Math 211 - Lecture 2: Calculus

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Homework: Assigned each Friday (starting January 22) at the beginning of lecture and due the following Friday at the beginning of lecture. Homework is the most important part of this class, so you should expect to spend a considerable amount of time on it. You must prepare your homework assignments on your own (but are encouraged to work on similar problems with others). There will be no credit for copied or (unexcused) late homework. Valid excuses for late homework are illness or family emergency.

Exams: Two midterm exams (Mondays, March 1 and April 12, 5:30-6:30 p.m.) and one final exam (Thursday, May 13, 2:45-4:45 p.m.). Makeup exams will be allowed only for unavoidable conflicts and with the instructor’s (not the TA’s) permission. No calculators will be allowed during exams.

Grades: Based one fifth on homework, one fifth each on each of the two midterm exams, and two fifths on the final exam.

Syllabus: We will cover the whole book, with some omissions.

Getting Extra Help

You have a number of options:

1. Office hours of the TA’s and the instructor
2. Regular tutoring by the Mathematics Tutorial Program (requires referral by instructor, see http://www.math.wisc.edu/~tprogram)
3. Drop-in help: There are several options available to you, all are listed at http://www.math.wisc.edu/~tprogram/mathhelp.html
4. Private tutors: See http://www.math.wisc.edu/tutors