

STATISTICS DEPARTMENT UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAM ANNOUNCEMENT

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Even if you did not change your Fall 2022 grading option, you can substitute equivalent P/NP grades for any Fall 2022 letter grades if it would allow you to satisfy the major declaration requirements as described below. For example, if you received a C- or higher in Stat 135 in Fall 2022, we will retroactively count it as a P and allow you to fulfill the 134/135/C140 requirement. Or, if you received a C- or higher in Math 54 you may elect not to count the letter grade toward your 3.2 UC Math GPA requirement.

December 9, 2022

In response to the [College of Letters & Science](#) policy to extend the deadline for L&S students to change one's grading option to 12/11/22 (11:59pm), the Statistics Department has drafted the policy below for the Statistics major and minor requirements. If you are considering changing your grading option, please read the details in [the L&S email](#) and refer to this [extensive Fall 2022 Late Grading Option Change Modification FAQ](#) before taking any action. It is important to understand the limitations and consider other relevant factors before changing your grading option.

FA22 Policy

The following policies only apply to P grades from the Fall 2022 semester.

For declaring the statistics major:

- **Lower-division statistics prerequisite (Stat 20 or Data C8):** The same lower-division statistics prerequisite is still required as usual, but a P in Fall 2022 will be accepted in place of the usual requirement to get a C or above.
- **3.2 UC Math GPA requirement:** The same 3.2 GPA requirement is in place as usual for the lower division math prerequisite courses—Math 1A, Math 1B, Math 53, and Math 54 (or the Fall 2022 Math 91 on Linear Algebra), but a P

in Fall 2022 will be accepted and will not be factored into calculating the GPA.

- If you are completing the last of these courses in Fall 2022 AND it is the only one you have taken at a UC, then the 3.2 GPA requirement will be waived. For example, transfer students who took the equivalent Math 1A, 1B, 53, and 54 at a community college and enrolled in Math 54 at UC Berkeley to establish their UC Math GPA then the 3.2 GPA will be waived if the student gets a P in Math 54 (or Math 91) FA22.
- If you are completing Math 110 to satisfy the math GPA requirement, we will accept a P in Fall 2022 in place of the usual requirement to get a B.
- **134/135/C140 requirement:** These courses are still required as usual, but a P in any of these courses in Fall 2022 will be accepted in place of the usual requirement to get a B- or above.

For students having already declared the Statistics major:

Upper-division Statistics major requirements: All upper-division requirements of the Statistics major, including upper-division core courses, electives, and cluster courses, remain in place as usual. A grade of P in Fall 2022 will count toward satisfying upper-division requirements but will not be factored into calculating the minimum 2.0 overall GPA requirement for upper-division courses.

For students who are declaring or have already declared the Statistics minor:

Statistics minor requirements: All lower-division prerequisites remain in place as usual, but a P in Fall 2022 will be accepted in place of the usual requirement to get a C or above. All upper-division requirements remain in place as usual. A grade of P in Fall 2022 will count toward satisfying upper-division requirements but will not be factored into calculating the minimum 2.0 overall GPA requirement for upper-division courses.

Courses completed with No Pass (NP) will not count toward Statistics major or minor requirements.