# Math 425-001—Winter 2015

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## Grade break-down:

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**Written homework:** There will be weekly homework assignments in this course. Assignments (along with their due dates) will be posted on the course webpage. You are encouraged to work with others to solve the problems, but you must turn in your own solutions. Homework must be submitted in class. No late homework will be accepted, but I will drop your lowest two homework scores when I compute your final grade.

**Quizzes:** There will be short bi-weekly quizzes in class on Wednesdays. No make-up quizzes will be given, but I will drop your lowest quiz score when I compute your final grade.

**Web homework:** In addition to written homework, you will be responsible for completing online exercises. These exercises (along with their deadlines) can be found on the following website: [https://instruct.math.lsa.umich.edu/webwork2/ma425-w15/](https://instruct.math.lsa.umich.edu/webwork2/ma425-w15/)

**Exams:**

- **Midterm Exam**  
  Wednesday, February 25  
  in class
- **Final Exam**  
  Thursday, April 30  
  8-10 am

Dates for the exams are fixed. If you miss an exam without a documented excuse, your course grade will be penalized. Note that travel is *not* a sufficient excuse to have an exam scheduled on a different day. Any student with a documented disability should contact me as soon as possible so that we can discuss arrangements to fit your needs.

**Cheating:** Do not cheat. If you cheat, you risk failing the course.
In Class: It is expected that you come to class. Students who do not attend class rarely succeed in the course. Important announcements may be given in class and you are responsible for this information. Should you miss a class, please be sure to get notes and other important information from a classmate. Please do not use cell phones, ipods, or computers in class.