Classical mechanics MT Topics

- 1. Galilean spacetime, Galilean transformation.
- 2. Constrained motion, Lagrange multipliers, d'Alembert principle, generalized coordinates.
- 3. Deriving Lagrange equations form d'Alembert principle.
- 4. Variational calculus, the principle of least action.
- 5. Noether's theorem.
- 6. Central-force problem.
- 7. Kepler's problem.
- 8. Small oscillations of systems with several degrees of freedom.
- 9. Hamilton's equations, phase space.
- 10. Poisson brackets.
- 11. Symplectic transformations.
- 12. Hamiltonian flow as a symplectic map.
- 13. Generating functions for canonical transformations.
- 14. Hamilton-Jacobi equation.
- 15. Liouville integrability.
- 16. Action-angle coordinates, multiply periodic motion.
- 17. Poincaré sections, KAM theorem.