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- Do not detach pages from this exam packet or un-staple the packet.
- Please write neatly and except for problems 1-3, give details. Answers which are illegible for the grader can not be given credit.
- No notes, books, calculators, computers, or other electronic aids can be allowed.
- You have 90 minutes time to complete your work.

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Problem 1) (20 points) True or False? No justifications are needed.

- 1)  T  F      There is a real diagonalizable  $3 \times 3$  matrix for which the algebraic multiplicity of an eigenvalue  $\lambda = 2$  is larger than 1.
- 2)  T  F      Two symmetric not-invertible  $3 \times 3$  matrices  $A, B$  are similar if their trace agrees.
- 3)  T  F      Every orthogonal  $5 \times 5$  matrix has a real eigenvalue.
- 4)  T  F      The real eigenvalues of a  $4 \times 4$  matrix  $A$  do not change under row reduction.
- 5)  T  F      Every real diagonalizable  $3 \times 3$  matrix can be diagonalized using an orthogonal matrix  $S$ .
- 6)  T  F      The eigenvalues of a  $2 \times 2$  rotation matrix are always either 1 or  $-1$ .
- 7)  T  F      The nullity of a  $n \times n$  matrix  $A$  is the same as the nullity of  $A^T$ .
- 8)  T  F      A discrete dynamical system  $\vec{v}(t+1) = A\vec{v}(t)$  defined by a  $2 \times 2$  matrix  $A$  is asymptotically stable if  $A^8 = I_2/2$ .
- 9)  T  F      A  $3 \times 3$  matrix for a reflection about a line never has trace 0.
- 10)  T  F      The trace of a  $5 \times 5$  orthogonal projection matrix is the dimension of the image.
- 11)  T  F      If  $A$  and  $B$  are diagonalizable  $n \times n$  matrices, then  $AB$  is diagonalizable.
- 12)  T  F      The sum of the geometric multiplicities of a  $n \times n$  matrix  $A$  is always at most  $n$ .
- 13)  T  F      A  $2 \times 2$  matrix  $B$  such that  $\text{tr}(B) = 3$ ,  $\text{tr}(B^2) = 5$  is diagonalizable.
- 14)  T  F      There is a  $3 \times 3$  matrix  $A$  such that  $A + 2I$  has rank one and  $A - 5I$  has rank one.
- 15)  T  F      If  $A$  is a  $3 \times 3$  matrix with eigenvalues  $\lambda_1 = 3$ ,  $\lambda_2 = 3$ ,  $\lambda_3 = 7$ , then  $A - 3I$  has rank one and  $A - 7I$  has rank two.
- 16)  T  F      If  $A$  is a  $10 \times 2$  matrix of rank 2, then the least square solution of  $Ax = b$  is unique.
- 17)  T  F      If  $A$  is an asymptotically stable  $3 \times 3$  matrix, then  $A^T$  is asymptotically stable.
- 18)  T  F      If a  $3 \times 3$  matrix  $A$  is similar to  $C$  and a  $3 \times 3$  matrix  $B$  is similar to  $D$ , then  $AB$  is similar to  $CD$ .
- 19)  T  F      If a  $3 \times 3$  matrix  $A$  is similar to the zero matrix  $0$  then  $A$  is equal to the zero matrix.
- 20)  T  F      For any  $3 \times 3$  matrices  $A, B$  we know that if  $A$  has the same determinant as  $B^3$ , then  $B$  has the same determinant as  $A^3$ .

Total

Problem 2) (10 points) No justifications are needed.

a) (2 points) Which matrices have the property that the system  $x(t + 1) = Ax(t)$  is asymptotically stable? We just write "stable" abbreviating asymptotically stable.

Matrix	stable	not stable
$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$		
$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$		
$\begin{bmatrix} 1/4 & 8 & 8 \\ 0 & 1/4 & 8 \\ 0 & 0 & 1/4 \end{bmatrix}$		

b) (2 points) Which identities hold for a non-invertible  $3 \times 3$  matrix with eigenvalues  $\alpha, \beta, \gamma$  and characteristic polynomial  $f_A(\lambda)$ ?

