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Quiz 6

1. Suppose 0 is an eigenvalue of the matrix A . Which of the following statements MUST be true? (Circle ALL that apply)

1. A is invertible.

2. The determinant of A is zero.

3. The columns of A are linearly dependent.

4. There are an infinite number of solutions to the system $Ax = 0$.

5. The trace of A is 0.

2. The matrix $A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -2 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ Find a COMPLEX Eigenvector of A .

$$(3-\lambda)(1-\lambda) + 2 = 0$$

$$3 - 4\lambda + \lambda^2 + 2 = 0$$

$$\lambda^2 - 4\lambda + 5 = 0$$

$$\lambda = \frac{4 \pm \sqrt{16 - 4(5)}}{2} = \frac{4 \pm \sqrt{-4}}{2}$$

There are many answers to this

$$= 2 \pm i$$

$$[A - (2+i)I]$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1-i & -2 \\ 1 & -1-i \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(1-i)x_1 = 2x_2$$

$$x_1 = (1+i)x_2$$

Thus let $x_2 = 1$
 $x_1 = (1+i)$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1+i \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$