

Estimated Grades

Your interim grade can be estimated by following this procedure:

- (1) Add up the scores from your **best three** homeworks, and divide the total by 3. Since each homework is out of 50, the maximum score is 50.
- (2) Add the score from the midterm.

Convert the numeric score (maximum 100) to a letter grades as follows:

95-100 : A

90-95 : A-

88-90 : B+

85-88 : B

80-85 : B-

75-80 : C+

65-75 : C

55-65 : C-

Example: your homework scores are 40, 45, 38 and 46. Discard the 38, sum up the rest and divide by 3: $(40+45+46) / 3 = 43.7$. Your midterm score is 40, add this to get a total score (out of 100) of 83.7. This translates to a B- letter grade.

Note: the intention here is to give you an idea of how you're doing so far, *not* to predict your final grade! There are still a couple of homeworks plus the final to go, so roughly half the total score is still available and good performances there could really improve your final grade.