



## Syllabus

**Term:** 2023/24/1

**Subject name:** Elementary linear algebra

**Subject code:** PTIA0301

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**Unit (Unit code)**

(MATINFO)

**Lecturer responsible for the course:** Dr. FRIGYIK Béla András

**Requirement:** Exam

**Classes per week :** 2/2/0

**Classes per term:** 0/0/0

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### Purpose of education:

13. Course objectives and/or learning outcomes:

**Objectives:** The aim of the course is to familiarize students whose curriculum involves higher mathematics with the basic concepts and methods of linear algebra.

**Learning outcomes:** students completing the course will

*have a knowledge* on the basics of linear algebra and its terminology.

They will be *able* to use elementary methods of linear algebra in solving certain simple problems.

They will be *open* to follow simpler mathematical approaches to problems and *intend* to improve their problem solving abilities.

They will be *able in a stand-alone way* to recognize the applicability of basic methods of linear algebra in solving simple problems and solve them using the learned techniques.

### Contents:

#### Week

#### Topics

1. The concept of a matrix. Operations of matrices, their properties and applications. Using indices. Example for special matrices.



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2. Elementary row and column operations. Linear equation systems. Echelon forms, reduced echelon forms, matrix equivalence. Gaussian elimination, Gauss-Jordan reduction.
3. Determinants: their evaluation and applications.
4. Elementary matrices. Inverse of a matrix. Equivalence of matrices.
5. Real vector spaces. Examples. Subspaces. Linear independence, Span.
6. Rank of a matrix. Kronecker-Capelli theorems. Applications 1.
7. Basis, dimension. Orthonormal basis. Change of a basis. Isomorphism of vector spaces.
8. Linear operators. Rank and nullity of a matrix. Properties of linear operators.
9. Linear operators and their matrices on orthonormal bases.
10. Inner product spaces. Gram-Schmidt orthogonalization. Orthogonal complement.
11. Eigenvalues and eigenvectors. Characteristic polynomials.
12. Diagonalization of symmetric matrices



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### 13. Applications

**System of examining and valuation:**

**Seminar:** You have to write two tests. *Written tests involve problems considered in the practical course. They are graded on a five-point scale. Mark 1 (failed) tests have to be repeated. The two tests contains only numerical exercises. The minimum requirement is 40% from both tests.*

Grades: 0-40% (1), 41%- 55% (2), 56%- 70% (3), 71%-85% (4), 86%-100% (5)

*There is an written colloquium at the end of the course. Its prerequisite is a non-failed grade of both written tests.*

### **Colloquium**

*You have to register to the exam on Neptun!* There is an written colloquium at the end of the course. Its prerequisite is a non-failed grade of both written tests.

**The final mark is calculated as a weighted average of the grades of two tests**



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**System of examing and valuation:**

**and the colloquium with 25%-25%-50% weights respectively.**

**After retake tests you have a grade 1 also then the signature is refused and you cannot write the colloquium!**

**The mark is 1 if the final test is 1 (insufficient).**

**Grades: 0-40% (1), 41%- 55% (2), 56%- 70% (3), 71%-85% (4), 86%-100% (5)**

**Bibliography:**

1. Bernard Kolman and David Hill: Elementary Linear Algebra with Applications, 9th ed., Pearson 2007.
2. Henry Ricardo: A Modern Introduction to Linear Algebra, Taylor & Francis Group, LLC, 2010

**Bibliography:**

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