

No notes, books, electronic devices, or outside materials of any kind.

Read each problem carefully and simplify your answers.

Unless otherwise indicated, supporting work will be required on every problem worth more than 3 points.

**Solve or find the solution** always means to find the general solution, if it exists.

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1(31 pts)

a. Write the solution to  $P\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{b}$  in parametric vector form, if

$$P = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -2 & 0 \\ -2 & -1 & 4 & 1 \\ 1 & -4 & -2 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{and} \quad \mathbf{b} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix}$$

b. Write the solution to  $P\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{0}$  in parametric vector form.

c. What is the dimension of  $\text{Col } P$ ?

d. What is the dimension of  $(\text{Row } P)^\perp$ ?

2(22 pts). Compute the inverse of  $B = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 2 & 2 \\ 1 & 0 & 2 \\ 1 & 4 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$  or show that it does not exist.

3(23 pts). Let  $E = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 4 & 0 \\ 3 & 0 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$ .

a. Find all eigenvalues of  $E$ .

b. Is  $E$  diagonalizable? Why or why not?

4(28 pts).

a. Find the orthogonal projection of  $\mathbf{x} = \begin{bmatrix} 9 \\ -6 \\ 12 \end{bmatrix}$  onto  $W = \text{span} \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$ .

b. What is the distance from  $\mathbf{x}$  to  $W$ ?

c. Find the coordinates of  $\mathbf{x}$  relative to the basis  $\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -2 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$ .

d. Find the coordinates of the polynomial  $9 - 6t + 12t^2$  relative to the basis for  $\mathbb{P}_2$

$$\{1 + 2t - 2t^2, 2 + t + 2t^2, 2 - 2t - t^2\}$$

5(15 pts). Find the values of  $h$ , if any, that will cause the vectors

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

to be linearly dependent.

6(10 pts). The transformation from  $\mathbb{R}^2$  to  $\mathbb{R}^2$  given by  $\mathbf{x} \mapsto \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \mathbf{x}$  consists of a rotation about the origin by an angle  $\theta$  followed by a scaling by a factor  $r$ . Find  $\theta$  and  $r$ . Is the rotation in the clockwise or counterclockwise direction?

7(21 pts). Mark each statement True or False. Supporting work not required for full credit. Matrices are denoted in uppercase (e.g.,  $A$ ), vectors in lowercase **bold** (e.g.  $\mathbf{b}$ ), and scalars in lowercase (e.g.  $c$ ).

a. If  $A^T B^T = B^T A^T$  then  $AB = BA$ .

b. If  $A$  is invertible, then  $\det(A) = \det(A^{-1})$ .

c. The set  $\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} a + 3b \\ b - 2a \\ 3a - 4b \end{bmatrix} \mid a, b \text{ real numbers} \right\}$  is a subspace of  $\mathbb{R}^3$ .

d. If  $Z$  is a  $3 \times 2$  matrix, then one of the equations

$$Z\mathbf{x} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad Z\mathbf{x} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad Z\mathbf{x} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

must be inconsistent.

e. If  $\mathcal{B}$  is a basis for the vector space  $V$ , and if  $[\mathbf{u}]_{\mathcal{B}} = [\mathbf{v}]_{\mathcal{B}}$ , then  $\mathbf{u}$  must equal  $\mathbf{v}$ .

f. If the columns of the  $n \times n$  matrix  $K$  span  $\mathbb{R}^n$ , then  $\mathbf{u}$  must equal  $\mathbf{v}$  whenever  $K\mathbf{u} = K\mathbf{v}$ .

g. If  $Y$  is a square matrix with orthogonal columns, then  $Y^T Y = I$ .

1a(17 pts).(Source: 1.4.11-14) Augment  $P$  with  $\mathbf{b}$  and row-reduce.

row operation	result
(beginning matrix)	$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -2 & 0 & -1 \\ -2 & -1 & 4 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & -4 & -2 & 4 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$
$\mathbf{r}_2 \leftarrow \mathbf{r}_2 + 2\mathbf{r}_1$ $\mathbf{r}_3 \leftarrow \mathbf{r}_3 - \mathbf{r}_1$	$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -2 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -4 & 0 & 4 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$
$\mathbf{r}_2 \leftarrow -\mathbf{r}_2$ $\mathbf{r}_3 \leftarrow \mathbf{r}_3 + 4\mathbf{r}_2$	$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -2 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$

$P\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{b}$  has no solution since there's a pivot in the augmented column.

1b(8 pts).(Source: 1.5.5-6) The reduced row echelon form of  $P$  is  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ , the free

variables are  $x_3$  and  $x_4$ , and the solution is  $\mathbf{x} = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \\ x_4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2x_3 \\ x_4 \\ x_3 \\ x_4 \end{bmatrix} = x_3 \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + x_4 \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ .

1c(3 pts).(Source: 4.5.11-16)  $\dim \text{Col } P$  equals the number of pivot columns, or 2.

1d(3 pts).(Source: 4.5.11-16, 6.1.27-28)  $(\text{Row } P)^\perp = \text{Nul } P$ . Its dimension equals the number of free variables, or 2.

