

# Course Guide Calculus III: Spring 2026:

|          | Topic  | My notes  | Comments                              | Assignment Collected |
|----------|--|-----------|---------------------------------------|----------------------|
| M: 1-19  | vectors, points, components                          | 9 - 18    |                                       |                      |
| T: 1-20  | dot products, angles, projections                    | 18 - 28   |                                       |                      |
| W: 1-21  | cross product  | 28 - 37   | (should be done with SAM 1 by now)    |                      |
| TH: 1-22 | Lines and planes                                     | 38 - 50   |                                       |                      |
| F: 1-23  | Curves and Surfaces                                  | 51 - 75   |                                       |                      |
| M: 1-26  | curvilinear coordinates                              | 75 - 83   |                                       |                      |
| T: 1-27  | calculus of curves                                   | 89 - 101  |                                       |                      |
| W: 1-28  | Arclength  | 101 - 105 | (should be done with SAM 2 by now)    |                      |
| TH: 1-29 | geometry of curves                                   | 105 - 115 |                                       | Mission 1            |
| F: 1-30  | 3D motion  | 115 - 125 |                                       |                      |
| M: 2-2   | 3D motion continued, possibly covering Kepler's Laws | 125 - 130 |                                       |                      |
| T: 2-3   | Integration along a curve                            | 130 - 134 | (should be done with SAM 3 by now)    |                      |
| W: 2-4   | Integration along a curve                            | 130 - 134 |                                       |                      |
| TH: 2-5  | Further examples                                     |           |                                       |                      |
| F: 2-6   | HENCHMEN FIGHT I: an in-class group challenge        |           |                                       | Mission 2            |
| M: 2-9   | Questions ? ( discuss SAM 1,2,3 etc. )               |           |                                       |                      |
| T: 2-10  | BOSS FIGHT I   |           | Covers Chapters 1 and 2 of my notes.  |                      |
| W: 2-11  | open sets and limits for several variables           | 137 - 142 |                                       |                      |
| TH: 2-12 | open sets and limits for several variables           | 143 - 148 |                                       |                      |
| F: 2-13  | directional derivatives & partial differentiation    | 149 - 157 |                                       |                      |
| M: 2-16  | directional derivatives via partial differentiation  | 158 - 162 |                                       |                      |
| T: 2-17  | gradient vector field, level curves, contour plots   | 162 - 169 | (should be done with SAM 4 by now)    |                      |
| W: 2-18  | partial diff. with three-variables & applications    | 170 - 179 |                                       |                      |
| TH: 2-19 | general concept of differentiation                   | 180 - 192 |                                       | Mission 3            |
| F: 2-20  | chain rules  | 192 - 205 |                                       |                      |
| M: 2-23  | tangent spaces & their equations                     | 206 - 212 |                                       |                      |
| T: 2-24  | differentials and constrained partial diff.          | 212- 219  | (should be done with SAM 5 by now)    |                      |
| W: 2-25  | gradients in curvilinear coordinates                 | 220 - 222 |                                       |                      |
| TH: 2-26 | Lagrange multipliers                                 | 231 - 245 |                                       |                      |
| F: 2-27  | Lagrange multipliers                                 | 231 - 245 |                                       | Mission 4            |
| M: 3-2   | multivariate Taylor                                  | 246 - 251 |                                       |                      |
| T: 3-3   | second derivative test                               | 252 - 257 |                                       |                      |
| W: 3-4   | closed set test                                      | 258 - 262 | (should be done with SAM 6, 7 by now) |                      |
| TH: 3-5  | Further examples                                     |           |                                       |                      |
| F: 3-6   | HENCHMEN FIGHT II: an in-class group challenge       |           |                                       | Mission 5            |
| M: 3-9   | Questions? (discuss SAM 4,5,6,7 etc.)                |           |                                       |                      |
| T: 3-10  | BOSS FIGHT II  |           | Covers Chapters 3, 4, 5 of my notes   |                      |
| W: 3-11  | definition and basic multivariate integrals          | 265 - 270 |                                       |                      |
| TH: 3-12 | double integrals and TYPE I and II regions           | 270 - 285 |                                       |                      |
| F: 3-13  | double integrals and TYPE I and II regions           | 270 - 285 |                                       |                      |
|          | SPRING BREAK (3-16 to 3-20)                          |           |                                       |                      |
| M: 3-23  | cartesian triple integrals                           | 286 – 295 | (should be done with SAM 8 by now)    |                      |

