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Subdivided Module Catalogue

for the Subject

Physics

as a minor in a Bachelor's degree programme

(60 ECTS credits)

Examination regulations version: 2010
Responsible: Faculty of Physics and Astronomy

Course of Studies - Contents and Objectives

The goal of the studies is it to mediate knowledge on the most important subsections of physics and to make the students familiar with the methods of physical scientific and physical thinking and working. By training of analytic thinking abilities the students acquire the ability to deal later with the various fields of applications and to compile the basic knowledge in particular necessary for a consecutive Bachelor and Master course of studies. Therefore the main emphasis is put on the understanding of the fundamental experimental and theoretical physical terms and laws as well as on basic scientific methods and the development of the typical scientific thinking and working structures. During the Bachelor thesis the student should work on a thematic and temporally limited experimental or theoretical engineering-scientific task in the field of experimental or theoretical physics using well-known procedures and scientific criteria under guidance to a large extent independently.

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:

ASPO2009

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

19-Jan-2011 (2011-8)

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.

The subject is divided into

Abbreviation	Module title	ECTS credits	Method of grading	page
Compulsory Courses (40 ECTS credits) 40 ECTS credits must be achieved in mandatory courses.				
11-KP-092-m01	Classical Physics (Mechanics, Thermodynamics, Waves, Oscillations, Electricity, Magnetism and Optics)	16	NUM	23
11-TQM-092-m01	Theoretical Mechanics and Quantum Mechanics	16	NUM	41
11-P-PB-NF-092-m01	Basic Practical Course B (Minor Studies)	3	B/NB	30
11-P-PA-092-m01	Practical Course A	5	B/NB	28
Compulsory Electives (20 ECTS credits)				
11-A3-072-m01	Laboratory and Measurement Technology	6	NUM	9
11-A4-072-m01	Astrophysics	6	NUM	11
11-KM-092-m01	Condensed Matter (Quanta, Atoms, Molecules, Solid State Physics)	16	NUM	21
11-KET-092-m01	Nuclear and Elementary Particle Physics	4	NUM	20
11-STE-092-m01	Statistical Mechanics, Thermodynamics and Electrodynamics	16	NUM	37
11-A2-092-m01	Electronics	6	NUM	7
11-HS-092-m01	Advanced Seminar Experimental/Theoretical Physics	4	NUM	19
11-P-MR-092-m01	Mathematical Methods of Physics	6	B/NB	26
11-A1-092-m01	Computational Physics	6	NUM	5
11-EIN-092-m01	Introduction to Nanoscience	6	NUM	15
11-FON-092-m01	Advanced Nano Sciences	6	NUM	18
11-N2-092-m01	Principles of Electronics (with Practical Course)	6	NUM	25
11-ED-092-m01	Theoretical Electrodynamics	8	NUM	13
11-FKP-092-m01	Solid State Physics 1	8	NUM	16
11-TM-092-m01	Theoretical Mechanics	8	NUM	39
11-QAM-092-m01	Quanta, Atoms, Molecules	8	NUM	31
11-QM-092-m01	Quantum Mechanics	8	NUM	33
11-ST-092-m01	Statistical Mechanics and Thermodynamics	8	NUM	35

Module title			Abbreviation
Computational Physics			11-A1-092-m01
Module coordinator		**Module offered by**	
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)**	
6	numerical grade	--	
Duration	**Module level**	**Other prerequisites**	
1 semester	undergraduate	Certain prerequisites must be met to qualify for admission to assessment. The lecturer will inform students about the respective details at the beginning of the course. Registration for the course will be considered a declaration of will to seek admission to assessment. If students have obtained the qualification for admission to assessment over the course of the semester, the lecturer will put their registration for assessment into effect. Students who meet all prerequisites will be admitted to assessment in the current or in the subsequent semester. For assessment at a later date, students will have to obtain the qualification for admission to assessment anew.	

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

V + Ü (no information on SWS (weekly contact hours) and course language available)

Method of assessment (type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module can be chosen to earn a bonus)

written examination (approx. 120 minutes)
Assessment offered: When and how often assessment will be offered depends on the method of assessment and will be announced in due form under observance of Section 32 Subsection 3 ASPO (general academic and examination regulations) 2009.

Allocation of places

Only as part of pool of general key skills (ASQ): 15 places. Places will be allocated by lot.

Additional information

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Workload

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Teaching cycle

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

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Module appears in
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Physics (2010)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Physics (2012)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Nanostructure Technology (2010)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Nanostructure Technology (2012)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematical Physics (2009)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematical Physics (2012)
Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Physics (Minor, 2010)

Module title			Abbreviation
Electronics			11-A2-092-m01
Module coordinator		**Module offered by**	
Managing Director of the Institute of Applied Physics		Faculty of Physics and Astronomy	
ECTS	**Method of grading**	**Only after succ. compl. of module(s)**	
6	numerical grade	--	
Duration	**Module level**	**Other prerequisites**	
1 semester	undergraduate	Certain prerequisites must be met to qualify for admission to assessment. The lecturer will inform students about the respective details at the beginning of the course. Registration for the course will be considered a declaration of will to seek admission to assessment. If students have obtained the qualification for admission to assessment over the course of the semester, the lecturer will put their registration for assessment into effect. Students who meet all prerequisites will be admitted to assessment in the current or in the subsequent semester. For assessment at a later date, students will have to obtain the qualification for admission to assessment anew.	

Contents

Principles of electronic components and circuits. Analogous circuit technology: Passive (resistors, capacitors, coils and diodes) and active components (bipolar and field-effect transistors, operational amplifiers). Digital circuits: different types of gates and CMOS circuits. Microcontroller

Intended learning outcomes

The students have knowledge of the practical setup of electronic circuits from the field of analogous and digital circuit technology.

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

V + Ü (no information on SWS (weekly contact hours) and course language available)

Method of assessment (type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module can be chosen to earn a bonus)

written examination (approx. 90 minutes)
Assessment offered: When and how often assessment will be offered depends on the method of assessment and will be announced in due form under observance of Section 32 Subsection 3 ASPO (general academic and examination regulations) 2009.

