## ENGR 6 MW 5-10 PM Room 1447

#### MATLAB PROGRAMMING for ENGINEERS

Summer 2019 Section #8562

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Text: Zybooks.com, code SANTAROSAENGR6HulseSummer2019

### Overview

This class is an introduction to Matlab for engineering majors: calculation, plotting, problem-solving, and programming. Prior experience in programming is not necessary.

### **Class Format**

Summer classes are challenging; we will do our best to follow the online text. Expect most days to consist of 2-3 hours of lecture followed by in-class practice/lab time.

## Grading

Projects: 40% Homework: 20% Quizzes: 20% Final Exam: 20%

## Homework

Homework in this class consists of completing the exercises in the online text. The text gives you immediate feedback on your mastery of the material. There may be an occasional in-class assignment, so let me know if you are not going to be in class on a given night. Homework is graded on completion, but I may deduct points for late submissions (it is always in your interest to complete).

#### **Projects**

This class has a strong lab component. There will be weekly in-class projects; students are expected to work in teams of two to complete. Projects are less defined and more open-ended than homework problems, but each student is expected to turn in three things to get full credit: code, a transcript of the test run, and a write-up. The final project (a GUI design) may take 2-3 class periods and will count as two projects.

#### **Exams**

There will be quiz every Monday. The quiz will typically consist of two questions that are similar to the in-class or text questions from the previous week. One will typically be closed book, closed notes, and the second will be a computer problem that is open-book, open notes. The worst score will be dropped. Exams are to be taken when scheduled and are required for a passing grade.

# **Computer Access**

1447 Bussman is available for completing homework assignments. The open hours are posted on the door. You may also purchase a student version of Matlab for \$49 (<a href="www.mathworks.com">www.mathworks.com</a> search for student).

# **Tentative Schedule**

Jun 17/19	Ch 1-3: Intro, Operators, Variables, Scripts	Lab 1: scripts and digital IO
Jun 24/26	Ch 4-6: 1D Arrays and simple plotting	Lab 2: plotting and analog IO
<u>Jul 1/3</u>	Ch 7-9: 2D and higher Arrays, Visualization	Lab 3: Manipulating images
<u>Jul 8/10</u>	Ch 10&11: Branching and Looping	Lab 4: Thermistor controller
<u>Jul 15/17</u>	Ch 12-13: functions, parsing, and apps	Lab 5: Sudoku Solver
Jul 22/23	Ch 14-16: structs and cells and objects	Lab 6: TicTacToe (text based)
Jul 29/31	Ch 17: GUIS	Lab 7: TicTacToe GUI
<u>Aug 5/7</u>	Project Time and FINAL	