

Math 309 Practice Exam 1

Part I

1. b

5. g

8. c

2. f

6. a

9. f

3. e

7. c

10. a

4. e

Part II

1. (a) $A_1 = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$, (b) $A_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$, (c) $A_+ = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = A_2 A_1$

2. (a) TRUE Proof: $AC = AD \Rightarrow A^{-1}AC = A^{-1}AD$
+ A^{-1} exists $\Rightarrow IC = ID$
 $\Rightarrow C = D$

(b) False

(c) False

3. X_3 free, $\begin{bmatrix} X_3 - 70 \\ X_3 - 30 \\ X_3 \\ 70 \end{bmatrix}$ (or $X_1 = X_3 - 70, X_2 = X_3 - 30, X_4 = 70$)

4. (a) $A^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} -\frac{3}{23} & \frac{9}{23} & -\frac{1}{46} \\ -\frac{8}{23} & \frac{1}{23} & \frac{5}{46} \\ \frac{9}{23} & -\frac{4}{23} & \frac{3}{46} \end{bmatrix}$

(b) Not invertible

(columns are dependent, for example)