## Math 5594 Homework 10, due Monday November 20, 2006 PJW

Only hand in the starred questions!

Chapter 13, page 131: 5\*, 6\*, 7, 9. 10\*.

Extra question:

A\* Construct the character table of  $A_4$ . Do this by doing the following things: use (without proof) the list of conjugacy classes on page 130. Construct 3 linear characters of  $A_4$ , bearing mind that  $A_4$  has a normal subgroup of order 4 with quotient which is cyclic of order 3. Finally use the facts which appear in Chapter 13 to prove that the degree 3 character shown on page 130 is irreducible. Give a reason to show that you have constructed a complete list of the irreducible characters.