The Homepage

The homepage includes a Menu Bar, the Title of the course, Breadcrumbs that show your location within the course, a Navigation Bar, and the Content Area where your actual course material will be displayed.

Figure 1 - WebCT Homepage

The Menu Bar consists of links to:

- My WebCT - where you can see a list of the courses in which you are registered on one server
- Resume Course - where you can resume your place in the Content Module
- Course Map - which allows you to see the entire structure of the course on one page
- Help - which links you to the WebCT online Help files

The Course Name tells you which course you are in.

Breadcrumbs are links that show your location within the course. Simply click any of the previous links to go back.

NOTE: Do not use the browser's Back/Forward button(s) for navigating in WebCT.
The **Navigation Bar** on the left hand side serves as a course menu and provides access to the most important components of your course. You can hide the navigation bar if you want a larger content area.

The **Content Area** is the large middle area where you’ll see text or graphic links to the WebCT icons that you’ll be using in your class.

The more common component links your instructor may have included in the course are:

- **Syllabus** - where your instructor and class requirements are introduced
- **Content** - where your course materials or files will be
- **Email** - where you receive and send mail to your classmates or instructor
- **Discussion (List)** - where your instructor posts topics you will be responding to

![Figure 2 - Common Component Links](image)