

## 1 | In the context of linear algebra

- From Axler Linear Algebra Done Right 3rd Ed. 2.A
- #definition polynomial

–  $p : F \rightarrow F$  with coefficients in  $F$  if there exist  $a_0, \dots, a_m \in F$  such that  $p(z) = a_0 + a_1z + a_2z^2 + \dots + a_mz^m$  ## Polynomial Degree #definition degree of a polynomial

- Basically write it in standard form and find the highest index of the highest coefficient that isn't zero
  - degree of 0 =  $-\infty$
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