

# Physics 1402 - Formula List - Final

## ■ Constants

$$k_e = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} = 9.0 \times 10^9 \frac{\text{N}\cdot\text{m}^2}{\text{C}^2} \quad \epsilon_0 = 8.85 \times 10^{-12} \frac{\text{C}}{\text{N}\cdot\text{m}^2}$$

$$e = 1.60 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C} \quad \mu_0 = 4\pi \times 10^{-7} \text{ N/A}^2$$

$$m_{\text{electron}} = 9.11 \times 10^{-31} \text{ kg} \quad m_{\text{proton}} = m_{\text{neutron}} = 1.67 \times 10^{-27} \text{ kg}$$

$$h = 6.63 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J}\cdot\text{s} \quad c = 3.00 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s}$$

$$1 \text{ eV} = 1.60 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J} \quad R = 1.097 \times 10^7 \text{ m}^{-1}$$

## ■ Geometry

Circle:  $c = 2\pi r$   $A = \pi r^2$   
 Sphere:  $A = 4\pi r^2$   $V = \frac{4}{3}\pi r^3$   
 Cylinder:  $A = 2\pi rL$   $V = \pi r^2L$

## ■ Metric Prefixes

$G = 10^9$ ,  $M = 10^6$ ,  $k = 10^3$ ,  $c = 10^{-2}$ ,  
 $m = 10^{-3}$ ,  $\mu = 10^{-6}$ ,  $n = 10^{-9}$ ,  $p = 10^{-12}$ ,  $f = 10^{-15}$

## ■ Coulomb's Law

$F = k_e \frac{|q_1||q_2|}{r^2}$  (magnitude of force)

Charge quantization:  $Q = ne$ ,  $n$  is an integer.

## ■ Electric Field

$\vec{E} = \vec{F}/q_0$ ,  $\vec{F} = q\vec{E}$  (force on  $q$ )

Point Charge:  $E = k_e \frac{|q|}{r^2}$  (mag) or  $E_r = k_e \frac{q}{r^2}$  (radial comp.)

Discrete:  $\vec{E} = \vec{E}_1 + \vec{E}_2 + \dots$ , where  $\vec{E}_1$  is due to  $q_1$ , etc.

## ■ Electric Flux

$\Phi = \sum E_{\perp} A$  (small  $A$ ), uniform  $\vec{E}$  and flat  $A$ :  $\Phi = E_{\perp} A$

## ■ Gauss's Law

$\Phi = \frac{1}{\epsilon_0} q_{\text{enclosed}}$  (closed surface)

Spherical Dist.:  $E_r = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{q_{\text{enclosed}}}{r^2} = k_e \frac{q_{\text{enclosed}}}{r^2}$

Infinite Plane:  $E = \frac{\sigma}{2\epsilon_0}$

## ■ Charge Densities:

$\lambda = \frac{\text{charge}}{\text{length}} \iff \text{charge} = \lambda \times (\text{some length})$

$\sigma = \frac{\text{charge}}{\text{area}} \iff \text{charge} = \sigma \times (\text{some area})$

$\rho = \frac{\text{charge}}{\text{volume}} \iff \text{charge} = \rho \times (\text{some volume})$

## ■ Potential and Potential Energy

$V = U/q_0$ ,  $\Delta U = q\Delta V$

For two charges:  $U = k_e \frac{q_i q_j}{r}$

Conservation of Energy:  $K_i + U_i = K_f + U_f$ , where  $K = \frac{1}{2}mv^2$

## ■ Potential due to Charges

Point Charge:  $V = k_e \frac{q}{r}$

Discrete:  $V = V_1 + V_2 + \dots$ , where  $V_1$  is due to  $q_1$ , etc.

## ■ Potential and Electric Field

$\Delta V = -\sum E_{\parallel} \Delta s$  (small  $\Delta s$ )

$\Delta V = -E_{\parallel} \Delta s$  (uniform  $\vec{E}$ ),  $E_{\parallel} = -\frac{\Delta V}{\Delta s}$  (small  $\Delta s$ )

## ■ Conductors in Electrostatics

At surface:  $\vec{E} \perp$  surface and  $E = \sigma/\epsilon_0$

Inside:  $\vec{E} = \vec{0}$ , voltage is const., no excess charge.

