

Linear Algebra

Matlab Exam 2022/06/06

1. Set matrix $M = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2 & 1 \\ 6 & 5 & 4 \\ 9 & 7 & 8 \end{bmatrix}$, try to answer the following questions in order:

Each sub-problem is operated independently using the original matrix M .

- (a) (5%) Extract the elements in the 3rd column and the 1st row of matrix M .
- (b) (5%) Extract the first and second elements of the second column in the matrix M .
- (c) (5%) Take all elements in column 2 of matrix M .
- (d) (5%) Extract the first and third elements of the last column of matrix M .
- (e) (5%) Add a row vector of all zeros to the rightmost edge of matrix M .
- (f) (5%) Delete the last row of matrix M .
- (g) (5%) Extract the elements from the 1st to the 2nd rows in the 1st to the 2nd columns of the matrix M .

2. Generate two random 6×6 matrices with integer entries by setting

$$A = \text{round}(10 * \text{rand}(6))$$

and

$$B = \text{round}(20 * \text{rand}(6)) - 10$$

Please write Matlab codes to compute each pair of matrix values for sub-problems (a) to (f). In each case, check whether the first value is equal to the second one.

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| (a) (5%) $\det(A)$ | $\det(A^T)$ |
| (b) (5%) $\det(A - B)$ | $\det(A) - \det(B)$ |
| (c) (5%) $\det(AB)$ | $\det(A) \det(B)$ |
| (d) (5%) $\det(A^T B)$ | $\det(A^T) \det(B)$ |
| (e) (5%) $\det(A^{-1})$ | $1/\det(A)$ |
| (f) (5%) $\det(AB^{-1})$ | $\det(A)/\det(B)$ |

3. (35%) Set

$$A = \text{round}(10 * \text{rand}(7))$$

$$\mathbf{b} = \text{round}(10 * \text{rand}(7, 1))$$

$$M = \text{inv}(A)$$

Use the matrix M to solve the system $Ay = \mathbf{b}$ for y .