Advanced Linear Algebra. General Information

• For the calendar, contact information for the instructor and the TA's, office hours, etc., see the class webpage at http://www.math.ucdavis.edu/~anne/WQ2007/mat67.html. Advanced Linear Algebra is a class designed as a transitional class between the more concrete lower division and the more abstract upper division courses. Besides learning the concepts of linear algebra, you will learn how to write proofs.

• Announcements and hand-outs

It is imperative that you **check the class website regularly**. Many important announcements will be posted there as well as supplementary notes for the class, homework assignments and sample solutions.

• Homework

Weekly homework assignments will be posted on the class webpage. Each assignment will have two parts: a problem set and exercises in writing mathematics, in particular proofs. You are encouraged to discuss the homework problems with other students. However, the homeworks that you hand in should reflect your own understanding of the material. You are **not** allowed to copy solutions from other students or other sources. If you need help with the problems, come to office hours! The best way to learn mathematics is by doing math yourself. Homeworks are due at the beginning of each Friday lecture. **No late homework will be accepted!** A selection of the homework problems will be graded and returned to you in the discussion on Tuesdays.

• Exams

The midterm will cover approximately the first half of the material for the quarter. I will provide precise information when the date approaches. The final exam will be comprehensive, i.e., cover all material of the course.

Manuscript	#	weight	missed item policy
Homeworks	9	25%	no make-up
Midterm	1	30%	no make-up, Final $= 75\%$
Final Exam	1	45%	N/A

• Grade distribution