

ICS 6B -- WQ 2014

Course Syllabus

Textbook:

- Kenneth H. Rosen, *Discrete Mathematics and its Applications*, 7th Edition, McGraw-Hill, ISBN: 978-0-07-338309-5
- This book is mandatory. It will be used not only for reading assignments but also for homework problems.

Lectures:

- All lectures are recorded and available online (see [main course page](#)).
- Copies of lecture notes in PowerPoint are also downloadable from that site.

Homework:

- There will be a set of homework problems for each week. They need to be turned in by the due date via [EEE drop boxes](#).
- Each homework is due on Monday of the following week (i.e., HW1 is due on Monday of week 2, etc.)
- Late work will be accepted, but a penalty of 10% per day will be imposed (zero credit after solutions have been posted)
- Solutions to homework problems will be presented and discussed in class.

Exams:

- There will be a written exam following each 2-week period. It will cover the material of the past two weeks. There is no midterm or any comprehensive final exam.
- All exams are "closed book/closed notes."
- All exam problems will be similar to the homework problems.
- The exam with the lowest grade will *automatically* be dropped.

Grading:

- Homework: 20%
- Exams: 80% (20% each)

- The grades will be based on a curve. The approximate grade distribution will be:
- 25% A+-
- 25% B+-
- 30% C+-
- 15% D+-