

MATH 316D W09

DD1 Individual Quiz

1. **Keep.**
2. **Keep.**
3. **Change** to, “Let $\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 4 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$; one of the eigenvalues of \mathbf{A} is:
 - (a) 6
 - (b) 0 \implies **Correct**
 - (c) -2
 - (d) None of the above.
4. **Keep.**
5. **Change** to, “Given the definition of an eigenpair as, $\mathbf{A}\vec{v} = \lambda\vec{v}$, where \mathbf{A} is an $n \times n$ matrix and \vec{v} is the non-zero eigenvector. How is the action of \mathbf{A} equivalent to the scalar multiplication of λ , the eigenvalue?”
 - (a) It is the same geometrically in that it will flip, stretch, or shrink the vector equivalently. \implies **Correct**
 - (b) λ is equivalent to the determinant of \mathbf{A} .
 - (c) All of the above.
 - (d) The scalar multiplication of λ is not equivalent to the action of \mathbf{A} but depends on the column vector \vec{v} .

DD2 Group Quiz (*Exam III Review*)

1. **Keep.**
2. **Change** to, “Let $\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$.
 - a. What is the span of the columns of \mathbf{A} ?
 - b. Does \mathbf{A}^{-1} exist? If it does, find it. If it does not, explain why it does not exist.
 - c. What is the volume of the parallelepiped spanned by the columns of \mathbf{A} ?
 - d. Write out the linear system represented by $\mathbf{A}\vec{x} = \vec{b}$, if $\vec{b} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$.
 - e. Is \vec{b} in the span of the columns of \mathbf{A} ? If it is, write \vec{b} as a linear combination of the columns of \mathbf{A} .
3. **Change** to, “Mark each statement True or False. Justify your answer. Let S be a set of n vectors in \mathbb{R}^m .”
 - (a) If $n > m$ the elements of S are linearly independent.
4. **Keep.**
5. **Keep** but please make sure that the questions reads as follows: “Compute the eigenvalues and eigenvectors for $\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ -1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$. Describe the action of \mathbf{A} on a vector \vec{x} in \mathbb{R}^2 .”
6. **Keep.**
7. **Keep** but please make sure that the question reads as follows: “Determine all values of h such that the augmented system is consistent, $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & h & 3 \\ 2 & h & 6 \end{bmatrix}$.”
8. **Keep.**
9. **Keep.**
10. **Keep.**

KEY - Exam III Review

1. $\lambda = 1$

2. a. $\text{Span}(\mathbf{A}) = c_1 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + c_2 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + c_3 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$

b. Yes. $\mathbf{A}^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

c. $V = 1$

d.

$$x_1 + x_2 + x_3 = -1$$

$$x_2 + x_3 = 2$$

$$x_3 = 3$$

e. Yes.

3. (a) \implies **False**

(b) \implies **True**

(c) \implies **True**

(d) \implies **True**

4. a. -2

b. -8

c. -2

d. $-\frac{1}{2}$

e. This operation is not possible because...

5. The eigenvalues of \mathbf{A} are $\lambda_1 = \sqrt{2}$ and $\lambda_2 = -\sqrt{2}$, with corresponding eigenvectors of $\vec{x}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} -1 - \sqrt{2} \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$, and $\vec{x}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} -1 + \sqrt{2} \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$. The action of \mathbf{A} on \vec{x} is to stretch the vector \vec{x} by a factor of $\sqrt{2}$.

6. $\vec{r}(t) = \begin{bmatrix} -\frac{5}{2} \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} t + \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{6} \\ \frac{1}{3} \end{bmatrix}$ or $\vec{r}(t) = \begin{bmatrix} -5 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix} t + \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{6} \\ \frac{1}{3} \end{bmatrix}$

7. \implies **All reals.**

8. a. An appropriate answer will be along the lines of: "A pivot point is a point in a given matrix, \mathbf{A} , that corresponds to a leading 1 when that matrix is in RREF." An appropriate equation will be of the form: $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$.

b. An appropriate answer is along the lines of: "Two matrices are row equivalent when any number of elementary steps can be taken to transform one matrix into the other." Some elementary steps that may be mentioned are: 1) *replacement*, where a row is put back after being added to or subtracted by another row times a constant, 2) *interchangeability*, rows can be swapped as long as their columns do not shift position, and 3) *scaling*, every entry in each row can be multiplied by a non-zero constant.

9. An appropriate answer to this question may be, "Yes. A 2×3 linear system, when augmented, can be inconsistent because..."

10. An example of a matrix with complex eigenvalues is, $\mathbf{T} = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & -4 \\ 5 & -4 \end{bmatrix}$. The eigenvalues and eigenvectors of this matrix are as follows: $\lambda_1 = 2i$ and $\lambda_2 = -2i$, with the corresponding eigenvectors being $\vec{v}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 4 + 2i \\ 5 \end{bmatrix}$ and $\vec{v}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 4 - 2i \\ 5 \end{bmatrix}$.