Allocation of places

Only as part of pool of general key skills (ASQ): 15 places. Places will be allocated by lot.

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Workload

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Teaching cycle

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

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Module appears in

Bachelor' degree (1 major) Physics (2010)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Physics (2012)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Nanostructure Technology (2012)

Master's degree (1 major) Physics (2011)
Master's degree (1 major) Nanostructure Technology (2011)
Master's degree (1 major) FOKUS Physics (2011)
Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Physics (Minor, 2010)

Module title			Abbreviation
Laboratory and Measurement Technology			11-A3-072-m01
Module coordinator		**Module offered by**	
Managing Director of the Institute of Applied Physics		Faculty of Physics and Astronomy	
ECTS	**Method of grading**	**Only after succ. compl. of module(s)**	
6	numerical grade	--	
Duration	**Module level**	**Other prerequisites**	
1 semester	undergraduate	Admission prerequisite to assessment: successful completion of approx. 50% of exercises. Certain prerequisites must be met to qualify for admission to assessment. The lecturer will inform students about the respective details at the beginning of the course. Registration for the course will be considered a declaration of will to seek admission to assessment. If students have obtained the qualification for admission to assessment over the course of the semester, the lecturer will put their registration for assessment into effect. Students who meet all prerequisites will be admitted to assessment in the current or in the subsequent semester. For assessment at a later date, students will have to obtain the qualification for admission to assessment anew.	

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Introduction to electronic and optical measuring methods of physical metrology, vacuum technology and cryogenics, cryogenics, light sources, spectroscopic methods and measured value acquisition.

Intended learning outcomes

The students have acquired the following transferable skills: Electronic and optical measuring methods in physical metrology, cryogenics and vacuum technology, cryogenics, light sources, spectroscopic methods and measured value acquisition.

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

V + Ü (no information on SWS (weekly contact hours) and course language available)

Method of assessment (type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module can be chosen to earn a bonus)

written examination (approx. 120 minutes)

Allocation of places

Only as part of pool of general key skills (ASQ): 15 places. Places will be allocated by lot.

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Teaching cycle

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Module appears in

Bachelor' degree (1 major) Physics (2007)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Physics (2010)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Physics (2009)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Physics (2012)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Physics (2008)

Bachelor' degree (1 major) Nanostructure Technology (2010)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Nanostructure Technology (2012)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Nanostructure Technology (2008)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Nanostructure Technology (2007)
Master's degree (1 major) Technology of Functional Materials (2010)
Master's degree (1 major) Technology of Functional Materials (2009)
Master's degree (1 major) Functional Materials (2012)
Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Physics (Minor, 2008)
Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Physics (Minor, 2010)

Module title			Abbreviation
Astrophysics			11-A4-072-m01
Module coordinator			**Module offered by**
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)**	
6	numerical grade	--	
Duration	**Module level**	**Other prerequisites**	
1 semester	undergraduate	Admission prerequisite to assessment: successful completion of approx. 50% of exercises. Certain prerequisites must be met to qualify for admission to assessment. The lecturer will inform students about the respective details at the beginning of the course. Registration for the course will be considered a declaration of will to seek admission to assessment. If students have obtained the qualification for admission to assessment over the course of the semester, the lecturer will put their registration for assessment into effect. Students who meet all prerequisites will be admitted to assessment in the current or in the subsequent semester. For assessment at a later date, students will have to obtain the qualification for admission to assessment anew.	

Contents

History of astronomy, coordinates and time measurement, the solar system, size scales in outer space, telescopes and detectors, stellar structure, stellar atmospheres, stellar evolution, final stages of stellar evolution, interstellar medium, structure of the Milky Way, local universe, expanding space-time, galaxies, active galactic nuclei, large-scale structure of the universe, Friedmann World Models, thermodynamics of the early universe, primordial nucleosynthesis, cosmic microwave background radiation, structure formation, inflation

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 know the structure of the universe, e.g. of stars and galaxies and understand the process of their development.

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

V + S (no information on SWS (weekly contact hours) and course language available)

Method of assessment (type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module can be chosen to earn a bonus)

written examination (approx. 120 minutes)

Allocation of places

Only as part of pool of general key skills (ASQ): 15 places. Places will be allocated by lot.

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Module appears in

Bachelor' degree (1 major) Physics (2007)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Physics (2010)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Physics (2009)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Physics (2012)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Physics (2008)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematical Physics (2009)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematical Physics (2012)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Aerospace Computer Science (2011)
Master's degree (1 major) Mathematics (2012)
Master's degree (1 major) Physics (2010)
Master's degree (1 major) Physics (2011)
Master's degree (1 major) FOKUS Physics (2010)
Master's degree (1 major) FOKUS Physics (2011)
Master's degree (1 major) Computational Mathematics (2012)
Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Physics (Minor, 2008)
Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Physics (Minor, 2010)

Module title			Abbreviation
Theoretical Electrodynamics			11-ED-092-m01
Module coordinator		**Module offered by**	
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)**	
8	numerical grade	--	
Duration	**Module level**	**Other prerequisites**	
1 semester	undergraduate	Certain prerequisites must be met to qualify for admission to assessment. The lecturer will inform students about the respective details at the beginning of the course. Registration for the course will be considered a declaration of will to seek admission to assessment. If students have obtained the qualification for admission to assessment over the course of the semester, the lecturer will put their registration for assessment into effect. Students who meet all prerequisites will be admitted to assessment in the current or in the subsequent semester. For assessment at a later date, students will have to obtain the qualification for admission to assessment anew.	

Contents

Principles of electrostatics, magnetostatics, Maxwell equations, covariant formulation, electrodynamics and matter

Intended learning outcomes

The students have knowledge of the principles of classical electrodynamics and the required calculation methods.

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

V + Ü (no information on SWS (weekly contact hours) and course language available)

Method of assessment (type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module can be chosen to earn a bonus)

written examination (approx. 120 minutes, for modules with less than 4 ECTS credits approx. 90 minutes; unless otherwise specified)
Assessment offered: When and how often assessment will be offered depends on the method of assessment and will be announced in due form under observance of Section 32 Subsection 3 ASPO (general academic and examination regulations) 2009.

