

MA 262  
ALTERNATE FINAL EXAM FALL 2000

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1. Fill in your name and your instructor's name above and on the first page of the question sheets.
2. There are 25 questions, each worth 8 points.
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1. If  $y(x)$  is the solution of  $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{x^2 + 1}{y^3}$  and  $y(0) = 2$  then  $y(3) =$

- A.  $\pm 2$
- B.  $\pm 4\sqrt{2}$
- C.  $\pm 2\sqrt{2}$
- D. 0
- E.  $\pm 4$

2. The change of variable  $u = y/x$  in the equation  $y' = \tan\left(\frac{x^2 + y^2}{x^2}\right)$  leads to the equation:

- A.  $xu' = \tan(u^2 + 1)$
- B.  $xu' = \tan(u^2 + 1) - x$
- C.  $xu' = \tan(u^2 + 1) + x$
- D.  $xu' = \tan(u^2 + 1) + u$
- E.  $xu' = \tan(u^2 + 1) - u$

3. The general solution of  $xy' - y = x^2e^x$  is

- A.  $y = xe^x + cx$
- B.  $y = x^2e^x - xe^x + cx$
- C.  $y = xe^x - cx^2$
- D.  $y = x^2e^x + xe^x + cx$
- E. None of the above

4. The solution of  $(3x^2 + y)dx + (x + 2y)dy = 0$  passing through the point  $(1, 1)$  is

- A.  $x^2 + xy + y^2 = 3$
- B.  $x^2 + xy + y^3 = 3$
- C.  $x^2 + x + y^2 = 3$
- D.  $x^3 + xy + y^2 = 3$
- E.  $x^3 + x^2y + y^3 = 3$

5. A tank contains 100 gallon of salt water which contains 10 lbs of salt. A salt solution of 2 lbs of salt per gallon enters the tank at a rate of 3 gallons per minute while a flow of fresh water runs into the tank at a rate of 5 gallons per minute. The well-stirred solution runs out of the tank at a rate of 7 gallons per minute. Let  $A(t)$  be the amount of salt (in lbs) at the time  $t$  (in minutes). The initial value problem for  $A(t)$  is

- A.  $\frac{dA}{dt} = 16 - \frac{7A}{t+100} \quad A(0) = 10$
- B.  $\frac{dA}{dt} = 6 - \frac{7A}{t+100} \quad A(0) = 10$
- C.  $\frac{dA}{dt} = 6 - \frac{8A}{t+100} \quad A(0) = 1000$
- D.  $\frac{dA}{dt} = 6 - \frac{8A}{t+100} \quad A(0) = 10$
- E.  $\frac{dA}{dt} = 16 - \frac{7A}{t+100} \quad A(0) = 1000$

6. The following system of linear equations has an infinite number of solutions:

$$\begin{aligned}a_{11}x_1 + a_{12}x_2 + a_{13}x_3 &= 0, \\a_{21}x_1 + a_{22}x_2 + a_{23}x_3 &= 1, \\a_{31}x_1 + a_{32}x_2 + a_{33}x_3 &= 0,\end{aligned}$$

In this case the matrix  $A = (a_{ij}) \in R^{3 \times 3}$  satisfies the condition

- A.  $A$  is defective
- B.  $A$  is nonsingular
- C. The homogeneous systems  $Ax = 0$  has exactly one solution
- D. The homogeneous system  $Ax = 0$  has more than one solution
- E. None of the above

7. Let  $A$  be a  $4 \times 4$  matrix. If  $\mathbf{p} = \begin{bmatrix} p_1 \\ p_2 \\ p_3 \\ p_4 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $\mathbf{q} = \begin{bmatrix} q_1 \\ q_2 \\ q_3 \\ q_4 \end{bmatrix}$  are solutions of the system of linear

equations  $A \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \\ x_4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$ , then which of the following is also a solution?

- A.  $\mathbf{p} - \mathbf{q}$
- B.  $\mathbf{q} - 2\mathbf{p}$
- C.  $2\mathbf{p} - \mathbf{q}$
- D. All of the above
- E. None of the above

8. The entry  $b_{32}$  of the matrix  $A^{-1} = (b_{ij})$  inverse to  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ -1 & 4 & 1 \\ 2 & -4 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$  is equal to

- A.  $-\frac{1}{2}$
- B.  $\frac{3}{2}$
- C.  $\frac{2}{3}$
- D. 2
- E. 4

9. Let  $A_{ij}$  be the cofactor of the element  $a_{ij}$  in the matrix  $A = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} \end{bmatrix}$  with  $\det(A) = 5$ . The value of the expression  $a_{11}A_{11} + a_{12}A_{12} + a_{21}A_{21} + a_{22}A_{22}$  then is equal to

