

Physics 4311: Thermal Physics – Feedback Questionnaire

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Lectures

- Overall level: **1** too easy / **7** rather easy / average / rather hard / **1** too hard
- I feel I am missing prerequisites **1** yes (which?) / no **7**
- I know the math used in the lectures: **3** always / **5** most of the time / significant gaps **1**
- Contents: Of the material covered in the lecture, I already knew
all / **1** most / **2** some / a little / **6** nothing
- Pace: The lectures are **1** too fast / **7** O.K. / **1** too slow
- Books: I'm using the textbooks by **Blundell+Blundell** / other (which?)
- For following the lectures, the books are **5** necessary / **4** useful / unnecessary
- Further comments or suggestions concerning the lectures? (use back of sheet if necessary)

Homework

- Overall difficulty (NOT the amount of work, see next point for this)
1 too easy / **7** rather easy / average / rather hard / **1** too hard
- Amount of work compared to other 4000 level classes
2 much less / less / **3** same / **3** more / much more
- Problem set descriptions: **1** too vague / sufficiently clear **7**
- Lecture notes are sufficient to do the homework **7** yes / no **1**
- For solving the homework, the text book is **1** necessary / useful / unnecessary **5**
- Further suggestions concerning the homework? **1** **5** **2**

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Exam 1

- I felt I was severely limited by the available time. I would have been able to answer the questions much better if the test time had been longer. **0** Yes / No **9**
- I felt the test problems covered topics never discussed in lecture. (Which?) **0** Yes / No **9**
- I felt the test problems covered topics never covered in the homework. (Which?) **1** Yes / No **8**
- I felt the test problems were harder than the homework problems. (Which?) **0** Yes / No **9**
- Further comments concerning exam 1?