

Math 54 Linear Algebra and Differential Equations

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Midterm I F February 21

Midterm II F April 4

Final Tu May 13 3 - 6 pm

Grades: all grades will be computed using a scale of 0 - 20 points . The correspondence with letter grades is:

A+ [19,20] , A [17,19) , A- [16,17)

B+ [15,16) , B [13,15) , B- [12,13)

C+ [11,12) , C [9,11) , C- [8,9) etc.

Grade in Course = 15% Homework + 20%Midterm I + 20%Midterm II + 45%Final
No Make-ups for Midterm and Final Exams. Without having taken at least one midterm no passing grade. Having taken both Midterms the grade will be computed using the above formula .

No Midterm I then

Grade in Course = 15%Homework + 40% Midterm II + 45% Final

No Midterm II then

Grade in Course = 15%Homework+ 30%Midterm I+ 55%Final

Text: Linear Algebra and Differential Equations

2nd custom edition for UC Berkeley

publisher: Pearson, ISBN 1256737755

[the book consists of part of a book by Lay for linear algebra

and part of a book by Nagle, Saff & Snider for differential equations]