- A. 0
- B. 5
- C. 10
- D. 15
- E. undetermined by the information given above

10. Let  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & k \\ k & 3 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $b = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ . The values of  $k$  for which the system  $Ax = b$  has a unique solution are

- A.  $k \neq \sqrt{6}$
- B.  $k \neq \{\sqrt{3}, -\sqrt{3}\}$
- C.  $k = \{\sqrt{2}, -\sqrt{2}\}$
- D. All real numbers
- E. None of the above

11. Consider the vectors  $\mathbf{v}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $\mathbf{v}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \\ 7 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $\mathbf{v}_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ -3 \\ 9 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $\mathbf{v}_4 = \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 4 \\ 2 \\ 8 \end{bmatrix}$ . The dimension of the space  $\text{span}\{\mathbf{v}_1, \mathbf{v}_2, \mathbf{v}_3, \mathbf{v}_4\}$  is then equal to

- A. 1
- B. 2
- C. 3
- D. 4
- E. 5

12. The subset  $S = \{A \in M_3(\mathbb{R}); A = -A^T\}$  of the space of  $3 \times 3$  matrices with real elements is a vector subspace such that

- A.  $\dim S = 2$  and a basis for  $S$  is  $\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$
- B.  $\dim S = 2$  and a basis for  $S$  is  $\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$
- C.  $\dim S = 3$  and a basis for  $S$  is  $\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -2 & 0 \\ 2 & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & -2 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$
- D.  $\dim S = 3$  and a basis for  $S$  is  $\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ -2 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$
- E. None of the above

13. Which of the following sets  $S$  are subspaces of the given vector space  $V$ ?

- (i)  $S = \{(x, y) \mid x \geq 0\}$  in  $V = \mathbb{R}^2$
- (ii)  $S = \{f \in V \mid f(1) + f(-1) = 0\}$  in  $V = P_3 = \{\text{real polynomials of degree} < 3\}$
- (iii)  $S = \{A \in V \mid \det A = 1\}$  in  $V = M_2(\mathbb{R}) = \{2 \times 2 \text{ matrices with real entries}\}$
- (iv)  $S = \{(x, y, z) \mid 5x + 2y = z\}$  in  $V = \mathbb{R}^3$
- (v)  $S = \{f \in V \mid f'' + f - 1 = 0\}$  in  $V = P = \{\text{polynomials in } x\}$

- A. (ii), (iv), (v)
- B. (i), (ii), (iv)
- C. (ii) and (iv)
- D. (iii) and (iv)
- E. (iv) and (v)

14. Let  $T: \mathbb{R}^4 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$  be defined by  $T(\mathbf{x}) = A\mathbf{x}$  where  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 1 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 2 \\ 2 & -1 & 3 & 8 \end{bmatrix}$ . Then a basis for

$\text{Ker}(T)$  is given by the vectors

A.  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$

B.  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ -3 \\ 8 \end{bmatrix}$

C.  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 2 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix},$

D.  $\begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 2 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix},$

E.  $\begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ -1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} -5 \\ -2 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$

15. Which of the following matrices are nondefective:

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix}, \quad B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, \quad C = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}?$$

- A.  $A, B$
- B.  $A, C$
- C.  $B$  only
- D.  $C$  only
- E.  $A$  only

16. One eigenvalue of  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 2 \\ -1 & 4 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$  is  $\lambda = 3$ . A basis for the corresponding eigenspace is

A.  $\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$

B.  $\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$

C.  $\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$

D.  $\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$

E.  $\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$

17. If  $y(x)$  is a solution of  $y'' - 2y' + y = 0$  satisfying  $y(0) = 1$  and  $y'(0) = -1$ , then  $y(\frac{1}{2}) =$

A. 0

B.  $-e^{\frac{1}{2}}$

C.  $e^{\frac{1}{2}}$

D.  $2e^{\frac{1}{2}}$

E.  $-3e^{\frac{1}{2}}$



18. To find a particular solution of the differential equation

$$(D - 1)^2(D - 2)(D^2 + 1)y = e^x + \cos x - 2 \sin x$$

one can use the following trial solution

- A.  $A_0 + A_1 \cos x + A_2 \sin x$
- B.  $A_0 e^x + x(A_1 \cos x + A_2 \sin x)$
- C.  $A_0 x e^x + x(A_1 \cos x + A_2 \sin x)$
- D.  $A_0 x^2 e^x + x^2(A_1 \cos x + A_2 \sin x)$
- E.  $A_0 x^2 e^x + x(A_1 \cos x + A_2 \sin x)$

19. The general solution of the differential equation  $y'' + 4y = -8\frac{1}{\sin x}$  is

- A.  $2(\cos 2x) \ln |\sin 2x| + 4x \sin 2x$
- B.  $2(\sin 2x) \ln |\sin 2x| + 4x \cos 2x.$
- C.  $2 \ln |\cos 2x| + 4x \cos 2x$
- D.  $2x \cos 2x + 4 \sin 2x$
- E. None of the above