2(22 pts).(Source: 2.2.41-42) Solution one: augment  $B$  with the identity and row-reduce.

row operation	result	row operation	result
(none)	$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 2 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 2 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 4 & 4 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$	$\mathbf{r}_3 \leftarrow -\mathbf{r}_3$ $\mathbf{r}_1 \leftarrow \mathbf{r}_1 - 3\mathbf{r}_3$	$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 2 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 2 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -2 & -2 & -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$
$\mathbf{r}_2 \leftarrow \mathbf{r}_2 - 2\mathbf{r}_1$ $\mathbf{r}_3 \leftarrow \mathbf{r}_3 + \mathbf{r}_1$	$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 2 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 2 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 4 & 4 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$	$\mathbf{r}_3 \leftarrow \mathbf{r}_3 - \mathbf{r}_2$	$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & -2 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 & -1 & -1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & -2 & -2 & -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$
$\mathbf{r}_3 \leftarrow \mathbf{r}_3 - \mathbf{r}_2$	$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 2 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 2 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 4 & 2 & 0 & -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$	$\mathbf{r}_3 \leftarrow \mathbf{r}_3 - \mathbf{r}_2$	$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & -2 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -\frac{1}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & \frac{1}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} \end{bmatrix}$

Consequently,  $B^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 0 & 1 \\ -\frac{1}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \\ 1 & \frac{1}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} \end{bmatrix}$ .

2. Solution two: the matrix of cofactors of  $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 2 & 2 \\ 1 & 0 & 2 \\ 1 & 4 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$  is

$$\begin{bmatrix} \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 2 \\ 4 & 4 \end{vmatrix} & -\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 4 \end{vmatrix} & \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 4 \end{vmatrix} \\ -\begin{vmatrix} 2 & 2 \\ 4 & 4 \end{vmatrix} & \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 2 \\ 1 & 4 \end{vmatrix} & -\begin{vmatrix} 0 & 2 \\ 1 & 4 \end{vmatrix} \\ \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 2 \\ 0 & 2 \end{vmatrix} & -\begin{vmatrix} 0 & 2 \\ 1 & 2 \end{vmatrix} & \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 2 \\ 1 & 0 \end{vmatrix} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -8 & -2 & 4 \\ 0 & -2 & 2 \\ 4 & 2 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$$

Find the determinant of  $B$  by cofactor expansion along, say, the first row:  $\det(B) = 0(-8) + 2(-2) + 2(4) = 4$ . Then Cramer's rule tells use that  $B^{-1} = \frac{1}{\det(B)} \text{adj}(B)$ :

$$B^{-1} = \frac{1}{4} \begin{bmatrix} -8 & -2 & 4 \\ 0 & -2 & 2 \\ 4 & 2 & -2 \end{bmatrix}^T = \frac{1}{4} \begin{bmatrix} -8 & 0 & 4 \\ -2 & -2 & 2 \\ 4 & 2 & -2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 0 & 1 \\ -\frac{1}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \\ 1 & \frac{1}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} \end{bmatrix}.$$

3a(19 pts).(Source: 5.2.9-14) The characteristic polynomial for  $E$  is  $\begin{vmatrix} -\lambda & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 4 - \lambda & 0 \\ 3 & 0 & 5 - \lambda \end{vmatrix}$ .

Expand along the second row to obtain

$$(4 - \lambda) \begin{vmatrix} -\lambda & 2 \\ 3 & 5 - \lambda \end{vmatrix} = (4 - \lambda)(\lambda^2 - 5\lambda - 6) = (4 - \lambda)(\lambda - 6)(\lambda + 1).$$

The eigenvalues of  $E$  are  $\lambda = -1, 4$ , and  $6$ .

3b(4 pts).(Source: 5.3.11) Since this  $3 \times 3$  matrix has 3 distinct eigenvalues, each must have geometric multiplicity 1. Therefore,  $\mathbb{R}^3$  has a basis consisting of eigenvectors of  $E$ , which implies that  $E$  is diagonalizable.

4a(11 pts).(Source: 6.3.3-6) Since the given spanning set  $\{\mathbf{u}, \mathbf{v}\}$  for  $W$  is orthogonal, we can calculate

$$\text{proj}_W \mathbf{x} = \frac{\mathbf{u} \cdot \mathbf{x}}{\mathbf{u} \cdot \mathbf{u}} \mathbf{u} + \frac{\mathbf{v} \cdot \mathbf{x}}{\mathbf{v} \cdot \mathbf{v}} \mathbf{v} = \frac{-27}{9} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix} + \frac{36}{9} \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ -2 \\ 14 \end{bmatrix}.$$

4b(8 pts).(Source: 6.3.15-16)  $\|\mathbf{x} - \text{proj}_W \mathbf{x}\| = \left\| \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ -4 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix} \right\| = \sqrt{16 + 16 + 4} = 6$ .

