Exam 1 results:

The distribution is skewed to the right, which shows the a few students who are really understanding the material but that the great majority are roughly evenly divided between those who are working hard but having trouble with some of the concepts or those who are really struggling. This course is not part of a sequence of courses so anyone who demonstrates a basic understanding of the main concepts will pass the course. Here is how I would assign grades to the exam:

I have not had a chance yet, but I eventually will add a scatter plot comparing how people are doing on homework with their grades on the exam.