

**PHY 140Y - FOUNDATIONS OF PHYSICS**  
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**WEEK 13, DEC. 3 - 7**

- Problem Set #4
  - due in tutorial boxes by 5 PM, Tuesday Dec. 4
  - solutions will be posted on WWW Tuesday night
  - if handed directly to your TA before 5 PM, Friday Nov. 30, you will can collect marked copies from your TA after 5 PM, Tuesday Dec. 4
- Tutorials
  - review #12 this week, solutions posted on WWW
- Term Test #2
  - 6:30-8:30 PM, Thursday, Dec. 6 in MP125/126
  - Make-up: 3:00-5:00 PM, Friday, Dec. 7, MP408
  - marks will be posted on WWW by Dec. 21
- PHY140 Course Evaluations
  - start of class, Tuesday, Dec. 4
- Friday's class will be given by Prof. Tony Key
- Physics Colloquium
  - *Atmospheric Physics*, Prof. Jim Drummond, Dept. of Physics, U of Toronto (4:10, Thursday, MP102)

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**WEEK 12, NOV. 26 - 30**

- Problem Set #4
  - due in tutorial boxes by **5 PM, Tuesday Dec. 4**
  - solutions will be posted on WWW Tuesday night
  - if handed directly to your TA before 5 PM, Friday Nov. 30, you will can collect marked copies from your TA after 5 PM, Tuesday Dec. 4
- Tutorials
  - reviewing #11 this week
  - #11 Solutions and #12 Questions will be posted on WWW on Wednesday
  - prepare for #12 on Dec. 3/4
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Physics tour – Atmospheric Physics (Strong and Drummond labs) + pizza lunch
  - 1-2 PM, Thursday, November 29
- Physics Colloquium
  - "The Asymmetry Between Matter and Anti-Matter", Prof. Vivek Sharma, Dept of Physics, UC San Diego (4:10, Thursday, MP102)
- PHY140 Course Evaluations
  - start of class, Tuesday, Dec. 4
- Term Test #2
  - 6:30-8:30 PM, Thursday, Dec. 6 in MP125/126

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**WEEK 11, NOV. 19 - 23**

- Problem Set #3
  - absolute deadline was 1 PM Monday Nov. 19
  - should be returned in this week's tutorials
  - solutions posted on the WWW
- Problem Set #4
  - was handed out in class on Friday Nov. 16
  - due in tutorial boxes by 5 PM, Thursday Nov. 29
  - absolute deadline is 1 PM Monday Dec. 3
- Tutorials
  - reviewing #10 this week
  - #10 Solutions and #11 Questions will be posted on WWW on Wednesday
  - prepare for #11 on Nov. 26/27
- Physics Colloquium
  - "What's the point of science", Prof. Kenneth Howard, Dept. of Environmental Science, U of Toronto at Scarborough (4:10, Thursday, MP102)
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Physics tour – Atmospheric Physics (Strong and Drummond labs) + pizza lunch
  - 1-2 PM, Thursday, November 29

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**WEEK 10, NOV. 12 - 16**

- Term Test #1
  - any changes to marks should be done by Nov. 13
- Problem Set #3
  - due in class on Thursday Nov. 15
  - absolute deadline is 1 PM Monday Nov. 19
- Problem Set #4
  - will be handed out in class on Friday Nov. 16
- Tutorials
  - reviewing #9 this week
  - #9 Solutions and #10 Questions will be posted on WWW on Wednesday
  - prepare for #10 on Nov. 19/20
- Physics Colloquium
  - "The Sudbury Neutrino Observatory: Solving the Solar Neutrino Problem", Prof. Arthur McDonald, Director, Sudbury Neutrino Observatory Institute (4:10, Thursday, MP102)

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**WEEK 9, NOV. 5 - 6**

- Problem Set #3
  - was handed out in class on Friday Nov. 2
  - due in tutorial boxes by 5 PM, Thursday Nov. 15
  - absolute deadline is 1 PM Monday Nov. 19
- Tutorials
  - reviewing #8 this week
  - #8 Solutions and #9 Questions will be posted on WWW on Wednesday
  - prepare for #9 on Nov. 12/13
- Physics tour by Dr. Liam Kieser – ISOTRACE (Canadian Centre for Accelerator Mass Spectrometry) + pizza lunch
  - 1-2 PM, Tuesday, November 6
- Physics Colloquium
  - "Astrophysics Faces the Millenium", Prof. Virginia Trimble, Department of Physics & Astronomy, University of California-Irvine (4:10, Thursday, MP102)
- Friday (Nov. 9) – lab lecture by Prof. Tony Key

