

Departmental Syllabus
MAT 721, Probability I
Fall 2010

Course Description: Measure and integration, random variables and their distributions and transforms, modes of convergence, classical limit laws.

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Text: *Probability: Theory and Examples, 4th Edition*, by Richard Durrett.

Prerequisites: MAT 701 or some knowledge of measure theory.

Course Format: The course meets three times per week.

Homework: There will be regular homework sets.

Examinations: There will be a final exam and perhaps a mid-term exam.

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