

Computer Science 435
Section 1
(Class Nbr 32456)

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Database Systems

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Lecture Meetings

Time: Mon, Wed, Fri 11:45–12:50
Place: Bldg. 8, Room 302

Textbook

Rich, Craig A. *Database Systems—CS 435 Lecture Notes*, Spring 2006 (Available at Bronco Copy 'n Mail in the University Union).

Ullman, Jeffrey D.; and Widom, Jennifer. *A First Course in Database Systems, 2nd edition*, ISBN 0-13-035300-0, Prentice Hall, 2002 (Available at Bronco Bookstore or CTTi Books).

Web-based Materials

my home page: <http://www.csupomona.edu/~carich/>
CS 435 home page: <http://www.csupomona.edu/~carich/classes/cs435/>
Intranet services: <http://www.csupomona.edu/intranet/services/>

Grading

Exams	70%
Midterm (Monday, May 1)	34%
Final (Friday, June 9, 7:00–9:00 a.m.)	36%
Homework (approximately 6) and Quizzes	30%

A student's weighted average percentage is $(\sum w_i(s_i/m_i))/(\sum w_i)$, where w_i , s_i , m_i are the weight, student's score and maximum score on graded assignment i . Course grades are assigned according to this curve, with the median student usually earning a C+ grade. Graded assignments will be accepted without penalty at any time on or before their due date. Graded assignments that are submitted after their due date will have their score reduced by $10(n+1)\%$, where n is the number of school days properly between the due date and the date submitted.

The course will cover most of the topics in chapters 1–5 of Ullman and Widom.