

MA 253 Homework Problems 5

Homework has both a “Reading” portion and a “Problems” portion. It is essential that you do the reading by the next class. The reading assignments are posted on a separate webpage. Don’t forget to do them!

The following problems are due on **Wed. October 8**. All page numbers and section numbers refer to the 5th edition of Bretscher’s Linear Algebra. Note that most odd numbered problems have solutions in the back of the text. Problems without solutions are worth more points than those with solutions.

Remember to use *Mathematica* to do row operations!

(1) Section 3.2 (page 131)

(a) Problems 17 - 20, 24, 25, 30 - 34

(2) Section 3.3 (page 1)

(a) Problems 21 - 25, 29, 30,