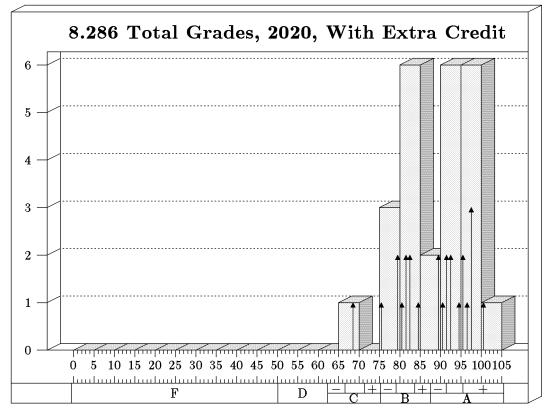
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GRADE HISTOGRAM

8.286 Total Weighted Averages, With Extra Credit: December 23, 2020



Students: 25 Mean: 88.9 Standard Deviation: 7.7 Bars show bins of 5, arrows show bins of 1.

The total grades are based 66% on the quizzes and 34% on the problem sets. Your problem set average is equal to the total number of points that you earned, including extra credit, divided by 830, which is the sum of the credits for all the regular problems, not including extra credit problems. In a few cases, Alan Guth and Bruno Scheihing decided to boost a student's grade above the numerically calculated grade, in cases where it was only slightly below a borderline, as was described on Problem Set 1. Students whose grades have improved significantly during the term, students whose average has been pushed down by a single low grade, and students who have been affected by adverse personal or medical problems will be the ones most likely to be boosted.