

Test Corrections

Guidelines for Submission

Philosophy: Quizzes and tests are a measure of your understanding of the material we have covered. Poor performance means you did not understand a concept or technique we have discussed in class. Generally, you will have the opportunity to correct a problem that you missed on a quiz or test. This means you must grapple with what you did wrong and why as well as understand how to correct it.

Who Can Submit: Anyone

Grading: In general, you will be able to earn one point for every two points missed up to a **maximum of 70%**.

No credit will be given if the guidelines listed below are not followed.

Guidelines: Corrections consist of three parts. Each of these parts must be present for any points to be given.

1. Explain what you did wrong on the quiz or test. Why did you miss the problem? By explaining the error you make, it will help you to avoid similar errors in the future.
2. Explain what you must do to solve the problem correctly. This will help you contrast the correct approach with your original approach and reinforce the differences.
3. Solve the problem correctly.

You may discuss the problem with a classmate or me to understand how to solve the problem correctly. However, **you must write the explanations on your own.** This is part of your learning process.

The corrections must be submitted on a separate sheet of paper and the test or quiz must be attached.

Due date: Test or quiz corrections **must** be completed within one week (4 class meetings) after taking the quiz or test. It is to your benefit to complete them before the next quiz or test if possible.