

### MATH 2310 HOMEWORK 3

Due Friday 9 October (or earlier).

- (1) Section 3.2, p.155, Exercise 1(e).
- (2) Section 3.2, p.155, Exercise 5.
- (3) Find the determinant of the matrix in Section 3.3, p.164, Exercise 4, by expansion along the fourth column.
- (4) Section 3.4, p.169, Exercise 4.
- (5) Section 3.5, p.172, Exercise 1.
- (6) Supplementary exercises, p. 174, Exercise 5.
- (7) Show that the matrix

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & a & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & a \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

is nonsingular for any value of  $a$ , and compute its inverse using any method you wish.

- (8) Chapter Review, p. 174, Exercises 1-7. Decide whether each of the statements is true or false, and give a brief reason for your answer.