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# Linear Algebra

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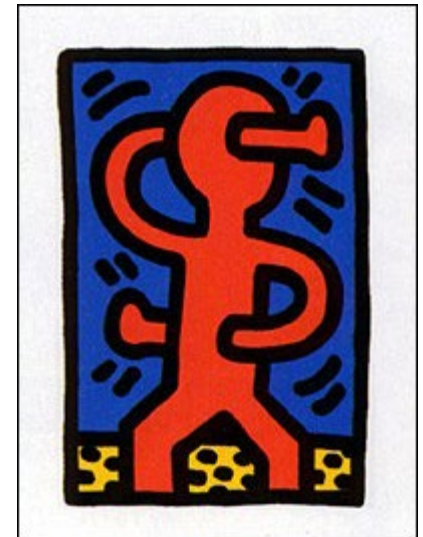
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**Textbook:** Linear Algebra (4th edition) by Friedberg, Insel, Spence

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**Linear Algebra** is used extensively in engineering, the sciences and, in particular, data science. After a motivating introduction to linear equations, vectors, and matrices in Euclidean space, the course delves into vector spaces and linear transformations.

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## Topics

Vector Spaces

Liner Transformations and Matrices

Systems of Linear Equations

Determinants

Eigenvalues and Eigenvectors

Inner Product Spaces

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## Homework

Page 14 #8,12,13

Page 20 #4,10,30

Page 32 #2a,b,c, 4a, 5g, 7, 8

Page 40 #2a,d, 4, 5, 9, 10

The null space and range space of an  $m \times n$  matrix are subspaces of  $\mathbb{R}^n$  and  $\mathbb{R}^m$ , respectively.

due Friday, Jan. 18

Page 54 #2a,3a,8,9,13,16,26,29

Page 74 #3,5,9e,10,12,14a,22

due Friday, Feb. 1

Page 84 #2b,3,4,9

Page 96 #2b,3,4a,b

due Friday, Feb. 8

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Prove that, for  $n \times n$  matrices  $A, B$ , the matrix  $AB$  is invertible if and only if  $A$  and  $B$  are invertible.

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Page 208 #3a,4a

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due Tues, Feb. 19

Page 257 #3ab,4ae,8b,9,11c,15a,22c

Page 279 #2bef,3ace,7,10,11

due Fri, March 1

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Prove inner product space axiom (3) for Example (3) from class.

due Fri, March 22

Page 353 #2acd, 4, 7, 9, 15a, 16a, 19b, 20b

due Wed, April 3

Page 366 #2a, 3b, 6, 8, 20a

due Mon, April 8

Prove: If  $A$  is normal, then so is  $A - cI$  for any scalar  $c$ .

Page 374 #2ac, 7, 11

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The intersection of eigenspaces belonging to distinct eigenvalues is trivial.

due Fri, April 19 (**note the change**)

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## Grades

3 Exams – 20% each, given at 7:30 pm

February 5

March 17

April 20

Five homework assignments, each worth 2%

The exams will be graded on a sliding scale, the harder the exam, the more lenient the grading. Out of 100, it will never be stricter than 90A, 80B, 70C, 60D.

Homework will receive full credit if there is an honest attempt to do the problems.

Exam and homework grades will be posted on the canvas Grades section within a week, but usually sooner.

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Requirements for class attendance and make-up exams, assignments, and other work in this course are consistent with university policies that can be found at: [Attendance Policies](#)

Information on current UF grading policies for assigning grade points may be found at: [Grades](#)

Students are expected to provide feedback on the quality of instruction in this course by completing a course evaluation online via [GatorEvals](#). Students will be notified when the evaluation period opens and can complete evaluations through the email they receive from GatorEvals or in their Canvas course menu under GatorEvals.

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