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**First Semester 2018-2019**  
**Instruction Division**  
**Course Handout (Part II)**

**Date: 02/08/2018**

In addition to Part I (General Handout for all courses appended to the Time Table), this portion gives further specific details regarding the course.

**Course No.** : PHY F212  
**Course Title** : Electromagnetic Theory I  
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### 1. Course Description

Electromagnetic Theory I is the first of the two courses on Electromagnetic Theory to be offered to Physics students. It is also a mandatory course for Chemistry students. It is an elementary course and it deals with Electrostatics, Magnetostatics, and basics of Electrodynamics.

### 2. Scope and Objectives

- To learn the mathematical tools to solve all problems of electromagnetism
- Understand the concept of electric field
- Learn to solve electrostatic problems using the concept of potential
- Understand how electric field gets modified in materials
- Understand the concept of magnetic field
- Understand how magnetic field gets modified in materials
- Understand the magnetic induction and introduction of Electrodynamics
- Introduction of Maxwell's equations and electromagnetic waves

### 3. Prescribed Text Book

- T1. *Introduction to Electrodynamics*, David J. Griffiths, Forth Edition, Pearson Education Inc., 2014.

### 4. Reference Book

- R1. *PHYSICS*, Vol. 2, David Halliday, Robert Resnick and Kenneth S. Krane, Fifth edition, John Wiley & Sons, Inc., 2002.



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### 5. Course Plan

Module Number	Lecture session/Tutorial session	Reference	Learning Outcome
1. Introduction of basic mathematics	L1.1 Vector algebra L1.2-1.3 Differential vector calculus L1.4 -1.5 Integral vector calculus L1.6 The Dirac Delta function T1.1-1.2 Problem solving session	T1 1.1-1.3, 1.5	Understanding of basic mathematics which will be required to solve different problems of electromagnetic theory
2. Electrostatics in free space	L2.1 The electric field L2.2-2.3 Divergence and curl of electrostatic fields L2.4-2.5 Electric potential L2.6 Work and energy in electrostatics L2.7 Conductors L2.8-2.9 A special technique to solve electrostatic problems: Multipole expansion T2.1-2.3 Problem solving session	T1 2.1-2.5, 3.4	Understanding of the concept of the electric field due to a collection of static charges and to calculate the electric field due to different distribution of charges.
3. Electrostatics in matter	L3.1 Polarization L3.2 The field of a polarized object L3.3 The electric displacement L3.4-3.6 Linear dielectrics T3.1-3.2 Problem solving session	T1 4.1-4.4	Understanding of the behavior of the electric field inside matter. Effect of electric field on the dielectric materials.
4. Magnetostatics in free space	L4.1 The Lorentz force L4.2-4.3 The Biot-Savart law	T1 5.1-5.4	Understanding of the concept of magnetic field due to the presence of



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	<p>L4.4-4.6 The divergence and curl of the magnetic field</p> <p>L4.7-4.8 The magnetic vector potential</p> <p>T4.1-4.2 Problem solving session</p>		<p>steady currents. Learn to calculate the magnetic field due to different configuration of current carrying wire.</p>
5. Magnetic fields in matter	<p>L5.1 Magnetization</p> <p>L5.2 The field due to magnetized object</p> <p>L5.3-5.4 The auxiliary field</p> <p>L5.5. Linear and nonlinear magnetic materials</p> <p>T5.1 Problem solving session</p>	T1 6.1-6.4	<p>Understanding of the behavior of the magnetic field inside a material. Effect of magnetic field on the magnetized material.</p>
6. Electrodynamics	<p>L6.1-6.2 Ohm's law and Electromotive force</p> <p>L6.3-6.4 Electromagnetic induction</p> <p>T6.1 Problem solving session</p>	T1 7.1-7.2	<p>Understanding of the effect due to moving charges and moving charges in materials. Introduction of the concept of electromagnetic induction and its applications.</p>
7. Maxwell's equations	<p>L7.1 Electrodynamics before Maxwell and Maxwell contribution in electromagnetic theory</p> <p>L7.2-7.3 Maxwell's equations</p> <p>T7.1 Problem solving session</p>	T1 7.3	<p>Understanding of the contribution of Maxwell in electromagnetic theory and its applications in the future generation</p>

### 6. Evaluation Scheme:



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Evaluation Components	Weightage (%)	Date & Time	Remarks
Mid-semester test	30	11/10 9:00 - 10:30 AM	Closed book
Tutorials	30		Closed book.  Total <b>five</b> tests will be conducted, of which best <b>four</b> would be counted.
Comprehensive	40	6/12 FN	Closed and Open book.

After completing this course the students will be able to

- 1) understand the concept of the electric and magnetic fields in free space,
- 2) understand the behavior of the electric and magnetic fields inside matter,
- 3) learn to calculate electric field and magnetic field for different cases,
- 4) understand the relationship between the electric and magnetic fields,
- 5) and understand the basics of electrodynamics.

**Closed Book Test:** No reference material of any kind will be permitted inside the exam hall.

**Open Book Exam:** Use of the textbook (T1) and reference book (R1) will be allowed. Photocopy of these books will also be allowed. Besides, only **hand-written class notes** are permitted. Use of calculators will be allowed in all exams. No exchange of any material will be allowed during exams.

**Note:**

It shall be the responsibility of the individual student to be regular in maintaining the self study schedule as given in the course handout, attend lectures and the lab demonstration as per the schedule announced in Nalanda. Mid Semester Test and Comprehensive Examination are according to the Evaluation Scheme given in the respective Course Handout. If the student is unable to appear for the Regular Test/Examination due to genuine exigencies, the student must refer to the procedure for applying for Make-up Test/Examination. No make up for the tutorials.

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