

# From Newton to Hawking: A History of Cambridge University's Lucasian Professors of Mathematics. Kevin C. Knox, Richard Noakes. 486 pages. 9780521663106. 2003.

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