Course Objectives for Brief Calculus MAT210

- 1. Use graphical and numerical methods to find limits and identify cases where limits fail to exist.
- 2. Find limits using algebraic methods including rules.
- 3. Determine whether a function is continuous graphically or algebraically.
- 4. Explain and find average rate of change as a difference quotient and the slope of a secant line.
- 5. Describe a derivative as an instantaneous rate of change that is the limit of average rate of change and find it graphically, numerically and algebraically.
- 6. Apply Sum, Difference, Constant Multiple, Product, Quotient and Chain Rules to find derivatives of algebraic, logarithmic and exponential functions.
- 7. Use implicit differentiation to find derivatives.
- 8. Use derivatives to marginal analysis.
- 9. Find critical points and points of inflection and use them to locate maxima and minima.
- 10. Use differential calculus to solve optimization problems and related rates problems.
- 11. Determine price elasticity of demand and use it to maximize revenue.
- 12. Find antiderivatives of sums and differences of constant multiples of power functions, exponential and logarithmic functions.
- 13. Write the Riemann Sum definition of the definite integral and calculate the Riemann Sum for the definite integral.
- 14. Apply Fundamental Theorem of Calculus to evaluate the definite integrals.
- 15. Use substitution and integration by parts to evaluate integrals.
- 16. Use a definite integral to find area between two curves and to solve application problems to business and economics.
- 17. Find averages and moving averages using definite integrals.
- 18. Evaluate improper integrals using the definitions.