Worksheet - Lecture 13 Advanced Matrix Arithmetic

- 1. (*True/False*) If $\mathbf{A} = \mathbf{A}^T$ then $\mathbf{A} = \mathbf{I}$, the identity matrix.
- 2. (*True/False*) The transpose of a lower triangular matrix is an upper triangular matrix.
- 3. Simplify the following matrix equations, if possible: (Hint: Because of the distributive law, multiplying binomials works the same with matrices as it does with scalars, only the order of the multiplications must be preserved:

$$(A + B)(A + B) = A^2 + BA + AB + B^2$$

Also, in case it is not immediately clear to you at this point, we can combine like terms as usual,

$$AB + AB = 2AB$$

a.
$$A(BC-CD) + A(C-B)D - AB(C-D)$$

b.
$$(A - B)(C - A) + (C - B)(A - C) + (C - A)^2$$

c.
$$(\mathbf{A}^T \mathbf{C}^T)^T (\mathbf{C} \mathbf{A}^T)^T (\mathbf{A} \mathbf{C}^T)^T$$

d.
$$(\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{B}\mathbf{A})(\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{B}\mathbf{A}) + \mathbf{B}(2\mathbf{A} - \mathbf{A}\mathbf{B}\mathbf{A})$$

e.
$$A^{-1}(B^2A^T)^TB^{-T}$$