UNIVERSITY OF NOTRE DAME
DEPARTMENT OF MATHEMATICS

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INFORMATION FOR STUDENTS IN MATH 323, SPRING 1995

INSTRUCTOR: Cecil Mast 301 CCMB Bldg. 631-6641
Office hours: By appointment or 1:30 - 3:30 Monday/Wednesday

TEXT: "Introduction to Probability and its Applications" by Richard L. Scheaffer.

You are encouraged to read each section before it is covered. You are expected to bring the text to each class. To do well you <u>must</u> keep up with the homework and review frequently.

SYLLABUS: We expect to cover most of the book.

EXAMINATIONS: There will be three tests and a final exam. Tests will be during class period. Dates of tests will be given later. *Final Exam is Friday, May 12, 1995* 8:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m.

Test problems will be multiple choice and will be similar to lecture examples, text examples and homework problems.

GRADING: The three tests and final exam will be corrected and graded uniformly. Each of the three tests will be worth 100 points, and the final will be worth 150 points. Each homework will be graded and the homework total will then be scaled so that it is worth 50 points. Letter grades will be based on total points out of the 500 possible.

HOMEWORK: Homework will be assigned almost every class and is due on the following Friday; late homework will not be accepted. Before you begin an assignment you should carefully work through both the examples done in class and those in the text.

ABSENCE FROM EXAMINATIONS: A student who is absent from an examination without an official excuse shall receive a grade of zero for the examination,. A student who is officially excused shall not be penalized. If you miss a test for any reason, you should call your instructor or the Mathematics Department as soon as possible.

HONOR CODE: Testing will be done under the Honor code. On homework, you are allowed and encouraged to work together, but what you hand in should not be merely copied.