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分值	15 分	25 分	12 分	10 分	12 分	12 分	8 分	6 分

本试卷共 (8) 大题, 满分 (100) 分. 请将所有答案写在答题本上.

This exam includes 8 questions and the score is 100 in total. Write all your answers on the examination book.

本套试卷为 B 卷 Version B



1. (15 points, 3 points each) Multiple Choice. Only one choice is correct.

(共 15 分, 每小题 3 分) 选择题, 只有一个选项是正确的.

(1) Let  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$  and let  $\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \alpha_3$  be linearly independent column vectors in  $\mathbb{R}^3$ .

Then the rank of the vector system  $A\alpha_1, A\alpha_2, A\alpha_3$  ( )

- (A) must be 1.
- (B) must be 2.
- (C) must be 3.
- (D) can be 1 or 2.

设  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \alpha_3$  为  $\mathbb{R}^3$  中线性无关的向量组. 则向量组  $A\alpha_1, A\alpha_2, A\alpha_3$  的秩 ( )

- (A) 一定是 1.
- (B) 一定是 2.
- (C) 一定是 3.
- (D) 可能是 1 也可能是 2.

(2) Let  $I_n$  be the identity matrix of order  $n$  and let  $\alpha$  be a column vector of length 1 in  $\mathbb{R}^n$ . Then ( )

- (A)  $I_n - \alpha\alpha^T$  is not invertible.
- (B)  $I_n + \alpha\alpha^T$  is not invertible.

(C)  $I_n + 2\alpha\alpha^T$  is not invertible.

(D)  $I_n - 2\alpha\alpha^T$  is not invertible.

设  $I_n$  为  $n$  阶单位矩阵,  $\alpha$  是  $\mathbb{R}^n$  中长度为 1 的列向量. 则 ( )

(A)  $I_n - \alpha\alpha^T$  不可逆.

(B)  $I_n + \alpha\alpha^T$  不可逆.

(C)  $I_n + 2\alpha\alpha^T$  不可逆.

(D)  $I_n - 2\alpha\alpha^T$  不可逆.

(3) Let  $M = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ -2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ . Which of the following matrices is congruent to  $M$ ? ( )

(A)  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

(B)  $B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$

(C)  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$

(D)  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 3 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

设  $M = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ -2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ . 下列哪个矩阵与  $M$  相合 (也称合同)? ( )

(A)  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

(B)  $B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$

(C)  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$

(D)  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 3 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

(4) Let  $\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \alpha_3$  be column vectors in  $\mathbb{R}^3$  such that the matrix  $P = (\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \alpha_3)$  is invertible.

Suppose  $A$  is a  $3 \times 3$  matrix such that  $P^{-1}AP = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$ . Then  $A(\alpha_1 + \alpha_2 + \alpha_3) =$

( )

(A)  $\alpha_1 + \alpha_2$ .

(B)  $\alpha_2 + 3\alpha_3$ .

(C)  $\alpha_2 + \alpha_3$ .

(D)  $\alpha_1 + 2\alpha_3$ .

设  $\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \alpha_3$  为  $\mathbb{R}^3$  中的列向量, 使得矩阵  $P = (\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \alpha_3)$  可逆. 假设  $A$  为  $3 \times 3$  矩阵,

满足  $P^{-1}AP = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$ . 则  $A(\alpha_1 + \alpha_2 + \alpha_3) = ( \quad )$

- (A)  $\alpha_1 + \alpha_2$ .  
 (B)  $\alpha_2 + 2\alpha_3$ .  
 (C)  $\alpha_2 + \alpha_3$ .  
 (D)  $\alpha_1 + 2\alpha_3$ .
- (5) Which of the following statements is true? ( )
- (A) Let  $A$  be an  $m \times n$  complex matrix and  $B = A^H A$ . (Here  $A^H = \overline{A}^T$  denotes the conjugate transpose of  $A$ .) Then the matrix  $B + iI_n$  is invertible.  
 (B) If  $A$  is a real square matrix of order  $n$  and  $x^T A x = 0$  for all  $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$ , then  $A$  must be the zero matrix.  
 (C) Suppose  $A$  and  $B$  are invertible square matrices. If  $A$  and  $B$  are similar to each other, then  $A + A^T$  is similar to  $B + B^T$ .  
 (D) If  $A$  is an upper triangular (square) matrix and  $A$  is similar to a diagonal matrix, then  $A$  must be a diagonal matrix.

下列哪个论断是正确的? ( )

- (A) 设  $A$  为  $m \times n$  复矩阵,  $B = A^H A$ . (这里  $A^H = \overline{A}^T$  表示  $A$  的共轭转置.) 则矩阵  $B + iI_n$  可逆.  
 (B) 如果  $A$  是  $n$  阶实方阵, 且对任意  $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$  均有  $x^T A x = 0$ , 则  $A$  一定是零矩阵.  
 (C) 假设  $A$  和  $B$  都是可逆方阵. 如果  $A$  和  $B$  相似, 则  $A + A^T$  和  $B + B^T$  相似.  
 (D) 若  $A$  是上三角(方)阵并且  $A$  相似于某个对角阵, 则  $A$  一定是对角阵.

