

YOUR BACKGROUND

Please, estimate your level of knowledge in the following topics:

LINEAR ALGEBRA

- **Inner products**

Have never seen this before Beginner Advanced

- **Orthonormal bases**

Have never seen this before Beginner Advanced

- **Cauchy-Schwarz inequality**

Have never seen this before Beginner Advanced

- **Operator norm**

Have never seen this before Beginner Advanced

- **Selfadjoint (aka Hermitian) matrices**

Have never seen this before Beginner Advanced

- **Spectral theorem of selfadjoint matrices**

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- **Positive semidefinite matrices**

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- **Singular value decomposition**

Have never seen this before Beginner Advanced

- **Moore-Penrose pseudo-inverse**

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- **Functions of normal matrices, e.g., $\sin(X)$ for a normal matrix X**

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- **Tensor products (abstract)**

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- **Tensor products (concrete), i.e., compute $A \otimes B$ for matrices A and B**

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PROBABILITY

- **Discrete probability distributions**
Have never seen this before Beginner Advanced
- **Expectation values and variances of probability distributions**
Have never seen this before Beginner Advanced
- **Independence of random variables**
Have never seen this before Beginner Advanced
- **Bayes' theorem**
Have never seen this before Beginner Advanced
- **Chebychev's inequality**
Have never seen this before Beginner Advanced
- **Weak law of large numbers**
Have never seen this before Beginner Advanced
- **Jensen's inequality**
Have never seen this before Beginner Advanced
- **Shannon's entropy**
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CONVEXITY

- **The definition of convex functions**
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- **The definition of convex sets**
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- **Extreme points of convex sets**
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- **Hyperplane separation theorem or Hahn-Banach theorem**
Have never seen this before Beginner Advanced
- **Caratheodory's theorem**
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PHYSICS

- **Newtonian mechanics**
Have never seen this before Beginner Advanced
- **Quantum mechanics**
Have never seen this before Beginner Advanced
- **Open quantum systems**
Have never seen this before Beginner Advanced
- **Bra-Ket notation (also known as Dirac notation)**
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- **Schrödinger's equation**
Have never seen this before Beginner Advanced
- **Quantum teleportation**
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- **Shor's algorithm in quantum computing**
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OTHER

- **Brouwer's fixed point theorem**
Have never seen this before Beginner Advanced
- **The Haar measure of a compact group**
Have never seen this before Beginner Advanced
- **Representation theory**
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- **Lie group theory**
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