



Faculty of Science  
DEPARTMENT OF MATHEMATICS AND STATISTICS  
Course Information Sheet

1. **Course:** STAT 513 **Fall 2004**  
**Lecture/Time/Session:** L01 **TR 11:00** **Room: MS 317**  
**Instructor:** Dr. G. Chen  
**Office:** MS 524 **Phone: 220-3961**
2. **Prerequisites:** Statistics 429

**NOTE:** The Faculty of Science policy on pre- and co-requisite checking is outlined in the current University Calendar (see [www.ucalgary.ca/pubs/calendar](http://www.ucalgary.ca/pubs/calendar)) *Faculty of Science, section 5C*. **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responsibility to ensure that they have the pre- and co-requisites for the course, and if they do not they will be withdrawn from the course without notice.**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 in the current University Calendar, *Academic Standings*. In determining the overall grade in the course, the following weights will be used:

Projects	100%
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A passing grade on each particular component of the course is essential to passing the course as a whole. There will be a final examination scheduled by the Registrar's Office. The use of aids such as open book, etc. is not permitted.

5. **Missed Components of Term Work.** The regulations of the Faculty of Science pertaining to this matter are outlined in the current University Calendar, *Faculty of Science, section 6A*. 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 current University Calendar.
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.

Department approval: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

8. The **required textbook** for this course is:

***The Practice of Statistics: Putting the Pieces Together***

By

John D. Spurrier

Duxbury Press 2000

9. As the title of the course suggests, this course is mainly about how to use statistics in practice. There are one or two projects to be completed and presented. Students are expected to work both independently and in groups. Details will be given in the class.

10. **You are responsible for the materials presented in class that are not in the textbook.**

11. Students have to use **AIX login account** to be able to use computers in MS515, MS521 and MS571. Such accounts can be applied on the 7<sup>th</sup> floor of MS building.

12. Important dates for Fall 2004:

September 8	Wednesday	Lectures Begin
October 11	Monday	Thanksgiving Day, no lecture
November 11-14	Thursday through Sunday	Reading Days, no lectures
December 9	Thursday	Last Day of Lectures
December 13-22		Final Exam Period

13. Good luck!