THE UNIVERSITY OF LETHBRIDGE

Department of Physics and Astronomy Fall 2017

Physics 1000: Introduction to Physics I

Sections A

PREREQUISITES: Physics 30 AND One of Mathematics 30-1, Pure Mathematics 30, or

Mathematics 0500

COREOUISITES: Mathematics 1560

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Required Text: University Physics

OpenstaxTM (available online)

https://openstax.org/details/books/university-physics-volume-1

You can also order a paper copy from amazon.com. Please read the terms and conditions carefully before ordering.

Lectures: Section A: MWF 9:00 – 10:00 am, Room W561

Office Hours: Thursdays: 2:00 P.M. - 4:00 P.M.

Mark Distribution: Assignments: 20%

Laboratory: 20% Midterm test: 25% Final Exam: 35%

Laboratory Sections: You MUST be registered in a lab section and complete the required

laboratory work.

Midterm Test: Friday, October 20 In-Class test (50 minutes)

Material covered during September 7 – October 13

Final Exam (3 hours): Check the final exams schedule. (All course material)

Formula sheets for the tests: One side of a sheet for the midterm tests and both sides for the final

A missed test will result in a grade of 0 for that test unless a formal excuse is provided in which case the weight of the test will be added to the final exam's weight.

Assignments are emailed on or before Friday every week and are due on the following Friday lecture. Late assignments will not be considered for marking. A mark of $\underline{0}$ will be assessed to a late assignment or to one not handed in.

Assignment Solutions: The assignment solutions will be posted on the course webpages.

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Topics

Chapter 1: Units and Measurement

Chapter 2: Vectors

Chapter 3: Motion Along a Straight Line

Chapter 4: Motion in Two and Three Dimensions

Chapter 5: Newton's Laws of Motion

Chapter 6: Applications of Newton's Laws

Chapter 7: Work and Kinetic Energy

Chapter 8: Potential Energy and Conservation of Energy

Chapter 9: Linear Momentum and Collisions

Chapter 10: Rotation (time permitting)

Marking Scheme:

Mark	Letter Grade	Grade Point Value
90 - 100	A+	4.0
86 - 90	A	4.0
82 - 86	A-	3.7
78 - 82	B+	3.3
74 - 78	В	3.0
70 - 74	B-	2.7
66 - 70	C+	2.3
62 - 66	C	2.0
58 - 62	C-	1.7
54 - 58	D+	1.3
50 - 54	D	1.0
0 - 50	F	0.0