2. (25 points, 5 points each) Fill in the blanks. (共 25 分, 每小题 5 分) 填空题.

- (1) Let  $A$  be a  $5 \times 4$  matrix of rank 3. Then the dimension of its left null space  $N(A^T)$  is \_\_\_\_\_

设  $A$  为秩等于 3 的  $5 \times 4$  矩阵. 则它的左零空间  $N(A^T)$  维数是 \_\_\_\_\_

- (2) Let  $A$  be a square matrix of order 3 and let  $\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \alpha_3$  be linearly independent vectors in  $\mathbb{R}^3$ . Suppose  $A\alpha_1 = 2\alpha_1 + \alpha_2 + \alpha_3$ ,  $A\alpha_2 = \alpha_2 + 2\alpha_3$  and  $A\alpha_3 = -\alpha_2 + \alpha_3$ . Then the real eigenvalues of  $A$  are \_\_\_\_\_

设  $A$  为 3 阶方阵,  $\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \alpha_3$  为  $\mathbb{R}^3$  中的线性无关向量组. 假设  $A\alpha_1 = 2\alpha_1 + \alpha_2 + \alpha_3$ ,  $A\alpha_2 = \alpha_2 + 2\alpha_3$  且  $A\alpha_3 = -\alpha_2 + \alpha_3$ . 则  $A$  的实特征值为 \_\_\_\_\_

- (3) Let  $A, B$  be square matrices of order  $n$ . Suppose  $|A| = 3$ ,  $|B| = 2$  and  $|A^{-1} + B| = 2$ . Then  $|A + B^{-1}| = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

设  $A, B$  为  $n$  阶方阵. 假设  $|A| = 3$ ,  $|B| = 2$  而  $|A^{-1} + B| = 2$ . 则  $|A + B^{-1}| = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

- (4) Let  $\xi_1, \xi_2, \xi_3$  be a basis of  $\mathbb{R}^3$ , and let  $\eta_1 = \xi_1, \eta_2 = \xi_1 + \xi_2, \eta_3 = \xi_3 - \xi_1$ . Let  $\text{Id} : \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$  be the identity map.

Then the matrix  $A$  representing  $\text{Id}$  in the basis  $\eta_1, \eta_2, \eta_3$  is \_\_\_\_\_

设  $\xi_1, \xi_2, \xi_3$  为  $\mathbb{R}^3$  的一组基,  $\eta_1 = \xi_1, \eta_2 = \xi_1 + \xi_2, \eta_3 = \xi_3 - \xi_1$ . 记  $\text{Id} : \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$  为恒等映射. 则  $\text{Id}$  在  $\eta_1, \eta_2, \eta_3$  这组基下的矩阵表示是  $A =$  \_\_\_\_\_

- (5) Let  $a \in \mathbb{R}$  and let  $C \subseteq \mathbb{R}^2$  be the zero locus of the equation  $3x^2 - 2axy + 3y^2 - 1 = 0$ . Determine for which values of  $a$  the curve  $C$  is an ellipse. (A circle is also considered as an ellipse.) \_\_\_\_\_

设  $a \in \mathbb{R}$ , 记  $C \subseteq \mathbb{R}^2$  为方程  $3x^2 - 2axy + 3y^2 - 1 = 0$  的零点集. 求  $a$  的取值范围使得曲线  $C$  是个椭圆. (注意圆也认为是椭圆.) \_\_\_\_\_

3. (12 points)

- (a) Find an orthonormal basis for the column space of

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & -1 \\ 2 & 0 & 1 \\ 2 & -4 & 2 \\ 4 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}.$$

- (b) Write  $A$  as  $QR$ , where  $Q$  has orthonormal columns and  $R$  is upper triangular.

(12 分)

- (a) 找出下列矩阵的列空间的一组标准正交 (也称规范正交) 基:

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & -1 \\ 2 & 0 & 1 \\ 2 & -4 & 2 \\ 4 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}.$$

- (b) 将  $A$  分解成乘积  $QR$  的形式, 其中  $Q$  的列是标准正交 (也称规范正交) 的向量,  $R$  是上三角矩阵.

4. (10 points) Let  $x, y \in \mathbb{R}, n \geq 2$  and consider the following determinant of order  $n$ :

$$D_n(x, y) = \begin{vmatrix} x+y & xy & 0 & \dots & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & x+y & xy & \dots & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & x+y & \dots & 0 & 0 \\ \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots & 1 & x+y \end{vmatrix}$$

For  $n = 2$ , we consider  $D_2(x, y)$  as  $\begin{vmatrix} x+y & xy \\ 1 & x+y \end{vmatrix}$ .

