ICTP DIPLOMA PROGRAMME IN MATHEMATICS 2017-2018

Number Theory Seminar

A. Sofer (15 lectures : 22.5 hrs)

- 1. Divisibility in Z; Division Algorithm; Greatest Common Divisor; Euclidean Algorithm; Linear Diophantine Equations.
- 2. Prime Numbers; Fundamental Theorem of Arithmetic.
- 3. Congruences; Linear Congruence Equations; Wilson's Theorem; Fermat's Little Theorem.
- 4. Polynomial Congruence Equations.
- 5. Euler's Phi Function; Euler's Theorem.
- 6. Public-Key Cryptography: RSA.