

The gateway test
Math 31, Spring 2010

This semester, you will be given a “gateway test” on integration. The test consists of 7 functions for you to integrate (both definite and indefinite) within a strict time limit of 20 minutes, and affects your overall grade in the following way.

- The gateway counts for two normal quiz grades.
- You may not use any books, notes, or calculators on the gateway.
- Initially, both quiz grades will be based on the score you get the first time you take the gateway, on **Thu Mar 04**.
- After Thu Mar 01, you may take the gateway as many times as you like; it will be administered one more time in class, in **Mon Mar 08**. Until the 3rd midterm (**Thu Apr 22**), both of your gateway grades will be raised to match the highest score you have ever earned. After the 3rd midterm but before the final (**Tue May 25**), your second gateway quiz grade will be raised to match the highest score you have ever earned, but the first grade will no longer change.
- If you do not get at least 6/7 on the gateway test before the final, your final semester grade will be lowered by one “notch”, e.g., A to A⁻, B⁻ to C⁺, etc.
- After Mon Mar 08, you may only take the gateway during office hours. For the half of the semester I will be teaching this class, my office hours will be MWTh 10:30–11:45am, in MacQuarrie Hall 419; Ms. van der Poel will inform you of her office hours at the appropriate time.