## Instructions

- Answer each question completely; justify your answers.
- This assignment is due at 17:00 on Wednesday October 24th in Assignment Box #42.
- 1. Suppose that A is a  $2 \times 3$  matrix such that  $a_{ij} = 5i j$ . What is A?

2. Let 
$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -4 \\ -1 & \frac{3}{4} \end{bmatrix}$$
 and  $B = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{2}{3} & -2 \\ \frac{5}{6} & 7 \end{bmatrix}$ 

- (a) Calculate AB.
- (b) Calculate BA.
- (c) Calculate  $(A+B)^2$ .
- (d) Calculate  $A^2 + 2AB + B^2$ .

3. Let 
$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -3 & 4 \\ -2 & 1 & 0 \\ -3 & 2 & 1 \\ 7 & 2 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$$
 and  $B = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 2 \\ 2 & -1 \\ 4 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$ .

- (a) If possible, calculate AB.
- (b) If possible, calculate BA.
- (c) If possible, calculate  $B^2$ .
- (d) If possible, calculate  $B^T A^T$ .

4. Consider the matrix 
$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 2 & -1 \\ -2 & \sqrt{3} & 7 \\ 4 & -9 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$
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- (a) Calculate  $A^2$ .
- (b) Calculate  $A^T A$ .
- (c) Calculate  $AA^T$ .

5. Solve for k and 
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:  $\begin{bmatrix} 3k & 4\ell \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -3 & 6 \\ 7 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 13 & -40 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ 

6. Let 
$$A_1 = \begin{bmatrix} -3 & 7 \\ 4 & 8 \end{bmatrix}$$
 and  $A_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 13 & 12 \\ 5 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$ .  
Find all solutions for  $c_1$  and  $c_2$  such that  $c_1 A_1 + c_2$ .

Find all solutions for  $c_1$  and  $c_2$  such that  $c_1A_1 + c_2A_2 = 0$ .