

Grading (a slight modification from today's discussion): At a minimum, any exam mentioned as being 'stand out' by any group received one 'point'. If a group specified why a particular exam (or a few exams) stood out among such exams, two points were awarded (i.e., 'the best of the best'). A large pool of exams received repeated votes (i.e., points) and a large pool of exams received zero votes. A total of 221 votes were cast by the class.

A summary of grades follows:

"A" letter grades = 17 (requires 5 or more votes, average votes in this category = 7.3)

"A-" letter grades = 16 (either 3 or 4 votes in total)

"B+" letter grades = 13 (2 votes...a reasonable number of these cases received one vote from a group member... which tainted the scoring mechanism enough that I was uncomfortable awarding an A).

"B" letter grades = 17 (one vote... I noted no case the only vote came from a group member).

"C" letter grades = 27 (zero votes for 'stand out' performance).

As mentioned during class, the preceding distribution is markedly higher than the typical ACCT 2301 exam distribution. Although subjective, the bias is upward.

Appeal Option: If you feel your exam was underappreciated by your evaluators, make your case clearly and concisely. Low-quality scanning of your exam is one possible reason for appeal (please send me an exam that is electronically readable in this case). As a benchmark, use the following exams:

Benchmark Comparison for "A" grades:

R00821129

R00750034

R00432727

R00576032

R00748260

R01949131

Benchmark Comparison for "B" grades:

R00063507

R00118565

R00184280

R00395570

In other words, if you received a B and wish to appeal for an A, compare your exam to the benchmark exams.

Exam 1 Grades (listed by increasing R Number):

	R Num	Grade	R Num	Grade	R Num	Grade	R Num	Grade
1	R00029541	C	R00340687	C	R00426332	B	R00460642	B+
2	R00030538	A	R00356255	C	R00428238	B+	R00462226	A
3	R00047127	C	R00360519	A-	R00429510	B+	R00464594	C
4	R00048958	B	R00395570	B+	R00432727	A	R00467737	C
5	R00062851	C	R00403536	B+	R00433417	B+	R00468993	B
6	R00063507	B+	R00405120	C	R00444372	A	R00472535	A-
7	R00064771	C	R00409533	B	R00446205	B+	R00473430	B
8	R00118565	B+	R00410669	C	R00448893	A-	R00480034	A
9	R00184280	B+	R00413924	B	R00450505	C	R00480050	C
10	R00247549	C	R00415085	A	R00452009	B	R00483168	A
11	R00274115	C	R00422935	A-	R00453708	A-	R00484409	A
12	R00299109	A-	R00425609	C	R00455616	A-	R00485651	C
13	R00312948	C	R00425852	C	R00460189	C	R00509637	C
1	R00539381	B	R00802449	A-	R00850408	B		
2	R00546993	B	R00810560	B+	R00853398	B		
3	R00576032	A	R00815748	C	R00853950	C		
4	R00611957	B+	R00821129	A	R00855750	C		
5	R00617405	B	R00824246	A-	R00856322	B		
6	R00644852	A-	R00825672	A-	R00863268	A-		
7	R00739975	B	R00834597	B	R00864438	A		
8	R00742941	A	R00839099	B	R00873917	C		
9	R00748260	A	R00844390	A-	R01949131	A		
10	R00750034	A	R00846723	A	R01949528	B		
11	R00750925	A-	R00846986	B+	R01953186	C		
12	R00766624	C	R00847781	A-	R01965262	C		
13	R00779608	A-	R00848750	A				