- (a) Find a recurrence relation relating  $D_n(x, y)$  to  $D_{n-1}(x, y)$  and  $D_{n-2}(x, y)$  for  $n \geq 4$ .  
 (b) Compute the determinant  $D_n(x, y)$  for all  $n \geq 2$ .

(10 分) 设  $x, y \in \mathbb{R}$ ,  $n \geq 2$ . 考虑以下  $n$  阶行列式:

$$D_n(x, y) = \begin{vmatrix} x+y & xy & 0 & \dots & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & x+y & xy & \dots & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & x+y & \dots & 0 & 0 \\ \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots & 1 & x+y \end{vmatrix}$$

当  $n = 2$  时, 我们认为  $D_2(x, y)$  是  $\begin{vmatrix} x+y & xy \\ 1 & x+y \end{vmatrix}$ .

- (a) 在  $n \geq 4$  时找出能将  $D_n(x, y)$  和  $D_{n-1}(x, y), D_{n-2}(x, y)$  建立联系的一个递推关系式.  
 (b) 对任意  $n \geq 2$  计算行列式  $D_n(x, y)$ .

5. (12 points) Let  $a, b \in \mathbb{R}$  and put

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 & 2 \\ 5 & a & 3 \\ -1 & b & -2 \end{bmatrix}.$$

Suppose that  $p = (1, 1, -1)^T$  is an eigenvector of  $A$ .

- (a) Find the values of  $a, b$  and find the eigenvalue  $\lambda$  corresponding to the eigenvector  $p$ .  
 (b) Is the matrix  $A$  diagonalizable? Please explain your answer.

(12 分) 设  $a, b \in \mathbb{R}$ , 令

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 & 2 \\ 5 & a & 3 \\ -1 & b & -2 \end{bmatrix}.$$

假设  $p = (1, 1, -1)^T$  是  $A$  的一个特征向量.

- (a) 求  $a, b$  的值并找出特征向量  $p$  对应的特征值  $\lambda$ .  
 (b) 矩阵  $A$  是否可对角化? 请解释你的答案.

6. (12 points) Consider the ternary quadratic form

$$f(x_1, x_2, x_3) = (x_1 - x_2 + x_3)^2 + (x_2 + x_3)^2 + (x_1 + ax_3)^2$$

where  $a \in \mathbb{R}$  is a parameter.

- (a) What are the possible values of  $a$  if the quadratic form  $f$  is positive definite?
- (b) What are the possible values of  $a$  if the equation  $f(x_1, x_2, x_3) = 0$  has infinitely many solutions?
- (c) Let  $y = (y_1, y_2, y_3)^T$  be a new system of variables. Suppose that  $f(x_1, x_2, x_3) = 0$  has infinitely many solutions.
- Find an invertible linear transformation  $y = Px$ , where  $x = (x_1, x_2, x_3)^T$ , such that in the variables  $y_1, y_2, y_3$  the quadratic form  $f$  has a diagonal form.

(12 分) 考虑三元二次型

$$f(x_1, x_2, x_3) = (x_1 - x_2 + x_3)^2 + (x_2 + x_3)^2 + (x_1 + ax_3)^2$$

其中  $a \in \mathbb{R}$  为参数.

- (a) 如果  $f$  是正定的,  $a$  的取值范围是什么?
- (b) 如果方程  $f(x_1, x_2, x_3) = 0$  有无穷多个解,  $a$  的取值可能是什么?
- (c) 设  $y = (y_1, y_2, y_3)^T$  为一组新的变元. 假设  $f(x_1, x_2, x_3) = 0$  有无穷多个解.
- 找出一个可逆线性变换  $y = Px$ , 其中  $x = (x_1, x_2, x_3)^T$ , 使得在  $y_1, y_2, y_3$  这组变元下二次型  $f$  可以表示为对角形式.

7. (8 points) Let  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$ .

- (a) Find all the singular values of  $A$ .
- (b) Find the singular value decomposition of  $A$ , in other words, find two orthogonal matrices  $U$  and  $V$  (of suitable size) such that  $A = U\Sigma V^T$ .

(8 分) 令  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$ .

- (a) 求  $A$  的所有奇异值.
- (b) 求  $A$  的奇异值分解. 即, 找出两个 (适当大小的) 正交矩阵  $U$  和  $V$  使得  $A = U\Sigma V^T$ .

8. (6 points) Find a real  $4 \times 4$  orthogonal matrix  $A$  such that  $A$  has no real eigenvalues but both  $A^2$  and  $A^3$  have real eigenvalues. Please explain why the matrix you give has the required properties.

(6 分) 给出一个  $4 \times 4$  实正交矩阵  $A$  使得  $A$  没有实特征值, 而  $A^2$  和  $A^3$  都有实特征值. 请解释为什么你给出的矩阵满足要求.