



Pure Mathematics 527 Computational Number Theory

(see Course Descriptions under the year applicable: <http://www.ucalgary.ca/pubs/calendar/>)

Syllabus

<u>Topics</u>	<u>Number of Hours</u>
Integer Arithmetic: Addition, subtraction, multiplication, division, greatest common divisor, perfect power testing, computations in $(\mathbb{Z}/n\mathbb{Z})^*$.	6
Polynomial Arithmetic: Addition, subtraction, multiplication, division, greatest common divisor	2
Finite Fields: Representation, arithmetic, polynomial factorization, irreducibility testing.	6
Primality Proving: Pseudoprimes and probabilistic primality tests, primality proving of numbers of a special form, Goldwasser-Kilian test, Primality proving in deterministic polynomial time (AKS algorithm).	6
Integer Factorization: p-1 method, Pollard rho method, quadratic sieve.	6
Algorithms in Number Fields: Number fields, ideals and their arithmetic, class groups and regulators.	6
Student Presentations:	7
TOTAL:	39
