

## Computational Physics (T) - physics760

Degree - M.Sc. in Physics (PO von 2014)

<i>Module</i>	<b>Elective Courses Theoretical Physics</b>
<i>Module No.</i>	ECThPhysics

<i>Course</i>	<b>Computational Physics (T)</b>
<i>Course No.</i>	physics760

<b>Category</b>	<b>Type</b>	<b>Language</b>	<b>Teaching hours</b>	<b>CP</b>	<b>Semester</b>
Elective	Lecture with exercises and project work	English	2+2+1	7	WT/ST

**Requirements for Participation:** Knowledge of a modern programming language (like C, C++)

**Preparation:** Theoretical courses at the Bachelor degree level

**Form of Testing and Examination:**

successful participation in exercises,

presentation of an independently completed project

**Length of Course:** 1 semester

**Aims of the Course:** ability to apply modern computational methods for solving physics problems

**Contents of the Course:**

Statistical Models, Likelihood, Bayesian and Bootstrap Methods

Random Variable Generation

Stochastic Processes

Monte-Carlo methods

Markov-Chain Monte-Carlo

**Recommended Literature:**

W.H. Press et al.: Numerical Recipes in C (Cambridge University Press)

<http://library.lanl.gov/numerical/index.html>

C.P. Robert and G. Casella: Monte Carlo Statistical Methods (Springer 2004)

Tao Pang: An Introduction to Computational Physics (Cambridge University Press)

Vesely, Franz J.: Computational Physics: An Introduction (Springer)

Binder, Kurt and Heermann, Dieter W.: Monte Carlo Simulation in Statistical Physics (Springer)

Fehske, H.; Schneider, R.; Weisse, A.: Computational Many-Particle Physics (Springer)