4c(6 pts).(Source: 6.2.9-10) The first two coordinates were calculated in part a. Letting  $\mathbf{w} = [2 \ -2 \ -1]^T$ , the third coordinate is  $\frac{\mathbf{x} \cdot \mathbf{w}}{\mathbf{w} \cdot \mathbf{w}} = \frac{18}{9} = 2$ . Coordinates are  $(-3, 4, 2)$ .

4d(3 pts).(Source: 4.4.13-14) Since  $\begin{bmatrix} 9 \\ -6 \\ 12 \end{bmatrix} = -3 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix} + 4 \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} + 2 \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -2 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$ , by comparing coefficients of the polynomials we see

$$9 - 6t + 12t^2 = -3(1 + 2t - 2t^2) + 4(2 + t + 2t^2) + 2(2 - 2t - t^2).$$

That is, the coordinates are again  $(-3, 4, 2)$ .

5(15 pts).(Source: 1.7.11-14,15,18, 3.2.21-22) Calculate the  $3 \times 3$  determinant below by expansion along its third column:

$$\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & h \end{vmatrix} = 2 \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 2 \\ 1 & 0 \end{vmatrix} + h \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 2 \end{vmatrix} = 2(-2) + h(0) = -4$$

There is no  $h$  that would cause the determinant to equal zero, so there is **no**  $h$  for which the vectors in question are linearly dependent.

6(10 pts).(Source: 5.5.10-11, 1.9.3-4,7) Solution one: recall that the standard matrix for rotation in the positive (counterclockwise) direction by an angle  $\theta$  is

$$\begin{bmatrix} \cos \theta & -\sin \theta \\ \sin \theta & \cos \theta \end{bmatrix}$$

(see p. 101 of our text). Since  $\cos^2 \theta + \sin^2 \theta = 1$ , and the norm of the first column of our matrix

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

is  $\sqrt{2}$ , factor out  $\sqrt{2}$ :

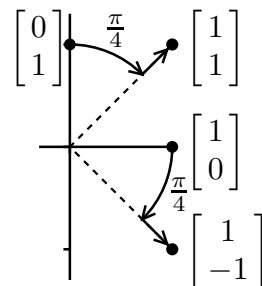
$$A = \sqrt{2} \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \\ -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \end{bmatrix}$$

and recognize  $\pm \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$  as the cosine and sine of  $-\frac{\pi}{4}$ :

$$A = \sqrt{2} \begin{bmatrix} \cos(-\frac{\pi}{4}) & -\sin(-\frac{\pi}{4}) \\ \sin(-\frac{\pi}{4}) & \cos(-\frac{\pi}{4}) \end{bmatrix}$$

Therefore  $A$  rotates vectors  $\theta = -\frac{\pi}{4}$  radians in the positive (counterclockwise) direction (that is,  $\frac{\pi}{4}$  radians in the clockwise direction) and multiplies the result by  $r = \sqrt{2}$ .

6. Solution two: multiplication by  $A$  sends the vector  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$  to  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$  to  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ . Observe that this rotates both  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$  by  $\theta = \frac{\pi}{4}$  radians in the clockwise direction.



Since  $A$  sends the vectors  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$  of norm 1 to the vectors  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$  of norm  $\sqrt{2}$ , the scaling factor must be  $\sqrt{2}$ .

7a(3 pts).(Source: 2.1.22) **T.**  $BA = AB$  because their transposes are equal:  $(BA)^T = A^T B^T = B^T A^T = (AB)^T$ .

7b(3 pts).(Source: 3.2.34) **F.**  $\det(A^{-1}) = \det(A)^{-1}$ .

7c(3 pts).(Source: 4.1.15-18, 4.2.11-14) **T.** Set in question is the span of  $\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$

7d(3 pts).(Source: 1.4.21+) **T.** If the span of the columns of  $Z$  included  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$  then it would include all of  $\mathbb{R}^3$ , since  $\mathbb{R}^3$  is spanned by these three vectors. But it's not possible for the 2 columns of  $Z$  to span the 3-dimensional  $\mathbb{R}^3$ .

7e(3 pts).(Source: 4.4.27) **T.** The coordinates of a vector tell us how to write the vector as a linear combination of the basis elements. Same coordinates means same linear combination, hence same vector.

7f(3 pts).(Source: 2.3.20) **T.** See the Invertible Matrix theorem, p. 145 of our text. If the square matrix  $K$  has a pivot in every row, then it has a pivot in every column, and so its columns are linearly independent. Then  $K(\mathbf{u} - \mathbf{v}) = \mathbf{0}$  implies  $\mathbf{u} - \mathbf{v} = \mathbf{0}$ .

7g(3 pts).(Source: 6.2.35) **F.** If  $Y$  is a square matrix with orthogonal columns, then  $Y^T Y$  is a diagonal matrix, not necessarily the identity. For instance, if the columns of  $Y$  were the three orthogonal vectors in problem 4c, then  $Y^T Y = \begin{bmatrix} 9 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 9 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 9 \end{bmatrix}$ . In order for  $Y^T Y = I$ , the columns of  $Y$  must be orthonormal.