

#		Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Topics
0	Sept 02-06	PHYS-3600 Schedule (Fall 2024) ➡ Hand in, Hand out ➡			Sept. 5 First Day	Days with lectures in <i>yellow</i>	Foundations: ♦ <i>Reminder:</i> Python Basics ♦ Notebooks; numpy, plotting
1	Sept 09-13		Sept. 10		Sept. 12 A1➔		♦ Errors and complexity ♦ Numerical Differentiation
2	Sept 16-20		Sept. 17	Recorded lectures this week	Sept. 19 ➔A1		♦ Numerical Integration ♦ Root-finding / Linear equations
3	Sept 23-27		Sept. 24		Sept. 26 A2➔		Classical Mechanics: ♦ Euler to Runge-Kutta ♦ Symplectic methods
4	Sept 30-Oct 04		Oct. 1 ➔Proposal (Initial)		Oct. 3 ➔A2 A3➔		<i>Applications:</i> ♦ Double pendulum (chaos) ♦ Solar system (precession)
	Oct 07-11		Oct. 8		Oct. 10 ➔A3		<i>Applications:</i> ♦ Molecular dynamics (heat) ♦ Brownian motion (diffusion)
5	Oct 14-17		Oct. 15	Reading Week	Oct. 17		
6	Oct 21-25		Oct. 22 ➔Proposal (Resub.)		Oct. 24 A4➔		EM & Waves: ♦ Discretization, FDTD ♦ Implicit methods;relaxation
7	Oct 28-Nov 1		Oct. 29		Oct. 31 ➔A4		<i>Applications:</i> ♦ Electrostatics (conductors) ♦ Heat equation (diffusion)
8	Nov 04-08		Nov. 5		Nov. 7 A5➔		<i>Applications:</i> ♦ Wave equations (solitons) ♦ Maxwell's Equations (light)
9	Nov 11-15		Nov. 12	<i>VW Date</i>	Nov. 14 ➔A5 A6➔		Quantum mechanics: ♦ TISE; discretization ♦ Diagonalization; Jacobi
10	Nov 18-22		Nov. 19		Nov. 21		<i>Applications:</i> ♦ Quantum Billiards (chaos) ♦ Atomic defect; MFT (atoms)
11	Nov 25-29		Nov. 26 ➔A6	<i>Assessment cutoff</i>	Nov. 28 ➔Project (Draft)		♦ TDSE; split-operator ♦ Fast Fourier Transform ♦ Double well (tunnelling)
12	Dec 02-06		Dec. 3	Last day	Lectures are in Essex Hall 287, 1:00PM-2:20PM		Outlook