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DURATION: 3 Hours

FULL MARKS: 150

Math 4341: Linear Algebra

Programmable calculators are not allowed. Do not write anything on the question paper.

There are 8 (eight) questions. Answer any 6 (six) of them.

Figures in the right margin indicate marks.

1. a) Show that the projection of a vector b on the column space of given matrix A is obtained from $p = A\hat{x}$. Also derive the value of \hat{x} . 7
- b) Prove that $A^T A$ is invertible if and only if A has linear independent columns. 5
- c) Suppose a plane is spanned by the linear combination of two vectors $(1, 2, -1)^T$ and $(1, 0, 1)^T$. Which vector in this plane is closest to $b = (2, 1, 1)^T$? 8
- d) Suppose A is the 4 by 4 identity matrix with its last column removed: A is 4 by 3. Project $b = (1, 2, 3, 4)^T$ onto the column space of A . What shape is projection matrix P and what is P ? 5
2. a) Find the equation $y = mx + c$ of the least-squares line that best fits the data points $(2, 1)$, $(5, 2)$, $(7, 3)$, and $(8, 3)$. What is the magnitude of the error vector? 20
- b) Given an $m \times n$ matrix A with linearly independent columns, let $A = QR$ be a QR factorization of A where Q contains orthonormal columns and R is an upper-triangular matrix. Then, prove that for each b in R^m space, the equation $Ax = b$ has a unique least-squares solution, given by: $\hat{x} = R^{-1}Q^T b$. 5
3. a) If $A = QR$ then $A^T A = R^T R$. Gram-Schmidt method on A corresponds to elimination on $A^T A$. Show that the pivots for $A^T A$ must be the squares of diagonal entries of R . Find Q and R by Gram-Schmidt for this matrix A : 20

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 \\ 2 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

- b) Determine whether the following statements are true or false. Give a reason if true or a counter example if false:
 - i. The determinant of $I + A$ is $1 + \det(A)$. 1
 - ii. The determinant of ABC is $|A||B||C|$. 1
 - iii. The determinant of $4A$ is $4\det(A)$. 1
 - iv. The determinant of $AB - BA$ is zero. All matrices here are considered square. 2

Try with $A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

4. a) The n by n determinant A_n has 1's above and below the main diagonal:

$$A_1 = |0| \quad A_2 = \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{vmatrix} \quad A_3 = \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{vmatrix} \quad A_4 = \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{vmatrix}$$

- i. What are these determinants A_2, A_3, A_4 ? 3×5
- ii. By cofactors find the relation between A_n and A_{n-1} and A_{n-2} . Find A_{10} . 5

- b) The corners of a triangle are (2, 1) and (3, 4) and (0, 5). Add a corner at (-1, 0) to make a lopsided region (four sides). Find the area of the new region. 5

- 5/ a) Find the eigenvalues for the following matrix A. Calculate the eigenvectors for only nonzero eigenvalues. 20

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

- (b) Show that if $3I$ is added with a matrix A , then its eigenvalues change but eigenvectors do not. 5

- ✓ 6. a) Factorize the following matrix A into $S\Lambda S^{-1}$. 7

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

- b) The Lucas numbers are like the Fibonacci numbers except they start with $L_1=1$ and $L_2=3$. Following the rule $L_{k+2} = L_{k+1} + L_k$ the next Lucas numbers are 4, 7, 11, 18, and so on. Find the Lucas number L_{100} . 18

- ✓ 7. a) List the properties of Markov matrix. Show that the square of a Markov matrix is also a Markov matrix. 2+3

- b) Suppose in a city every year 2% of young people become old and 3% of old people become dead. With no births and sudden death of young people, find the steady state for 20

$$\begin{bmatrix} \text{young} \\ \text{old} \\ \text{dead} \end{bmatrix}_{k+1} = [3 \times 3 \text{ Markov Matrix}] \begin{bmatrix} \text{young} \\ \text{old} \\ \text{dead} \end{bmatrix}_k$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} .98 & 0 & 0 \\ .2 & .97 & 0 \\ 0 & .3 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Show all necessary calculations.

- ✓ 8. a) Compute the product of the following two matrices using the concepts of column picture of a linear system. 10

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{and} \quad B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 2 & -2 \\ 1 & 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

- b) Find the inverse of matrix A by the Gauss-Jordan method: 10

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & 2 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

- c) For which values of c and d does the following matrix have a rank of 2? Explain your answer. 5

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 5 & 0 & 5 \\ 0 & 0 & c & 2 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & d & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$