Preparing for the Midterm

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Exam Coverage

The exam is based on material we have covered in the lectures & labs.

The exam covers topics up to and including topic 14 (scheduling).
This includes in-class exercises 1 through 3.

Lab questions could cover labs deliverable 1.

Exam Logistics

There will be no questions allowed during the exam.

If you need to make an assumption, please do so.

It’s a closed book exam, but you can have a non-programmable calculator.

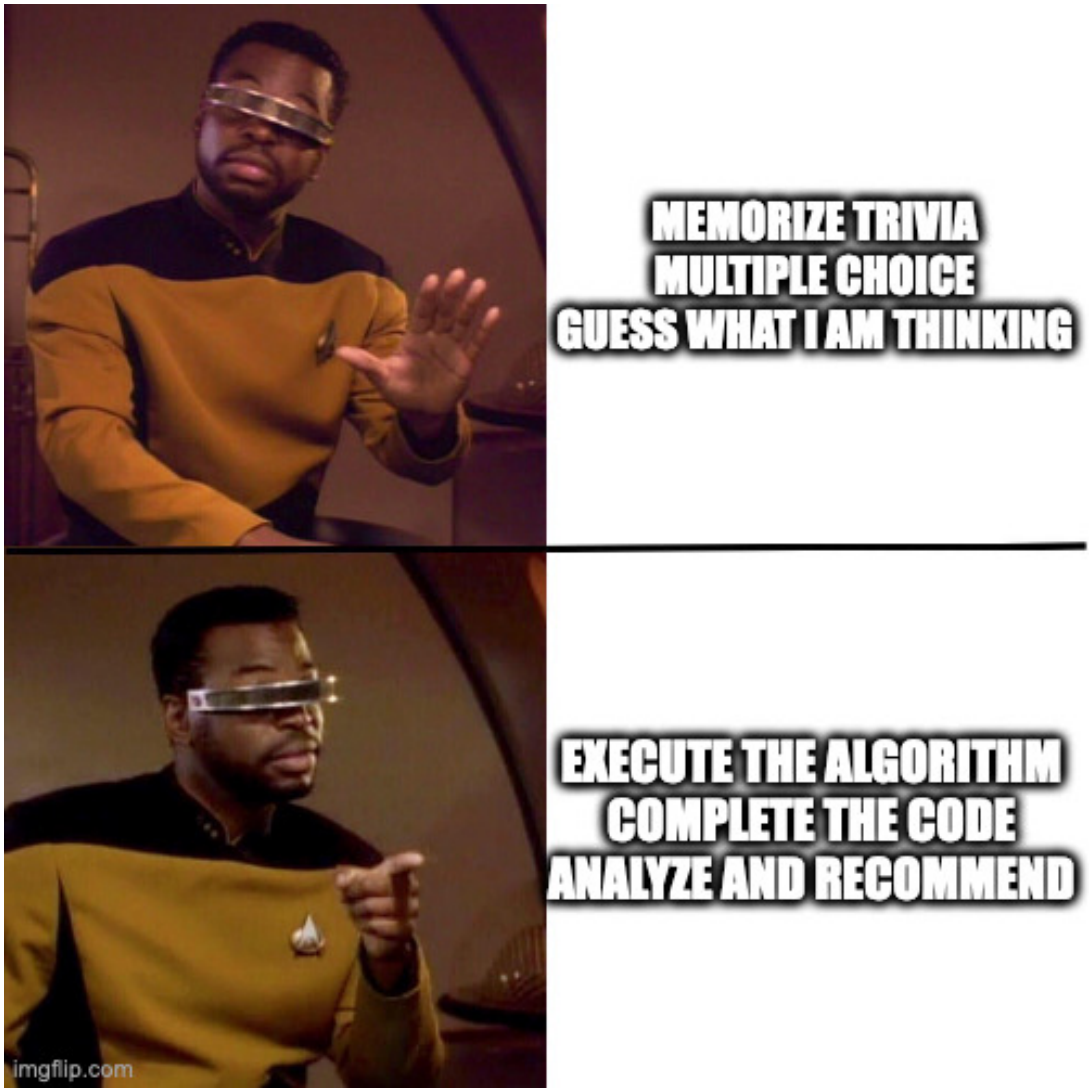
We Ask the Questions

What do questions look like?

- Best guide: previous midterms & finals (in Learn)
- Also look at the old ECE 254 final exams (also in Learn)

Okay, but tell me more?

Question Types



Code Questions?!

Yes, there can be C code questions on the exam.

We are not super strict about syntax (no marks off for a forgotten semicolon).

How to Prepare

How to prepare?

1. Do the previous exams.
2. Solve the in-class code exercises.
3. Understand your lab solutions.
4. Ask questions in Piazza for clarifications.

Q & A

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A QUESTION... ASK
YOU WON'T BE
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