TMA4195 Mathematical Modeling

Curriculum, Fall 2013:

The curriculum consists of the following parts:

- Selected parts of *The lecture note of Krogstad (the English version!)* (see below).
- Homework problems 1 9.
- Phase-plane analysis of systems of ODEs.

You should master the material in chp. 4.3-4.5 in Kreyszig: *Advanced Engineering Mathematics*, 9th edition (chp. 3.3-3-5 in 8th ed.).

• Boundary value problems for conservation laws. Copies from lectures:

http://wiki.math.ntnu.no/tma4195/2012h/notes/ERJ/ConservationLawsAndBCv2012.pdf

Detailed curriculum from the English version version of The lecture note of Krogstad:

1. Dimensional analysis, scaling, and regular perturbation (English version!)

All the material belong to the curriculum, except sections

2. Singular perturbation and chemical reaction kinetics

Copies from Lin and Segel [1]. All the material belong to the curriculum, except sections

9.1; 10.2 from Higher approximations page 311.

3. Stability and bifurcations in dynamical models

Copies from Logan [2]. All the material belong to the curriculum, except *Exchange of stability* pages 368-373.

4. Population models (English version!)

All the material belong to the curriculum, except sections

2.2; 3.

Section 6 is background material, there will be no detailed questions from this part on the exam.

5. Modeling based on conservation principles (English version!)
All the material belong to the curriculum, except sections

Section 3.2 is background material, there will be no detailed questions from this part on the exam.

References

- [1] C. C. Lin and L. A. Segel. Mathematics applied to deterministic problems in the natural sciences. SIAM, 1988.
- [2] J. D. Logan. Applied mathematics. A contemporary approach. 1st edition. Wiley, 1987.