

3.5.2 Calculator policy

Many of the courses in the Department require calculators. Below are the requirements and recommendations for specific courses.

- a) For the following courses, a scientific calculator (such as one of the TI-30 models) or a graphing calculator (such as the TI-83, 84, 85, 86 or the TI-Nspire with TI-84 keypad) is required:

Math 1530 College Algebra

Math 1630 Finite Mathematics

Math 1730 Mathematics of Finance (No business calculators allowed.)

Math 1830 Elementary Statistics

Math 2450 Precalculus

Math 2530 Trigonometry and Analytic Geometry

Math 2640, 2740, and 2840 Calculus I, II, and III

Math 2730 Discrete Mathematics

Math 3630 Differential Equations I

Math 4030 Statistical Methods with Applications

However, for a student enrolling in a 1000-level course who does not already own a graphing calculator, it is recommended that a purchase of a graphing calculator be delayed until after the first class meeting when an instructor will provide specific calculator requirements for that class.

- b) In the remedial courses, Math 10 Elementary Algebra and Math 15 Intermediate Algebra, scientific calculators are required. Graphing calculators may not be used during any test or the Final Exam.
- c) Calculators with Computer Algebra Systems (CAS), (e.g. the TI-89, TI-92 and TI-Nspire with CAS keypad, or their equivalent), are not allowed in any of the math classes.
- d) In other courses, calculators may be required, but there is no specification as to type.
- e) Individual instructors may restrict the use of any type of calculator in their class.