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Module appears in

Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematics (2012)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematics (2013)

Bachelor' degree (1 major) Nanostructure Technology (2012)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Computational Mathematics (2012)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Computational Mathematics (2013)
Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Physics (Minor, 2010)

Module title			Abbreviation
Introduction to Nanoscience			11-EIN-092-m01
Module coordinator		**Module offered by**	
Managing Director of the Institute of Applied Physics		Faculty of Physics and Astronomy	
ECTS	**Method of grading**	**Only after succ. compl. of module(s)**	
6	numerical grade	--	
Duration	**Module level**	**Other prerequisites**	
2 semester	undergraduate	Certain prerequisites must be met to qualify for admission to assessment. The lecturer will inform students about the respective details at the beginning of the course. Registration for the course will be considered a declaration of will to seek admission to assessment. If students have obtained the qualification for admission to assessment over the course of the semester, the lecturer will put their registration for assessment into effect. Students who meet all prerequisites will be admitted to assessment in the current or in the subsequent semester. For assessment at a later date, students will have to obtain the qualification for admission to assessment anew.	

Contents

Introduction to the principles of producing, characterising and applying nanostructures.

Intended learning outcomes

The students have knowledge of the fundamental properties, technologies, characterising methods and functions of nanostructures.

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

V + S (no information on SWS (weekly contact hours) and course language available)

Method of assessment (type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module can be chosen to earn a bonus)

written examination (approx. 120 minutes, for modules with less than 4 ECTS credits approx. 90 minutes; unless otherwise specified)

Allocation of places

Only as part of pool of general key skills (ASQ): 15 places. Places will be allocated by lot.

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Teaching cycle

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Module appears in

Bachelor' degree (1 major) Nanostructure Technology (2010)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Nanostructure Technology (2012)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Functional Materials (2012)
Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Physics (Minor, 2010)
No final examination Special study offering (2010)

Module title			Abbreviation
Solid State Physics 1			11-FKP-092-m01
Module coordinator		**Module offered by**	
Managing Director of the Institute of Applied Physics		Faculty of Physics and Astronomy	
ECTS	**Method of grading**	**Only after succ. compl. of module(s)**	
8	numerical grade	--	
Duration	**Module level**	**Other prerequisites**	
1 semester	undergraduate	Certain prerequisites must be met to qualify for admission to assessment. The lecturer will inform students about the respective details at the beginning of the course. Registration for the course will be considered a declaration of will to seek admission to assessment. If students have obtained the qualification for admission to assessment over the course of the semester, the lecturer will put their registration for assessment into effect. Students who meet all prerequisites will be admitted to assessment in the current or in the subsequent semester. For assessment at a later date, students will have to obtain the qualification for admission to assessment anew.	

Contents

Physical laws of solids: Bonding and structure, lattice dynamics, thermal properties, principles of electronic properties (free electron gas).

Intended learning outcomes

The students understand the basic contexts and principles of solids (bonding and structure, lattice dynamics, thermal properties, principles of electronic properties (free electron gas).

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

V + Ü (no information on SWS (weekly contact hours) and course language available)

Method of assessment (type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module can be chosen to earn a bonus)

written examination (approx. 120 minutes, for modules with less than 4 ECTS credits approx. 90 minutes; unless otherwise specified)
Assessment offered: When and how often assessment will be offered depends on the method of assessment and will be announced in due form under observance of Section 32 Subsection 3 ASPO (general academic and examination regulations) 2009.

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Module appears in

Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematics (2012)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematics (2013)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematical Physics (2009)

Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematical Physics (2012)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Computational Mathematics (2012)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Computational Mathematics (2013)
Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Physics (Minor, 2010)

Module title			Abbreviation
Advanced Nano Sciences			11-FON-092-m01
Module coordinator			**Module offered by**
Managing Director of the Institute of Applied Physics			Faculty of Physics and Astronomy
ECTS	**Method of grading**	**Only after succ. compl. of module(s)**	
6	numerical grade	11-EIN	
Duration	**Module level**	**Other prerequisites**	
1 semester	undergraduate	Certain prerequisites must be met to qualify for admission to assessment. The lecturer will inform students about the respective details at the beginning of the course. Registration for the course will be considered a declaration of will to seek admission to assessment. If students have obtained the qualification for admission to assessment over the course of the semester, the lecturer will put their registration for assessment into effect. Students who meet all prerequisites will be admitted to assessment in the current or in the subsequent semester. For assessment at a later date, students will have to obtain the qualification for admission to assessment anew.	

Contents

Advanced topics of producing, characterising and applying nanostructures.

Intended learning outcomes

The students have advanced knowledge of the specific properties, production technologies, characterising methods and functions of nanostructures.

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

V + S (no information on SWS (weekly contact hours) and course language available)

Method of assessment (type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module can be chosen to earn a bonus)

written examination (approx. 90 to 120 minutes) or oral examination of one candidate each (approx. 20 minutes) or oral examination in groups (groups of 2, approx. 30 minutes)

Allocation of places

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Additional information

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Workload

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Teaching cycle

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

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Module appears in

Bachelor' degree (1 major) Nanostructure Technology (2010)
Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Physics (Minor, 2010)

Module title			Abbreviation
Advanced Seminar Experimental/Theoretical Physics			11-HS-092-m01
Module coordinator		**Module offered by**	
Managing Directors of the Institute of Applied Physics and the Institute of Theoretical Physics and Astrophysics		Faculty of Physics and Astronomy	
ECTS	**Method of grading**	**Only after succ. compl. of module(s)**	
4	numerical grade	--	
Duration	**Module level**	**Other prerequisites**	
1 semester	undergraduate	Admission prerequisite to assessment: regular attendance and successful preparation of seminar presentation.	

Contents

Current issues of Theoretical/Experimental Physics.

Intended learning outcomes

The students have advanced knowledge of a specialist field of Experimental or Theoretical Physics. They are able to independently acquire this knowledge and to summarise it in an oral presentation.

