

**CS 250-1B  
FALL 2001  
DISCRETE STRUCTURES**

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- Office Hours:** Monday and Wednesday 10:00 – 11:00  
or by appointment
- Course Objective:** To introduce to the student those topics in discrete mathematics which are fundamental to the study of computer science.
- Exams:** There will be four closed book exams. Students must be present for all exams. THERE ARE NO MAKEUP EXAMS.
- Required Text:** *Mathematical Structures for Computer Science* by Judith L. Gersting (fourth edition)
- Reading Assignments:** Class lectures will assume that the students have already read the material in the textbook. Students should pay particular attention to exercises and chapter problems. Textbook chapters will be covered in order.
- Grades:** Course grades will be determined as follows:
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| <b>Exam I</b>   | <b>25%</b> |
| <b>Exam II</b>  | <b>25%</b> |
| <b>Exam III</b> | <b>25%</b> |
| <b>Exam IV</b>  | <b>25%</b> |
- Withdrawal Date** The last day to withdraw with a W is October 23. Persons who audit may not take exams.

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**EXAM SCHEDULE**

<b>EXAM</b>	<b>DATE</b>
<b>I</b>	<b>Monday, September 17</b>
<b>II</b>	<b>Friday, October 12</b>
<b>III</b>	<b>Wednesday, November 7</b>
<b>IV</b>	<b>Wednesday, December 12</b> <b>*** <u>8:00 AM</u> *** (Final Exam date)</b>

**Class Policies**

**There are no makeup exams.**

**It is the responsibility of the student to deliver drop forms to the office of the registrar.**

**All cellular phones must be turned off during class.**

**All pagers must be set to silent mode during class.**

**Class begins at 9:05. Tardiness is very disruptive to the class.**

**No eating during class.**