

MATH 502, HOMEWORK ASSIGNMENTS

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ABSTRACT. HWK is assigned by the dates of the class. It is assigned typically on the day on or before the Tue of each week. It is due by 11:59pm of the following Friday. I will try to grade it by the following Monday.

Each problem is worth 2 points. Get 1 point if there is a minor mistake, 0 for major mistake.

1. HWK FOR WEEK 1

Hwk 1.1 Write the following system of eqs in matrix form.

$$(1.1) \quad \begin{cases} x_1 - 3x_2 + 2x_3 = 1, \\ 3x_1 - 2x_2 + 4x_3 = 2, \\ 4x_1 + 2x_2 - 2x_3 = 3. \end{cases}$$

Hwk 1.2 Write the matrix equation

$$(1.2) \quad \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 & 2 \\ -2 & 3 & 5 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}.$$

back to a system of individual eqs.

Hwk 1.3: Hwk problem 1.3 on the Page 7 of Chapter 1 under the Modules link of Canvas.

Hwk 1.4. Problems of 1, 3, 5 of Homework 2.1 and 2.2 on page 5 Chapter 2 under the Modules link of Canvas.

Hwk 1.5. Based on the geometric meaning of the ODE, roughly sketch solutions of

$$y' = \frac{x^2 - 1}{y^2 + 1}$$

over the interval $0 \leq x \leq 2$ with the following initial point.

a) $y(0) = 1$.

b) $y(0) = -1$.

Use at least steps (in x) to reach $x = 2$.

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