Math 33B

Differential Equations

Winter 2010

Course Information

Schedule: MWF 11:00-11:50
Location: Humanities A51
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Textbook: Polking, Boggess, and Arnold, Differential Equations (2nd Edition), Prentice Hall
Course Website: http://www.math.ucla.edu/∼hpt/33b.2.10w/

Grades

Grades will be based on the *higher* of:

- 20% Homework, 45% Midterms, 35% Final Exam

- 20% Homework, 30% Highest Midterm, 50% Final Exam

Homework: Homework will typically be assigned each Friday, and will be due by the *beginning* of class the following Friday. **No late homework will be accepted.** The lowest two homework grades will be dropped. Homework must be stapled and clearly labelled with your name, ID, and section number.

Exams: There will be two in-class midterms, given on Monday, January 25th, and Wednesday, February 17th. *There will be no make-up exams.* The final exam will be Wednesday, March 17, 2010 at 11:30 AM. **You must take the final in order to pass the class.** You may bring a single 3"x5" notecard, with whatever material you wish to write on it, to the exams. No calculators will be permitted.

Grading complaints: If you believe a problem on a quiz, a homework or an exam has been graded incorrectly, or that your score was not correctly recorded, you must bring this to the attention of the instructor within 14 calendar days of the date the item was returned, and before the final exam. **Grading complaints not initiated within this period of time will not be considered.** Please verify in a timely manner that your scores are correctly recorded on MyUCLA.

Collaboration

Students are encouraged to collaborate on homework assignements. Collaboration means working together to frame problems, devise approaches, and compare results.. The final work, however, must be the work of the individual student, indicating that you alone prepared the work and understand the material.