MAT337H1, Introduction to Real Analysis (Winter 2017)

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Tutorials: Tutorials start on the week of Jan 16. All students must enroll in one tutorial section. You will have to write quizzes in the tutorials.

Text: Kenneth R. Davidson and Allan P. Donsig, Real Analysis and Applications: Theory in Practice.

Course Home Page: http://www.math.toronto.edu/izosimov/mat337. Urgent announcements and marks will be posted on the Blackboard.

Course Outline: Construction of Real Numbers. Metric spaces; compactness and connectedness. Sequences and series of functions, power series; modes of convergence. Interchange of limiting processes; differentiation of integrals. Function spaces; Weierstrass approximation. Time permitting, some of the following: Fourier series; Contraction mappings; existence and uniqueness of solutions of ordinary differential equations. Countability; Cantor set; Hausdorff dimension.

Tests and Assignments: There will be 1 homework assignment, 2 quizzes, 2 midterm exams, and the final exam.

Course Marking Scheme¹: Your Term Mark (TM) will be computed with the following approximate weights:

$$TM = 0.8(0.6 \max\{M_1, M_2\} + 0.4 \min\{M_1, M_2\}) + 0.2QP,$$

where M_1 , M_2 are your midterm marks (out of 100), and QP is your total mark (out of 100) for the homework and quizzes. Your final course mark will be the weighted average of your Term Mark (TM) and your Final Exam Mark (FEM), out of 100):

$$CourseMark = 60\% \max\{TM, FEM\} + 40\% \min\{TM, FEM\}.$$

Term Tests: Midterms are on Wednesdays, February 8 and March 8, during class time (exact duration to be confirmed). There will be no alternate sittings.

Tentative Schedule of Quizzes: Quiz 1 on the week of Jan 23, Quiz 2 on the week of Mar 20.

Missed Quizzes and Term Tests: There will be no make-up quizzes or term tests. If one has a doctor's note for missing a quiz/test, this quiz/test is prorated based on one's other term work. If one is supposed to miss a quiz because of a time conflict with other University/job related matters, one can apply (in advance) to a TA of another section in order to write the quiz with that section.

¹Corrected on Mar 11, according to the results of the vote held on Mar 10.