

General Relativity

1. Mathematics of General Relativity by James Cook

1. Course Overview
2. Spacetime or Timespace
3. Index Calculations, Summation, an Example from Vector Algebra
4. Lorentz Transformations and Euclidean Isometries
5. Newtonian Space and Minkowski Space
6. Tensor Calculations in Minkowski Space and More
7. 4-Vectors and Physics in Special Relativity
8. Maxwell's Equations
9. Lagrangian Mechanics
10. Classical Field Theory
11.
 - (a) Equivalence Principle Sketched
 - (b) On Calculus on Manifolds, a Lightning Tour
12. Metric on Spacetime
13. Overview of Curvature and Einstein's Field Equations
14.
 - (a) Covariant Derivatives and Curvature from Frankel
 - (b) Covariant Derivatives and Curvature from Carroll
15. Variational Calculus and Geodesics
16. Einstein's Equations and a Word on Generalizations of GR
17. Schwarzschild Solution
18. Gravitational Waves
19. Cosmological Models
20.
 - (a) Tetrad Method, Lorentzian frames
 - (b) Calculating Curvature via Tetrad Formalism, Future Reading

2. General relativity by Scott A. Hughes

1. [Introduction and the Geometric Viewpoint on Physics](#)
2. [Introduction to Tensors](#)
3. [Tensors Continued](#)
4. [Volumes and Volume Elements Conservation Laws](#)
5. [The Stress Energy Tensor and the Christoffel Symbol](#)
6. [The Principle of Equivalence](#)
7. [Principle of Equivalence Continued Parallel Transport](#)
8. [Lie Transport, Killing Vectors, Tensor Densities](#)
9. [Geodesics](#)
10. [Spacetime Curvature](#)
11. [More on Spacetime Curvature](#)
12. [The Einstein Field Equation](#)
13. [The Einstein Field Equation Variant Derivation](#)
14. [Linearized Gravity I: Principles and Static Limit](#)
15. [Linearized Gravity II: Dynamic Sources.](#)
16. [Gravitational Radiation I](#)
17. [Gravitational Radiation II](#)
18. [Cosmology I](#)
19. [Cosmology II](#)
20. [Spherical Compact Sources I](#)
21. [Spherical Compact Sources II](#)
22. [Black Holes I](#)
23. [Black Holes II](#)

3. The WE-Heraeus International Winter School on Gravity and Light by Frederic P. Schuller et al.

3.1 Central Lecture Course

1. Lecture 1: Topology
2. Lecture 2: Topological Manifolds
3. Lecture 3: Multilinear Algebra
4. Lecture 4: Differentiable Manifolds
5. Lecture 5: Tangent Spaces
6. Lecture 6: Fields
7. Lecture 7: Connections
8. Lecture 8: Parallel Transport & Curvature
9. Lecture 9: Newtonian spacetime is curved!
10. Lecture 10: Metric Manifolds
11. Lecture 11: Symmetry
12. Lecture 12: Integration on manifolds
13. Lecture 13: Spacetime
14. Lecture 14: Matter
15. Lecture 15: Einstein Gravity
16. Lecture 16: Optical Geometry I
17. Lecture 17: Optical Geometry II
18. Lecture 18: Canonical Formulation of GR I
19. Lecture 19: Canonical Formulation of GR II
20. Lecture 20: Cosmology - The Early Epoch
21. Lecture 21: Cosmology - The Late Epoch
22. Lecture 22: Black Holes

23. [Lecture 23: Penrose Diagrams](#)
24. [Lecture 24: Perturbation Theory I](#)
25. [Lecture 25: Perturbation Theory II](#)
26. [Lecture 26: How Quantizable Matter Gravitates](#)
27. [Lecture 27: Sources of Gravitational Waves](#)
28. [Lecture 28: How to Detect Gravitational Waves](#)

3.2 Tutorials A & B

1. [Tutorial 1: Topology](#)
2. [Tutorial 2: Topological Manifolds](#)
3. [Tutorial 3: Multilinear Algebra](#)
4. [Tutorial 4: Differentiable Manifolds](#)
5. [Tutorial 5: Tangent Spaces](#)
6. [Tutorial 6: Fields](#)
7. [Tutorial 7: Connections](#)
8. [Tutorial 8: Parallel Transport Curvature](#)
9. [Tutorial 9 & 10: Metric Manifolds](#)
10. [Tutorial 11: Symmetries](#)
11. [Tutorial 12: Integration](#)
12. [Tutorial 13: Schwarzschild Spacetime](#)
13. [Tutorial 15: Cosmology](#)
14. [Tutorial 16: Diagrams](#)

3.3 Evening Lectures

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