

### Problem 1

Calculate the value of the expression:

$$\det \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 3 & 4 \end{pmatrix} - \det \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 3 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

- A)  $-2$
- B)  $-1$
- C)  $0$
- D)  $1$

### Problem 2

Solve the equation:

$$\det \begin{pmatrix} x & x \\ 3 & x \end{pmatrix} = 0$$

- A)  $x = 0; x = 3$
- B)  $x = 3$
- C)  $x = 0$
- D)  $x = -3; x = 0$

### Problem 3

Calculate the value of the expression:

$$\begin{pmatrix} \cos \theta & -\sin \theta \\ \sin \theta & \cos \theta \end{pmatrix}^{100}$$

for  $\theta = \frac{\pi}{4}$ .

- A)  $\begin{pmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$
- B)  $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$
- C)  $\begin{pmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$
- D)  $\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$

### Problem 4

Let  $A$  be a  $2 \times 2$  matrix with a determinant equal to 5. Calculate the determinant of the matrix  $3A$ .

- A) 15
- B) 30
- C) 45
- D) 60

### Problem 5

The vector  $\mathbf{v} = [\sqrt{2}, -\sqrt{2}]$  is rotated by an angle of  $\frac{\pi}{2}$ . What is the new value of the vector  $\mathbf{v}'$ ?

- A)  $[\sqrt{2}, \sqrt{3}]$
- B)  $[-\sqrt{2}, \sqrt{2}]$
- C)  $[-\sqrt{2}, -\sqrt{2}]$
- D)  $[\sqrt{2}, \sqrt{2}]$

### Problem 6

If  $A$  is a  $2 \times 2$  matrix with a determinant of 7, and matrix  $B$  is a  $2 \times 2$  matrix with a determinant of 3, what is the determinant of the matrix  $AB$ ?

- A)  $7 + 3$
- B)  $7 \times 3$
- C)  $7^3$
- D)  $3^7$

### Problem 7

The vector in the equation

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 11 \end{pmatrix}$$

has the value:

- A)  $[1, 2]^T$
- B)  $[2, 1]^T$
- C)  $[3, 4]^T$
- D)  $[4, 3]^T$

### Problem 8

For what value of  $\alpha$  does the system have a solution?

$$\begin{cases} -4x_1 + 3x_2 = 2, \\ 5x_1 - 4x_2 = 0, \\ 2x_1 - x_2 = \alpha; \end{cases}$$

- A)  $\alpha = 2$
- B)  $\alpha = -6$
- C)  $\alpha = 0$
- D) The system has no solution for any  $\alpha$ .

**Problem 9**

$$\begin{cases} 4x_1 + 5x_3 = 6, \\ x_2 - 6x_3 = -2, \\ 3x_1 + 4x_3 = 3; \end{cases}$$

- A)  $\{x_1 = 9, x_2 = -38, x_3 = -6\}$
- B)  $\{x_1 = 0, x_2 = -2, x_3 = 6\}$
- C)  $\{x_1 = 1, x_2 = -2, x_3 = 0\}$
- D) The system has no solutions.

**Problem 10**

$$\begin{cases} 3x_1 - x_2 - 2x_3 = 2, \\ 2x_2 - x_3 = -1, \\ 3x_1 - 5x_2 = 3; \end{cases}$$

- A)  $\{x_1 = 1, x_2 = 0, x_3 = 1\}$
- B)  $\{x_1 = 0, x_2 = -1, x_3 = 1\}$
- C)  $\{x_1 = 2, x_2 = 1, x_3 = 0\}$
- D) The system is inconsistent.