

# Math WebAssign Student Help Sheet

## What is Webassign?

**Webassign is an online method for submitting your answers to your homework problems. You are given a set of problems and will submit your answers. If you get it correct, you will see a green check mark. If it is incorrect you will see a red X and will be given a chance to correct the answer.**

## 1. Log In to a machine

You can do these assignments on any computer with Internet Access: Netscape Navigator 4.0 +, Internet Explorer 5.0+ , Mozilla, Firefox, Safari, etc. If you are doing this from home, go to step 3. If you have logged into the campus system before, then your login ID and password is the same as before. If this is your first time logging in, It is the last four numbers of their student id number (not social security number) plus 2 digit month they were born plus the 2 digit day they were born. So if the last digits of my student id was 1234 and I was born Sept 19, my password would be: 12340919 Do not use spaces or upper case letters in your login ID or password.

If you have any problems logging in to a computer or Webassign, see the lab consultant in SAS 2105 or if a consultant is not available, call a consultant at the Hillsborough Building at 515-3035. They can answer questions regarding your login ID and your password ONLY. They cannot answer math questions.

## 2. Open A Web Browser

If you are using the NCSU UNIX system, click on your middle mouse button to pull up a menu called "Application Menu". Choose "Web Browsers" and **wait** for it to load. IF a gray window pops up with the options "Accept" or "Do not accept", **choose "Accept"**. If you are on a Mac, Linux, or PC then just find the icon for an internet browser (such as Netscape, Safari, Mozilla, Firefox, etc.) and double click.

## 3. Start your Assignment

In your Internet browser, there is a box at the top labeled "Net Site" or "Address". Inside that box type:

**<http://webassign.ncsu.edu/>**

**DO NOT USE ANY OTHER ADDRESS**

Click on the link *Continue Login*, this will bring up a prompt to type in your login ID and your password. This will bring you to the Assignments Summary page. Notice the due dates, due times and number of submission you are allowed per assignment. Begin your assignments by clicking on the name of your assignment. Type in your answers and click the submit button at the bottom of the page. If you get a red X next to an answer, that means it is wrong. You can change the answer and re-submit anytime before the due date.

## 4. Log Out

After you finish your assignments, remember to click on the "logout" button in Webassign. Then close your web browser. If you are on a UNIX computer, type *logout* in the brown window labeled "xterm".

If you need help, come to the Math Multimedia Center in SAS 2105. Tutors are available in SAS 2105. The phone number is 515-3157.

Online Lectures: <http://www.math.ncsu.edu/mmc/videotape.php>