EXAM POLICY
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Only the following materials are authorized during exams:

1. A watch and a water bottle.
2. Pencils, pens, and erasers.
3. Straight edges, rules, and protractors.
4. A printed hard copy of the textbook.
5. One scientific calculator—not a phone!
   a. For undergraduate students, the calculator must be NCEES-approved.
   b. For graduate students, any scientific calculator is acceptable.
6. One sheet of notes:
   a. U.S. letter size
   b. double-sided
   c. do not submit with exam
7. If online exams become necessary, additional rules will be provided.

No other materials are authorized. Non-calculator electronic devices must be switched off. Except for emergencies, no breaks are allowed during examinations.

Why limit calculators to the list approved by the National Council for Examiners for Engineering and Surveying (NCEES)? To earn your bachelor’s in civil engineering at CU Denver, you are required to take the Fundamentals of Engineering (FE) exam, which is administered by NCEES. I want to make sure you’re an expert with your calculator before then!

* The one-sheet limit applies to each midterm and final.
Calculator policy

To protect the integrity of its exams, NCEES limits the types of calculators examinees may bring to exam sites. The list of approved calculators is reviewed annually.

The following calculator models are the only ones acceptable for use during the 2022 exams:

**Casio:** All fx-115 and fx-991 models (Any Casio calculator must have “fx-115” or “fx-991” in its model name.)

**Hewlett Packard:** The HP 33s and HP 35s models, but no others

**Texas Instruments:** All TI-30X and TI-36X models (Any Texas Instruments calculator must have “TI-30X” or “TI-36X” in its model name.)

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