

## **COURSE: PHYSICS I**

**DEGREE:** Physics engineering

YEAR: 1st TERM: 1st

| WEEKLY PROGRAMMING |             |   |             |             |                            |   |                  |                                     |  |
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| WEE<br>K           | SESSI<br>ON | DESCRIPTION   | GROUPS      |             | LABORAT<br>ORY             | WEEKLY PROGRAMMING  | MING FOR STUDENT |                                     |  |
|                    |             |   | LECTU<br>RE | SEMIN<br>AR | 4.SB01<br>4.SB02<br>4.SB03 | DESCRIPTION   | CLASS<br>HOURS   | HOMEWORK<br>HOURS<br>Maximum<br>7 H |  |
| 1                  | 1           | Kinematics of a particle.<br>Rectilinear and curvilinear motion. Position,<br>velocity, and acceleration vectors. Trajectory<br>equation.<br>Tangential and normal components of the<br>acceleration. | x           |             |                            | <ul> <li>Reading in advance of the corresponding<br/>book chapters.</li> <li>Study and personal work on the lecture.</li> </ul> | 1.66             | 5                                   |  |
| 1                  | 2           |   |             | X           |                            | <ul> <li>Solve the proposed exercises.</li> <li>Participation in discussions and activities.</li> </ul>                         | 1.66             | -                                   |  |
| 2                  | 3           | <b>Relative motion.</b><br>Translating Frame. Rotating Frame. Centrifugal and<br>Coriolis accelerations.  | x           |             |                            | <ul> <li>Reading in advance of the corresponding<br/>book chapters.</li> <li>Study and personal work on the lecture.</li> </ul> | 1.66             | 6                                   |  |
| 2                  | 4           |   |             | Х           |                            | <ul> <li>Solve the proposed exercises.</li> <li>Participation in discussions and activities.</li> </ul>                         | 1.66             |                                     |  |
| 3                  | 5           | <b>Dynamics of a particle.</b><br>Newton's Laws of motion. Free-body diagrams.<br>Examples of forces: gravity, spring force, normal<br>force, string tension, friction force.                         | x           |             |                            | <ul> <li>Reading in advance of the corresponding<br/>book chapters.</li> <li>Study and personal work on the lecture.</li> </ul> | 1.66             | 5                                   |  |
| 3                  | 6           |   |             | Х           |                            | <ul> <li>Solve the proposed exercises.</li> <li>Participation in discussions and activities.</li> </ul>                         | 1.66             | -                                   |  |
| 4                  | 7           | <b>Dynamics of a particle.</b><br>Non-inertial frames. Linear momentum.<br>Angular momentum and torque.   | x           |             |                            | <ul> <li>Reading in advance of the corresponding<br/>book chapters.</li> <li>Study and personal work on the lecture.</li> </ul> | 1.66             | 5                                   |  |
| 4                  | 8           |   |             | Х           |                            | <ul> <li>Solve the proposed exercises.</li> <li>Participation in discussions and activities.</li> </ul>                         | 1.66             |                                     |  |
| 5                  | 9           | Work and Energy.<br>Work of a force. Principle of work and energy.<br>Conservative forces and potential energy.<br>Conservation of mechanical energy  | x           |             |                            | <ul> <li>Reading in advance of the corresponding<br/>book chapters.</li> <li>Study and personal work on the lecture.</li> </ul> | 1.66             | 6                                   |  |

