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Office Hours: by appointment (I am here all day. If I know when you plan to visit me, I'll be sure to be in my office, rather than at some random place in the building.)

Text Book: Calculus (Eighth edition) by Varberg, Purcell, and Rigdon Chapters 7–12.

Homework: All of the homework for the semester is attached. To succeed in the course, DO (rather than read or watch) all of the homework, until you are sure that your answer is correct. Do the homework in a timely manner (that is, before I go over it in class). ASK about the problems that cause you difficulty.

I will not collect and grade homework. On the other hand, if you want feedback on your work between exams and/or quizzes, then write it down and give it to me. I’ll tell you what is right and what is wrong and make suggestions. You can give me whatever you like: homework I have assigned, other problems from the textbook, other relevant problems, etc. You should write your work up in a professional manner (that is, use nice handwriting, dark ink or dark pencil, write from left to right, top to bottom, etc.) I don’t see any point in you giving me a solution which you copied from the textbook or from the blackboard.

Old Exams: The exams I gave the last few times I taught this course are available at my web site. You will probably find these to be useful. They are a good source of practice problems for you to DO. (Keep in mind that most of the material is covered on more than one exam so you can find useful problems on almost any exam.) There are many patterns for you to notice. (Many of the exam questions come from the homework; so DO the homework in a timely manner. Many times a type of exam question is repeated from exam to exam; so if a problem causes you difficulty on an exam or quiz, make sure you know how to do it before the next exam or quiz.)

Drop Date: The last day to drop without receiving a WF: Thurs., Oct. 3.

Attendance: I expect you to attend all classes. A grade penalty will be exacted if you have an excessive number of absences (whether excused or
unexcused); see page 21 of the 2001–2002 Bulletin of Undergraduate Studies. If you plan to leave before class is over, the correct procedure is to mention this to me before I start class. It is impolite, disruptive, and a bad idea to leave class while I am lecturing unless you have followed this procedure.

Quizzes: There will be 21 quizzes. A quiz will be given each Tuesday and Thursday, except 8/22, 9/12, 10/1, 10/29, 11/26, 12/3, and 12/5. Each quiz will be given at the BEGINNING of class and will be worth five points. The quiz will consist of one problem from the previous night’s homework. I will drop your two lowest quiz scores and calculate your final quiz score out of 95. THERE WILL BE NO MAKE-UP QUIZZES.

Hour Exams: There will be four hour exams. They will be given:
Thursday, September 12,
Tuesday, October 1,
Tuesday, October 29, and
Tuesday, November 26.

Each hour exam is worth 100 points. I will drop your lowest exam score. THERE WILL BE NO MAKE-UP EXAMS.

Final Exam: The final exam is worth 150 points and will be given on Tuesday, December 10 at 2:00 PM.

Final Grade: 300 points Exam score
95 points Quiz score
150 points Final Exam
545 points Total.
490–545 A
436–489 B
381–435 C
327–380 D