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

S (no information on SWS (weekly contact hours) and course language available)

Method of assessment (type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module can be chosen to earn a bonus)

talk (approx. 30 to 45 minutes) with discussion
Assessment offered: When and how often assessment will be offered depends on the method of assessment and will be announced in due form under observance of Section 32 Subsection 3 ASPO (general academic and examination regulations) 2009.

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Module appears in

Bachelor' degree (1 major) Physics (2010)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Physics (2012)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematical Physics (2009)
Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Physics (Minor, 2010)

Module title			Abbreviation
Nuclear and Elementary Particle Physics			11-KET-092-m01
Module coordinator		**Module offered by**	
Managing Director of the Institute of Applied Physics		Faculty of Physics and Astronomy	
ECTS	**Method of grading**	**Only after succ. compl. of module(s)**	
4	numerical grade	--	
Duration	**Module level**	**Other prerequisites**	
1 semester	undergraduate	Certain prerequisites must be met to qualify for admission to assessment. The lecturer will inform students about the respective details at the beginning of the course. Registration for the course will be considered a declaration of will to seek admission to assessment. If students have obtained the qualification for admission to assessment over the course of the semester, the lecturer will put their registration for assessment into effect. Students who meet all prerequisites will be admitted to assessment in the current or in the subsequent semester. For assessment at a later date, students will have to obtain the qualification for admission to assessment anew.	

Contents

Physical laws of Nuclear and Elementary Particle Physics. Historical introduction. Scattering and spectroscopy. Nuclear models. Radioactive decay. Structure of nuclei. Nuclear energy. Quantum theoretical description of particles. Symmetries. Particle accelerators and detectors. Weak interaction. Strong interaction, quarks. Standard model. Current results.

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 + Ü (no information on SWS (weekly contact hours) and course language available)

Method of assessment (type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module can be chosen to earn a bonus)

written examination (approx. 120 minutes, for modules with less than 4 ECTS credits approx. 90 minutes; unless otherwise specified)

Allocation of places

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Additional information

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Teaching cycle

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

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Module appears in

Bachelor' degree (1 major) Physics (2010)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematical Physics (2009)
Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Physics (Minor, 2010)

Module title			Abbreviation
Condensed Matter (Quanta, Atoms, Molecules, Solid State Physics)			11-KM-092-m01
Module coordinator		**Module offered by**	
Managing Director of the Institute of Applied Physics		Faculty of Physics and Astronomy	
ECTS	**Method of grading**	**Only after succ. compl. of module(s)**	
16	numerical grade	--	
Duration	**Module level**	**Other prerequisites**	
2 semester	undergraduate	--	

Contents

Quantum phenomena, introduction to Atomic Physics and physical laws of solids. Experimental principles of Quantum Physics. Mathematical formulation of quantum mechanics. Quantum mechanics of hydrogen atoms. Atoms in external fields. Many-electron atoms. Optical transitions and spectroscopy. Laser. Molecules and chemical bonding. Molecule rotations and vibrations. Bonding in crystals. Mechanical properties. Free electron gas (FEG). Crystal structure. The reciprocal lattice. Structure determination. Lattice vibrations (phonons). Thermal properties of insulators. Electrons in a periodic potential.

Intended learning outcomes

The students know the basic contexts and principles of quantum phenomena, Atomic Physics and solids (bonding and structure, lattice dynamics, thermal properties, principles of electronic properties (free electron gas)). They are able to apply mathematical methods to the formulation of modern 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)

Kondensierte Materie 1 (Quanten, Atome, Moleküle) (Condensed Matter 1 (Quanta, Atoms, Molecules)): V (4 weekly contact hours) + Ü (2 weekly contact hours), once a year (winter semester)
Kondensierte Materie 2 (Festkörperphysik 1) (Condensed Matter 2 (Solid State Physics)): V (4 weekly contact hours) + Ü (2 weekly contact hours), once a year (summer semester)

Method of assessment (type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module can be chosen to earn a bonus)

This module has the following assessment components
1. Topics covered in lectures and exercises in part 1 (Kondensierte Materie 1 (Condensed Matter 1)): written examination (approx. 120 minutes).
2. Topics covered in lectures and exercises in part 2 (Kondensierte Materie 2 (Condensed Matter 2)): written examination (approx. 120 minutes).
3. Topics covered in lectures and exercises in parts 1 and 2: oral examination of one candidate each (approx. 30 minutes, usually chosen) or written examination (approx. 120 minutes).

Assessment component 3 will be offered in German; English if agreed upon with examiner(s).
Successful completion of approx. 50% of practice work each is a prerequisite for admission to assessment components 1 and 2.
To qualify for admission to assessment component 3, students must pass assessment component 1 and/or 2.
Students are highly recommended to attend both courses Kondensierte Materie 1 (Condensed Matter 1) and Kondensierte Materie 2 (Condensed Matter 2). The topics discussed in these two courses will be covered in assessment component 3.
Students must register for assessment components 1 through 3 online (details to be announced).
To pass this module, students must first pass assessment component 1 or 2 and must then pass assessment component 3.
The grade achieved in assessment component 1 or 2 (whichever is better) and the grade achieved in assessment component 3 will each count 50% towards the overall grade awarded for the module.

Allocation of places

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Teaching cycle
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Module appears in
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematics (2012) Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematics (2013) Bachelor' degree (1 major) Physics (2010) Bachelor' degree (1 major) Physics (2012) Bachelor' degree (1 major) Nanostructure Technology (2010) Bachelor' degree (1 major) Nanostructure Technology (2012) Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematical Physics (2009) Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematical Physics (2012) Bachelor' degree (1 major) Computational Mathematics (2012) Bachelor' degree (1 major) Computational Mathematics (2013) Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Physics (Minor, 2010)

Module title			Abbreviation
Classical Physics (Mechanics, Thermodynamics, Waves, Oscillations, Electricity, Magnetism and Optics)			11-KP-092-m01
Module coordinator		**Module offered by**	
Managing Director of the Institute of Applied Physics		Faculty of Physics and Astronomy	
ECTS	**Method of grading**	**Only after succ. compl. of module(s)**	
16	numerical grade	--	
Duration	**Module level**	**Other prerequisites**	
2 semester	undergraduate	Bridge course Mathematische Rechenmethoden der Physik (Mathematical Methods of Physics) for first-semester students.	

