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Nuclear physics 719 (PHY 719)

Qualification Postgraduate

Faculty of Natural and Agricultural Sciences

Module credits 10.00

NQF Level 08

Prerequisites Admission only with permission by the Head of the Department of Physics

Contact time 2 lectures per week

Language of tuition Module is presented in English

Department Physics

Period of presentation Semester 2

Module content

Quarks, Nucleons, Isobaric Invariance, NN-interaction, Two-nucleeon system, Deuteron, Elements of scattering theory, NN-scattering, Few-body nuclear systems, General properties of medium and heavy nuclei, Nuclear models, Radioactivity, Nuclear reactions, α -, β -, and γ -decays, Nuclear fission, Nuclear fusion, nuclear astrophysics.

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