



Using the GPA Calculators

Click on GPA Calc along the top.

There are three different Calculations that may be done.

Graduation Calculator- Tells what you would need to average over the hours you have left to reach a specific GPA for graduation.

(It will automatically include the current GPA for the student)

The screenshot shows the DegreeWorks web application interface. At the top, there is a navigation bar with links for Back to Self-Service, Portal, FAQ, Help, Print, SureCode, Exception Management, and Log Out. Below this is a search bar with fields for Student ID (50051533), Name (Test, #1), Degree (BS), Major (Undeclared), Level (U), Classification (Freshman), Last Audit (10/12/2011), and Last Refresh (10/12/2011 at 8:46 am). A red box highlights the GPA Calc button in the navigation bar. On the left side, there is a sidebar with links for Worksheets, Planner, Notes, Exceptions, Graduation Calculator (highlighted with a red box), Calculator, and Advice Calculator. The main content area displays the Graduation Calculator form with input fields for Current GPA (0.00), Semester Hours Remaining, Semester Hours Required, and Desired GPA, along with a Calculate button. The footer of the page indicates copyright information for SunGard 1995 - 2011.

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For example take the following scenario:

John has a current GPA of 3.0. His degree requires 121 hours. He has completed 21 of those hours and has only 100 more to finish. He wants to graduate Magna Cum Laude which requires at least a 3.7 GPA. The GPA calculator tells us that he needs to average a 3.84 over his final 100 hours to achieve this goal.

The screenshot shows the DegreeWorks GPA Calculator interface. The browser address bar displays the URL: <http://degreeworks2.tamu-commerce.edu/TRISLink.cgi>. The page header includes the Texas A&M University Commerce logo and the text "DEGREEWORKS DEGREE EVALUATION AND PLANNING". The navigation menu includes: Back to Self-Service, Portal, FAQ, Help, Print, SureCode, Exception Management, and Log Out. The search bar shows: Find Student ID: 50051533, Name: Test, #1, Degree: BS, Major: Undeclared, Level: U, Classification: Freshman, Last Audit: 10/12/2011, Last Refresh: 10/12/2011 at 8:46 am. The GPA Calculator section displays the following information:

Category	Value
Current GPA	3.0
Semester Hours Remaining	100
Semester Hours Required	121
Desired GPA	3.7

You need to average a 3.84 over your final 100 Semester Hours to graduate with your desired GPA.

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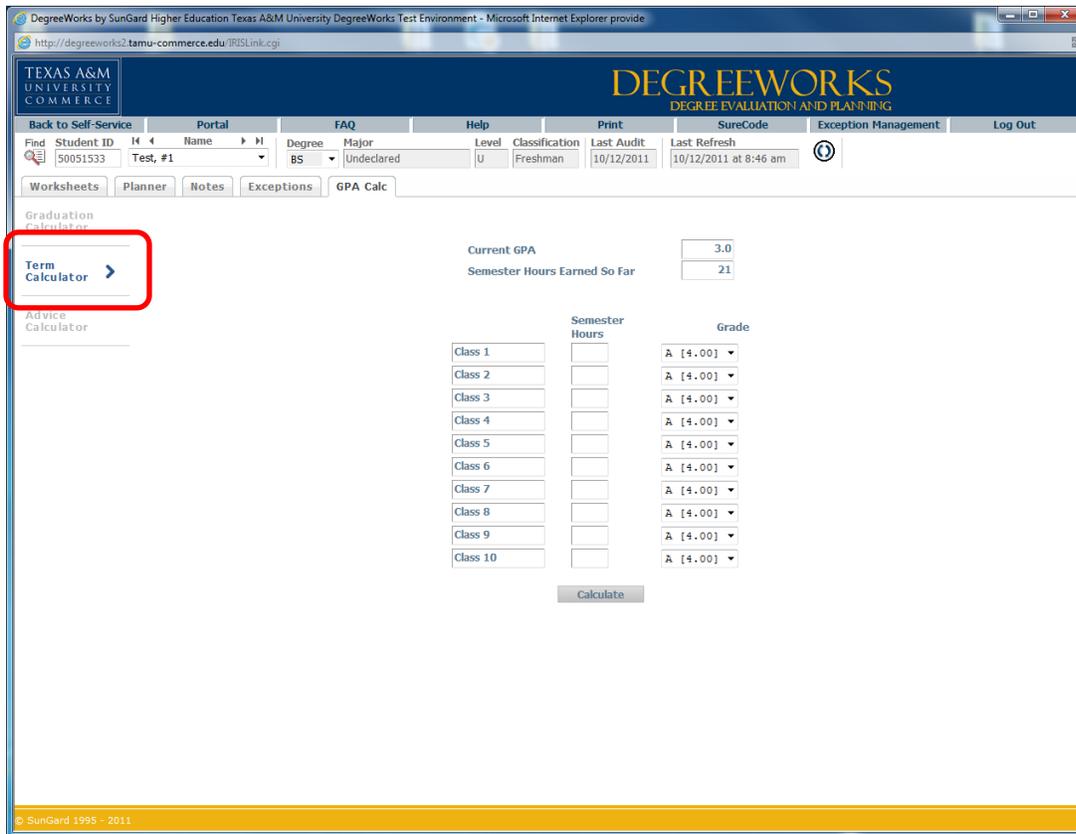
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Term Calculator- Tells the student how their GPA will change with anticipated grades for the semester.



Scenario: John has a 3.0 and has taken 21 semester hours so far. He is currently enrolled in 15 hours and plugs in his anticipated grades, the calculator will show the following.



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The screenshot shows the DegreeWorks GPA Calculator interface. The student's current GPA is 3.0 with 21 semester hours earned so far. The calculated GPA is 3.33, based on the following classes:

Class	Semester Hours	Grade	4.00
FRA 131	1	A	4.00
MATH 142	3	A	4.00
BSC 1301	4	A	4.00
HIST 121	3	B	3.00
IS 141	4	A	4.00

By achieving the grades listed here, your GPA at the end of the term will be 3.33.

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Notice he has 4 "A"s and 1 "B". This will increase his GPA from a 3.0 to a 3.33.



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Advice Calculator- Tells the quickest way to achieve a goal GPA.

John has a 3.0 and has taken 21 semester hours so far, he would like to raise his GPA to a 3.73.

Enter that into the calculator and press “Calculate”. John can achieve this goal by earning a 4.0 grade average over the next 49 semester hours...

Graduation Calculator

Current GPA	3.0
Semester Hours Earned	21
Desired GPA	3.7

To achieve your desired GPA, you need one of the following:

- 49 Semester Hours at 4.00 (A) grade average

Note: Results that would require you to take more than 150 Semester Hours have been omitted.

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