

Math 304 Syllabus (Winter Semester 2003)

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Textbook: Elementary Differential Equations and Boundary Value Problems, seventh edition, by W.E. Boyce and R.C. DiPrima. + Notes on linear 2-by-2 systems of differential equations.

Grading Policy: There will be 3 midterm exams (100 points each) and one comprehensive final exam (150 points). So the maximum total for the course will be 450 points.

Makeup Policy: *There will be no makeup exams!*

If (i) a student misses an exam, (ii) the student informs the instructor before the exam and, (iii) the student provides written documentations requested by the instructor before the exam, then that student will receive the percentage scored on the final exam. If any of (i), (ii), or (iii) is not satisfied, then the student will get a zero. *The above procedure can be applied only once.*

Homework: Homework will be assigned during class.

If you have any problem with this course, please report it to Professor Michael Pang (course coordinator and the director of Undergraduate Studies) either by phone (882-0322) or by e-mail (pangm@math.missouri.edu).

Disability Statement: If you need accommodations because of a disability, if you have emergency medical information to share with me, or if you need special arrangements in case the building must be evacuated, please inform me immediately. Please see me privately after class, or at my office. To request academic accommodations (for example, a note taker), students must also register with Disability Services, AO38 Brady Commons, 882-4696. It is the campus office responsible for reviewing documentation provided by students requesting academic accommodations, and for accommodations planning in cooperation with students and instructors, as needed and consistent with course requirements. For other MU resources for students with disabilities, click on " Disability Resources " on the MU homepage.

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