

Review for Exam 2:

1. Scattering as a source of radiation. Multiple scattering. Single scattering approximation.
Lecture 10, Eqs.[10.3]-[10.7]
2. Principles of remote sensing of ozone in the UV region.
Lecture 11
3. Principles of remote sensing of ocean color.
Lecture 13
4. Principles of remote sensing using emission in the IR and microwave regions.
Lecture 14, Eqs.[14.1]-[14.4], [14.7]-[14.8], [14.13]
5. Measurements of path-integrated quantities: precipitable water vapor and cloud liquid water.
Lecture 14, Eqs.[14.15]-[14.16]
6. Remote sensing of SST. Split-window technique. Microwave vs. IR retrievals of SST.
Lecture 15
7. Passive remote sensing of precipitation: IR and microwave techniques
Lecture 16
8. Retrievals of cloud properties from passive remote sensing.
Lecture 17
9. Principles of sounding by emission. Concept of the weighting function.
Lecture 18, Eqs.[18.3]-[18.4], [18.12]
10. Principles of sounding of the temperature profile and trace gases.
Lecture 19
11. Principles of active remote sensing. Radar basics. Backscattering.
Lecture 20, Eq.[20.8], Lecture 21, Eqs.[21.1]-[21.5]
12. Radar sensing of precipitation.
Lecture 21, Eqs.[21.7]-[21.9]
13. Basics of SAR and Doppler radars.
Lectures 24 and 25
14. Lidar basics. Lidar equation. Elastic backscattering and Raman lidars.
Lectures 22-23, Eqs.[22.1], [23.1]