

Linear Algebra  
C Term, Sections C01-C04  
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### Linear Algebra Assignment 4

DUE DATE: Friday, February 7, 4pm. Submit in class or to MA2071 mail slot in SH108.

**N.B.** No late assignments will be accepted for credit.

**N.B.** Keep in mind Professor Martin's rules for completing assignments (reproduced on the back of this sheet).

Please complete the following four problems:

1. **(a)** Find the equation of the plane in  $\mathbb{R}^3$  which passes through the points  $(2, 0, 0)$ ,  $(1, 0, 2)$  and  $(-2, 1, 9)$ .  
  
**(b)** Find the equation of the plane which is parallel to the plane  $\pi : 3x + y - 4z = 7$  and passes through the point  $(1, 1, 1)$ .  
  
**(c)** Find the equation of the plane which is perpendicular to the vector  $(2, -1, 1)$  and passes through the point  $(0, -3, 1)$ .
2. Exercise #16 on page 243.
3. Exercise #18 on page 244.
4. Exercise #T.3 on pages 244. (Be careful!)

PROFESSOR MARTIN'S RULES FOR LINEAR ALGEBRA ASSIGNMENTS:
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- Write neatly, using correct English.
- Use **only one side** of each sheet of paper. Ink on the back of the page deteriorates the readability of what is on the front.
- Explain your steps. A correct answer with no explanation will earn a grade of zero.
- Use a staple when you submit more than one sheet and want them all back. There is a stapler for public use in the Mathematical Sciences Department Office (SH108).