

Final Examination

一. Let $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 1 & -1 \\ 2 & -1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$

1. Compute the determinant of A .
2. Find the rank of A .
3. Determine if A is invertible. If A is invertible, find A^{-1} .

二. If $A = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 & -1 \\ 2 & -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$ and $AX = A - X$. Find X .

三. The linear system is
$$\begin{cases} x_1 + x_2 + 4x_3 = 4 \\ -x_1 + 4x_2 + x_3 = 16 \\ x_1 - x_2 + 2x_3 = \lambda \end{cases}$$

1. Write the augmented matrix \bar{A} of the system.
2. Determine the value of λ such that the system is consistent.
3. Find the dimension of the null space of the coefficient matrix A .
4. When the system is consistent, solve it.

四. Let $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -2 & 0 \\ -2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$

1. Find the eigenvalues and eigenvectors of A .
2. Orthogonally diagonalize A .

五. Let quadratic form $f(x_1, x_2, x_3) = x_1^2 + x_2^2 + x_3^2 - 4x_1x_2$

1. Write the matrix of the quadratic form $f(x_1, x_2, x_3)$.
2. Make a change of variable $X = PY$, that transforms the quadratic form $f(x_1, x_2, x_3)$ into a quadratic form with no cross-product term. Give P and the new quadratic form.
3. Determine whether the quadratic form $f(x_1, x_2, x_3)$ is positive definite.

六. If A is 3×3 and $A - I, A - 2I, A - 3I$ are all not invertible (sometimes called singular). Show that A can be diagonalizable.

七. If you do the subject below, you can get 5 extra points.

If $A^2 = A$. Show that matrix $A+I$ is invertible and find $(A+I)^{-1}$.