

Math 250: Ordinary Differential Equations

Section 007 Syllabus Supplement

Autumn 2012

When: Monday, Wednesday, Friday, 1:25 - 2:15 pm

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Course Web directory: <http://www.math.psu.edu/treluga/250>

Common Syllabus

There is a common syllabus that applies to all sections of Math 250. See http://www.math.psu.edu/treluga/250/course_syllabus.pdf Details of examinations, grading, and the course timeline are provided there.

Grading

As described on the Syllabus, 150 points of the 500 course points will be awarded based on your work in this section. 75 points will be from homework, and 75 points will be from quizzes.

Homework

Homework will be assigned and collected on the Wednesday of each week. Each homework will be available for download from the web directory above. Homeworks will have two types of problems, regular problems and challenge problems. The regular problems are to help you prepare for the course exams and quizzes. The challenge problems are to help you grow your brain so it's more useful the people you'll be competing with for a job.

Quizzes

There will be 6 in-class quizzes. These will be given on September 7, September 21, October 12, November 2, November 16, and December 7th. Each quiz will be 15 points, your lowest quiz score will be dropped.

Practice Exams

Some past exams can be found at <http://www.math.psu.edu/tseng/class/M250samples.html> I will also hold review sessions before the exams.