Identity	always true	not always true
$\det(A) = 0$		
$\text{tr}(A) = 0$		
$f_A(\alpha) = 0$		
$\dim(\ker(A)) = 0$		

c) (2 points) Which of the following complex numbers are real? Remember that we defined  $w^z = e^{z \log(w)}$  and  $\log(z) = \ln|z| + i \arg(z)$  with  $0 \leq \arg(z) < 2\pi$  for any complex numbers  $w \neq 0, z \neq 0$  and where  $\arg(z)$  is the angle so that  $z = |z|e^{i \arg(z)}$ .

Number	is real	is not real
$\log(i\pi)$		
$e^{i\pi}$		
$\log(e^{i\pi})$		
$e^{i\pi/2}$		

d) (2 points) Which type of matrices are always diagonalizable **over the real numbers**?

Type of matrix	always diagonalizable over the reals	not necessarily diagonalizable
symmetric		
orthogonal		
horizontal shear		
dilation		

e) (2 points) If  $S$  is a  $4 \times 4$  matrix whose columns are given by an eigenbasis of a matrix  $A$  which has eigenvalues 0, 1, 2, 3, then

The statement	is always true	can be false
$A$ is invertible		
$S$ is invertible		
$A + I_4$ is invertible		
$A - I_4$ is invertible		

Problem 3) (10 points) No justifications are needed

a) (2 points)  $A, B$  are arbitrary  $3 \times 3$  matrices. Each of the two has distinct eigenvalues meaning that the algebraic multiplicity of each eigenvalue is 1. We write  $A \sim B$  to indicate that  $A$  is similar to  $B$ .

The statement	implies $A = B$	implies $A \sim B$
$A, B$ have the same eigenvalues		
$A, B$ have same eigenvectors		
$A, B$ have same eigenvalue, eigenvector pairs		

b) (2 points) Assume  $A$  is an invertible and diagonalizable  $2 \times 2$  matrix. Which matrices are diagonalizable too?

$A^2$	
$A^T$	
$A^{-1}$	
$2A + I_2$	

c) (2 points) Fill in each of the two cases the  $Q$  and  $R$  matrices giving the QR factorization  $A = QR$  of  $A$ :

$A$	$Q$	$R$
$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$		
$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$		

d) (2 points) Which of the following matrices  $A$  has the property that

$$A[x(t), x(t-1), x(t-2)]^T = [x(t) + x(t-1) + x(t-2), x(t), x(t-1)]^T.$$

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

e) (2 points) Exactly one of the three statements is **not** part of the spectral theorem. Which one?

A symmetric matrix has an orthonormal eigenbasis	
A real symmetric matrix has real eigenvalues	
A matrix with real eigenvalues has an orthonormal eigenbasis	

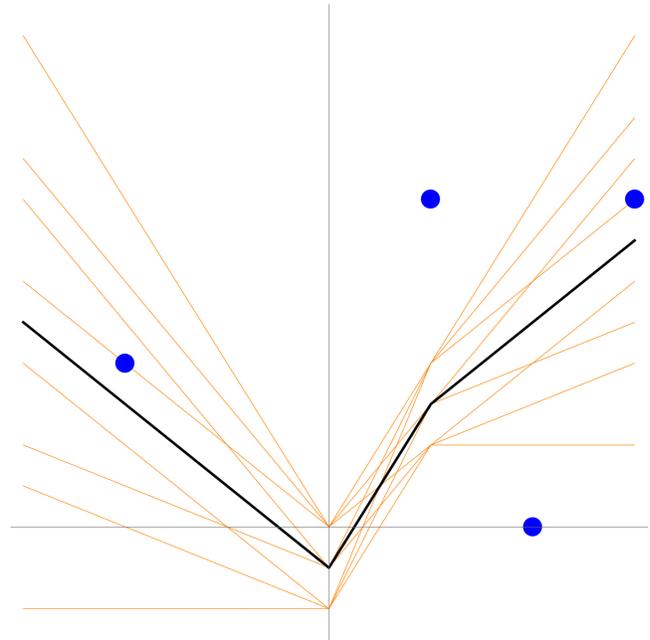
Problem 4) (10 points)

