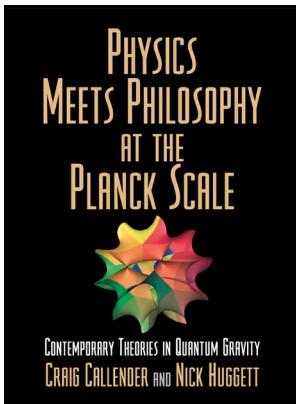


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English In the philosophy of Democritus the atoms are eternal and indestructible units of matter, they can never be transformed into each other. Jahrhundert das Bewegungsproblem in den Mittelpunkt gestellt, also den Zeitbegriff in die Grundlagen eingeschlossen.

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Newton was explicit about his debt to ancient philosophy, Democritus in particular, for ideas that arose originally from philosophical motivations, such as the notions of empty space, atomism and natural rectilinear motion.

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By this means, their all-too-great authority will be broken.

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Is there no more valuable work in his specialty? Movement is defined as change in place, i. Philosophers have tools and skills that physics needs, but do not belong to the physicists training: conceptual analysis, attention to ambiguity, accuracy of expression, the ability to detect gaps in standard arguments, to devise radically new perspectives, to spot conceptual weak points, and to seek out alternative conceptual explanations. The philosophical influences on the conception of general relativity were even stronger.

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After Newton, it seemed clear that the aim of physics was to find the forces acting on bodies. The only mathematical forms available at that time were such geometric forms as the regular solids or the triangles which form their surface.

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