

MA 154 Fall 2004 Exam 1 Information

Exam 1 is on Wednesday, September 15 from **7:00 PM – 8:00 PM** in the Elliott Hall of Music.

You have been assigned a seat in the Hall. Seat assignments have been printed on labels and will be available in front of class starting Friday, September 10th.

Calculators: **ONLY** a single-line display, TI-30 calculator is allowed for the exam. If you do not bring the correct calculator to the exam, you will be using your fingers and toes for assistance on the big problems.

During the exam, do not ask the instructor questions unless you think there is a typo. It is not fair to give you a hint unless the same hint is given to all 400 students taking the exam.

The exam consists of 15, multiple-choice questions covering lessons 1 through 9. You will fill in an answer sheet and leave the exam site with your exam. Your answer sheet will be the only thing graded. Answer every question. Points are not deducted for a wrong answer. Each question is worth the same amount of points. There is no partial credit.

The only formulas provided on this exam are the three Pythagorean Identities.

Previous exams are available at the course web site. Not every problem on the exam will be just like a problem from an old exam. Homework, quizzes and the review problems should be studied to be adequately prepared. The number of lessons covered on each exam varies from semester to semester. Old exams are a good guide, however, to be careful.

If you have a valid schedule conflict with the exam time, see Tim Delworth by Monday, September 13 in his office, Math 906. If you cannot make it into his office, contact him after class.

If you miss the exam for a last minute emergency, contact Tim Delworth immediately. Only students with valid reasons will be granted a makeup exam. All conflicts are confirmed.

Bring a picture ID to all exams.

A few days after each exam, you can go to the course web page and click on a link to the exam scores. With your SAGE password and 9-digit id number, you will find your exam score. Letter grade cutoffs will also be posted so you know where you stand in the class.

Exam 1 Review Problems:

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Do not assume that questions will not be asked on the exam simply because they are not assigned in review or in SAGE.

This is a good sampling of problems to go over next Wednesday in class. You should do these; however, that is your decision.

Please print off and bring the old exam ones to class next Wednesday for review.