

## OUTCOMES BASED LEARNING MATRIX

Course: College Physics I(PHSY 151)

Department: Physical Science

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**At the end of the course,  
students will be able to:**

**Students will participate in:**

**Faculty will evaluate:**

COURSE OUTCOMES	OUTCOME ACTIVITIES	ASSESSMENT TOOLS
<p><b>Introduction:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- describe the scientific method.</li> <li>- convert between units in various systems using algebraic cancellation of units.</li> <li>- skillfully use common laboratory instruments to measure length, mass, and time.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- lectures, discussions, and demonstrations. (CT, QS, OC)</li> <li>- reading the textbook, including sample problems. (CT, R, QS)</li> <li>- solving assigned problems. (CT, R, QS)</li> <li>- Measurement Lab (CT, R, QS, TS)</li> <li>- organizing and documenting information in lab reports. (CT, W, QS)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Tests with emphasis on solving problems (CT, W, QS, R)</li> <li>- Lab performance (CT, QS, TS, R, OC)</li> <li>- Lab reports (W, QS, CT)</li> </ul>
<p><b>Motion in One Dimension:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- define and describe displacement, velocity and acceleration.</li> <li>- interpret graphs of displacement, velocity or acceleration vs. time and use the graph to qualitatively relate the quantity to the other two.</li> <li>- solve motion problems using equations of motion.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- lectures, discussions and demonstrations. (CT, QS, OC)</li> <li>- reading the textbook, including sample problems. (CT, R, QS)</li> <li>- solving assigned problems. (CT, R, QS)</li> <li>- Graphical Analysis of Accelerated Motion Lab and Acceleration Due To Gravity Lab. (CT, R, QS, TS)</li> <li>- organizing and documenting information in lab reports. (CT, W, QS)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Tests with emphasis on solving problems (CT, W, QS, R)</li> <li>- Lab performance (CT, QS, TS, R, OC)</li> <li>- Lab reports (W, QS, CT)</li> </ul>

<p><b>Vector Analysis:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- find the components of a vector.</li> <li>- add vectors graphically.</li>   <li>- add vectors mathematically using components.</li>   <li>- interpret the product of a vector and a scalar, as well as vector subtraction.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- lectures, discussions and demonstrations. (CT, QS, OC)</li> <li>- reading the textbook, including sample problems. (CT, R, QS)</li> <li>- solving assigned problems. (CT, R, QS)</li> <li>- Vector Lab. (CT, R, QS, TS)</li> <li>- organizing and documenting information in lab reports. (CT, W, QS)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Tests with emphasis on solving problems (CT, W, QS, R)</li> <li>- Lab performance (CT, QS, TS, R, OC)</li> <li>- Lab reports (W, QS, CT)</li> </ul>
<p><b>Motion in Two Dimensions:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- develop equations of motion for motion in a plane.</li>   <li>- analyze motion in a plane using components, including projectile motion and circular motion.</li>   <li>- solve projectile motion and other two-dimensional problems using equations of motion</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- lectures, discussions and demonstrations. (CT, QS, OC)</li> <li>- reading the textbook, including sample problems. (CT, R, QS)</li> <li>- solving assigned problems. (CT, R, QS)</li> <li>- Projectile Motion Lab (CT, R, QS, TS)</li> <li>- organizing and documenting information in lab reports. (CT, W, QS)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Tests with emphasis on solving problems (CT, W, QS, R)</li> <li>- Lab performance (CT, QS, TS, R, OC)</li> <li>- Lab reports (W, QS, CT)</li> </ul>
<p><b>Newton's Laws:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- to analyze common situations with Newton's First and Third Laws</li> <li>- predict the acceleration of several kinds of motion using vector components and Newton's Second Law. These include connected-body</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- lectures, discussions and demonstrations. (CT, QS, OC)</li> <li>- reading the textbook, including sample problems. (CT, R, QS)</li> <li>- solving assigned problems. (CT, R, QS)</li> <li>- Newton's Second Law on the Air Track Labs (CT, R, QS, TS)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Tests with emphasis on solving problems (CT, W, QS, R)</li> <li>- Lab performance (CT, QS, TS, R, OC)</li> <li>- Lab reports (W, QS, CT)</li> </ul>

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<b>Work and Energy:</b> - calculate work done by a variety of forces. - use the Work-Energy Theorem to solve motion problems. - identify which types of energy are present in a given situation, and decide if conditions in a problem indicate that energy is conserved. - apply the concept of power to solve problems involving the rate of work being done or the rate of energy transformation.	- lectures, discussions and demonstrations. (CT, QS, OC) - reading the textbook, including sample problems. (CT, R, QS) - solving assigned problems. (CT, R, QS) - Conservation of Energy Lab (CT, R, QS, TS) - organizing and documenting information in lab reports. (CT, W, QS)	- Tests with emphasis on solving problems (CT, W, QS, R) - Lab performance (CT, QS, TS, R, OC) - Lab reports (W, QS, CT)
<b>Impulse and Momentum:</b> - calculate impulse and momentum. - use impulse and momentum to solve problems involving interactions between objects (e.g., collisions). This includes elastic and perfectly inelastic collisions.	- lectures, discussions and demonstrations. (CT, QS, OC) - reading the textbook, including sample problems. (CT, R, QS) - solving assigned problems. (CT, R, QS) - Ballistic Pendulum Lab. (CT, R, QS, TS) - organizing and documenting information in lab reports. (CT, W, QS)	- Tests with emphasis on solving problems (CT, W, QS, R) - Lab performance (CT, QS, TS, R, OC) - Lab reports (W, QS, CT)

<p><b>Rotational Motion:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- describe the basic variables of rotational motion -- angular displacement, velocity and acceleration.</li> <li>- recognize the analogy between rotational motion and linear motion through the use of a different coordinate system.</li> <li>- analyze and solve rotational motion problems using the rotational forms of equations of motion, Newton's Laws, Conservation of Energy, and Conservation of Angular Momentum</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- lectures, discussions and demonstrations. (CT, QS, OC)</li> <li>- reading the textbook, including sample problems. (CT, R, QS)</li> <li>- solving assigned problems. (CT, R, QS)</li> <li>- Centripetal Force Lab, Moment of Inertia Lab. (CT, R, QS, TS)</li> <li>- organizing and documenting information in lab reports. (CT, W, QS)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Tests with emphasis on solving problems (CT, W, QS, R)</li> <li>- Lab performance (CT, QS, TS, R, OC)</li> <li>- Lab reports (W, QS, CT)</li> </ul>
<p><b>General:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- when solving a problem, determine which approach is the appropriate one (Newton's Laws, Conservation of Energy, Conservation of Momentum; linear or rotational cases).</li> <li>- master techniques of algebra and trigonometry necessary to do the analyses listed above.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- lectures, discussions and demonstrations. (CT, QS, OC)</li> <li>- reading the textbook, including sample problems. (CT, R, QS)</li> <li>- solving assigned problems. (CT, R, QS)</li> <li>- experiments during lab sessions. (CT, R, QS, TS)</li> <li>- organizing and documenting information in lab reports. (CT, W, QS)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Tests with emphasis on solving problems (CT, W, QS, R)</li> <li>- Lab performance (CT, QS, TS, R, OC)</li> <li>- Lab reports (W, QS, CT)</li> </ul>