

class number	date	day	topic	Assignment due
1	5-Jan	Tuesday	Intro, logistics, requirements, expectations	
2	7-Jan	Thursday		Read all of Chapter 1 and the nonstarred sections of Chapter 2; 1 reading diary entry
3	12-Jan	Tuesday		Exercises 2.1, 2.5, and 2.55; 2.8 is extra credit
4	14-Jan	Thursday		Read all of Chapter 3; reading diary entry
5	19-Jan	Tuesday		Exercises 3.5, 3.8 (omit final part re eq 3.10), 3.9, 3.10, 3.11, 3.17
6	21-Jan	Thursday		Read Sections 1 and 2 of Csaba's TR; Diary entry
7	26-Jan	Tuesday		Queuing MDP problem due
8	28-Jan	Thursday		Read Sections 3 and 4 of Csaba's TR; Diary entry; Lipshitz proof exercise due
9	2-Feb	Tuesday		Read Chapter 4; Diary entry
10	4-Feb	Thursday		Parking problem due
11	9-Feb	Tuesday		Exercises 4.1, 4.2, 4.3, 4.5, 4.9
12	11-Feb	Thursday		Read Chapter 5; Diary entry; Exercises 5.1, 5.2, 5.5
13	23-Feb	Tuesday		Read Chapter 8; Diary entry
14	25-Feb	Thursday		Read Chapter 6; Diary entry
15	2-Mar	Tuesday		Exercises 6.1,6.2,6.3,6.8,6.9,6.10,6.12
16	4-Mar	Thursday		Read Chapter 7; Diary entry; Exercises 7.2 and 7.6
17	9-Mar	Tuesday		Exercises 8.1, 8.2, 8.6 and 8.7
18	11-Mar	Thursday		Read Chapter 9; Diary entry
19	16-Mar	Tuesday		Exercises 9.1,9.2,9.3,9.5 (9.6 is extra credit)
20	18-Mar	Thursday		
21	23-Mar	Tuesday		Function approximation assignments due.
22	25-Mar	Thursday	midterm	For background study check out idbd, k1, http://www.cnbc.cmu.edu/cns/papers/Schraudolph-Tech-99.pdf , nadaline
23	30-Mar	Tuesday		For background study check out TD models , options
24	1-Apr	Thursday		For background study check out peak , td networks with options
25	13-Apr	Tuesday		For background study check out PSRs , TD nets , POMDPs
26	15-Apr	Thursday		writeup of class project due