

## BIOL/PHYS 438

# Zoological Physics

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## Poster Sessions

**Tuesday:** "Best poster" prize to ???  
for ???

**Thursday:** "Best poster" prize to ???  
for ???

Can't be awarded until **all Titles** are entered!

**Prize(s):** **Mandriva One Linux CD** or  
**gift certificate from UBC**  
**Bookstore** (winners' choice)

## Logistics

- Thursday (last day of classes): **Papers Due!**
- **Final Exam:** Friday 27 April, 08:30-11:00 in Angus 425  
( but don't take my word for it! )

**Open Book + Lists of Constants** etc.

**No Collaboration; no computers.**

**All Topics are Fair Game**

**Concepts, Calculations & Essays**

+ **Write Your Own Exam Questions!**

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Physics 438  
Sessional Examination  
08:30 PM — 27 April 2007 — ANGU 425

Unofficial time/date/venue TIME: 2½ HOURS

FULL NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ STUDENT #: \_\_\_\_\_

SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_

This Examination paper consists of \_\_\_\_\_ pages (including this one). Make sure you have all INSTRUCTIONS.  
Write your name on every sheet.

Open Book

Try every question — easy ones first! A diagram is usually a good start.  
Read carefully!

MARKING:

Q1	/50	Q4	/50
Q2	/50	Q5	/50
Q3	/50	Q6	/50
TOTAL		/300	

NAMES OF INSTRUCTORS: \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_

### + Zoological Data (send me your suggestions!)

### Mathematical Formulae:

$$(1 + \delta)^{-1} = 1 - \delta + \delta^2 - \delta^3 + \delta^4 - \dots$$

#### Fundamental Physical Constants:

Universal Gravitational Constant	$G = 6.672 \times 10^{-11} \text{ m}^3 \text{ kg}^{-1} \text{ s}^{-2}$
Planck's constant	$h = 6.6262 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J}\cdot\text{s} = 4.1357 \times 10^{-15} \text{ eV}\cdot\text{s}$
Planck's constant / $2\pi$	$\hbar = \frac{h}{2\pi} = 1.0546 \times 10^{-34} \text{ J}\cdot\text{s} = 6.5982 \times 10^{-16} \text{ eV}\cdot\text{s}$
Permittivity of free space	$\epsilon_0 = \frac{10^7}{4\pi c^2} = 0.8854 \times 10^{-12} \text{ C}^2/\text{N}\cdot\text{m}^2 \text{ [F/m]}$
constant in Coulomb's Law	$k_E = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} = 8.988 \times 10^9 \text{ N}\cdot\text{m}^2/\text{C}^2$
Permeability of free space	$\mu_0 = 4\pi \times 10^{-7} = 1.2566 \times 10^{-6} \text{ N/A}^2 \text{ [H/m]}$
constant in Biot-Savart Law	$k_B = \frac{\mu_0}{4\pi} = 10^{-7} \text{ T}\cdot\text{m/A} \text{ [H/m]}$
Electric charge of a proton	$e = 1.602 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C}$
Speed of light in vacuum	$c = 2.99792458 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s}$
Avogadro's number	$N_A = 6.022 \times 10^{23} \text{ molecules per mole}$
Proton rest mass	$M_p = 1.673 \times 10^{-27} \text{ kg}$
Neutron rest mass	$M_n = 1.675 \times 10^{-27} \text{ kg}$
Electron rest mass	$m_e = 9.11 \times 10^{-31} \text{ kg}$
Bohr magneton	$\mu_B = 9.274 \times 10^{-24} \text{ J/T [1 T} \approx 10^4 \text{ G]}$
Boltzmann constant	$k_B = 1.3807 \times 10^{-23} \text{ J/K}$
Stefan-Boltzmann constant	$\sigma_B = \left(\frac{2^5 \pi^6}{15 \times 15 \times 15}\right) = 5.67 \times 10^{-8} \text{ W}\cdot\text{m}^{-2} \text{ K}^{-4}$

#### Empirical Physical Constants & Conversion Factors:

Acceleration due to gravity	$g = 9.81 \text{ ms}^{-2}$ (at Earth's surface)
Mass of the Earth	$M_E = 5.974 \times 10^{24} \text{ kg}$
Mass of the Moon	$M_M = 7.348 \times 10^{22} \text{ kg}$
Mass of Mars	$M_Ma = 6.418 \times 10^{23} \text{ kg}$
Mass of the Sun	$M_S = 1.989 \times 10^{30} \text{ kg}$
Mean radius of the Earth	$R_E = 6.367 \times 10^6 \text{ m}$
Mean radius of the Moon	$R_M = 1.737 \times 10^6 \text{ m}$
Mean radius of Mars	$R_Ma = 3.400 \times 10^6 \text{ m}$
Mean radius of the Sun	$R_S = 6.96 \times 10^8 \text{ m}$
Mean Earth-Moon distance	$R_{EM} = 3.844 \times 10^8 \text{ m}$
Mean Sun-Earth distance	$R_{SE} = 1.496 \times 10^{11} \text{ m}$
Mean Sun-Mars distance	$R_{SM} = 2.28 \times 10^{11} \text{ m}$
Surface Temperature of the Sun	$T_S = 5785 \text{ K}$
Insolation at the Earth's orbit	$P_{SE} = 1.363 \text{ W}\cdot\text{m}^{-2}$
Speed of sound in air (typical)	$c_{\text{sound}} \approx 340 \text{ m/s}$
Freezing point of water	$0^\circ\text{C} = 273.15 \text{ K at 1 atm}$
Triple point of water	$0.01^\circ\text{C} = 273.16 \text{ K at 0.000373 atm}$
electron volt	$1 \text{ eV} = 1.602 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J} = 5/9 \times 11,000 \text{ K}$
Atmospheric pressure	$1 \text{ atm} = 760 \text{ torr} = 1.013 \times 10^5 \text{ Pascal (N/m}^2)$

SAMPLE

## How to write a good PAPER

### • Have something to say!

Outline first, then fill in →

( These are just guidelines! )

### • Spelling, Grammar & Style

### • Submit as PDF or Tree Carcass

### • Abstract

### • Introduction

### • Theory

### • Experiment &/or Data

### • Data Analysis & Results

### • Conclusions

### • Acknowledgements

### • References

## Journal Format

### • Phys Rev & REVTeX

See <http://authors.aps.org/revtex4/>

### • Nature & Word

See <http://www.nature.com/nature/authors/>

### • Other: Specify which journal!

## Outline of Course

### • Heat & Energy

### • Statics & Fluids

### • Dynamics

### • Waves

### • Light

### • Sound

### • Electromagnetism

### • Food & Metabolism

### • Body & Organ Design

### • Locomotion

### • Data Transmission

### • Vision & Display

### • Hearing & Speech

### • 6<sup>th</sup> & 7<sup>th</sup> Senses

## Concept Maps

Make your own (study aid!) &  
Bring to the exam if you like.