| Week Material Reading Homework Special | | | | | | | |
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| vveek | Material | Reading Assignment | Assignment | Special | | | |
| Jan. 10 | Vector algebra | Chapter 1 | Problem Set 1 | | | | |
| | Vector calculus | | | | | | |
| | Curvilinear coordinates | | | | | | |
| | Dirac δ functions | | | | | | |
| | Vector fields | | | | | | |
| Jan. 17 | Electrostatics I: Electric Fields | Chapter 2.1, 2.2 | Problem Set 2 | | | | |
| | Superposition, Coulomb's Law | | | MARD W. I | | | |
| | Electric fields, continuous charge distributions, field lines | | | MLK Day, Monday, Jan. 17 No class | | | |
| | Gauss's Law | | | | | | |
| | Electrostatics II: Electric Potential | - Chapter 2.3 | Problem Set 3 | | | | |
| Jan. 31 | $\nabla \times \mathbf{E} = 0 \Rightarrow \mathbf{E} = -\nabla \ \mathbf{V}$ | | | | | | |
| | Poisson's, Laplace's equations | | | No class: Jan. 26 | | | |
| | Potential of charge distributions | | | | | | |
| | Boundary conditions | | | | | | |
| | Electrostatics III: Work, Energy, Conductors | Chapter 2.4, 2.5 | Problem Set 4 | | | | |
| | Work done in moving charges | | | | | | |
| Feb. 7 | Electrostatic energy | | | | | | |
| | Ideal conductors | | | | | | |
| | Surface charges | | | | | | |
| | Capacitance and capacitors | | | | | | |
| | Methods of Electrostatics I | Chapter 3.1, 3.2 | Problem Set 5 | | | | |
| | Laplace's equation | | | | | | |
| Feb. 14 | Boundary conditions and Uniqueness Theorem | | | | | | |
| | Method of Images | | | | | | |
| Feb. 21 | Methods of Electrostatics II | Chapter 3.3, 3.4 | Problem Set 6 | | | | |
| | Separation of variables in Cartesian, spherical, and cylindrical coordinates | | | | | | |
| | Green's Functions | | | | | | |
| | Multipole Expansions | | | | | | |
| | Electric Dipoles and Quadropoles | | | | | | |
| | Electric Fields in Matter I | Chapter 4.1, 4,2 | None | Exam 1, Wednesday, February 23 | | | |
| Feb. 28 | Dielectrics | | | | | | |
| | Polarization | | | | | | |
| | Bound charges | | | | | | |
| | Internal electric fields in dielectrics | | | Ch. 1-3.2 | | | |
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| Mar. 6 | SPRING BREAK | | | | |
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| Mar. 13 | Electrostatic Fields in Matter II Electric displacement D Theory of linear dielectrics | Chapter 4.3, 4.4 | Problem Set 7 | | |
| Mar. 20 | Magnetostatics I | Chapters 5.1, 5.2 | Problem Set 8 | | |
| | Magnetic fields and forces Cyclotron Motion Biot-Savart Law | | | Exam 2 Wednesday, Mar. 22 Ch. 3.3-4 | |
| Mar. 27 | Magnetostatics II | Chapter 5,3,5.4 | Problem Set 9 | | |
| | $\nabla \cdot \mathbf{E}, \nabla \times \mathbf{E}$ | | | | |
| | Ampere's Law | | | | |
| | Charges vs. monopoles | | | | |
| | Vector potential | | | | |
| | Magnetic multipoles | | | | |
| Apr. 3 | Magnetostatics in Matter I | Chapter 6.1,6.2 | Problem Set 10 | | |
| | Diamagnets and paramagnets | | | | |
| | Magnetic dipoles | | | | |
| | Magnetization | | | | |
| | Bound currents | | | | |
| Apr. 10 | Magnetostatics in Matter II | Chapter 6.3,6.4 | Problem Set 11 | | |
| Apr. 17 | Magnetic displacement, H | | | | |
| | Magnetic susceptibility | | | | |
| | Ferromagnets | | | | |
| Apr. 24 | Review/Catch-Up | | | | |
| May 4 | FINAL EXAM | | | | |