Contents

Physical laws of mechanics, thermodynamics, vibrations, waves, science of electricity, magnetism, electromagnetic vibrations and waves, radiation and wave optics. Time, room and motion. Physical values. Force and motion. Interactions and central forces. General relativity. Mechanics of rigid bodies. Friction. Vibration and waves. Non-linearity and chaos. Mechanics of non-rigid bodies. Gasses. Thermodynamics. Electrostatics. Electric current. Mechanisms of conduction. Magnetostatics. Electromagnetic induction. Maxwell equations. Science of alternating current. Electromagnetic waves. Geometric optics. Wave optics.

Intended learning outcomes

The students understand the basic principles and connections of mechanics, thermodynamics, vibrations, waves, science of electricity, magnetism, electromagnetic vibrations and waves, radiation and wave optics. 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)

Klassische Physik 1 (Mechanik, Wellen, Wärme) (Classical Physics 1 (Mechanics, Waves, Heat)): V (4 weekly contact hours) + Ü (2 weekly contact hours), once a year (winter semester)
Klassische Physik 2 (Elektromagnetismus, Optik) (Classical Physics 2 (Electromagnetism, Optics)): V (4 weekly contact hours) + Ü (2 weekly contact hours), once a year (summer semester)

Method of assessment (type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module can be chosen to earn a bonus)

This module has the following assessment components
1. Topics covered in lectures and exercises in part 1 (Klassische Physik 1 (Classical Physics 1)): written examination (approx. 120 minutes).
2. Topics covered in lectures and exercises in part 2 (Klassische Physik 2 (Classical Physics 2)): written examination (approx. 120 minutes).
3. Topics covered in lectures and exercises in parts 1 and 2: oral examination of one candidate each (approx. 30 minutes, usually chosen) or written examination (approx. 120 minutes).

Assessment component 3 will be offered in German; English if agreed upon with examiner(s).
Successful completion of approx. 50% of practice work each is a prerequisite for admission to assessment components 1 and 2.
To qualify for admission to assessment component 3, students must pass assessment component 1 and/or 2.
Students are highly recommended to attend both courses Klassische Physik 1 (Classical Physics 1) and Klassische Physik 2 (Classical Physics 2). The topics discussed in these two courses will be covered in assessment component 3.
Students must register for assessment components 1 through 3 online (details to be announced).
To pass this module, students must first pass assessment component 1 or 2 and must then pass assessment component 3.
The grade achieved in assessment component 1 or 2 (whichever is better) and the grade achieved in assessment component 3 will each count 50% towards the overall grade awarded for the module.

Allocation of places

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Teaching cycle
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Referred to in LPO I (examination regulations for teaching-degree programmes)
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Module appears in
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematics (2012) Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematics (2013) Bachelor' degree (1 major) Physics (2010) Bachelor' degree (1 major) Physics (2012) Bachelor' degree (1 major) Nanostructure Technology (2010) Bachelor' degree (1 major) Nanostructure Technology (2012) Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematical Physics (2009) Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematical Physics (2012) Bachelor' degree (1 major) Computational Mathematics (2012) Bachelor' degree (1 major) Computational Mathematics (2013) Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Physics (Minor, 2010) No final examination Special study offering (2010)

Module title			Abbreviation
Principles of Electronics (with Practical Course)			11-N2-092-m01
Module coordinator		**Module offered by**	
Managing Director of the Institute of Applied Physics		Faculty of Physics and Astronomy	
ECTS	**Method of grading**	**Only after succ. compl. of module(s)**	
6	numerical grade	--	
Duration	**Module level**	**Other prerequisites**	
1 semester	undergraduate	Certain prerequisites must be met to qualify for admission to assessment. The lecturer will inform students about the respective details at the beginning of the course. Registration for the course will be considered a declaration of will to seek admission to assessment. If students have obtained the qualification for admission to assessment over the course of the semester, the lecturer will put their registration for assessment into effect. Students who meet all prerequisites will be admitted to assessment in the current or in the subsequent semester. For assessment at a later date, students will have to obtain the qualification for admission to assessment anew.	

Contents

Principles of electronic components and circuits. Analogous circuit technology: Passive (resistors, capacitors, coils and diodes) and active components (bipolar and field-effect transistors as well as operational amplifiers). Digital circuits: different types of gates and CMOS circuits. Microcontroller

Intended learning outcomes

The students have knowledge of the practical setup of electronic circuits from the field of analogous and digital circuit technology.

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

V + P (no information on SWS (weekly contact hours) and course language available)

Method of assessment (type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module can be chosen to earn a bonus)

written examination (approx. 90 minutes)
Assessment offered: When and how often assessment will be offered depends on the method of assessment and will be announced in due form under observance of Section 32 Subsection 3 ASPO (general academic and examination regulations) 2009.

Allocation of places

Only as part of pool of general key skills (ASQ): 15 places. Places will be allocated by lot.

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Teaching cycle

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

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Module appears in

Bachelor' degree (1 major) Nanostructure Technology (2010)
Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Physics (Minor, 2010)

Module title			Abbreviation
Mathematical Methods of Physics			11-P-MR-092-m01
Module coordinator		**Module offered by**	
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)**	
6	(not) successfully completed	--	
Duration	**Module level**	**Other prerequisites**	
2 semester	undergraduate	--	

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. Repetition of basic knowledge, functions of several real variables, differential equations, linear algebra, vector analysis, other (delta distribution, Fourier transform).

Intended learning outcomes

The students have knowledge of the principles of mathematics and elementary calculation methods which are required in Theoretical and Experimental Physics. They are able to apply these methods to simple problems, especially in the field of Physics.

