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ATOC 515. TURBULENCE IN ATMOSPHERE AND OCEANS.

Credits: 3

Offered by: Atmospheric & Oceanic Sciences (Faculty of Science)

This course is not offered this catalogue year.

Description

Application of statistical and semi-empirical methods to the study of geophysical turbulence. Reynolds' equations, dimensional analysis, and similarity. The surface and planetary boundary layers. Oceanic mixed layer. Theories of isotropic two- and three- dimensional turbulence: energy and enstrophy inertial ranges. Beta turbulence.

- Winter
- · 3 hours lecture
- Prerequisite (Undergraduate): MATH 314, MATH 315, a previous course in fluid dynamics (such as ATOC 512), or permission of instructor

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