

Math 339SP, Spring 2024 — Presentation rubric

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Your presentations will take place on Thursday, April 25 and Tuesday, April 30 in class. The overarching goal of our end of semester project is to get the experience of learning something new independently and then communicating the basics of it to an audience of peers. You all of have done great work this semester and learned a lot, and my hope is that the activity will show that you now have the foundations to learn about a huge variety of interesting topics in probability and stochastic processes. Below, I've given a rubric of how I'll assign grades for the presentations.

1. Organization (10 points)
 - (a) Amount of material presented and order of presentation was appropriate.
 - (b) Visual elements (slides, board work, or simulation) and spoken material complemented each other well.
 - (c) Visual elements were clear and informative.
2. Mathematical content (10 points)
 - (a) Terms, notation, assumptions, and motivation were clear.
 - (b) Mix of big picture ideas, details, and examples were appropriate and sufficient to convey the topic well.
 - (c) Level of detail was appropriate for the audience.
3. Delivery (5 points)
 - (a) Presentation was well paced, with evidence that it had been practiced in advance.
 - (b) Speaker demonstrated knowledge and comfort with the material.