
Pennsylvania State University
Math 017, Finite Mathematics, Section 1 & 2
Spring 2016

This document is only meant to provide information specific to my sections. You must also take a look at the course syllabus on the department website first! <https://www.math.psu.edu/files/17sylSp16.pdf> I refer to this document as the “section syllabus,” while I call the one on the department website as the “course syllabus.”

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Office Hours

Wed 3:00-5:00. Or by appointment.

Course Website

Course materials will be available on my website <http://akumano.xyz/teaching/017-sp16>.

Email

I prefer that you come to office hours, but you can also reach me by email. You can expect a response within 24 hours on a business day. When you send me a message via ANGEL, don't forget to check “Send a copy to each recipient's Internet e-mail if known.” I make important announcements not only in-class, but also via ANGEL. Make sure you check your ANGEL inbox occasionally.

Feedback

Feel free to ask questions and leave comments at any time, by email, in person, or any other way.

Lectures

Attendance is mandatory! I will assume that you are familiar with material presented in lectures when designing lectures, homework, and quizzes. It is your responsibility to obtain notes and announcements from other students when you miss class.

Homework and Quizzes

Homework assignments are on MyMathLab.

I will give nine in-class quizzes (not via MyMathLab), eight points each. There will be no opportunity to make up for a missed quiz. To compensate for this draconian policy, I will drop three lowest scores.

Evaluation And Grading

According to the course syllabus, 100 points are allocated for homework and quizzes. The following is how points are distributed in my sections:

Homework	52 points
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Quizzes	48 points
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Total	100 points
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See the course syllabus for the complete break-down of grades.