Contents**
Discussion of selected topics in school mathematics with respect to their integration into wider theories and their didactic implementation at both school and university levels.

**Intended learning outcomes**
By means of selected examples, the student gains insight into the interrelation between school mathematics and advanced mathematical theories. He/She is able to discuss these under mathematical, didactical and methodical aspect.

**Courses**
(type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)
V (2) + Ü (2)

**Method of assessment**
(type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module is creditable for bonus)
a) talk (approx. 45 minutes) or b) term paper (10 to 15 pages) or c) project (15 to 25 hours)
Assessment offered: In the semester in which the course is offered and in the subsequent semester
Language of assessment: German and/or English

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**Referred to in LPO I**
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§ 22 II Nr. 1 h)
§ 22 II Nr. 2 f)
§ 22 II Nr. 3 f)
### Module title
Proseminar Mathematics

| Abbreviation | 10-M-PRO-152-m01 |

### Module coordinator
Dean of Studies Mathematik (Mathematics)

### Module offered by
Institute of Mathematics

### ECTS
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### Method of grading
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### Duration
1 semester

### Module level
undergraduate

### Other prerequisites
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### Contents
Selected basic topics in mathematics.

### Intended learning outcomes
The student gains first experience with independent scientific work. He/She masters elaboration and structuring of a given topic using selected literature, and prepares a talk on the subject. He/She is able to participate actively in a scientific discussion.

### Courses
(type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)

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### Method of assessment
(type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module is creditable for bonus)

talk (60 to 120 minutes)

Assessment offered: In the semester in which the course is offered

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**Contents**

Principles of mathematics and basic calculation methods beyond the school curriculum, especially for the introduction to and preparation of the modules of Theoretical Physics and Classical or Experimental Physics.

**Intended learning outcomes**

The students have knowledge of the principles of mathematics and elementary calculation methods which are required in Theoretical and Experimental Physics.

**Courses** (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)

V (2) + Ü (1) + V (2) + Ü (1)

Module taught in: German or English

**Method of assessment** (type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module is creditable for bonus)

a) exercises (successful completion of approx. 50% of approx. 13 exercise sheets) or b) talk (approx. 15 minutes)

**Allocation of places**

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**Referred to in LPO I** (examination regulations for teaching-degree programmes)

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### Module title
- **Computational Physics**

| Abbreviation | 11-CP-152-m01 |

### Module coordinator
- Managing Director of the Institute of Theoretical Physics and Astrophysics

### Module offered by
- Faculty of Physics and Astronomy

### ECTS
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### Method of grading
- numerical grade

### Only after succ. compl. of module(s)
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### Duration
- 1 semester

### Module level
- undergraduate

### Other prerequisites
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### Contents
- Introduction to programming on the basis of C++ / Java /Mathematica
- numerical solution of differential equations
- simulation of chaotic systems
- generation of random numbers
- random walk
- many-particle processes and reaction-diffusion model

### Intended learning outcomes
The students have knowledge of two major programming languages and know algorithms important for Physics. They have knowledge of numerical standard methods and are able to apply computer-assisted processes to the solution of physical problems, e.g. algorithms for solving numerical problems of Physics.

### Courses
**V (3) + R (1)**
Module taught in: German or English

### Method of assessment
- written examination (approx. 90 to 120 minutes) or oral examination of one candidate each (approx. 30 minutes) or oral examination in groups (groups of 2, approx. 30 minutes per candidate) or project report (approx. 8 to 10 pages) or presentation/talk (approx. 30 minutes).

If a written examination was chosen as method of assessment, this may be changed and assessment may instead take the form of an oral examination of one candidate each or an oral examination in groups. If the method of assessment is changed, the lecturer must inform students about this by four weeks prior to the original examination date at the latest.

Assessment offered: Once a year, winter semester

Language of assessment: German and/or English

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Independently researching and writing on a (potentially interdisciplinary) topic in mathematics or physics selected in consultation with the supervisor.

**Intended learning outcomes**

The student is able to work independently on a given, possibly interdisciplinary topic in mathematics or physics and apply the skills and methods obtained during the study programme. He/She can write down the result of his/her work in a suitable form.

**Courses** (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)

No courses assigned to module

**Method of assessment** (type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module is creditable for bonus)

written thesis (approx. 250 to 300 hours total)

**Allocation of places**

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