Find the function

$$a|x| - b|x - 1| = y$$

which is the best fit for the data

x	y
1	2
3	2
-2	1
2	0



Problem 5) (10 points)

a) (2 points) Find the determinants of

$$A(2) = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 2 \\ 2 & 5 \end{bmatrix}, \quad A(3) = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 2 & 0 \\ 2 & 5 & 2 \\ 0 & 2 & 5 \end{bmatrix}.$$

b) (2 points) Use Laplace expansion to get the determinant of

$$A(4) = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 5 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 5 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 & 5 \end{bmatrix}.$$

c) (2 points) Find the determinant of

$$B = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 5 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 5 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 & 5 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 2 & 5 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 2 & 5 \end{bmatrix}.$$

d) (2 points) Find the determinant of

$$C = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 2 & 2 & 2 & 2 \\ 2 & 5 & 2 & 2 & 2 \\ 2 & 2 & 5 & 2 & 2 \\ 2 & 2 & 2 & 5 & 2 \\ 2 & 2 & 2 & 2 & 5 \end{bmatrix}.$$

e) (2 points) Find the determinant of

$$D = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 2 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 & 3 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 5 & 0 \end{bmatrix}.$$

Problem 6) (10 points)

The recursion  $x(t+1) = 5x(t) - 4x(t-1)$  can be written as  $v(t+1) = Av(t)$ .

a) (3 points) Fill in the  $2 \times 2$  matrix  $A$  to make this a recursion

$$\begin{bmatrix} x(t+1) \\ x(t) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \cdot & \cdot \\ \cdot & \cdot \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x(t) \\ x(t-1) \end{bmatrix}.$$

b) (3 points) Find the eigenvalues and eigenvectors of  $A$ .

c) (4 points) Write the initial condition  $\vec{v}(0) = \begin{bmatrix} x(1) \\ x(0) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$  as a combination of eigenvectors and use this to write down the **closed form solution** for  $\vec{v}(t)$ .

P.S. The recursion appearing here could have been useful to compute the determinants  $A(n)$  in problem 5a) and 5b).

Problem 7) (10 points)

The matrix

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

has the eigenbasis

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

a) (3 points) Find the eigenvalues  $\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \lambda_3$  of  $A$ .

b) (3 points) Find the eigenvalues  $\mu_1, \mu_2, \mu_3$  of the inverse

$$A^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & -1 \\ 1 & -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}.$$

c) (2 points) What are the eigenvectors of  $A^{-1}$ ?

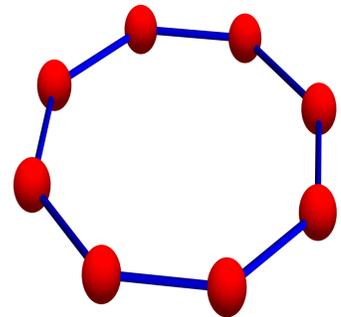
d) (2 points) Check the boxes which lead to true identities "left expression = expression above":

	$\text{tr}(A)$	$\det(A)$
$\lambda_1 + \lambda_2 + \lambda_3$	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
$\lambda_1 \lambda_2 \lambda_3$	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Problem 8) (10 points)

The Laplacian of the circular graph  $C_8$  is

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



The matrix  $B$  can be written as  $2I - A - A^{-1}$ , where  $A$  is an orthogonal matrix.

a) (5 points) What are the eigenvalues of  $B$ ?

b) (5 points) What are the eigenvectors of  $B$ ?

Problem 9) (10 points)

a) (4 points) Find the QR factorization of

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

b) (4 points) Find the QR factorization of

$$B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

c) (2 points) Assume  $A$  is an orthogonal  $3 \times 3$  matrix. What is

$$P = A(A^T A)^{-1} A^T ?$$

Problem 10) (10 points)
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Assume  $A$  is an invertible  $3 \times 3$  matrix.

- a) (2 points) Is  $A^T$  necessarily invertible?
- b) (2 points) Is  $A^{-1}$  necessarily invertible?
- c) (2 points) Is  $A + A^T$  necessarily invertible?
- d) (2 points) Is  $A + I_3$  necessarily invertible?
- e) (2 points) If  $A = QR$  is the QR decomposition. Are both  $R$  and  $Q$  invertible?