

Part II: Multiple Choice Select the best answer for each question.

13. If A and B are 4×4 matrices, $\det(A) = 7$ and $\det(B) = 8$, what is $\det((2A)B^{-1})$?
A) 1 B) -11 C) 14 D) 12 E) -12 F) 56 G) -112
H) none of the above

14. Consider the system of equations

$$5x_1 - 7x_2 = 12$$

$$25x_1 + hx_2 = k.$$

Give conditions on h and k such that the system has *many* solutions.

- A) $h = -35$ B) $h = -35$ and $k = 60$ C) $h \neq -35$ and $k = 60$
D) $h = -35$ and $k \neq 60$ E) $h \neq -35$ and $k \neq 60$ F) None of the above.
15. Let A be an $m \times n$ matrix and suppose the reduced echelon form of A has four rows of zeros. What is the rank of A ?
A) m B) n C) $n - m$ D) $n - 4$ E) $m - 4$
F) $m + n$ G) $m + n + 2$ H) none of the above

16. Let $\mathbf{x} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ (in coordinates of the standard basis for \mathbb{R}^2) and let $\mathcal{B} = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$ be an alternate basis. Find $[\mathbf{x}]_{\mathcal{B}}$.
A) $\begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 11 \end{bmatrix}$ B) $\begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ \frac{1}{2} \end{bmatrix}$ C) $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$ D) $\begin{bmatrix} \frac{10}{3} \\ \frac{1}{3} \end{bmatrix}$
E) none of the above

17. For a discrete dynamical system given by $\mathbf{x}_{k+1} = A\mathbf{x}_k$, the trajectories all spiral in towards the origin. Which of the following might be the eigenvalues of the 2×2 matrix A ?
A) 1, -2 B) 0.5, -2 C) 0.5, .75 D) 3, 4
E) $0.9+0.2i$, $0.9-0.2i$ F) $0.8+0.7i$, $0.8-0.7i$ G) none of the above

18. Find a least squares solution to the inconsistent equation $Ax = b$ where

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 5 \\ 2 & -2 \\ -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \text{ and } \mathbf{b} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

- A) $\begin{bmatrix} 17 \\ -12 \end{bmatrix}$ B) $\begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{1}{3} \end{bmatrix}$ C) $\begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{3} \\ \frac{8}{15} \end{bmatrix}$ D) $\begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{9} \\ \frac{1}{3} \end{bmatrix}$ E) $\begin{bmatrix} \frac{2}{3} \\ \frac{11}{13} \end{bmatrix}$
F) $\begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{1}{4} \end{bmatrix}$ G) none of the above

19. Let $V = P_2$, the vector space of degree two polynomials. Define an inner product on V by

$$f \cdot g = \int_0^1 f(x)g(x)dx.$$

In this inner product space are $p(x) = x + 4$ and $q(x) = x^2$ orthogonal?

- A) Yes B) No

20. If $T : P_1 \rightarrow P_1$ is a transformation on linear functions such that $T(1 + x) = 3 + 2x$ and $T(2 - 3x) = 11 - x$, find $T(3 + 2x)$.

- A) $75-30x$ B) $10+5x$ C) $12-3x$ D) $12+42x$ E) $12x$ F) None of the above

21. Let $V = P_2$, the vector space of degree two polynomials. Define an inner product on V for $f(x) = ax^2 + bx + c$ and $g(x) = rx^2 + sx + t$ by

$$f \cdot g = ar + bs + ct.$$

In this inner product space are $p(x) = x + 4$ and $q(x) = x^2$ orthogonal?

- A) Yes B) No

22. Let $V = C^\infty(\mathbb{R})$, the vector space of smooth functions. By the Constant Multiplier and Sum rules for derivative, we know that the derivative is a linear transformation $D : V \rightarrow V$. Which of the following functions is **not** an eigenvector for D ?

- A) $f(x) = e^x$ B) $f(x) = e^{2x}$ C) $f(x) = 3e^x$
 D) $f(x) = 3e^{2x}$ E) $f(x) = xe^{2x}$ F) $f(x) = 2^x$
 G) none of the above

23. Which of the following conditions is *not* equivalent to an $n \times n$ matrix A being invertible?

- A) The number 0 is an eigenvalue of A
 B) $\det(A) \neq 0$
 C) $\text{Col}A = \mathbb{R}^n$
 D) $\text{rank}A = n$
 E) $\dim \text{Nul } A = 0$
 F) A^T is an invertible matrix
 G) A has n pivot positions
 H) The columns of A span \mathbb{R}^n
 I) A is row equivalent to the identity matrix
 J) The columns of A are linearly independent
 K) none of the above

24. Which of the following vectors is *not* an eigenvector of $A = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 & 1 \\ 3 & 0 & -3 \\ 1 & 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$

- A) $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ B) $\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ C) $\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$ D) $\begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 0 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$ E) $\begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$

- F) All of the above are in the eigenspace
 G) More than one of the above vectors is not in the eigenspace

25. The vectors $\mathbf{v} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 4 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$ and $\mathbf{w} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 6 \\ -7 \end{bmatrix}$ are linearly independent and span a two dimensional subspace W of \mathbb{R}^3 . Use the Gram-Schmidt process to find an orthogonal basis of W including \mathbf{v} . What is the other vector in the basis?

A) $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$

B) $\begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 6 \\ -7 \end{bmatrix}$

C) $\begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 4 \\ -7 \end{bmatrix}$

D) $\begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 4 \\ -8 \end{bmatrix}$

E) $\begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 4 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$