- 1. Let B be a matrix obtained by exchanging row i and row i+1 of matrix A. Let A be a square matrix. Show that det(A)=-det(B)
- 2. If A is an nxn matrix and E an nxn elementary matrix, then |EA| = |E| |A|
- 3. Let A and B are nxn matrix. If A is invertible, $A=E_1 E_2 \dots E_n$. Show that $|AB|=|E_1 E_2 \dots E_nB|=|E_1 E_2 \dots E_n||B|=|A||B|$. Show that $|A^{-1}|=1/|A|$
- 4. Prove the following theorems

A. Let A be a square matrix with $|A| \neq 0$, then A is invertible with

$$A^{-1} = \frac{1}{|A|}adj(A)$$

- B. A square matrix A is invertible if and only if $|A| \neq 0$.
- C. Let AX = B be a system of *n* linear equations in *n* variables. If $|A| \neq 0$, there is a unique solution.
- D. Let AX = B be a system of *n* linear equations in *n* variables. If |A| = 0 there may be many or no solutions.
- 5. Determine values of λ for which the following system of equations has nontrivial solutions. Find the solutions for each value of λ. (λ+2)x₁+(λ+4)x₂ = 0
 2x₁+(λ+1)x₂ = 0
- 6. Find the eigenvalues and eigenvectors of the matrix

$$A = \left[\begin{array}{rrr} -4 & -6 \\ 3 & 5 \end{array} \right]$$