MAT 371 Seçme Konular

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Course Title: From Elementary Number Theory to Algebraic Number Theory

Tentative Outline:

- review of basic concepts: divisibility, Euclidean algorithm, congruence, unique factorization etc.
- diophantine equations
- continued fractions
- binary quadratic forms
- quadratic fields, their Galois theory and class group

<u>Schedule:</u> Wednesdays 11.00 - 14.00, FEF 10

References:

There is not a canonical book that I have chosen. However, I believe the following items will be useful:

- Advanced Number Theory by Cohn, H.
- Number Theory by Weil, A.
- An Introduction to Number Theory, by Stark, H.M.
- Galois Theory, Algebraic Number Theory and Zeta Functions, by Stark, H.M. appeared in From Number Theory to Physics, eds. Waldschmidt, M, et al.

Contact me in case you have trouble accessing these.

Grading:

- homeworks: % 50
- final: %~50