

LON-CAPA Tutorial

<http://uwindsor.lon-capa.net/>

Logging In

New Students

- if your e-mail is bobsmith@uwindsor.ca and your student number is 123456789 then:

Username: bobsmith
Password: 123456789
Domain: uwindsor

Returning Students

- Use the same login and password as last year

University of Windsor For login instructions please refer to the course website

Accessibility Options
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User Authentication

Username:
Password:
Domain: uwindsor

Login

The LearningOnline Network with CAPA

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Note: Please do not contact the Helpdesk if you are having trouble signing in – they cannot solve student user problems

Navigating the System – Main Menu

The screenshot shows the LON-CAPA Main Menu interface. At the top, there is a navigation bar with links: [Main Menu](#), [Return to Last Location](#), [Navigate Contents](#), [Courses](#), and [Help Exit](#). The main content area is titled "Main Menu" and includes the user's name and course: "Student Chem 110 Fall 07".

The menu is organized into several sections:

- My Courses**: Includes a "choose course" link to "Choose the course to work on".
- Communication**: Includes "Course announcements and my calendar" (with a calendar icon) and "Send and receive messages" (with an envelope icon).
- My Space**: Includes "Enter my groups in the course" (with a group icon), "Enter my portfolio space" (with a portfolio icon), "Edit blogs, RSS feeds, and podcasts" (with a document icon), "Set my user preferences" (with a gear icon), and "Use or edit my bookmark collection" (with a bookmark icon).
- Grading and Statistics**: Includes "View current problem status and grading information" (with a computer monitor icon).
- Course Content**: Includes "View documents included in this course" (with a document icon) and "Navigate the table of contents for this course" (with a refresh icon).
- Other**: Includes "Exit LON-CAPA" (with a red arrow icon).
- Content Library**: Includes "Search the contents of this course or accessible portfolio files" (with a magnifying glass icon).

Callouts provide additional information:

- A callout pointing to the "Main Menu" link says: "Brings you back to this screen."
- A callout pointing to the "Navigate Contents" link says: "All assignments and questions are found here."
- A callout pointing to the "View current problem status and grading information" link says: "View your LON-CAPA grades."
- A callout pointing to the "Set my user preferences" link says: "Change your password, colour scheme, etc."
- A callout pointing to the "Exit LON-CAPA" link says: "Always logout after each LON-CAPA session."

Submitting an Answer

Use the back/forward arrows to easily navigate into the next question.

No access to a computer?
No problem. Print out your LON-CAPA questions and take them with you.

The screenshot shows a navigation bar with the following elements:

- [Main Menu](#)
- [Navigate Contents](#)
- [Courses](#)
- [Help](#)
- [Exit](#)

The main content area displays the title: **Chem 140 Fall 07, Assignment #1: Significant Figures and Units in Compound Calculations. III**

Navigation options include:

- Go to the previous resource in the course sequence (left arrow)
- Go to the next resource in the course sequence (right arrow)
- Show catalog information
- Prepare a printable document
- Make notes and annotations about this resource

Utility options include:

- Provide my evaluation of this resource
- Provide feedback messages or contribute to the course discussion about this resource
- Set a bookmark for this resource

Evaluate the following expression and give your answer in scientific notation, rounded to the correct number of significant figures.
Also include units in your response.

$$(4.55258 \times 10^{-6} \text{ km/s} + 2.7420 \times 10^{-5} \text{ km/s}) \times 1.58 \times 10^5 \text{ s} = 5.05 \text{ km}$$

You are correct. Computer's answer now shown above. [Previous Tries](#)
Your receipt is 159-2279 ?

Click on links to get information on how to submit answers in correct formats.

[Post Discussion](#)
[Send Message](#)

If your answers are correct you will receive a receipt confirmation number.

Solved a problem no one else can get?
Give fellow students hints by posting in the discussion forum.



Additional Information

Not able to Login?

- If you have just registered for the course it takes 24 hours for your LON-CAPA account to become active. Email the course email box if you are still having problems after 48 hours.
- Make sure you are using the correct login and password (see the first slide)
- If none of the above works check that your browser allows cookies and javascript. If you are still not able to login try another browser (firefox which you can download for free at www.mozilla.com) If still not able to login try another computer. If you are still having a problem please see a TA in the resource centre (EH 182).

The system won't accept my answers!

- Check your units. There is usually a message stating that you are missing or using incorrect units.
- If you get the message to use more/less digits it means that you are not using the correct number of significant figures in your answer.
- A common problem is using a zero for oxygen instead of capital O which look very similar to the eye but not the computer e.g. H₂O vs. H₂0