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**MATH 5385 - SPRING 2018
CHECKLIST FOR PAPER**

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Component	Score	Weight	Grade
Content: The paper motivates the main result and indicates its relationship to other areas.	1 2 3 4 5	2×	
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Examples: Relevant examples enrich the central theme. Each theorem is illustrated with at least one example.	1 2 3 4 5	2×	
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Acknowledgement: The writer acknowledges any assistance and lists relevant references.	1 2 3 4 5	1×	
Ideas: The paper is clear and focused.	1 2 3 4 5	2×	
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Fluency: The writing has an easy flow and rhythm. Sentences are well constructed with strong and varied structure.	1 2 3 4 5	1×	
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Scoring

5	Strong	Shows control and skill in this area; many strengths present.
4	Competent	Strengths outweigh the weaknesses; a small amount of revision is needed.
3	Progressing	Strengths and need for revision are about equal.
2	Appearing	Need for revision outweighs the strengths.
1	Not Yet	Barely a beginning.