

Math 510 Fall 2009  
Grading Rubric

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**4 points** Correct solution clearly written. Everything is justified with only very minor errors, if that (for example a simple copying error).

**3 points** The solution is mainly correct with only a minor error (arithmetic mistake for instance). Or there is a correct statement asserted at some point but not justified.

**2 points** The solution may technically be correct but there is little or no justification of it. Or the solution may contain a more serious error (something that is clearly a misunderstanding of a crucial concept).

**1 point** The problem started on the right track and then things went bad quickly. Perhaps a major error was made early, or wild claims with no justification, or the whole point of the problem was misunderstood.

**0 points** Did not attempt the problem or only stated trivial consequences of the problem.