Syllabus Econ 1088 Math Tools for Economists II Summer 2008

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Course Description: This class is a continuation of ECON 1078. The purpose is to help students to acquire the mathematical tools they need in advanced economic courses (e.g. Intermediate Microeconomics and Macroeconomics). By the end of the semester, students know what a derivative is and how to take derivatives as well as their eco

Class performance indicator: Your indicator will be "+", "-" or "neutral". The indicator measures your performance in class. I believe students who contribute to good class environment should be rewarded and who affect the

General policies:

- 1) It is the students' responsibility to take control of their own education. If you are having problems, I am more than willing to help you. You just need to approach me at some point.
- 2) No make-ups will be given unless there is a proven emergency that prevents you from attending class on the scheduled exam date. You are required to submit proof of the emergency. If you miss an exam or a quiz, you will be given a zero. Moreover, if you need to take the final other than the scheduled time, I should be informed at least two weeks ahead.
- 3) According to the university policy, no grades are allowed to be released via email. In other words, I am prohibited to email any grade to you. However, you can always check your current grade from the course website by a random number assigned to you in the first quiz.
- 4) Attending most of the classes is one of the requirements to pass this course. You are responsible for any missing class.
- 5) Any concern or question about grading of a quiz or a midterm should be raised within a week