| 5  | 10 |   |   | Х | - Solve the proposed exercises.<br>- Participation in discussions and activities.   | 1.66 |   |
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| 6  | 11 | <b>Work and Energy</b><br>Potential energy diagrams. Effective potential.<br>Power.   | х |   | <ul> <li>Reading in advance of the corresponding<br/>book chapters.</li> <li>Study and personal work on the lecture.</li> </ul>   | 1.66 | 5 |
| 6  | 12 |   |   | Х | <ul> <li>Solve the proposed exercises.</li> <li>Participation in discussions and activities.</li> </ul>   | 1.66 |   |
| 7  | 13 | Systems of particles.<br>Two-particle systems.External and internal forces.<br>Linear momentum. Angular momentum.                                     | х |   | <ul> <li>Reading in advance of the corresponding<br/>book chapters.</li> <li>Study and personal work on the lecture.</li> </ul>   | 1.66 | 5 |
| 7  | 14 |   |   | Х | <ul> <li>Solve the proposed exercises.</li> <li>Participation in discussions and activities.</li> </ul>   | 1.66 |   |
| 8  | 15 | Systems of particles.<br>Angular momentum and Rotations.<br>External Torques.   | х |   | Reading in advance of the corresponding<br>book chapters.     Study and personal work on the lecture.   | 1.66 | 5 |
| 8  | 16 |   |   | Х | <ul> <li>Solve the proposed exercises.</li> <li>Participation in discussions and activities.</li> </ul>   | 1.66 |   |
| 9  | 17 | <b>Rigid body.</b><br>Moment of inertia. Angular momentum. Planar<br>motion. Equations of motion of a rigid body. Work<br>and Energy of a rigid body. | Х |   | -Reading in advance of the corresponding<br>book chapters.<br>- Study and personal work on the lecture.   | 1.66 | 5 |
| 9  | 18 |   |   | Х | <ul> <li>Solve the proposed exercises.</li> <li>Participation in discussions and activities.</li> </ul>   | 1.66 |   |
| 10 | 19 | Oscillations.<br>Harmonic motion. Undamped and damped free<br>oscillations.<br>Forced oscillations. Resonances.                                       | х |   | <ul> <li>Reading in advance of the corresponding<br/>book chapters.</li> <li>Study and personal work on the lecture.</li> </ul>   | 1.66 | 6 |
| 10 | 20 |   |   | Х | <ul> <li>Solve the proposed exercises.</li> <li>Participation in discussions and activities.</li> </ul>   | 1.66 |   |
| 11 | 21 | <b>Oscillations.</b><br>Coupled oscillators. Normal modes of vibration.<br>Small oscillations.  | х |   | <ul> <li>Reading in advance of the corresponding<br/>book chapters.</li> <li>Study and personal work on the lecture.</li> </ul>   | 1.66 | 5 |
| 11 | 22 |   |   | Х | <ul> <li>Solve the proposed exercises.</li> <li>Participation in discussions and activities.</li> </ul>   | 1.66 |   |
| 12 | 23 | Waves<br>Wave equation. Mechanical waves. Transverse and<br>longitudinal waves. Standing waves.   | х |   | <ul> <li>Reading in advance of the corresponding<br/>book chapters.</li> <li>Study and personal work on the lecture.</li> </ul>   | 1.66 | 5 |
| 12 | 24 |   |   | Х | <ul> <li>Solve the proposed exercises.</li> <li>Participation in discussions and activities.</li> </ul>   | 1.66 |   |
| 13 | 25 | <b>Waves</b><br>Superposition and interference. Group velocity.<br>Light and Sound.   | Х |   | Reading in advance of the corresponding<br>book chapters.     Study and personal work on the<br>lecture.Reading in advance of the<br>corresponding book chapters.<br>Study and personal work on the<br>lecture. | 1.66 | 5 |

| 14        | 27 | LAB Session #1<br>Errors and uncertainty in Physics measurements.<br>(**) |  | х | <ul> <li>Reading of the guideline document.</li> <li>Analysis of results.</li> <li>Preparation of the report.</li> </ul>                            | 1.66 | 3   |  |
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| 14        | 27 | LAB Session #2<br>Mechanics phenomena. (**)                               |  | x | <ul> <li>Reading of the guideline document.</li> <li>Data acquisition.</li> <li>Analysis of results.</li> <li>Preparation of the report.</li> </ul> | 1.66 | 3   |  |
| 14        | 28 | LAB Session #3<br>Mechanics phenomena. (**)                               |  | х | <ul> <li>Reading of the guideline document.</li> <li>Data acquisition.</li> <li>Analysis of results.</li> <li>Preparation of the report.</li> </ul> | 1.66 | 3   |  |
|           | 29 | LAB Session #4<br>Oscillations and waves. (*)                             |  | х | <ul> <li>Reading of the guideline document.</li> <li>Data acquisition.</li> <li>Analysis of results.</li> <li>Preparation of the report.</li> </ul> | 1.66 | 3   |  |
| SUBTOTAL  |    |   |  |   |   |      |     |  |
| 15        |    | Tutorials, Handing in, etc  |  |   |   | 2    | 2   |  |
| 16-<br>18 |    | Assessment  |  |   |   | 3    | 15  |  |
| TOTAL     |    |   |  |   |   |      | 150 |  |

(\*) The schedule of laboratory sessions is tentative and will be confirmed by the course coordinator.