

## MATH 331 - METRIC SPACES

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**Exams & Grading:** (30 %) Midterm exam 1 tba  
(30 %) Midterm exam 2 tba  
(30 %) Final exam tba  
(10 %) Quizzes

No make-up for midterms unless you have a serious excuse.

Make-up for final exam covers all topics.

A student may take ONLY ONE make-up.

**Course Schedule:** Tue,Thur @; 15:00-17:00

**Textbook:** *Metric Spaces: A Companion to Analysis*, R. Magnus; 2022.  
available online at Springer's website via Boğaziçi University network.

**Topics:** Examples of metric spaces, normed spaces; some inequalities (Sec.1.2)  
Cantor set (Sec.1.3)  
Spaces of sequences, functions (cont, integrable) (Sec.1.4)  
Balls; open sets, closed sets (Sec.2.1,2.2)  
Continuous, linear mappings; operator norms (Sec.2.3,2.4)  
Homeomorphisms; topologies; Mazur-Ulam Theorem (Sec.2.5-7)  
Completeness of  $\mathbb{R}^n$  and of sequence spaces (Sec.3.1)  
Product spaces (Sec.3.2)  
Sequential compactness (Sec.4.1)  
Compactness (Sec.4.2)  
Their equivalence in a metric space (Sec.4.3)  
Finite dim normed vector spaces (Sec.4.4)  
Arzela-Ascoli Theorem (Sec.4.5)  
Denseness (Sec.5.1)  
Separability (Sec.5.2)  
Weierstrass approximation theorem (Sec.5.3)  
Complete spaces. Nested intersection theorem. (Sec.6.1)  
Completion (Sec.6.7)  
Connected spaces (Sec.7.1)  
Connectedness vs continuous mappings (Sec.7.2)  
Connected components (Sec.7.3)