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

Mathematische Rechenmethoden 1 (Mathematical Methods 1): V (2 weekly contact hours) + Ü (1 weekly contact hour), once a year (winter semester)
Mathematische Rechenmethoden 2 (Mathematical Methods 2): V (2 weekly contact hours) + Ü (1 weekly contact hour), once a year (summer semester)

Method of assessment (type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module can be chosen to earn a bonus)

This module has the following assessment components
1. Topics covered in lectures and exercises in part 1 (Mathematische Rechenmethoden 1 (Mathematical Methods 1)): exercises or talk (approx. 15 minutes, usually chosen) or written examination (approx. 60 minutes)
2. Topics covered in lectures and exercises in part 2 (Mathematische Rechenmethoden 2 (Mathematical Methods 2)): exercises or talk (approx. 15 minutes, usually chosen) or written examination (approx. 60 minutes)

Successful completion of approx. 50% of practice work each is a prerequisite for admission to assessment components 1 and 2.
Students must register for assessment components 1 and 2 online (details to be announced).
To pass this module, students must pass both assessment component 1 and assessment component 2.

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

§ 53 (1) 1. a) Physik Mechanik, Wärmelehre, Elektrizitätslehre, Optik, der speziellen Relativitätstheorie
§ 77 (1) 1. a) Physik "Grundlagen der Experimentalphysik"

Module appears in

Bachelor' degree (1 major) Physics (2010)

Bachelor' degree (1 major) Physics (2012)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Nanostructure Technology (2012)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematical Physics (2012)
Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Physics (Minor, 2010)

Module title			Abbreviation
Practical Course A			11-P-PA-092-m01
Module coordinator		**Module offered by**	
Managing Director of the Institute of Applied Physics		Faculty of Physics and Astronomy	
ECTS	**Method of grading**	**Only after succ. compl. of module(s)**	
5	(not) successfully completed	--	
Duration	**Module level**	**Other prerequisites**	
1 semester	undergraduate	--	

Contents

Physical laws of mechanics, thermodynamics, science of electricity, types of error, error approximation and propagation, graphs, linear regression, average values and standard deviation, distribution functions, significance tests, writing of lab reports and publications.

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)

Auswertung von Messungen und Fehlerrechnung (Measurements and Data Analysis): V (1 weekly contact hour) + Ü (1 weekly contact hour), once a year (winter semester)
Beispiele aus Mechanik, Wärmelehre und Elektrik (Examples from Mechanics, Thermodynamics and Electricity, BAM): P (2 weekly contact hours)

Method of assessment (type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module can be chosen to earn a bonus)

This module has the following assessment components
1. Topics covered in lectures and exercises: written examination (approx. 120 minutes)
2. Lab course: a) Preparing, performing and evaluating the experiments will be considered successfully completed if a Testat (exam) is passed. b) Talk (with discussion) to test the students' understanding of the physics-related contents of the course (approx. 30 minutes).

Successful completion of approx. 50% of practice work is a prerequisite for admission to assessment component 1 .
To pass assessment component 2, students must pass both elements a) and b). Students will be offered one opportunity to retake element a) and/or element b).
Students must register for assessment components 1 and 2 online (details to be announced).
Students must attend Auswertung von Messungen und Fehlerrechnung (Measurements and Data Analysis) before attending Beispiele aus Mechanik, Wärmelehre und Elektrik (Examples from Mechanics, Thermodynamics and Electricity).
To pass this module, students must pass both assessment component 1 and assessment component 2.

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Teaching cycle

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

§ 53 (1) 1. a) Physik Mechanik, Wärmelehre, Elektrizitätslehre, Optik, der speziellen Relativitätstheorie

§ 53 (1) 1. c) Physik physikalische Grundpraktika
§ 77 (1) 1. d) Physik "physikalische Praktika"

Module appears in

Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematics (2014)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Physics (2010)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Nanostructure Technology (2010)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematical Physics (2009)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Computational Mathematics (2014)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Aerospace Computer Science (2009)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Aerospace Computer Science (2014)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Aerospace Computer Science (2011)
Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Physics (Minor, 2010)
No final examination Special study offering (2010)

Module title			Abbreviation
Basic Practical Course B (Minor Studies)			11-P-PB-NF-092-m01
Module coordinator		**Module offered by**	
Managing Director of the Institute of Applied Physics		Faculty of Physics and Astronomy	
ECTS	**Method of grading**	**Only after succ. compl. of module(s)**	
3	(not) successfully completed	11-P-PA	
Duration	**Module level**	**Other prerequisites**	
1 semester	undergraduate	--	

Contents

Physical laws of optics, vibrations and waves or science of electricity and circuits with electric components.

Intended learning outcomes

The students have knowledge and skills of physical measuring instruments and experimental techniques. They are able to independently plan and conduct experiments in cooperation with others, and to document the results in a measurement protocol.

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

Klassische Physik (Classical Physics, KLP): P (2 weekly contact hours)
Elektrizitätslehre und Schaltungen (Electricity and Circuits, ELS): P (2 weekly contact hours)

Method of assessment (type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module can be chosen to earn a bonus)

This module has the following assessment components
- a) Preparing, performing and evaluating the experiments will be considered successfully completed if a Testat (exam) is passed. b) Talk (with discussion) to test the students' understanding of the physics-related contents of the course (approx. 30 minutes).

Students must register for assessment online (registration deadline to be announced).
Students will be offered one opportunity to retake element a) and/or element b). To pass an assessment component, students must pass both elements a) and b).
To pass this module, students must successfully complete one out of the two courses.
To pass this module, students must pass the assessment components.

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

§ 53 (1) 1. a) Physik Mechanik, Wärmelehre, Elektrizitätslehre, Optik, der speziellen Relativitätstheorie
§ 53 (1) 1. c) Physik physikalische Grundpraktika
§ 77 (1) 1. d) Physik "physikalische Praktika"

Module appears in

Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Physics (Minor, 2010)

Module title			Abbreviation
Quanta, Atoms, Molecules			11-QAM-092-m01
Module coordinator		**Module offered by**	
Managing Director of the Institute of Applied Physics		Faculty of Physics and Astronomy	
ECTS	**Method of grading**	**Only after succ. compl. of module(s)**	
8	numerical grade	--	
Duration	**Module level**	**Other prerequisites**	
1 semester	undergraduate	Certain prerequisites must be met to qualify for admission to assessment. The lecturer will inform students about the respective details at the beginning of the course. Registration for the course will be considered a declaration of will to seek admission to assessment. If students have obtained the qualification for admission to assessment over the course of the semester, the lecturer will put their registration for assessment into effect. Students who meet all prerequisites will be admitted to assessment in the current or in the subsequent semester. For assessment at a later date, students will have to obtain the qualification for admission to assessment anew.	

