

## STATISTICS 13V, FALL 2006

(last updated October 2, 2006)

**Note:** This is a “hybrid” class, meaning that it’s a combination of face-to-face meetings and independent work, partly online. (The V stands for “virtual.”) If you are required to take Statistics 13, this class fulfills the requirement.

**Lecture:** Monday, 5:10 - 6:30, 234 Wellman Hall

**Instructor:** Professor Jessica Utts, 4214 Math Sciences Bldg, 752-6496, [jmutts@ucdavis.edu](mailto:jmutts@ucdavis.edu)

**Office hrs:** Monday 3:00-4:30 (exception: 1:00-2:30 on 10/2, 11/6, 12/4), Wed 9:30-11, or by appointment.

**TA:** Clayton Schupp, [cschupp@wald.ucdavis.edu](mailto:cschupp@wald.ucdavis.edu)

**Office hrs:** Wed 12-1 and Thursday 1-2; Optional discussion on Mon 12:10-1

### Office hours and optional discussion by day, with locations:

**Mon: Optional discussion**, 12:10-1, (Schupp, 235 Wellman); **Office hours:** 3-4:30 (Utts, see above for exceptions, 4214 MSB); **Wed:** 9:30-11 (Utts, 4214 MSB), 12-1 (Schupp, 1214 MSB); **Thurs:** 1-2 (Schupp, 1214 MSB)

### Structure:

- Weekly meetings begin with question/answer/discussion of previous week’s material – up to 50 minutes, then a 20 to 30 minute quiz.
- **Notes for the week** will be posted at the class website each Monday, for the upcoming week: <http://anson.ucdavis.edu/~utts/st13v/#notes>. They will include a brief overview of what you are to study, where to focus your attention, and a three-part assignment to be completed by the next Monday’s class. The three parts of the assignment are:
  1. Reading in textbook and in *CyberStats* – suggested focus is given in the weekly notes
  2. Interactivities to play with in *CyberStats* and/or on the CD accompanying the book.
  3. Exercises to be turned in, from *Mind On Statistics*
- Homework (the assigned exercises) is due *at the beginning* of each class.
- Quizzes will concentrate on material from Exercises, Interactivities and Suggested focus
- Solutions for the quizzes and homework exercises will be provided after they are handed in, on the class website. ***Because timely solutions are provided and are useful for learning, no late homework or quizzes will be accepted.***

**Course Materials:** *Mind On Statistics, 3<sup>rd</sup> edition* by Utts and Heckard, and *CyberStats* (Online)

**Local Web Site:** <http://anson.ucdavis.edu/~utts/st13v>

### Homework, Tests and Grading:

**56%** Weekly quizzes (20 to 30 minutes, closed book) count 7% each; *the lowest one is dropped.*

**9%** Weekly homework – each assignment counts 1%.

**35%** Final exam - comprehensive, 2 hours, open book and notes, Fri December 15<sup>th</sup>, 10:30-12:30.

### CyberStats Details:

- When you purchase the textbook bundle, you will receive an access code for CyberStats.
- You need the Course Key as well, which is E-YNDJYQ78DQ6KJ for our class.
- Go to <http://www.thomsonedu.com/thomsonnow> to create your personal login.
- Detailed instructions are available at a link on the class webpage (called “How to Register for CyberStats”). The direct url for the instructions is:  
<http://anson.ucdavis.edu/~utts/st13v/CyberStatsStudentGuide.pdf>