

MATH 265 FINAL EXAM, Spring 2007

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Instructions: Calculators are not allowed. There are 25 multiple choice problems worth 8 points each, for a total of 200 points.

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1. For what values of h and k does the system $A\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{b}$ have infinitely many solutions?

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 4 \\ -3 & -3 & h \\ 1 & 8 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \mathbf{b} = \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ k \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}.$$

- A. $h \neq 12$ and k any number
- B. $h = -12$ and k any number
- C. $h = -12$ and $k = 6$
- D. $h = -11$ and $k = 6$
- E. $h \neq -11$ and $k \neq 6$

2. The inverse of the matrix

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 0 \\ 2 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{is} \quad A^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} a & 1/3 & 1/3 \\ -2/3 & b & 1/3 \\ -2/3 & 1/3 & c \end{bmatrix}.$$

What is $a + b + c$?

- A. 0
- B. $-1/3$
- C. $-2/3$
- D. $1/3$
- E. $2/3$

3. Let A , B and C be invertible $n \times n$ matrices. If $A^{-1}B^{-1} = C^{-1}$, then what is A ?
- A. $A = CB^{-1}$
 - B. $A = C^{-1}B^{-1}$
 - C. $A = BC^{-1}$
 - D. $A = B^{-1}C$
 - E. $A = BC$

4. If (x_1, x_2, x_3) is the solution of the following system of equations

$$x_1 + 3x_2 + x_3 = 1$$

$$2x_1 + 4x_2 + 7x_3 = 2$$

$$3x_1 + 10x_2 + 5x_3 = 7$$

then $x_2 =$

A. $29/9$

B. $8/9$

C. $59/9$

D. $9/8$

E. $20/9$

5. Which of the following statements are true?

- (i). A linear system of four equations in three unknowns is always inconsistent
- (ii). A linear system with fewer equations than unknowns must have infinitely many solutions
- (iii). If the system $A\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{b}$ has a unique solution, then A must be a square matrix.

- A. all of them
- B. (i) and (ii)
- C. (ii) and (iii)
- D. (iii) only
- E. none of them

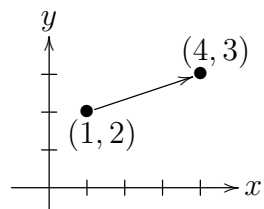
6. If

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \left(\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 3 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right) = \begin{bmatrix} -11 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

what is $a + b$?

- A. -130
- B. -50
- C. -15
- D. 105
- E. 83

7. What vector is represented by the following:



- A. $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$
- B. $\begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$
- C. $\begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$
- D. $\begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$
- E. $\begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$

8. Which of the following are subspaces of \mathcal{P}_3 (the vector space of all polynomials of degree ≤ 3)?

- (I) $\{1 + t^2\}$
- (II) $\{at + bt^2 + (a + b)t^3\}$ with a, b real numbers
- (III) $\{a + bt + abt^2\}$ with a, b real numbers
- (IV) $\{\text{polynomials } p(t) \text{ with } p(2) = 0\}$

- A. (II) and (III) only.
- B. (I) only.
- C. (II) and (IV) only.
- D. (I) and (IV) only.
- E. (I), (II), and (III) only.

9. Which of the following sets of vectors in $M_{2 \times 2}$ (the vector space of 2×2 matrices) are linearly independent?

$$(I) \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$$

$$(II) \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 3 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$$

$$(III) \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 3 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 2 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$$

$$(IV) \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 3 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$$

- A. (III) and (IV) only.
- B. (IV) only.
- C. (II) and (IV) only.
- D. (I) and (II) only.
- E. All of them are linearly independent.

10. Which of the following span \mathbb{R}^2 ?

$$(I) \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$$

$$(II) \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$$

$$(III) \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$$

$$(IV) \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$$

- A. (II) only.
- B. (I), (III), and (IV) only.
- C. (III) only.
- D. (I) and (IV) only.
- E. (III) and (IV) only.

11. For four vectors $\mathbf{v}_1, \mathbf{v}_2, \mathbf{v}_3, \mathbf{v}_4 \in \mathbb{R}^4$, suppose that the 4×4 matrix $A = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{v}_1 & \mathbf{v}_2 & \mathbf{v}_3 & \mathbf{v}_4 \end{bmatrix}$ has its reduced row echelon form

$$\text{rref}(A) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}.$$

Then, which of the following pairs gives a basis for the vector space $\text{Span}\{\mathbf{v}_1, \mathbf{v}_2, \mathbf{v}_3, \mathbf{v}_4\}$?

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

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

C. $\{\mathbf{v}_1, \mathbf{v}_3\}$

D. $\{\mathbf{v}_1, \mathbf{v}_2\}$

E. Cannot be determined from the given information.

12. Suppose that a 4×4 matrix A has its reduced row echelon form

$$\text{rref}(A) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}.$$

Let r be the rank of the matrix A , and let d be the determinant of the matrix A . Then, what is the value of $r^2 + d^2$?

- A. 4
- B. 5
- C. 6
- D. 8
- E. 9

13. Consider the following matrices:

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & p \\ 0 & 0 & q \end{bmatrix}, \mathbf{b} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}.$$

Then, which of the following statement is false?

- A. If $q = 0$, then the nullity of the matrix A is 1.
- B. If A is invertible, then the equation $A\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{b}$ has $\mathbf{x} = \begin{bmatrix} -3 & 2 & 0 \end{bmatrix}^T$ as its only solution.
- C. The eigenvalues of the matrix A are 1 and q .
- D. If $A\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{b}$ has more than one solution, then q must be zero.
- E. The rank of the augmented matrix $[A|\mathbf{b}]$ is always 3.

