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A study is conducted using data from online unproctored exams and exams using Proctor U, an online service that proctors via a computer webcam. Students in an undergraduate Business Finance class are given the same exam. One class section uses no proctor and the other section uses Proctor U. We find that students taking the unproctored exam score 14% higher on the exam. Further, using a T Test we find a significant difference between the 2 sections.