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**WEEK 8, OCT. 29 - NOV. 2**

- Problem Set #3
  - will be handed out in class on Friday Nov. 2
  - due in class on Thursday Nov. 15
  - absolute deadline is 1 PM Monday Nov. 19
- Tutorials
  - reviewing #7 this week
  - #7 Solutions and #8 Questions will be posted on WWW on Wednesday
  - prepare for #8 on November 5/6
- Term Test #1
  - will be returned in the Nov. 5/6 tutorials
- Physics Colloquium
  - "Critical Casimir Effect", Prof. Moses Chan, Dept. Physics, University of Pennsylvania State University (4:10, Thursday, MP102)
- Physics tour – ISOTRACE (Canadian Centre for Accelerator Mass Spectrometry) + pizza lunch
  - trying for 1-2 PM, Tuesday, November 6

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WEEK 7, OCTOBER 22-26**

- Problem Set #2
  - absolute deadline was 1 PM Monday Oct. 22
  - should be returned in this week's tutorials
  - solutions posted on the WWW on Monday PM
- Problem Set #3
  - will not be handed out until November 2
- Tutorials
  - reviewing #6 this week
  - #6 Solutions and #7 Questions will be posted on WWW on Wednesday
  - prepare for #7 on October 29/30
- Term Test #1
  - 6:30-8:30 PM, Thursday, Oct. 25 in MP125/126
- Term Test #1 – Make-Up Version (by permission)
  - 2:00-4:00 PM (3:00-5:00 PM for some students), Friday, October 27, 2001 in MP408
- Physics Colloquium
  - "Gravitational Lensing: An Alternative Probe of Dark Matter" by Dr. Ludovic Van Waerbeke, CITA, U of T (4:10, Thursday, MP102)

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WEEK 6, OCTOBER 15-19**

- Problem Set #1
  - returned in this week's tutorials
- Problem Set #2
  - due in drop boxes by 5 PM Thursday October 18
  - absolute deadline is 1 PM Monday October 22
  - will be returned in Oct. 22/23 tutorials
- Problem Set #3
  - will not be handed out until November 2
- Tutorials
  - reviewing #5 this week
  - #5 Solutions and #6 Questions will be posted on WWW on Wednesday
  - prepare for #6 on October 22/23
- Term Test #1 – next week, 6:30-8:30 PM, Thursday, October 25 in MP125/126
  - need to discuss conflicts and make-up test
- Physics Colloquium: "In Search of Lost Time" by Prof. Derek York, Dept. of Physics, University of Toronto (4:10, Thursday, MP102)



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**WEEK 5, OCTOBER 8-12**

- Problem Set #1
  - absolute deadline – 2 PM Tuesday October 9
  - will be returned in the October 15/16 tutorials
- Problem Set #2 has been handed out
  - due in class on Thursday October 18
  - absolute deadline is 1 PM Monday October 22
- Tutorials
  - reviewing #4 this week (Tuesday only)
  - #4 Solutions and #5 Questions will be posted on WWW on Wednesday
  - prepare for #5 on October 15/16
- Nonlinear Physics tour (+ pizza lunch)
  - 1-2 PM, Tuesday, October 9
  - meet in MP110 (lounge) after class
  - for more info: <http://mobydick.physics.utoronto.ca>
- Friday's class will be given by Prof. Tony Key and will cover PHY140 lab material
- Physics Colloquium: "*At last, a Magnetic Analogue of Ice Water: 'Spin Ice'*", by Prof. Michel Gingras, Dept. of Physics, University of Waterloo (4:10, Thursday, MP102)
- final tutorial assignments are posted on the WWW

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**WEEK 4, OCTOBER 1-5**

- Problem Set #1

- due by 5 PM this Thursday October 4
- absolute deadline is 2 PM Tuesday October 8 (an extra day because of the holiday Monday)
- staple all pages together before handing them in!
- drop them in the appropriate box, labelled by tutorial group, in the basement at the bottom of the stairs outside MP202 (do not hand them in at class)
- give your name, tutorial session, and TA's name on the front page of your problem set