## ■ Capacitance

$Q = CV$ ,  $C$  is the capacitance.  $C_0 = \frac{\epsilon_0 A}{d}$  (n Plate)

$C = \kappa C_0$ , where  $C_0 =$  empty cap. and dielectric const.  $= \kappa \geq 1$

## ■ Energy

$U = \frac{1}{2} CV^2 = \frac{Q^2}{2C} = \frac{1}{2} QV$  (energy in a cap.)

$u_E = \frac{\epsilon_0}{2} E^2 = \frac{\text{Energy}}{\text{Volume}}$  (energy density in a field)

## ■ Current

$I = \frac{\Delta Q}{\Delta t}$  (current through surface)

## ■ Ohm's Law

$V = IR$ ,  $R = \frac{\rho L}{A}$ ,  $\rho =$  resistivity

## ■ Power

$\mathcal{P} = VI$ , For a resistor:  $\mathcal{P} = VI = I^2 R = \frac{V^2}{R}$

## ■ Combinations of Resistors

Series:  $R_{\text{eq}} = R_1 + R_2 + \dots$ , Parallel:  $\frac{1}{R_{\text{eq}}} = \frac{1}{R_1} + \frac{1}{R_2} + \dots$

## ■ Combinations of Capacitors

Series:  $\frac{1}{C_{\text{eq}}} = \frac{1}{C_1} + \frac{1}{C_2} + \dots$ , Parallel:  $C_{\text{eq}} = C_1 + C_2 + \dots$

## ■ Kirchhoff's Rules

Junctions:  $\sum I_{\text{in}} = \sum I_{\text{out}}$ , Loops:  $0 = \sum \Delta V$

## ■ RC Circuits

$\tau = RC =$  time const.,  $\mathcal{E} =$  EMF

Discharging:  $Q(t) = Q_0 e^{-t/\tau}$  and  $I(t) = -\frac{Q_0}{\tau} e^{-t/\tau}$

Charging:  $Q(t) = C\mathcal{E}(1 - e^{-t/\tau})$  and  $I(t) = \frac{\mathcal{E}}{R} e^{-t/\tau}$

## ■ Magnetic Force on Particle and Wire

$F = |q|vB \sin\theta = |q|v_{\perp} B = |q|vB_{\perp}$

$F = ILB \sin\theta = ILB_{\perp}$

$\vec{v} \perp$  to uniform  $\vec{B} \implies$  circle with  $r = \frac{mv}{|q|B}$

## ■ Ampere's Law

$\sum B_{\parallel} \Delta s = \mu_0 I_{\text{enclosed}}$  ( $\Delta s$  is small)

$B = \frac{\mu_0 I}{2\pi r}$  (distance  $r$  from long wire)

$B = \frac{\mu_0 I}{2R}$  (center of current loop)

$B = \mu_0 nI$ ,  $n = \frac{\# \text{ of turns}}{\text{length}}$  (inside long solenoid)

## ■ Torque

$\tau = N I A B \sin\theta = N I A B_{\perp}$  (on  $N$ -turn Coil)

## ■ Magnetic Flux

$\Phi = \sum B_{\perp} A$

For uniform field and flat surface:  $\Phi = B_{\perp} A = BA \cos\theta$

## ■ Faraday's Law

$\mathcal{E} = -N \frac{\Delta\Phi}{\Delta t}$  (small  $\Delta t$ ),  $\mathcal{E}_{\text{ave}} = -N \frac{\Delta\Phi}{\Delta t}$

AC Generator:  $\Phi = BA \cos\omega t \implies \mathcal{E}(t) = NBA\omega \sin\omega t$

## ■ Motional EMF

moving rod:  $\mathcal{E} = B\ell v$  ( $\vec{B} \perp \vec{v} \perp$  rod)

## ■ Lenz's Law

Choose a pos. dir. for normal to loop

Sign of  $\Phi$  is + if field in + dir. thru loop.

$\frac{\Delta\Phi}{\Delta t}$  has same (opposite) sign as  $\Phi$  when incr. (decr.).

$\Phi_{\text{induced}}$  sign is opposite to that of  $\frac{\Delta\Phi}{\Delta t}$ .

Get direction of  $\mathcal{E}$  or  $I$  by Right Hand Rule.

## ■ Inductance

$\mathcal{E} = -L \frac{\Delta I}{\Delta t}$  (small  $\Delta t$ )

Long Solenoid:  $L = \mu_0 \frac{N^2}{\ell} A$

Energy in Inductor:  $U = \frac{1}{2} L I^2$

## ■ Energy Density

$u = \frac{1}{2\mu_0} B^2$  (in magnetic field)

$u = u_E + u_B = \frac{\epsilon_0}{2} E^2 + \frac{1}{2\mu_0} B^2$  (in electromagnetic field)

## ■ RL Circuits

$\tau = \frac{L}{R} =$  time const.

