Overview

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Semantics

Why is it different?
Outline

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Distribution

Assignments  50%
Quizzes      10%
Midterm      20%
Final        20%
Assignments

1. Marked diagnostically (You generally get full credit if you turn in an assignment having made a sincere effort to complete it)
2. Model answers will be posted online; we will go over these in class.
3. You will be responsible for assimilating the material in the model answers and learning from your mistakes.
4. The heart of the course: If you can successfully execute the assignments, you’ve learned a lot of semantics.
Midterm

1. One inclass exam at the end of the first half of the class.
2. Union of the types of questions that have appeared on assignments
Final

1. Take home exam
2. Covers entire class
3. Union of easy homework problems
Quizzes

1. Ten-minute quizzes distributed throughout the term given on Tuesdays
2. Covered:
   - material in your reading;
   - material in the assignment you have just turned in.
   - material from the previous week’s assignment.
3. Notification the Thursday before the quiz
Group assignments

1. Ideal size: (1-4)
2. Different backgrounds ok
3. Meet at least once outside of class for a working session
4. No group work on final.