

UPDATED GENERAL INFORMATION — MARCH 6, 2006

The results for the second examination are given at the end.

Third quiz

This will cover Section 8.8 of the text.

Elimination of two problems from Section 9.5

As indicated in the lectures, problems 67 and 68 from Section 9.5 have been dropped because of complications involving the search for solutions. For the sake of completeness, the analytic approach to solving such problems is described — and worked out for the examples on the list — in the document `polar-ambiguity.pdf`, which is in the course directory. None of this will appear on the third examination, however.

The third in-class examination

As noted in the lectures, this will be $\frac{2}{3}$ from the material beginning with Section 8.8 and $\frac{1}{3}$ from earlier material. All problems will be taken from the list of assigned exercises, possibly with some simplifications. Further information will be posted later.

STATISTICS FROM THE SECOND IN-CLASS EXAMINATION

The cutoff scores are as follows:

A — 70
B — 55
C — 35
D — 25

The median score was 48.

Appeals regarding the grading of this examination must be submitted by the beginning of the third examination on Friday, March 17. Written comments should be placed on the examination indicating the problems to be reconsidered. BRIEF and OBJECTIVE statements about specific issues may be included.