Current Growth:  $I(t) = \frac{\mathcal{E}}{R} (1 - e^{-t/\tau})$ , Current Decay:  $I(t) = I_0 e^{-t/\tau}$

■ **Transformer**  $\frac{V_2}{V_1} = \frac{N_2}{N_1} = \frac{I_1}{I_2}$

■ **LC Circuits**  $\omega_0 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{LC}}$ ,  $Q(t) = Q_0 \cos(\omega_0 t)$ ,  $I(t) = -\omega_0 Q_0 \sin(\omega_0 t)$

■ **General AC Circuits**  $V_{\text{rms}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} V_{\text{max}}$ ,  $I_{\text{rms}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} I_{\text{max}}$

$\omega = 2\pi f$ ,  $I(t) = I_{\text{max}} \sin \omega t$ ,  $V(t) = V_{\text{max}} \sin(\omega t + \phi)$

$Z = \frac{V_{\text{max}}}{I_{\text{max}}} = \frac{V_{\text{rms}}}{I_{\text{rms}}}$  (Impedance),  $\mathcal{P}_{\text{ave}} = V_{\text{rms}} I_{\text{rms}} \cos \phi$

	Z	$\phi$
R	R	0
L	$X_L = \omega L = 2\pi f L$	$90^\circ = \frac{\pi}{2}$
C	$X_C = \frac{1}{\omega C} = \frac{1}{2\pi f C}$	$-90^\circ = -\frac{\pi}{2}$

■ **Series RCL**  $Z = \sqrt{R^2 + (X_L - X_C)^2}$ ,  $\tan \phi = \frac{X_L - X_C}{R}$

$\mathcal{P}_{\text{ave}} = I_{\text{rms}}^2 R$ , No L  $\Rightarrow X_L = 0$ , No C  $\Rightarrow X_C = 0$

Resonance:  $Z = Z_{\text{min}} = R \iff X_L = X_C \iff \omega = \frac{1}{\sqrt{LC}}$

■ **Electromagnetic Radiation in Vacuum**

$f\lambda = c = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\mu_0 \epsilon_0}} = \frac{E_{\text{max}}}{B_{\text{max}}} = \frac{E_{\text{rms}}}{B_{\text{rms}}} = \frac{E}{B}$

Energy density:  $u_{\text{ave}} = \frac{\epsilon_0}{2} E_{\text{max}}^2 = \frac{B_{\text{max}}^2}{2\mu_0} = \epsilon_0 E_{\text{rms}}^2 = \frac{B_{\text{rms}}^2}{\mu_0}$

Intensity:  $I = \frac{\text{Power}}{\text{Area}} = \frac{U}{A \Delta t}$ ,  $I = u_{\text{ave}} c = \frac{\epsilon_0 c}{2} E_{\text{max}}^2 = \epsilon_0 c E_{\text{rms}}^2$

■ **Radiation Pressure and Momentum**

Momentum carried by radiation:  $p = \frac{U}{c}$ , Pressure =  $\frac{\text{Force}}{\text{Area}}$

	Momentum to Surface	Pressure on Surface
Perfect Absorber	$p = \frac{U}{c}$	Pressure = $\frac{I}{c}$
Perfect Reflector	$p = 2 \frac{U}{c}$	Pressure = $2 \frac{I}{c}$

■ **Polarization**  $I = \frac{1}{2} I_0$ ,  $I = I_0 \cos^2 \theta$

■ **In a Medium**  $f\lambda = v = c/n$

At interface:  $n_1 \lambda_1 = n_2 \lambda_2$ ,  $f_1 = f_2$

Snell's Law:  $n_1 \sin \theta_1 = n_2 \sin \theta_2$

Total Internal Refl.:  $\theta_1 > \theta_{\text{crit}}$  where  $\sin \theta_{\text{crit}} = \frac{n_2}{n_1}$

■ **Geometric Optics**  $\frac{1}{d_o} + \frac{1}{d_i} = \frac{1}{f}$ ,  $m = \frac{h_i}{h_o} = -\frac{d_i}{d_o}$

Sph. Mirrors:  $f = \frac{R}{2}$ ,  $R > 0$  (concave),  $R < 0$  (convex),  $R \rightarrow \infty$  (flat)

