

Math. 108B, Spring 2012, Chuck Akemann

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Text: Linear Algebra, 4th Edition, 16th printing, Stephen Friedberg et al. We will begin in Chapter 6.

Homework: It will be assigned regularly, there will be a lot of it, and it will be collected and graded. You may consult with others about your homework. In fact, one of the best ways to check your understanding of the problems is to explain them to another person in the class. **However, the work you turn in must be in your own words and must represent your own understanding of the problems.**

Class Structure: The class is aimed at juniors majoring in one of the Mathematics majors.

Grading: Homework will count for 40% of the grade, midterm exam for 20%, and final exam for 40%. Both the final and the midterm will have two components, definitions and “prove or disprove” statements.

Final Exam: Friday, June 15, 8-11 AM.