



Faculty of Science
DEPARTMENT OF MATHEMATICS AND STATISTICS
Course Information Sheet

1. **Course:** PMAT 429 Winter 04
Lecture/Time/Session: L01/MWF/11:00 Room: MS 317
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2. **Prerequisites:** PMAT 329 and either as pre- or co-requisite PMAT 427.

NOTE: The Faculty of Science policy on pre- and co-requisite checking is outlined on page 198 of the 2003-2004 Calendar. **It is the students' responsibility to ensure that they have the pre- and co-requisites for the course, and if they do not they will be withdrawn from the course without notice.**

3. **Fee policy:** After the last day to drop/add courses, there will be no refund of tuition fees if a student withdraws from a course, courses or the session.
4. **The University policy on grading and related matters** is described on pages 41-42 of the 2003-2004 Calendar. In determining the overall grade in the course, the following weights will be used:

Quizzes	[5 @ 10% each]	50%
Final Exam		50%

A passing grade on the final exam is essential to passing the course as a whole. There will be a final examination scheduled by the Registrar's Office.

5. **Missed Components of Term Work.** The regulations of the Faculty of Science pertaining to this matter are outlined on page 199, of the 2003-2004 Calendar. It is the student's responsibility to familiarize herself/himself with these regulations.
6. **Academic misconduct** (cheating, plagiarism, or any other form) is a very serious offence that will be dealt with rigorously in all cases. A single offence may lead to disciplinary probation or suspension or expulsion. The Faculty of Science follows a zero tolerance policy regarding dishonesty. Please read the sections of the 2003-2004 University Calendar under the heading "Student Misconduct", pages 53-56.
7. **Dates and times of class exercises held outside of class hours (evening tests, Saturday laboratory examinations, weekend field trips, etc.):** *****There will be no out-of-class-time activities.*****



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Required Text: An Introduction to Cryptography, R.A. Mollin, Chapman & Hall/CRC Press, Boca Raton, New York, London, Tokyo (2001) ISBN # 1-58488-127-5.

Recommended Text: RSA and Public-Key Cryptography, R.A. Mollin, Chapman & Hall/CRC Press, Boca Raton, New York, London, Tokyo (2003) ISBN # 1-58488-338-3.

Grading: There will be 5 in-class tests worth 10% each, and a final worth 50%. There will be no mid-term. The in-class tests will be held on January 28th, February 11th, March 3rd, March 24th, and April 7th.

Notes: It is the student's responsibility to be familiar with the following regulations. All page numbers below refer to the 2003–04 Calendar.

1. UofC Policy on *grading and related matters* is described on pages 47–50.
2. Regulations at UofC pertaining to *missed components of term work* is contained on page 199.
3. Academic misconduct (cheating, plagiarism, or any other form) is a serious offence that will be rigorously handled in all cases. Disciplinary actions include probation or suspension or expulsion. The Faculty of Science follows a zero tolerance policy regarding honesty. Read pages 50–53 under the heading of *Student Misconduct*.