14. Let $\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \in \mathbb{R}^2$ be two vectors, satisfying the following properties:

(i) $\mathbf{x} \cdot \mathbf{y} = 0$.

(ii) $\|\mathbf{x}\| = 2, \|\mathbf{y}\| = 1$.

Then, for real numbers a, b , what is the expression for $\|a\mathbf{x} + b\mathbf{y}\|^2$?

A. $a^2 + b^2$

B. $2a^2 + b^2$

C. $4a^2 + b^2$

D. $4a^2 + 4ab + b^2$

E. $a^2 + 4ab + 4b^2$

15. Let W be a subspace of \mathbb{R}_3 spanned by $(1, 2, 3)$, $(2, k, 3)$, $(4, 5, k + 8)$. Determine the values of k so that W^\perp has dimension zero.
- A. $k \neq 7$
 - B. $k \neq 7, k \neq -1$
 - C. $k \neq 7$ and $k \neq 1$
 - D. $k = 7, k = 1$
 - E. $k = 7, k = -1$

16. Let A be the standard matrix representing the linear transformation $L : \mathbb{R}_3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}_3$. Let $\mathbf{v}_1 = (2, 1, 4)$, $\mathbf{v}_2 = (0, 5, 2)$, $\mathbf{v}_3 = (0, 0, 1)$ be eigenvectors of the matrix A associated with eigenvalues $\lambda_1 = 1$, $\lambda_2 = -3$, $\lambda_3 = -2$ respectively. Find $L(\mathbf{v}_1 - \mathbf{v}_2 + 3\mathbf{v}_3)$.
- A. $(2, -4, 5)$
 - B. $(2, -14, -8)$
 - C. $(2, 16, 16)$
 - D. $(2, 16, 4)$
 - E. $(2, -14, 4)$

17. Let W be the subspace of \mathbb{R}_3 with basis $\{(1, 1, 0), (0, 1, -1)\}$, and let $\mathbf{v} = (2, 0, -4)$. Find the vector \mathbf{w} in W closest to \mathbf{v} .
- A. $(1, 3, -2)$
 - B. $(0, 2, -2)$
 - C. $(2, -2, -2)$
 - D. $(1, -3, -2)$
 - E. $(1, 2, 1)$

18. If A and B are $n \times n$ -matrices, which statement is false?

A. $\det(AB) = \det(A) \det(B)$

B. $\det(A^T) = \det(A)$

C. If k is a nonzero scalar, then $\det(kA) = k \det(A)$.

D. If A is nonsingular, then $\det(A^{-1}) = 1/\det(A)$.

E. If A and B are similar matrices, then $\det(A) = \det(B)$.

19. Compute the $\det(A)$.

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

- A. 5
- B. 16
- C. 0
- D. -5
- E. 11

20. Find the values of α for which A is singular.

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 3\alpha & 4 \\ 0 & \alpha - 1 & 4 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & \alpha & 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

- A. $\alpha = 0$
- B. $\alpha = 1$
- C. $\alpha = 2$ and $\alpha = 3$
- D. $\alpha = 1$ and $\alpha = 8$
- E. $\alpha = 0$ and $\alpha = 1$

21. What is the coefficient of the x^3 term in the polynomial

$$q(x) = \begin{vmatrix} 3x & 5 & 7 & 1 \\ 2x^2 & 5x & 6 & 2 \\ 1 & x & 0 & 3 \\ 2 & 1 & 4 & 7 \end{vmatrix}$$

- A. 17
- B. -17
- C. 90
- D. -90
- E. 0

22. Let A^{-1} be the inverse of the following matrix A .

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1+i & -1 \\ 1 & i \end{bmatrix}$$

What is

$$A^{-1} + \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} ?$$

A. $\begin{bmatrix} 1+i & 1 \\ 1 & 1-i \end{bmatrix}$

B. $\begin{bmatrix} 1-i & -1 \\ -1 & 1+i \end{bmatrix}$

C. $\begin{bmatrix} 2 & -i \\ i & 2-i \end{bmatrix}$

D. $\begin{bmatrix} 1-i & 1 \\ 1 & 1+i \end{bmatrix}$

E. $\begin{bmatrix} 4 & 1-i \\ i & 2-i \end{bmatrix}$

23. The matrix A is

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}.$$

The eigenvalues of A are

- A. $0, 1, 2$
- B. $0, -1, 2$
- C. $0, 1, -2$
- D. $0, -1, -2$
- E. $-1, 0, 1$

24. Let matrix A be the following 3×3 matrix.

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Which matrix P below gives us the following result?

$$P^T A P = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix},$$

where P^T is the transpose of matrix P .

A. $P = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} & -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} & -\frac{2}{\sqrt{6}} & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

B. $P = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} & -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \\ -\frac{2}{\sqrt{6}} & 0 & \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \end{bmatrix}$

C. $P = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 & 1 \\ -2 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

D. $P = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & -1 \\ -2 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

E. $P = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} & -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \\ -\frac{2}{\sqrt{6}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

25. The eigenvectors of $\begin{bmatrix} 3 & -1 \\ -2 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$ are $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$ and $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$ with eigenvalues 1 and 4 respectively. If $x_1(t)$ and $x_2(t)$ is the solution of the initial value problem

$$\begin{bmatrix} x_1'(t) \\ x_2'(t) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -1 \\ -2 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1(t) \\ x_2(t) \end{bmatrix},$$

$$x_1(0) = 90, \quad x_2(0) = 150,$$

then

$x_1(1) + x_2(1)$ is equal to

- (a) $240e$
- (b) $200e$
- (c) $230e$
- (d) $60e$
- (e) $360e$