

DEPARTMENT OF MATHEMATICS

REQUIRED COURSE TEXTBOOK: LINEAR ALGEBRA AND ITS APPLICATION BY GILBERT STRANG

No Other Textbooks will be used or entertained

Course format:

Grading – external:

Grading – internal:

LESSON PLAN

DATE	#	TOPICS	CHAPTERS	Conceptual Problems (To be integrated into the lecture so as to aid the grasping of concepts)	In Class Problems	Assignment Problems
	1	The Geometry of Linear Equations	1.2		1.2 (2,7)	1.2 (15,17)
	2	The Geometry of Linear Equations	1.2		1.2 (8,11)	1.2 (18,22)
	3	Gaussian Elimination	1.3		1.3 (1,3,4,7)	1.3 (9,10,12)
	4	Gaussian Elimination	1.3		1.3 (8,14,16)	1.3 (26,32)
	5	Matrix Notation and Matrix Multiplication	1.4		1.4 (4,5,21)	1.4 (11,28,56)
	6	Triangular Factors and Row Exchanges	1.5		1.5 (2,7,11)	1.5 (9,27,30)
	7	Triangular Factors and Row Exchanges	1.5		1.5 (21,28)	1.5 (9,32,40,41)
	8	Inverses and Transposes	1.6		1.6 (6,10,11)	1.6 (2,4,5,12)

9	Inverses and Transposes	1.6		1.6 (15,17,41,42)	1.6 (37,52,54,58)
10	Vector Spaces and Subspaces	2.1		2.1 (2,4)	2.1 (1,6,8)
11	Vector Spaces and Subspaces	2.1		2.1 (5,24)	2.1 (26,28)
12	Solving $Ax = 0$ and $Ax = b$	2.2		2.2 (1,4,5,13)	2.2 (7,12,15)
13	Solving $Ax = 0$ and $Ax = b$	2.2		2.2 (34,44,54,59)	2.2 (32,36,56)
14	Linear Independence	2.3		2.3 (1,3,5,8)	2.3 (4,9,10)
15	Basis, and Dimension	2.3		2.3 (16,19,23)	2.3 (13,31,32,40)
16	The Four Fundamental Subspaces	2.4		2.4 (2,13)	2.4 (3,6,11)
17	The Four Fundamental Subspaces	2.4		2.4 (18,24,29)	2.4 (17,28,31,32)
18	Linear Transformations	2.6		Theory	Examples
19	Linear Transformations	2.6		2.6 (2,17,19,29)	2.6 (20,25,26,28)
20	Orthogonal Vectors and Subspaces	3.1		3.1 (1,7,9,12)	3.1 (2,10,11,18, 33)
21	Cosines and Projections onto Lines	3.2		3.2 (1,3,8,17)	3.2 (5,9,11,19)
22	Projections and Least Squares	3.3		3.3 (1,4,6)	3.3 (2,9,12)
23	Orthogonal Bases and Gram-Schmidt	3.4		3.4 (5,9)	3.4 (6,10)
24	Orthogonal Bases and Gram-Schmidt	3.4		3.4 (16,23)	3.4 (20,30)
25	Properties and Formulas of the Determinant	4.2 & 4.3		4.2 (4,5)	4.2 (2,6,13) &

					& 4.3 (1,4)	4.3 (10,13,20,24,27)
	26	Applications of the Determinant	4.4		4.4 (2,14,29)	4.4 (5,7,27)
	27	Eigenvalues and Eigenvectors	5.1		5.1 (1,2,6,7)	5.1 (3,9,10,11)
	28	Eigenvalues and Eigenvectors	5.1		5.1 (15,17)	5.1 (19,22,27,39)
	29	Diagonalization of a Matrix	5.2		5.2 (3,4,6)	5.2 (8,12,16,32)
	30	Differential Equations and e^{At}	5.4		5.4 (1,6)	5.4 (4,10)
	31	Differential Equations and e^{At}	5.4		5.4 (9,12,19)	5.4 (20,24,42)
	32	Complex Matrices	5.5		5.5 (1,2)	5.5 (3,10)
	33	Complex Matrices	5.5		5.5 (15,33)	5.5 (22,43)
	34	Similarity Transformations	5.6		5.6 (1,4,6)	5.6 (7,17)
	35	Similarity Transformations	5.6		5.6 (18,23,26)	5.6 (31,41,44)
	36	Minima, Maxima, and Saddle Points	6.1		6.1 (2,5,8)	6.1 (9,17)
	36	Tests for Positive Definiteness	6.2		6.2 (1,3,11)	6.2 (25,34)
	37	Singular Value Decomposition	6.3		6.3 (1,4)	6.3 (2,3)
	39	Singular Value Decomposition	6.3		6.3 (14)	6.3 (14)

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Matrix Norm and
Condition Number

7.2

7.2(15,17)

7.2(2,10)

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Iterative Methods
for $Ax = b$

7.4

7.4(2)

7.4(5)