Grading Policy

- Homeworks are graded 0 – 100 points.
- Unless specified, each problem has the same value towards the homework’s grade (i.e.: 5 problems, each one is worth 20 points).
- Answer all parts of the problem if you want all the points.
- Neatness and organization is a MUST. (otherwise the grade will be reduced)
  - Name and **class number** on first page.
  - **Staple** your homework
  - Please don’t use “wrinkled” paper. Reused paper is okay if it is legible.
  - Clearly indicate the number of the exercise you are doing. If you accidentally do a problem out of order, or separate part of the problem from the rest, then include a note to the grader, referring the grader to the missed problem or work.
  - **Write legible** (suitably large and suitable dark) and neatly across the page. (if the grader can’t read the answer it will not be possible to grade it.)
    - Try to avoid multiple columns
    - Keep work within the margins
    - Do not squeeze problems together – use sufficient space, with at least one blank line between one problem and the next.
  - **Show your work.** There’s no need to write the problem, but do show your steps, not just the answer. Use complete English sentences if you need to clarify or write an assumption, or if the problem says “explain”.
  - For tables and graphs: include title, clearly **label the axes**, scales, and points of interest.
  - Don’t do magic. Each step should be complete, keep track of the sign values, radicals and denominators.
  - Always include the **appropriate units** in your steps and especially in the answer.
  - **Mark your answer.** Round up to 2 decimals, and use scientific notation when needed.