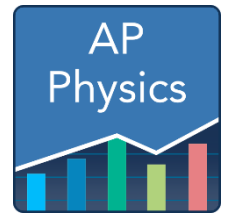


# AP Physics (C) Outline -----

**Instructor: Payman Kamyar**

Format: *Online | 15 Sessions | 90 Minutes Each*

Focus: *Past Free-Response Questions (FRQs) & Concept Review*



## **Course Introduction**

Welcome, everyone! This AP Physics C Review Course is designed to help you strengthen your understanding of Mechanics and Electricity & Magnetism while practicing real past exam FRQs. Each session will include a brief review of key concepts followed by guided problem-solving, ensuring that you're well-prepared for the exam.

This course is interactive and discussion-based—so ask questions, challenge ideas, and engage with the material. My goal is to help you not just solve problems but truly understand the physics behind them.

I am an experienced IBDP and AP Physics teacher with over 30 years of teaching experience, specializing in high school physics, experimental projects, and academic writing. I have authored 20+ physics books, developed problem-solving strategies, and conducted international workshops on physics education.

I believe in conceptual clarity and structured problem-solving—we'll use multiple approaches, including diagrams, mathematical reasoning, and real-world applications, to help you grasp even the trickiest topics.

Looking forward to working with you all—let's ace this exam together!

## ***Mechanics (Sessions 1–9)***

### **1. Kinematics**

- ✓ **Review:** Motion in 1D and 2D, equations of motion, projectile motion.
- ✓ **FRQs:** Solve 2–3 problems focused on kinematics.

### **2. Newton's Laws of Motion, Part 1**

- ✓ **Review:** Forces, free-body diagrams, inclined planes.
- ✓ **FRQs:** Practice simple force-analysis problems.

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## 3. Newton's Laws of Motion, Part 2

- ✓ **Review:** Advanced systems—tension, pulleys, and multi-body problems.
- ✓ **FRQs:** Solve complex, multi-step force-based questions.

## 4. Work, Energy, and Power

- ✓ **Review:** Work-energy theorem, conservation laws, and power.
- ✓ **FRQs:** Tackle problems involving energy transformations.

## 5. Momentum and Impulse

- ✓ **Review:** Linear momentum, impulse, and both elastic and inelastic collisions.
- ✓ **FRQs:** Analyze momentum-based scenarios.

## 6. Rotational Motion, Part 1

- ✓ **Review:** Angular kinematics, torque, and moment of inertia.
- ✓ **FRQs:** Solve basic rotational motion problems.

## 7. Rotational Motion, Part 2

- ✓ **Review:** Angular momentum and advanced rotational dynamics.
- ✓ **FRQs:** Tackle combined rotational problems involving torque and angular momentum.

## 8. Gravitation, Part 1

- ✓ **Review:** Newton's law of gravitation, orbital mechanics, escape velocity.
- ✓ **FRQs:** Solve questions on gravitational interactions and orbital motion.

## 9. Comprehensive Mechanics Practice

- ✓ **Review:** Summary of Mechanics topics (Kinematics, Forces, Energy, Momentum, Rotation, Gravitation).

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- ✓ **FRQs:** Mixed-topic Mechanics problems for reinforcement.

## ***Electromagnetism (Sessions 10–17)***

### **10. Electrostatics, Part 1**

- ✓ **Review:** Electric charge, Coulomb's law, and electric fields.
- ✓ **FRQs:** Solve basic electrostatics problems.

### **11. Electrostatics, Part 2**

- ✓ **Review:** Electric potential and potential energy in fields.
- ✓ **FRQs:** Tackle more conceptual electrostatics problems.

### **12. Gauss's Law**

- ✓ **Review:** Applications of Gauss's law and electric flux.
- ✓ **FRQs:** Work on Gauss's law-related problems.

### **13. Circuits, Part 1**

- ✓ **Review:** Ohm's law, Kirchhoff's rules.
- ✓ **FRQs:** Solve problems involving simple DC circuits.

### **14. Circuits, Part 2**

- ✓ **Review:** RC circuits and transient behavior in circuits.
- ✓ **FRQs:** Focus on advanced circuit problems.

### **15. Magnetism and Ampere's Law**

- ✓ **Review:** Magnetic fields, forces on charges, and Ampere's law.
- ✓ **FRQs:** Analyze challenging magnetism questions.

### **16. Electromagnetic Induction**

- ✓ **Review:** Faraday's law, Lenz's law, and induced EMF.
- ✓ **FRQs:** Induction problems and real-world applications.

### **17. Maxwell's Equations and Waves**

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- ✓ **Review:** Overview of Maxwell's equations and electromagnetic waves.
- ✓ **FRQs:** Solve wave-related questions and reinforce conceptual knowledge.

## ----- Session 18: Full Practice Exam Simulation -----

- ✓ Work out and analysis a full past AP Physics C exam (Mechanics and E&M) under timed conditions.
- ✓ Discuss and analyze approaches to identify strengths and areas for improvement.