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MAT21A Written Assignment
Due Friday, 10/14

Read, Reflect, and React (or Respond) Prompt #5

It is fascinating to consider people's ability to remember things even when they are not even trying. For example, two people experiencing the same event (i.e. a social gathering, a TV program, a lecture...) will come away with different memories of it. No one will deny how essential memory is in learning; having a good understand of one's ability to remember leads to more efficient techniques in memorizing, which contributes to being a better student. I would like you to explore your own ability to remember by answering the following:

1. Without using any notes or help from others, what are five things that stand out in your memory of last week's lectures?

2. Why do you think these five things stand out over other potential memories?