

Calendar

- Holidays: Friday, 10 NOV (Veterans Day); Thursday-Friday, 23-24 NOV (Thanksgiving)
- Homework due dates: Friday, 20 OCT; Wednesday, 29 NOV. Bring to ME in CLASS!
- Midterm: Wednesday, 8 NOV, in class
- Final:
 - A00: Wednesday 13 DEC, 8-11 am, in CENTER HALL 216
 - B00: Friday 15 DEC, 8-11 am, in CENTER HALL 216

Examinations and Grading

- Exams are open notes/closed book. That is, you may use my TRITONED lectures notes (on paper), and you may write on them. You may NOT consult old exams or Econ Tutor stuff during the exams. Bring stat tables from TRITONED, and a working calculator (any kind).
- Homework = 5 points (adjusted); midterm = 40 points; cumulative final = 80.
- If you arrive late to an exam, I will allow you to take the exam in the time that remains *as long as no one has turned in an exam and left the room*. Once a paper has been turned in, it's too late.
- No late homeworks. No rescheduled or make-up exams. You MUST take the final with the rest of the class on schedule during finals week. Make your travel plans accordingly.

About Cheating

1. There is a LOT of it at UCSD. Honest students are put at a disadvantage by cheating students, and I hate that. Hence, my exam and scoring rules and restrictions.
2. I give multiple versions of tests. If I suspect that your answer on an exam has been copied from another student's paper, I give you the negative of the question's value. In severe cases of violations of academic integrity, I withhold your score and send your paper to AIC for resolution. AIC will contact you and tell you your options.
3. If AIC finds you guilty, your college will impose penalties, and I give you an F in the course.

The New PSET Tutoring Lab

The Economics Department is making a problem solving and tutoring center available to all students in econometrics (120ABC) on certain evenings and on weekends. (Specific hours for PSET will be posted on the Department web page). The ability to apply the concepts from class to solve problems is the most important skill we want you master in our core classes. PSET is designed to help you learn to tackle problems successfully by having grad and undergrad TAs there to help you think through a problem right when you get stuck.

If you struggle to tackle your homework, we believe that PSET will be an efficient and effective way for you to learn how to think like an economist.

The PSET sessions are in ECON 300, certain afternoons or evenings, plus weekends. Exact times will be posted at the Econ Dept. website.