

484 Nonlinear Programming

Section C13/C14

Class Information

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Class meets MWF 10-10.50 140 Henry Bld

There will be three tests and a final exam.

Dates of tests (subject to change):

Wednesday, February 14

Monday, March 12

Friday, April 20.

All tests will be held during regular class time.

Final Exam: Wednesday, May 9, 7-10 **pm** in 140 Henry Bld.

Grading: The grade on the course will be based on the **total points** from the best two **tests** (the maximum score will be 100 in each test), the **final exam** (maximum score 100) and **homework** (normalized to a maximum score of 100; the lowest homework score will be dropped). Hence the maximum score will be 400 for the total points. Dropping one test is intended to provide leeway for those times when a student is ill, or needs to go to a job interview, or has a family emergency, or just misses class or is late for the class for some other reason. If you miss a test, you will get zero points for it. As this system allows you to miss one test without you giving any reason for it, **no make-up tests will be given.** Exeptions will be considered only in the case of an prolonged illness indicated by a doctor's note. Of course, you are encouraged to take all tests and do your best.

Suggested homework problems will be suggested at the end of each lecture. In addition, there will be **homework assignments** which will be graded (and which will affect your grade for the course). Homework assignments must be returned in class on the due date.