

SYLLABUS FOR MA 211, LINEAR ALGEBRA

MA 211 Fall, 2003

Dates: August 25, 2003 – December 11, 2003

Time: 1:00 - 1:50 P.M., Monday, Wednesday, Thursday

Place: New Science Facility 1205

Instructor: Hal Martin, New Science Facility, 3011. Office phone: 227-1591.

Office Hours: 11:00 and 2:00, Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and 9:00 daily

Text: *Linear Algebra with applications* by Steven Leon

Material to be Covered, (Tentative): Chapter 1, Sections 1 – 5. Chapter 2, Sections 1 – 3. Chapter 3, Sections 1 – 6. Chapter 4, Sections 1 – 3. Chapter 5, Sections 1 – 6. Chapter 6, Sections 1 – 3.

Exams: There will be six exams during the semester plus a two hour final exam during exam week. The dates of the exams are as follows:

Exam 1: Thursday, September 11

Exam 2: Thursday, September 23

Exam 3: Thursday, October 9

Exam 4: Thursday, October 23

Exam 5: Thursday, November 6

Exam 6: Thursday, November 20

Final Exam: Thursday, December 11, 12:00 – 1:50 P.M.

Attendance: Required. Unexcused tests and exams will not be made up.

Grading: The lowest hourly exam grade will be dropped. The score on the final exam will count 1/3 of the course grade. With respect to letter grades, 93-100 is an A, 90-92 an A-, 87-89 a B+, 83-86 a B, 80-82 a B-, 77-79 a C+, 73-76 a C, 70-72 a C-, 64-69 a D+, 56-63 a D, 50-55 a D-, and 0-49 an F. These are minimums. A curve might be applied at the end of the course.

Disabilities: If you have a need for disability-related accommodations or services, please inform the Coordinator of Disability Services in the Disability Services Office located in Room 1104 of the University Center (227-1700; TTY 227-1543). Reasonable and effective accommodations and services will be provided to students if requests are made in a timely manner, with appropriate documentation, in accordance with federal, state and university guidelines.