Fall 2004
DAY COURSE

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#### **Prerequisites:**

STAT 350 (or MATH 372). Students with credit for MATH 404 may not take STAT 430 for further credit.

# **Textbook:**

Design & Analysis of Experiments, 5th Edition by D.C. Montgomery, published by Wiley.

### **Calendar Description:**

An extension of the designs discussed in STAT 350 to include more than one blocking variable, incomplete block designs, fractional factorial designs, and response surface methods.

## **Outline:**

- 1. Review of blocking and factorial designs.
- 2. Two-way blocking and Latin Squares.
- 3. Fractional factorials.
- 4. More elaborate designs based on Latin squares and incomplete blocks.
- 5. Response surface methods. Optimization under uncertainty. Parametrization of complex phenomena.

#### **Grading:**

To be announced at the start of class

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