

## Part A

1.  $\vec{a} = [1, 3, 2, -3]$      $\vec{b} = [-2, 1, -1, 2]$   
 $\vec{b} \cdot \vec{a} = (-2) \cdot 1 + 1 \cdot 3 + (-1) \cdot 2 + 2 \cdot (-3) = -2 + 3 - 2 - 6 = -7$

2.  $\vec{b}^T \cdot \vec{a} = \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \\ -1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} \cdot [1 \ 3 \ 2 \ -3] = \begin{bmatrix} (-2) \cdot 1 & (-2) \cdot 3 & (-2) \cdot 2 & (-2) \cdot (-3) \\ 1 \cdot 1 & 1 \cdot 3 & 1 \cdot 2 & 1 \cdot (-3) \\ (-1) \cdot 1 & (-1) \cdot 3 & (-1) \cdot 2 & (-1) \cdot (-3) \\ 2 \cdot 1 & 2 \cdot 3 & 2 \cdot 2 & 2 \cdot (-3) \end{bmatrix}$   
 $= \begin{bmatrix} -2 & -6 & -4 & 6 \\ 1 & 3 & 2 & -3 \\ -1 & -3 & -2 & 3 \\ 2 & 6 & 4 & -6 \end{bmatrix}$

3.  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$      $\vec{a} = [1, 3]$   
 $\vec{a} \cdot A = [1 \ 3] \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & -1 \end{bmatrix} = [1 \cdot 1 + 3 \cdot 0 \quad 1 \cdot 1 + 3 \cdot 2 \quad 0 \cdot 1 + 3 \cdot (-1)] = [1 \quad 7 \quad -3]$   
 $A \cdot \vec{a} = (2 \times 3) \cdot (1 \times 2)$  cannot be multiplied since number of columns in  $A$  do not match number of rows in  $\vec{a}$ .

4.  $\vec{a} = [1, 3, 1]$   
 $\vec{a} \cdot A = (1 \times 3) \cdot (2 \times 3)$  cannot be multiplied since number of columns in  $\vec{a}$  do not match number of rows in  $A$ .  
 $A \cdot \vec{a}^T = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \cdot 1 + 1 \cdot 3 + 0 \cdot 1 \\ 0 \cdot 1 + 2 \cdot 3 + (-1) \cdot 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix}$

5.  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$      $B = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2 \\ 5 & 1 \\ 2 & -4 \end{bmatrix}$   
 $A \cdot B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2 \\ 5 & 1 \\ 2 & -4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \cdot 3 + 1 \cdot 5 + 0 \cdot 2 & 1 \cdot 2 + 1 \cdot 1 + 0 \cdot (-4) \\ 0 \cdot 3 + 2 \cdot 5 + (-1) \cdot 2 & 0 \cdot 2 + 2 \cdot 1 + (-1) \cdot (-4) \end{bmatrix}$   
 $= \begin{bmatrix} 8 & 3 \\ 8 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$

$$\begin{aligned}
B \cdot A &= \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2 \\ 5 & 1 \\ 2 & -4 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & -1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \cdot 1 + 2 \cdot 0 & 3 \cdot 1 + 2 \cdot 2 & 3 \cdot 0 + 2 \cdot (-1) \\ 5 \cdot 1 + 1 \cdot 0 & 5 \cdot 1 + 1 \cdot 2 & 5 \cdot 0 + 1 \cdot (-1) \\ 2 \cdot 1 + (-4) \cdot 0 & 2 \cdot 1 + (-4) \cdot 2 & 2 \cdot 0 + (-4) \cdot (-1) \end{bmatrix} \\
&= \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 7 & -2 \\ 5 & 7 & -1 \\ 2 & -6 & 4 \end{bmatrix}
\end{aligned}$$

$$6. B = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2 \\ 5 & 1 \\ 2 & -4 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$A \cdot B = (2 \times 3) \cdot (4 \times 2)$  cannot be multiplied since number of columns in  $A$  do not match number of rows in  $B$ .

$$\begin{aligned}
B \cdot A &= \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2 \\ 5 & 1 \\ 2 & -4 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & -1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \cdot 1 + 2 \cdot 0 & 3 \cdot 1 + 2 \cdot 2 & 3 \cdot 0 + 2 \cdot (-1) \\ 5 \cdot 1 + 1 \cdot 0 & 5 \cdot 1 + 1 \cdot 2 & 5 \cdot 0 + 1 \cdot (-1) \\ 2 \cdot 1 + (-4) \cdot 0 & 2 \cdot 1 + (-4) \cdot 2 & 2 \cdot 0 + (-4) \cdot (-1) \\ 2 \cdot 1 + 1 \cdot 0 & 2 \cdot 1 + 1 \cdot 2 & 2 \cdot 0 + 1 \cdot (-1) \end{bmatrix} \\
&= \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 7 & -2 \\ 5 & 7 & -1 \\ 2 & -6 & 4 \\ 2 & 4 & -1 \end{bmatrix}
\end{aligned}$$

## Part B

$$y = \cos((3x^2 - 5x)^3) \quad (1)$$

To find the derivative of  $y$ , we first express Eq. 1 as a system of equations as follows:

$$\begin{aligned}
y &= \cos u \\
u &= v^3 \\
v &= 3x^2 - 5x
\end{aligned} \quad (2)$$

The derivatives (with respect to substituted variable) of the system of equations in Eqs. 2 is as follows:

$$\begin{aligned}
\frac{dy}{du} &= -\sin u \\
\frac{du}{dv} &= 3v^2 \\
\frac{dv}{dx} &= 6x - 5
\end{aligned} \quad (3)$$

Now, we can apply the chain rule and simplify using Eqs. 3:

$$\begin{aligned}
y' &= \frac{dy}{dx} \\
&= \frac{dy}{du} \cdot \frac{du}{dv} \cdot \frac{dv}{dx} \\
&= (-\sin u)(3v^2)(6x - 5)
\end{aligned}$$

Finally, substituting the functions from Eqs. 2, we get the derivative of  $y$  with respect to  $x$  as:

$$y' = -3(3x^2 - 5x)^2(6x - 5) \sin((3x^2 - 5x)^3) \quad (4)$$