

<b>IPC Physics Final Review Vocab</b>
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**Chapter 1 and 2—Speed and Acceleration**

1. <b>Variable</b>	A. One time an experiment is run.	1. Linear	A. The variable on the vertical axis (y-axis).
2. <b>Experiment</b>	B. A setup used to gather data and knowledge.	2. Independent variable	B. The slope of a speed vs. time graph.
3. Data Table	C. A list of information from an experiment.	3. Dependent variable	C. The variable on the horizontal axis (x-axis).
4. <b>Trial</b>	D. A part of an experiment that can be changed or manipulated.	4. <b>Slope</b>	D. A type of graph that looks like a straight line.
5. <b>Procedure</b>	E. How an experiment is actually conducted.	5. <b>Speed</b>	E. The measure of the steepness of a line.
		6. <b>Acceleration</b>	F. The slope of a position vs. time graph.

**Chapter 3 and 4—Newton's Laws and Simple Machines**

1. Inertia	A. An action that can causes motion.	1. Weight	A. When all forces on an object are balanced.
2. Friction	B. Force pulling all object toward each other.	2. Equilibrium	B. The force of gravity on an object.
3. Gravity	C. Any force that resists motion. Causes heat.	3. Mass	C. The acceleration of gravity.
4. Net force	D. Total of all of the forces on an object.	4. Heat	D. The a product of friction.
5. Force	E. Ability of an object to resist change of motion.	5. g	E. The measure of the matter in an object.
1. Newton's First Law	A. For every action there is an equal an opposite reaction.	1. Mechanical Advantage	A. How much force you get with the simple machine (usually the weight of the object)
2. <b>Momentum</b>	B. Momentum does not change in a closed system OR $m_L v_L = m_R v_R$	2. Simple Machine	B. A machine that has no motor and does a function in one motion.
3. Newton's Second Law	C. Measure of the product of an object's mass and velocity; has to be moving.	3. Machine	C. How much force you apply to the simple machine.
4. Newton's Third Law	D. Objects at rest stay at rest and objects in motion stay at motion unless acted on by a net force.	4. Input Force	D. How much a machine amplifies or reduces your force.
5. <b>Law of Conservation of Momentum</b>	E. Force equals mass times acceleration.	5. Output Force	E. Any device that has moving parts and can do work.

**Chapter 5—Work and Energy**

1. <b>Energy</b>	A. Uses energy and can create energy.	1. Thermal	A. Energy of the atom being split or fused.
2. <b>Power</b>	B. Energy of motion; dependent on mass and velocity.	2. Nuclear	B. Energy cannot be destroyed or created, just transformed.
3. <b>Work</b>	C. Energy of position; dependent on height, mass, and gravity.	3. Radiant	C. Energy of moving electrons.
4. <b>Kinetic Energy</b>	D. The rate of doing work; how fast you do work.	4. Mechanical	D. Heat energy. Also caused by friction.
5. <b>Potential Energy</b>	E. Has the ability to create forces; stored work.	5. Law of Conservation of Energy	E. Light energy—electromagnetic radiation.
		6. Chemical	F. Energy (kinetic or potential) stored in object and can do work.
		7. Electrical	G. Energy of molecular bonds.

**Chapter 10—Magnetism**

1. Magnet	A. Anything that attracts or repels another magnet or magnetic material.	1. Conduction	A. Heat transfer through electromagnetic waves.
2. Electro magnet	B. The area in which magnets will feel magnetic force. More arrows show a stronger one.	2. Thermal Equilibrium	B. Will allow heat or electricity to move.
3. Magnetic field	C. A magnet made from electricity going through wrapped wires.	3. Radiation	C. Thermal (heat) transfer by the contact (touching) of two objects.
4. Generator	D. Forcing energy into wires by moving magnets.	4. Convection	D. Transfers heat by moving currents in gases and liquids.
5. Motor	E. Uses energy to cause electromagnets to turn and do work.	5. Thermo dynamics	E. When two objects are at the same temperature.
6. Magnetic Induction	F. Uses work to spin magnets and make energy.	6. Insulator	F. Will resist heat and electricity.
		7. Conductor	G. The study of how heat moves.

**Chapter 27—Thermodynamics****Chapter 6 - 9 — Electricity**

1. Electricity	A. Slows down the flow of electricity.	1. Fuse	A. A circuit with a break in it; no electricity will flow.
2. Current	B. Pushes electricity through a circuit.	2. Circuit breaker	B. Has independent paths for the electricity.
3. Electrically neutral	C. Electricity can flow through this.	3. Parallel Circuit	C. Has only one path for the electricity.
4. Resistance	D. A circuit that has a wire across a device which causes it to go off.	4. Series Circuit	D. A device that breaks to protect against excessive current. Must be replaced.
5. Voltage	E. The flow of electricity through a circuit.	5. Open Circuit	E. Protects against high current, but can be reset.
6. Short Circuit	F. Electrons flowing in circuits.	6. Closed Circuit	F. A circuit that has no breaks in it; electricity can flow in it.
	G. An object that has equal amounts of positive and negative charges.		

**Chapter 11 - 15 — Harmonic Motion and Light**

1. Period	A. The number of cycles per second.	1. Transverse wave	A. A wave where the oscillation is perpendicular to the direction of motion.
2. Amplitude	B. A unit of one cycle per second.	2. Longitudinal wave	B. A wave that is a multiple of another wave.
3. Frequency	C. The size or strength of a cycle.	3. Standing wave	C. A wave that is trapped within boundaries; has nodes and antinodes.
4. Cycle	D. Time it takes to complete one cycle.	4. Harmonic	D. A wave where the oscillation is in the same direction (parallel) as the motion.
5. Hertz	E. A part of motion that repeats over and over with a set series of events.	5. Wavelength	E. The length of one wave cycle.
1. Absorption	A. When a wave bends at a corner.	1. Optics	A. The act of only allowing one-directional light to pass through a "filter".
2. Refraction	B. When a wave is dampened inside a soft boundary.	2. Concave	B. The study of how light behaves.
3. Diffraction	C. A single particle or packet of light.	3. Fluorescent	C. Technology based on bending light in cables.
4. Reflection	D. A wave bouncing off of a hard boundary.	4. Convex	D. Efficient light because it produces little heat.
5. $3 \times 10^8$ m/sec	E. A wave bending inside transparent objects.	5. Lens	E. A lens or mirror that is bigger in the middle.
6. Photon	F. The fastest speed in the universe: the speed of light.	6. Polarization	F. A lens or mirror that is bigger at the ends.
7. EM Spectrum	G. All light: visible and invisible.	7. Fiber optics	