Contents

Physical laws of Atomic, Quantum and Molecular Physics.

Intended learning outcomes

The students have knowledge of the basic contexts and principles of Atomic and Molecular Physics (atoms: Quantum mechanical atom model, one/multi-electron atoms, electronic dipole transitions, atoms in B field, as well as molecules: Bonding models and elementary excitations: rotations, vibrations, electronic excitations)

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

Ü + Ü (no information on SWS (weekly contact hours) and course language available)

Method of assessment (type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module can be chosen to earn a bonus)

written examination (approx. 120 minutes, for modules with less than 4 ECTS credits approx. 90 minutes; unless otherwise specified)
Assessment offered: When and how often assessment will be offered depends on the method of assessment and will be announced in due form under observance of Section 32 Subsection 3 ASPO (general academic and examination regulations) 2009.

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Module appears in

Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematics (2012)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematics (2013)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematical Physics (2009)

Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematical Physics (2012)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Computational Mathematics (2012)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Computational Mathematics (2013)
Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Physics (Minor, 2010)

Module title			Abbreviation
Quantum Mechanics			11-QM-092-m01
Module coordinator		**Module offered by**	
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)**	
8	numerical grade	--	
Duration	**Module level**	**Other prerequisites**	
1 semester	undergraduate	Certain prerequisites must be met to qualify for admission to assessment. The lecturer will inform students about the respective details at the beginning of the course. Registration for the course will be considered a declaration of will to seek admission to assessment. If students have obtained the qualification for admission to assessment over the course of the semester, the lecturer will put their registration for assessment into effect. Students who meet all prerequisites will be admitted to assessment in the current or in the subsequent semester. For assessment at a later date, students will have to obtain the qualification for admission to assessment anew.	

Contents

Limits of classical physics, Schrödinger equation, mathematical foundations of quantum mechanics, harmonic oscillator, angular momentum and spin, hydrogen atom, many-particle systems

Intended learning outcomes

The students have knowledge of the principles of quantum mechanics and the required calculation methods.

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

V + Ü (no information on SWS (weekly contact hours) and course language available)

Method of assessment (type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module can be chosen to earn a bonus)

written examination (approx. 120 minutes, for modules with less than 4 ECTS credits approx. 90 minutes; unless otherwise specified)
Assessment offered: When and how often assessment will be offered depends on the method of assessment and will be announced in due form under observance of Section 32 Subsection 3 ASPO (general academic and examination regulations) 2009.

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Module appears in

Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematics (2012)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematics (2013)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Computational Mathematics (2012)

Bachelor' degree (1 major) Computational Mathematics (2013)
Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Physics (Minor, 2010)

Module title			Abbreviation
Statistical Mechanics and Thermodynamics			11-ST-092-m01
Module coordinator			**Module offered by**
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)**	
8	numerical grade	--	
Duration	**Module level**	**Other prerequisites**	
1 semester	undergraduate	Certain prerequisites must be met to qualify for admission to assessment. The lecturer will inform students about the respective details at the beginning of the course. Registration for the course will be considered a declaration of will to seek admission to assessment. If students have obtained the qualification for admission to assessment over the course of the semester, the lecturer will put their registration for assessment into effect. Students who meet all prerequisites will be admitted to assessment in the current or in the subsequent semester. For assessment at a later date, students will have to obtain the qualification for admission to assessment anew.	

Contents

Principles of thermodynamics, fundamental theorems, thermodynamic potentials, principles of statistical mechanics.

Intended learning outcomes

The students have knowledge of the principles of thermodynamics and statistical mechanics and the required calculation methods.

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

V + Ü (no information on SWS (weekly contact hours) and course language available)

Method of assessment (type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module can be chosen to earn a bonus)

written examination (approx. 120 minutes, for modules with less than 4 ECTS credits approx. 90 minutes; unless otherwise specified)
Assessment offered: When and how often assessment will be offered depends on the method of assessment and will be announced in due form under observance of Section 32 Subsection 3 ASPO (general academic and examination regulations) 2009.

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

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Module appears in

Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematics (2012)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematics (2013)

Bachelor' degree (1 major) Computational Mathematics (2012)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Computational Mathematics (2013)
Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Physics (Minor, 2010)

Module title			Abbreviation
Statistical Mechanics, Thermodynamics and Electrodynamics			11-STE-092-m01
Module coordinator		**Module offered by**	
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)**	
16	numerical grade	--	
Duration	**Module level**	**Other prerequisites**	
2 semester	undergraduate	10-M1-PHY and 10-M2-PHY or 10-M1-NST and 10-M2-NST	

Contents

Principles of Statistical Physics: Ideal systems. Thermodynamics: Quantum statistics, systems of interacting particles, critical phenomena, Maxwell equations, electrostatics, magnetostatics, Maxwell equations in matter, dynamics of electromagnetic fields. Special relativity.

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 familiar with the corresponding calculation methods and are able to independently apply them to the description and solution of problems in this area.

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

Statistische Mechanik und Thermodynamik (Statistical Mechanics and Thermodynamics): V (4 weekly contact hours) + Ü (2 weekly contact hours), once a year (winter semester)
Theoretische Elektrodynamik (Theoretical Electrodynamics): V (4 weekly contact hours) + Ü (2 weekly contact hours), once a year (summer semester)

Method of assessment (type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module can be chosen to earn a bonus)

This module has the following assessment components
1. Topics covered in lectures and exercises in part 1 (Statistische Mechanik und Thermodynamik (Statistical Mechanics and Thermodynamics)): written examination (approx. 120 minutes).
2. Topics covered in lectures and exercises in part 2 (Theoretische Elektrodynamik (Theoretical Electrodynamics)): written examination (approx. 120 minutes).
3. Topics covered in lectures and exercises in parts 1 and 2: oral examination of one candidate each (approx. 30 minutes, usually chosen) or written examination (approx. 120 minutes).

