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MATH 392 (MATH 613A)

Elementary Number Theory Fall 2016

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Text: Elementary Number Theory, 2nd Edition, by Charles Vanden Eynden,

Waveland Press.

Final Grade: There will be a Mid-term exam 30%

Final 60% Assignments 10%

Content: Topics to be covered:

- Euclidean algorithm, gcd, lcm, primes, fundamental theorems of arithmetic;

- congruences, solving linear congruences, Chinese remainder theorem, higher order congruences;
- quadratic reciprocity;
- fractorization, primality testing;
- diophantine equations.