PH108

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1 Lecture 1: Introduction

- G and K, the constants of Gravitation and Electrostatic Forces are called Coupling Constants when taken together
- A Physical Law is one which is true for observers from all Frames of References.
- Strong Force holds the Nucleus Together. Weak Force is the one responsible for Radioactivity

2 Formula from Recorded Lecture

• Pertaining to the ∇ operator:

$$\begin{aligned} & - \nabla (fg) = f \nabla g + g \nabla f \\ & - \nabla (\vec{A} \cdot \vec{B}) = \vec{A} \times (\nabla \times \vec{B}) + \vec{B} \times (\nabla \times \vec{A}) + (\nabla \cdot \vec{A}) \vec{B} + (\nabla \cdot \vec{B}) \vec{A} \end{aligned}$$

• Those Pertaining to Divergence $(\nabla \cdot)$:

$$\begin{split} & - \nabla \cdot (f\vec{A}) = f(\nabla \cdot \vec{A}) + \vec{A} \cdot (\nabla f) \\ & - \nabla \cdot (\vec{A} \times \vec{B}) = \vec{B} \cdot (\nabla \times \vec{A}) - \vec{A} \cdot (\nabla \times \vec{B}) \end{split}$$

• Those Pertaining to Curl $(\nabla \times)$:

$$\begin{split} & - \nabla \times (f\vec{A}) = f(\nabla \times \vec{A}) - \vec{A} \times (\nabla f) \\ & - \nabla \times (\vec{A} \times \vec{B}) = (\vec{B}.\nabla)\vec{A} + \vec{A}(\nabla \cdot \vec{B}) - (\vec{A}.\nabla)\vec{B} - \vec{B}(\nabla \cdot \vec{A}) \end{split}$$

• Curl of Curl: $\nabla(\nabla \cdot \vec{A}) - \nabla^2 \vec{A}$

3 Lecture 2:

Nothing Extra as such, apart form Lecture Slides!