Assessment component 3 will be offered in German; English if agreed upon with examiner(s).
Successful completion of approx. 50% of practice work each is a prerequisite for admission to assessment components 1 and 2.
Students are highly recommended to attend both courses Statistische Mechanik und Thermodynamik (Statistical Mechanics and Thermodynamics) and Theoretische Elektrodynamik (Theoretical Electrodynamics). The topics discussed in these two courses will be covered in assessment component 3.
Students must register for assessment components 1 through 3 online (details to be announced).
To pass this module, students must first pass assessment component 1 or 2 and must then pass assessment component 3.
The grade achieved in assessment component 1 or 2 (whichever is better) and the grade achieved in assessment component 3 will each count 50% towards the overall grade awarded for the module.

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Module appears in
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematics (2012) Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematics (2013) Bachelor' degree (1 major) Physics (2010) Bachelor' degree (1 major) Physics (2012) Bachelor' degree (1 major) Nanostructure Technology (2010) Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematical Physics (2009) Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematical Physics (2012) Bachelor' degree (1 major) Computational Mathematics (2012) Bachelor' degree (1 major) Computational Mathematics (2013) Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Physics (Minor, 2010)

Module title			Abbreviation
Theoretical Mechanics			11-TM-092-m01
Module coordinator		**Module offered by**	
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)**	
8	numerical grade	--	
Duration	**Module level**	**Other prerequisites**	
1 semester	undergraduate	Certain prerequisites must be met to qualify for admission to assessment. The lecturer will inform students about the respective details at the beginning of the course. Registration for the course will be considered a declaration of will to seek admission to assessment. If students have obtained the qualification for admission to assessment over the course of the semester, the lecturer will put their registration for assessment into effect. Students who meet all prerequisites will be admitted to assessment in the current or in the subsequent semester. For assessment at a later date, students will have to obtain the qualification for admission to assessment anew.	

Contents

Newtonian mechanics, Lagrangian and Hamiltonian formalism, conservation laws, limits of classical physics.

Intended learning outcomes

The students have knowledge of the principles of classical theoretical mechanics and the required calculation methods.

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

V + Ü (no information on SWS (weekly contact hours) and course language available)

Method of assessment (type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module can be chosen to earn a bonus)

written examination (approx. 120 minutes, for modules with less than 4 ECTS credits approx. 90 minutes; unless otherwise specified)
Assessment offered: When and how often assessment will be offered depends on the method of assessment and will be announced in due form under observance of Section 32 Subsection 3 ASPO (general academic and examination regulations) 2009.

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

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Module appears in

Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematics (2012)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematics (2013)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Nanostructure Technology (2012)

Bachelor' degree (1 major) Computational Mathematics (2012)
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Computational Mathematics (2013)
Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Physics (Minor, 2010)

Module title			Abbreviation
Theoretical Mechanics and Quantum Mechanics			11-TQM-092-m01
Module coordinator		**Module offered by**	
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)**	
16	numerical grade	--	
Duration	**Module level**	**Other prerequisites**	
2 semester	undergraduate	10-M1-PHY, 10-M2-PHY and 11-MPI-3 or 10-M1-NST, 10-M2-NST and MPI-3	

Contents

Newtonian mechanics. Lagrangian and Hamiltonian formalism. Symmetries and conservation laws. Applications: Problems of central forces, minor vibrations, rigid body, motion in electromagnetic fields. Relativistic dynamics. Limits of classical physics. Schrödinger equation, mathematical principles of quantum mechanics, harmonic oscillator. Angular momentum and spin. Hydrogen atom. Methods of approximation. Motion in electric fields. Many-particle systems.

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 and understand the principles of quantum theory. They are able to apply the acquired calculation methods and techniques to simple problems of Theoretical Physics and to interpret the results. They have especially acquired knowledge of basic mathematical concepts.

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

Theoretische Mechanik (Theoretical Mechanics): V (4 weekly contact hours) + Ü (2 weekly contact hours), once a year (winter semester)
Quantenmechanik (Quantum Mechanics): V (4 weekly contact hours) + Ü (2 weekly contact hours), once a year (summer semester)

Method of assessment (type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module can be chosen to earn a bonus)

This module has the following assessment components
1. Topics covered in lectures and exercises in part 1 (Theoretische Mechanik (Theoretical Mechanics)): written examination (approx. 120 minutes).
2. Topics covered in lectures and exercises in part 2 (Quantenmechanik (Quantum Mechanics)): written examination (approx. 120 minutes).
3. Topics covered in lectures and exercises in parts 1 and 2: oral examination of one candidate each (approx. 30 minutes, usually chosen) or written examination (approx. 120 minutes).

Successful completion of approx. 50% of practice work each is a prerequisite for admission to assessment components 1 and 2.
To qualify for admission to assessment component 3, students must pass assessment component 1 and/or 2. Students are highly recommended to attend both courses Theoretische Mechanik (Theoretical Mechanics) and Quantenmechanik (Quantum Mechanics). The topics discussed in these two courses will be covered in assessment component 3.
Students must register for assessment components 1 through 3 online (details to be announced).
To pass this module, students must first pass assessment component 1 or 2 and must then pass assessment component 3.
The grade achieved in assessment component 1 or 2 (whichever is better) and the grade achieved in assessment component 3 will each count 50% towards the overall grade awarded for the module.

Allocation of places

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Additional information

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Workload
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Teaching cycle
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Referred to in LPO I (examination regulations for teaching-degree programmes)
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Module appears in
Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematics (2012) Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematics (2013) Bachelor' degree (1 major) Physics (2010) Bachelor' degree (1 major) Physics (2012) Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematical Physics (2009) Bachelor' degree (1 major) Mathematical Physics (2012) Bachelor' degree (1 major) Computational Mathematics (2012) Bachelor' degree (1 major) Computational Mathematics (2013) Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Physics (Minor, 2010)