

JOHNS HOPKINS UNIVERSITY, PHYSICS AND ASTRONOMY AS.173.115 – CLASSICAL MECHANICS LABORATORY

Data Analysis with Spreadsheets-Prelab Quiz

Answer the following questions. Submit your answers via Blackboard as either a MS Word (.docx) or MS Excel spreadsheet file (.xlsx). Be sure to show all of your work so that partial credit can be given.

- 1. [4 points] Problem 2.3 (page 36) from John R. Taylor's An Introduction to Error Analysis.
- 2. [2 points] Problem 2.5 (page 36).
- 3. [3 points] Problem 2.7 (page 36). Chapter 5.8 (pp. 149-151) may also be useful as you calculate and interpret the *discrepancy* and *significance*.
- 4. [1 point] Refer to your result for Problem 3. What is the probability that the measured density *disagrees* with the accepted value?

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