20. In order to use the method of reduction of order to determine the general solution of  $x^2y'' + 3xy' + y = 4 \ln x$  for  $x > 0$  one looks for a solution of the form

- A.  $y = xu(x)$
- B.  $y = x^{-1}u(x)$
- C.  $y = e^x u(x)$
- D.  $y = e^{-x} u(x)$
- E.  $y = xe^x u(x)$

21. Consider a damped spring-mass system whose motion is governed by

$$x'' + 2x' + 5x = 17 \sin 2t, \quad x(0) = -2, \quad x'(0) = 0.$$

The solution of this initial value problem is

- A.  $x = 2e^{-t} \cos 2t - 4 \cos 2t + \sin 2t$
- B.  $x = 2e^{-t} \sin 2t - 2 \cos 2t + \sin 2t$
- C.  $x = e^{-t} \cos 2t - 3 \cos 2t + \sin 2t$
- D.  $x = e^{-t} \sin 2t - 2 \cos 2t + \sin 2t$
- E. None of the above

22. One solution of  $\mathbf{x}' = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \mathbf{x} + \mathbf{b}(t)$  is  $\mathbf{x}(t) = \begin{bmatrix} t^{-2} \\ \ln t \end{bmatrix}$ . The general solution is

- A.  $c_1 \begin{bmatrix} e^t \\ -e^t \end{bmatrix} + c_2 \begin{bmatrix} e^{3t} \\ e^{3t} \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} t^{-2} \\ \ln t \end{bmatrix}$
- B.  $c_1 \begin{bmatrix} e^t \\ e^t \end{bmatrix} + c_2 \begin{bmatrix} e^{3t} \\ -e^{3t} \end{bmatrix} + c_3 \begin{bmatrix} t^{-2} \\ \ln t \end{bmatrix}$
- C.  $c_1 \begin{bmatrix} e^t \\ -e^t \end{bmatrix} + c_2 \begin{bmatrix} e^{3t} \\ e^{3t} \end{bmatrix} + c_3 \begin{bmatrix} t^{-2} \\ \ln t \end{bmatrix}$
- D.  $c_1 \begin{bmatrix} t^{-2} \\ \ln t \end{bmatrix}$
- E.  $c_1 \begin{bmatrix} e^t \\ e^t \end{bmatrix} + c_2 \begin{bmatrix} e^{3t} \\ -e^{3t} \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} t^{-2} \\ \ln t \end{bmatrix}$

23. If  $\mathbf{x}(t) = \begin{bmatrix} x_1(t) \\ x_2(t) \end{bmatrix}$  is the solution of  $\mathbf{x}' = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ -3 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \mathbf{x}$ ,  $\mathbf{x}(0) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -3 \end{bmatrix}$ , then  $x_1(1) =$

- A.  $-3e^{-1}$
- B.  $e$
- C.  $e^{-1}$
- D.  $-e$
- E.  $e + e^{-1}$

24. The general solution of  $\mathbf{x}' = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 5 \\ -1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \mathbf{x}$  has the form

A.  $c_1 e^t \begin{bmatrix} 2 \cos t - \sin t \\ -\cos t \end{bmatrix} + c_2 e^t \begin{bmatrix} \cos t + 2 \sin t \\ -\sin t \end{bmatrix}$

B.  $c_1 e^t \begin{bmatrix} \cos t \\ 2 \cos t - \sin t \end{bmatrix} + c_2 e^t \begin{bmatrix} -\sin t \\ \cos t - 2 \sin t \end{bmatrix}$

C.  $c_1 e^t \begin{bmatrix} 2 \cos t + \sin t \\ -\cos t \end{bmatrix} + c_2 e^t \begin{bmatrix} \cos t + 2 \sin t \\ \sin t \end{bmatrix}$

D.  $c_1 e^t \begin{bmatrix} \cos t - 2 \sin t \\ \sin t \end{bmatrix} + c_2 e^t \begin{bmatrix} 2 \cos t + \sin t \\ -\cos t \end{bmatrix}$

E. None of the above.

25. The first order system of linear differential equations  $\mathbf{x}' = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \mathbf{x}$  is equivalent to the following equation or system:

A.  $y''' + y'' + 2y' + 3y = 0$

B.  $y''' - y'' - 2y' - 3y = 0$

C.  $y''' - 3y'' - 2y' - y = 0$

D.  $\begin{cases} y'' + y + z = 0 \\ z' + z + 2y' + 3y'' = 0 \end{cases}$

E.  $\begin{cases} y'' - y - z = 0 \\ z' - 3z - 2y' - y = 0 \end{cases}$