MAT 600
Topics in Number Theory
Summer Session I 2013

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Text: Introduction to Analytic Number Theory, by Tom M. Apostol, Sixth Edition

Course Description: Topics included: Introduction to analytic methods; arithmetic functions and their average value; elementary prime number theory; Dirichlet series and Euler products; elementary partition theory; continued fractions; other topics as time allows.

Prerequisite: MAT 541 or equivalent course, or permission of instructor.

Grading: Your grade will be based on the following:

- Two mid-term exams 20% each
- Comprehensive final exam 30%
- Homework 30%

Exam Dates: Tentative schedule:
- Exam 1 Wednesday, June 5, 2013
- Exam 2 Thursday, June 20, 2013
- Final Exam Thursday, June 27, 2013, 10:00 – 11:45 am
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