

Schedule.
Introduction to Graduate Algorithms.
Fall 2022.

- **WEEK 1 (Aug 22-26)** (Chapter 6 on the book) Dynamic Programming.
LIS, LCS (DP1 lecture video)
Knapsack (DP2 lecture video)
HW0 released(*).
Logistic Quizzes released.
Meet your Team: Wednesday, August 24, 8PM-9PM EST.
- **WEEK 2 (Aug 29-Sep 2)** (Chapter 6 on the book) Dynamic Programming.
Chain Multiply (DP2 lecture video)
Shortest paths (DP3 lecture video)
HW1 released.
- **WEEK 3 (Sep 5-9)** (Chapter 2) Divide and conquer I
Multiplication (DC1 lecture video, see also Lecture DC3 on Solving Recurrences)
Complex Numbers (DC4 lecture video)
HW2 released. Coding Project I released.
Class Communication and Logistics is due.
- **WEEK 4 (Sep 12-16)** (Chapter 2) Divide and conquer II
FFT (DC5 lecture video)
Median (DC2 lecture video)
HW3 released.
Academic Integrity Quiz is due.
- **WEEK 5 (Sep 19-23)** (Chapter 1) Modular arithmetic and RSA.
Modular arithmetic (RA1 lecture video)
RSA cryptosystem, primality testing (RA2 lecture video).
EXAM 1 Thursday, Sep 22 10am ET-Monday, Sep 26 8am ET. *Will cover content from week 1 to 4.*
- **WEEK 6 (Sep 26-30)** Graph algorithm I (Chapter 3 and 4)
Strongly Connected Components (GR1 lecture video)
2-SAT (GR2 lecture video)
HW4 released.
- **WEEK 7 (Oct 3-7)** Graph algorithm II and Max Flow I (Chapters 3, 5 and 7)
MST (GR3 lecture video)
Ford-Fulkerson algorithm for Max-flow (MF1 lecture video)
HW5 released.
- **WEEK 8 (Oct 10-14)** Max Flow II (Chapter 7)
Max-flow=min-cut (MF2 lecture video)
Image segmentation (MF3 lecture video)
Flow variant: demands (MF5 lecture video)
Coding Project II released.
HW6-RSA Quiz released.

- **WEEK 9 (Oct 17-21)** Max Flow III (Chapter 7)
Edmonds-Karp algorithm for max-flow (MF4 lecture video)
EXAM 2 Thursday, Oct 20 10am ET-Monday, Oct 24 8am ET. *Will cover content from week 5 to 9.*
- **WEEK 10 (Oct 24-28)** NP completeness (Chapter 8)
NP, Reductions (NP1 lecture video)
3-SAT (NP2 lecture video)
Graph problems (NP3 lecture video)
HW7 released.
- **WEEK 11 (Oct 31-Nov 4)** Linear programming (Chapter 7)
LP introduction (LP1 lecture video)
Duality and Geometry (LP2 lecture video and LP3 lecture video)
HW8 released.
- **WEEK 12 (Nov 7-11)** NP and LP
Max-SAT approximation algorithm. (LP4 lecture video)
Knapsack (NP4 lecture video)
Coding Project III released.
- **WEEK 13 (Nov 14-18)** More on complexity (Chapter 8)
Halting problem (NP5 lecture video)
EXAM 3 Thursday, Nov 17 10am ET-Monday, Nov 21 8am ET. *Will cover content from week 10 to 13.*
- **WEEK 14 (Nov 23-25)**
Thanksgiving break.
- **WEEK 15 (Nov 28-Dec 2)** Final week.
Markov Chains (*).
- **WEEK 15 (Dec 5-Dec 9).**
Final exam Thursday, December 8 - Monday, December 12. *Cumulative.*

Material and assignments marked with (*) are optional and won't be graded. Please do not submit.