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| T: 3-24  | cartesian triple integrals                              | 286 – 295 |                                     |           |
| W: 3-25  | cartesian triple integrals                              | 286 – 295 |                                     |           |
| TH: 3-26 | change of variables for double integrals                | 295 – 307 |                                     |           |
| F: 3-27  | change of variables for double integrals                | 295 – 307 |                                     |           |
| M: 3-30  | change of variables for triple integrals                | 308 – 319 |                                     |           |
| T: 3-31  | change of variables for triple integrals                | 308 – 319 |                                     |           |
| W: 4-1   | algebra and geometry of volume elements                 | 320 – 322 | (should be done with SAM 9 by now)  |           |
| TH: 4-2  | Further examples  |           |                                     |           |
| F: 4-3   | HENCHMEN FIGHT III: an in-class group challenge         |           |                                     | Mission 6 |
| M: 4-6   | Questions? (discuss SAM 8, 9 )                          |           |                                     |           |
| T: 4-7   | BOSS FIGHT III  |           | Covers Chapter 6 of my notes        |           |
| W: 4-8   | Assessment Day (no class)                               |           |                                     |           |
| TH: 4-9  | vector fields and the gradient operator                 | 325 – 328 |                                     |           |
| F: 4-10  | On the calculation and properties of grad, curl and div | 329 – 332 |                                     |           |
| M: 4-13  | line integrals  | 332 – 335 | (should be done with SAM 10 by now) |           |
| T: 4-14  | conservative vector fields                              | 335 – 338 |                                     |           |
| W: 4-15  | Green's theorem   | 339 – 345 |                                     |           |
| TH: 4-16 | Deformation thm, conservative vector fields             | 345 – 353 | (should be done with SAM 11 by now) |           |
| F: 4-17  | Surface integrals                                       | 354 – 364 |                                     |           |
| M: 4-20  | Surface integrals                                       | 354 – 364 |                                     | Mission 7 |
| T: 4-21  | Surface integrals                                       | 354 – 364 | (should be done with SAM 12 by now) |           |
| W: 4-22  | Stokes' theorem & Gauss' Theorem                        | 365 – 383 |                                     |           |
| TH: 4-23 | Stokes' theorem & Gauss' Theorem                        | 365 – 383 | (should be done with SAM 13 by now) |           |
| F: 4-24  | Stokes' theorem & Gauss' Theorem                        | 365 – 383 |                                     |           |
| M: 4-27  | Stokes' theorem & Gauss' Theorem                        | 365 – 383 | (should be done with SAM 15 by now) |           |
| T: 4-28  | HENCHMEN FIGHT IV: an in-class group challenge          |           |                                     | Mission 8 |
| W: 4-29  | Questions ? (discuss SAM 10, 11, 12, 13, 15)            |           |                                     |           |
| TH: 4-30 | BOSS FIGHT IV   |           | Covers Chapter 7 of my notes        |           |
| F: 5-1   | Theory of Potentials                                    | 384 – 400 |                                     |           |
| M: 5-4   | Calculus with Differential Forms part I                 | 401 – 425 |                                     |           |
| T: 5-5   | Calculus with Differential Forms part II                | 401 – 425 |                                     |           |
| W:       | Reading Day   |           |                                     |           |
| M:       | Final BOSS FIGHT is on Monday May 11, 9am-noon.         |           | Comprehensive                       |           |

- ❖ Tests 1,2,3,4 = 4(120pts) = 480pts, Final Boss Fight = 240pts, Missions = 200pts, (keep highest 7 scores), Henchmen Fights 80pts.

**Make-up policy:** if an assignment is missed for legitimate reasons such as university approved excuse then weight may be added to Final Exam to replace those missed points. Generally late work is not accepted once the solution is posted. Notice there is built-in grace in the Missions in that the lowest score(s) are dropped. In addition, I will replace scores for Tests 1, 2 & 3 with the Final Exam score if it is helpful. However, Test 4 is only replaced with extreme, university approved, circumstances.