

**UNIVERSITY OF CENTRAL FLORIDA**  
**Department of Mathematics**

**Spring 2006**

**Course:** MA53105.01  
**Credit:** 4 hours  
**Class Meets:** MAP 407 MWRF, 3:30 - 4:20  
**Instructor:** Alexander Tovbis  
**Office:** MAP 218, **Phone:** (407) 823-3273  
**Office Hours:** MWRF 1:20 - 2:10, M 4:20 - 5:10  
**Textbook:** Caron and Saltzmann, Elem. linear alg. and matrices, Pearson Publ.  
**Tests:** There will be three 50 minute tests; Tentative schedule is:  
Test 1 - Feb 2  
Test 2 - Feb 27  
Test 3 - April 3  
**Grading:** You can earn up to 600 points. Tests are 100 pts each, the final is 200 pts, the rest 100 pts come from quizzes; 25% of your quizzes with the lowest scores will be dropped. "+" and "-" grades will be assigned for close to borderline cases at instructor's discretion  
**Grade scale:** 540 - 600 A  
480 - 539 B  
420 - 479 C  
360 - 419 D  
below 360 F

**Course Policy and Important Dates:** Tests are comprehensive. There are no make-up tests. In the case of a legitimate excuse (to be determined by the instructor) score for the missed test will be determined by the score of the final. Graded tests are to be retained until the end of the course. Quizzes will be given at the instructor's discretion. Regular attendance is proven to be an important factor for your success in the class. Please inform the instructor in advance if you need to leave the class early or if you are expecting to be late. Important dates: withdrawal deadline - 03/03; last day of classes - 04/24; final exam - 04/28, 1:00-3:50.