SYLLABUS

MATHEMATICS 171.57241

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Computer Literacy for Math Majors

Spring 2005

Meeting time	Location		
TR 12:40-1:5	55 Perkins 60		
TR 2:10-3:2	25 Ayres 15		
	Instructor	TA	
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Course Description (from 2004-2005 Course Catalogue): Introduction to computers, the internet, mathematical packages and programming for prospective mathematics majors. Prereq: 141.

Course Objective: Provide students with the ability to design algorithmic solutions to Mathematical problems and implement their algorithms in FORTRAN 95.

Textbooks: Fortran 90/95 for Scientists and Engineers by Stephen J. Chapman, ISBN: 0-07-282575-8, and Programming with Fortran 77 by William E. Mayo and Martin Cwiakala, ISBN: 0-07-041155-7.

Grading scale:		Grade composition:			
900-1000	А	Twenty Highest Lab grades (30 pts each)	600		
870-899	B+	Final Programming Project	200		
800-869	В	Midterm	100		
770-799	C+	Comprehensive Final	100		
700- 769	С	Total	1000		
600- 699	D				

Attendance Policy: Attendance is highly recommended: new language features will be covered in each lecture, and you will always be guaranteed access to a machine/grad student during the scheduled lab time. However, all labs will be submitted electronically, and all due dates, lab handouts, and announcements will be available online. This means you will be able to complete most of the coursework from home if you wish. Note that the labs will be designed to require several hours to complete; additional lab time may be required to complete some labs.

Disability Accommodations: Students who have a disability that require accommodation(s) should make an appointment with the Office of Disability Services (974-6087) to discuss their specific needs as well as schedule an appointment with me during my office hours.

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Course Outline										
Tuesday			Thursday							
Date	Topic	Reading	Date	Topic	Reading					
		Assign-			Assign-					
		ment			ment					
			Jan. 13	UNIX shell commands	See Handout					
Jan. 18	vi	See	Jan. 20	HTML						
		Handout								
Jan. 25	Intro to Maple		Jan. 27	Intro to Matlab						
Feb. 1	Intro to Fortran: For-	1.1-1.2,	Feb. 3	Intro to Fortran (con-	2.5-2.10					
	tran Versions, Program	2.1-2.4		tinued): Constants,						
	Structure, and Compil-			Variables, Statements,						
	ing			Arithmetic Expressions,						
				and Basic I/O						
Feb. 8	Logical Expressions	3.1-3.3	Feb. 10	Branching Statements	3.4-3.5					
Feb. 15	DO Loops	4.1.1	Feb. 17	Counting Loops,	4.1.2-					
				WHILE Loops, and	4.1.6					
				Named Loops						
Feb. 22	Character Data	4.2, 10.1	Feb. 24	I/O Formatting	5.1 - 5.4					
Mar. 1	File I/O	5.5, 14.3	Mar. 3	Arrays	6.1-6.4					
Mar. 8	Multidimensional Ar-	8.1-8.2	Mar. 10	Array Initialization	8.4-8.5					
	rays									
Mar. 15	Midterm		Mar. 17	Subroutines	7.1, 10.3					
Mar. 22	Spring Break		Mar. 24	Spring Break						
Mar. 29	Functions and Recursion	7.4, 13.2	Mar. 31	Modules	7.2-7.3					
Apr. 5	User-Defined Data	12.1-12.5	Apr. 7	Pointers	15.1-15.3					
	Types									
Apr. 12	Dynamic Memory Allo-	8.6, 15.4	Apr. 14	Matlab Programming						
	cation									
Apr. 19	Final Project		Apr. 21	Final Project						
Apr. 26	Final Project		Apr. 28	Final Project						
May 3	Final Exam 12:30-2:30		May 5	Final Exam 2:45-4:45						