T0101A	Mondays, 1-2,	SS 2129 (Hernan Ugalde)
T0101B	Mondays, 1-2,	SS 2120 (Amit Ghosh)
T0201A	Mondays, 4-5,	UC 87 (Amit Ghosh)
T0201B	Mondays, 4-5,	MP 606 (Marcelo Ruetalo)
T0301A	Tuesdays, 2-3,	UC 67 (Michael Trott)
T0301B	Tuesdays, 2-3,	RW 141 (Hernan Ugalde)
T0401A	Tuesdays, 4-5,	LM 157 (Michael Trott)
T0401B	Tuesdays, 4-5,	MP 408 (Marcelo Ruetalo)

- due to the long weekend and holiday Monday, Problem Set #1 will be returned in the October 15/16 tutorials (rather than October 8/9)

- Problem Set #2
  - will be handed out in class on Friday October 5
  - due on Thursday October 18
  
- Tutorials
  - reviewing #3 this week
  - #3 Solutions and #4 Questions will be posted on WWW on Wednesday
  - prepare for #4 on **Tuesday, October 9 only**
  - students in holiday Monday October 8 tutorials may attend a Tuesday tutorial: 2-3 in UC 67, 2-3 in RW 141, 4-5 in LM 157, or 4-5 in MP 408
  
- tutorial assignments are posted on the WWW
  - see me if you want to change your tutorial
  - will post final versions shortly
  
- Friday's class will be given by Prof. Tony Key and will cover PHY140 lab material
  
- Physics Colloquium: "*Where does friction come from?*", by Prof. Mark Robbins, Dept. of Physics, Johns Hopkins University (4:10, Thursday, MP102)
  
- Nonlinear Physics tour (+ pizza lunch)
  - 1-2 PM, Tuesday, October 9
  - meet in MP101 after class
  - for advance info: <http://mobydick.physics.utoronto.ca>

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**WEEK 3, SEPTEMBER 24-28**

- Problem Set #1
  - due in tutorial boxes by 5 PM Thursday Oct. 4
  - absolute deadline is 1 PM Monday Oct. 8
- Tutorials
  - reviewing #2 this week
  - #2 Solutions and #3 Questions will be posted on WWW on Wednesday
  - prepare for #3 on October 1/2
- revised tutorial assignments are posted outside MP202 and on the WWW
  - see me if you want to change your tutorial
- Friday's class will be given by Prof. Tony Key and will cover PHY140 lab material
- 2001 J. Tuzo Wilson Lecture: "*Taking the Fingerprints of Global Sea Level Rise*",  
by Dr. Jerry Mitrovica, Dept. of Physics, U of T (8:00 PM, Wednesday, McLeod Auditorium, Med Sciences Bldg, 1 King's College Circle)
- Physics Colloquium: "*Quantum Computing*",  
by Dr. Raymond Laflamme, The Perimeter Institute and Dept. of Physics, U of Waterloo (4:10, Thursday, MP102)

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**WEEK 2, SEPTEMBER 17-21**

- should now have the textbook and lab manual + notebook
- this week's tutorial sessions are in MP222 for an introduction to the PHY140 lab
- tutorial assignments will be posted outside MP202 and on the WWW this week  
→ see me if you want to change your tutorial
- Tutorial #1 solutions and Tutorial#2 questions are posted on the WWW
- prepare for Tutorial#2 on September 24/25
- Problem Set #1 will be handed out in class on Friday September 21
- Physics Colloquium: "A High-Precision Determination of the Fine-Structure Constant", by Prof. Eric Hessels, York University (4:10, Thursday, MP102)

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**WEEK 1, SEPTEMBER 10-14**

- register for PHY140 lab and tutorial sessions
- buy PHY140 textbook, lab manual, and lab notebook from U of T Bookstore
- pick up Tutorial #1 in class on Thursday – try these questions on your own, solutions will be posted on the WWW
- attend Friday's lecture – Prof. Tony Key will provide an overview of the PHY140 lab
- come to the PHY140 Pizza & Pop Icebreaker at 12:00-1:00, Friday, Sept. 14, in MP110
- go to MP222 for your first tutorial session on Sept. 17/18 for an introduction to the new lab
- tutorial assignments will be posted next week
- Physics Colloquium: “String Theory: What is it, and what is it good for?”, by Prof. Amanda Peet, Dept. of Physics, U of T (4:10, Thursday, MP102)