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**Question 1** True/False: Let  $T: V \to W$  be a linear transformation. The matrix for T relative to the bases  $\mathcal{B}$  and  $\mathcal{C}$  for V and W respectively is given by:

$$M = \begin{bmatrix} [T(\vec{b}_1)]_{\mathcal{C}} & [T(\vec{b}_2)]_{\mathcal{C}} & \cdots & [T(\vec{b}_n)]_{\mathcal{C}} \end{bmatrix}$$

where  $\mathcal{B} = \{\vec{b}_1, \vec{b}_2, \dots, \vec{b}_n\}.$ 

## Multiple Choice:

- (a) True ✓
- (b) False

**Question 2** True/False: Let  $T: V \to W$  be a linear transformation. Let  $\mathcal B$  and  $\mathcal C$  be bases for V and W respectively. Let M be the matrix for T relative to  $\mathcal B$  and  $\mathcal C$ . Then which of the following equations is true?

## Multiple Choice:

- (a)  $[T(\vec{x})]_{\mathcal{C}} = M[\vec{x}]_{\mathcal{B}} \checkmark$
- (b)  $[T(\vec{x})]_{\mathcal{B}} = M[\vec{x}]_{\mathcal{C}}$

**Question 3** Let  $\mathcal{B} = \{\vec{b}_1, \vec{b}_2\}$  and  $\mathcal{C} = \{\vec{c}_1, \vec{c}_2\}$  be bases for the vector spaces V and W respectively. Let  $T: V \to W$  be a linear transformation. Given the equations below, find the matrix for T relative to  $\mathcal{B}$  and  $\mathcal{C}$ .

$$T(\vec{b}_1) = 4\vec{c}_1 + 2\vec{c}_2 \quad T(\vec{b}_2) = -3\vec{c}_2$$

$$M = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 0 \\ 2 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$$

**Question 4** Let  $\mathcal{B} = \{\vec{b}_1, \vec{b}_2, \vec{b}_3\}$  and  $\mathcal{C} = \{\vec{c}_1, \vec{c}_2\}$  be bases for the vector spaces V and W respectively. Let  $T: V \to W$  be a linear transformation. Given the equations below, find the matrix for T relative to  $\mathcal{B}$  and  $\mathcal{C}$ .

$$T(\vec{b}_1) = -\vec{c}_1 + 2\vec{c}_2 \quad T(\vec{b}_2) = \vec{c}_1 + \vec{c}_2 \quad T(\vec{b}_3) = 5\vec{c}_1$$

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$$M = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 1 & 5 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

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**Question 5** Let  $\mathcal{B}$  be a basis for some vector space V. If the linear transformation  $T:V\to V$  sends vectors written with respect to the basis  $\mathcal{B}$  to vectors written with respect to the basis  $\mathcal{B}$ , then the matrix for T relative to  $\mathcal{B}$  (or the  $\mathcal{B}$ -matrix for T) satisfies:

$$[T(\vec{x})]_{\mathcal{B}} = [T]_{\mathcal{B}}[\vec{x}]_{\mathcal{B}}$$

## Multiple Choice:

- (a) True ✓
- (b) False

**Question 6** True/False. Suppose  $A = PDP^{-1}$  where D is a diagonal  $n \times n$  matrix. If  $\mathcal{B}$  is the basis for  $\mathbf{R}^{\mathbf{n}}$  formed from the columns of P, then D is the  $\mathcal{B}$ -matrix for the transformation  $\vec{x} \mapsto A\vec{x}$ .

# Multiple Choice:

- (a) True ✓
- (b) False

Hint: See the diagonal matrix representation theorem on page 291 of Lay.

**Question 7** Suppose  $A = PDP^{-1}$  where  $P, D, P^{-1}$  are given below. Let the linear transformation  $T: \mathbf{R^3} \to \mathbf{R^3}$  be defined by  $T(\vec{x}) = A\vec{x}$ . Which of the following gives a basis  $\mathcal{B}$  for  $\mathbf{R^3}$  with the property that  $[T]_{\mathcal{B}}$  is diagonal.

$$P = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & -3 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad D = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 4 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \quad P^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 \\ -3 & 1 & 9 \\ -1 & 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

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#### Multiple Choice:

(a) 
$$\begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 4 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

(b) 
$$\begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -3 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 4 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 9 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

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(c) 
$$\begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$
,  $\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $\begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ -3 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$   $\checkmark$ 

Hint: See the diagonal matrix representation theorem on page 291 of Lay.