Thin Lenses:  $f > 0$  (converging),  $f < 0$  (diverging)

■ **Interference and Diffraction**  $\tan \theta = \frac{y}{L}$

Double Slit: Const.Int.:  $d \sin \theta = m\lambda$ , Dest.Int.:  $d \sin \theta = \left(m + \frac{1}{2}\right)\lambda$

Diffraction Grating: Const. Int.:  $d \sin \theta = m\lambda$ , Dest. Int. elsewhere

Single Slit: Dest. Int.:  $W \sin \theta = m\lambda$ ,  $m \neq 0$

■ **Relativity** Lorentz factor:  $\gamma = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-v^2/c^2}}$

$v = c \sqrt{1 - \frac{1}{\gamma^2}}$  ( $v \ll c \Rightarrow \gamma \approx 1 + \frac{1}{2} \frac{v^2}{c^2}$ )

Time Dilation:  $\Delta t = \gamma \Delta t_0 = \frac{\Delta t_0}{\sqrt{1-v^2/c^2}}$ ,  $\Delta t_0$  is the proper time

Length Contraction:  $L = \frac{L_0}{\gamma} = L_0 \sqrt{1-v^2/c^2}$ ,  $L_0$  is the proper length

Addition of velocities:  $v_{23} = \frac{v_{21} + v_{13}}{1 + v_{21} v_{13}/c^2}$

Relativistic Mass:  $m_r = \gamma m_0 = \frac{m_0}{\sqrt{1-v^2/c^2}}$ ,  $m_0$  is the rest mass

Energy of a Particle:  $E = m_r c^2 = \gamma m_0 c^2$ ,  $E_0 = m_0 c^2 = \text{rest energy}$

Kinetic Energy:  $K = E - E_0 = (\gamma - 1) m_0 c^2 = \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{1-v^2/c^2}} - 1\right) m_0 c^2$

Mass/Energy Equivalence:  $E = m_r c^2$ ,  $\Delta m = \Delta E / c^2$

Momentum:  $p = m_r v = \gamma m_0 v = \frac{m_0 v}{\sqrt{1-v^2/c^2}}$  ( $m_0 = 0 \Rightarrow p = m_r c = \frac{E}{c}$ )

■ **Quantum Physics**

Wien Law:  $\lambda_{\text{peak}} = (0.00290 \text{ m} \cdot \text{K}) / T$

Photon hypothesis:  $E = hf$  (Energy of a photon)

Photoelectric Effect:  $K_{\text{max}} = hf - W_0$  and  $K_{\text{max}} = eV_0$

Compton Effect:  $\Delta \lambda = \lambda' - \lambda = \frac{h}{m_e c} (1 - \cos \theta)$  where  $\frac{h}{m_e c} = 2.43 \times 10^{-12} \text{ m}$

de Broglie Wavelength:  $\lambda = h/p$  Uncertainty Principle:  $\Delta x \Delta p_x \geq \frac{h}{4\pi}$

■ **Atomic Physics** Hydrogen Spectrum:  $\frac{1}{\lambda} = R \left( \frac{1}{n_f^2} - \frac{1}{n_i^2} \right)$

Bohr Atom:  $L_n = r_n m_e v_n = n \frac{h}{2\pi}$ ,  $r_n = a_0 \frac{n^2}{Z}$ ,  $E_n = -E_0 \frac{Z^2}{n^2}$

where  $a_0 = 5.29 \times 10^{-11} \text{ m}$ ,  $E_0 = 2.18 \times 10^{-18} \text{ J} = 13.6 \text{ eV}$

Quantum #s:  $n = 1, 2, \dots$ ,  $\ell = 0, 1, \dots, n-1$ ,  $m_\ell = 0, \pm 1, \dots, \pm \ell$ ,  $m_s = \pm \frac{1}{2}$

Spectroscopic Notation:  $0 \rightarrow s, 1 \rightarrow p, 2 \rightarrow d, 3 \rightarrow f$

■ **Nuclear Physics**  $u = \frac{1}{12} \text{ mass}({}^{12}_6\text{C}) = 1.66 \times 10^{-27} \text{ kg}$  (atomic mass unit)

Size of the nucleus:  $r = 1.2 \text{ fm} \times A^{1/3}$  where  $\text{fm} = 10^{-15} \text{ m}$

Decay:  $N(t) = N_0 e^{-\lambda t} = N_0 2^{-t/T_{1/2}}$  where  $\lambda = \ln(2) / T_{1/2} = 0.691 / T_{1/2}$