

**MAC 2233**  
**BUSINESS CALCULUS**  
**Summer A 2017**  
**MWF**

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Electronic Calculators: A calculator with the trigonometric and logarithmic functions on it will be required for lecture and homework. **NO CALCULATORS WILL BE ALLOWED ON EXAMS.**

Beepers and Cell Phones: These should be turned off at the beginning of class. It is rude and disruptive to everyone else for electronic devices to go off during lecture.

Grading Policy: There will be 5 exams plus a final examination in class. **THERE WILL BE ABSOLUTELY NO MAKEUP EXAMS.** If an exam is missed an official written excuse(doctor's note, arrest form, traffic ticket, etc.) must be submitted. A note from a parent is unacceptable. A doctor's note must say that you were too sick to attend school on the exam date. Any excuses must be on official forms, and be phone number verifiable. **IF APPROVED BY INSTRUCTOR, THE FINAL EXAM GRADE WILL BE SUBSTITUTED FOR THE MISSED EXAM. OTHERWISE A GRADE OF 0 WILL BE RECORDED.**

The unit exams will count 75% of the grade, and the final exam will count 25% of the grade. The unit exams are not all weighted the same. The final exam will be cumulative, and will count 50% of the grade if the score on the final exam is better than the unit exam average. No grades are dropped. Course grades will be determined as follows:  
90-100 A, 87-90 A-, 83-87 B+, 80-83 B, 77-80 B-, 73-77 C+, 70-73 C, 63-70 D+, 60-63 D, below 60 F. No C minus grade will be assigned. Borderline grades will be the higher grade, e.g. an 83 at the end of the term is a B+.

Attendance: Class attendance is strongly suggested, but is not required. See additional comments about attendance above under class structure. Monday, June 5<sup>th</sup> is the last day to drop the course without the dean's permission. Any notices announcing class cancellation or change of date for an exam will be posted on an official logo departmental paper with the Math Dept. stamp. Also be sure to wait until the designated time to confirm the change.

Cheating: Any copying or working together on any quiz or examination will be construed as cheating. Cheating will be prosecuted by the University, and it could result in failing the course, or being expelled from the University with a permanent notation on the student's record. I grade one problem on a test at a time and I look for similarities!

Text: Calculus For Business, Economics, and the Social and Life Sciences, 11<sup>th</sup> edition, Brief Edition by Hoffmann and Bradley. Published by McGraw Hill.

Note: You may use the 10<sup>th</sup> edition.

College of Business Policy: For all FIU students starting a program within the College of Business since the Fall 2016 and later terms, the GPA earned for the seven lower-division Common Prerequisite Course (or equivalent) credit hours must be 2.5 or higher. Additionally, students must earn a "C" or higher in each of the seven lower-division Common Prerequisite Courses (or equivalents). Further, each of these courses cannot be attempted more than twice. Drops after the add/drop period, which result in a DR grade, are considered an attempt in the course and count as an unsuccessful enrollment.

Common	Prerequisite	Courses include:
1. ACG	2021, Accounting	for Decisions
2. ACG	3301, Accounting	for Planning and Control
3. CGS	2100, Microcomputer	Applications for Business
4. ECO	2013, Principles	of Macroeconomics
5. ECO	2023, Principles	of Microeconomics
6. MAC	2233,	Calculus for Business
7. STA	2023, Statistics	for Business and Economics

College of Business students starting a program since the Fall 2016, (a) failing to complete the seven Common Prerequisite Courses (or equivalents) with a 2.5 or higher, or (b) failing to pass any of the seven Common Prerequisite Course (or equivalents) in two attempts, can no longer continue to pursue any major within the College of Business.