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FINAL EXAM *200pts.*
MATH 201 VER ****

- There are 12 pages in the exam excluding this page.
- Write all your answers clearly. You have to show work to get points for your answers.
- Read all the questions carefully and make sure you answer all the parts.
- Questions 1-8 have parts in them which are inter-related.
- You can write on both sides of the paper. Indicate that the answer follows on the back of the page.
- Use of Calculators is *not* allowed during the exam.

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(9)/32

(10)/28

Total/200

1 *20pts.* Let $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$.

(a) Find the eigenvalues of A .

(b) Is A diagonalizable? explain why or why not?

2 20pts. Let A be a 2×2 matrix with eigenvalues $\frac{1}{2}$ and $\frac{-1}{2}$. Let

$$\text{Ker} \left(A - \frac{1}{2}I \right) = \text{Span} \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$$

and

$$\text{Ker} \left(A + \frac{1}{2}I \right) = \text{Span} \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\}.$$

(a) Let

$$\vec{x}(t+1) = \begin{bmatrix} x_1(t+1) \\ x_2(t+1) \end{bmatrix} = A\vec{x}(t).$$

Given that $\vec{x}(0) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$, find $\vec{x}(3)$.

(b) Draw the phase portrait for the discrete system in part (a).

3 *20pts.* Let $A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2 \\ 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$.

- (a) Given that $\lambda = 0$ and 2 are the only eigenvalues of A . Find an orthonormal basis of \mathbb{R}^3 denoted by \mathcal{B} consisting of eigenvectors of A .

- (b) Given the following quadratic form $q(x_1, x_2) = 3x_1^2 + 4x_1x_2 + 3x_2^2$. Describe q in terms of \mathcal{B} coordinates. Show work.

4 *15pts.* Let f denote a infinitely differentiable function on \mathbb{R} . Find all real solutions to the following differential equation.

$$\frac{d^2 f}{dt^2} - f(t) = 0.$$

5 15pts.

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

(a) Find the inverse of A , if it exists.

(b) Give a basis of the Image of the transformation $T : \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ defined as $T(\vec{x}) = A\vec{x}$.

6 15pts

$$\left[\begin{array}{cc|c} 1 & 1 & -2 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & h \end{array} \right]$$

- (a) Given that the above is the augmented matrix of a system of equations, find h such that it is consistent.

- (b) For $h = 0$ find the least squares solution to the system.

7 20pts. Let $\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$ and $\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ -1 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$ be two different bases of a subspace W in \mathbb{R}^3 .

(a) Which of the two sets are orthogonal? Show work.

(b) Let $\vec{y} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$. Is $\vec{y} \in W$?

(c) Find $\text{proj}_W \vec{y}$, that is, the orthogonal projection of \vec{y} onto W .

8 *15pts.* Let A be a 2×2 matrix with eigenvalues 1 and 3, such that $\text{Ker}(A - I) = \text{Span}\left\{\begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}\right\}$ and $\text{Ker}(A - 3I) = \text{Span}\left\{\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -3 \end{bmatrix}\right\}$.

(a) Find A . Show work.

(b) Let T denote the transformation $T\vec{x} = A\vec{x}$. Write down the matrix of the transformation T with respect to the basis $\left\{\begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -3 \end{bmatrix}\right\}$. Show work.

9 *32pts.* Answer the following in short. **Give justification for your answers.**

- (i) Let \mathcal{D} denote the space of differentiable functions from $\mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$. Is the function $\langle, \rangle: \mathcal{D} \times \mathcal{D} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ defined as

$$\langle f, g \rangle = f(0)g'(0) + f'(0)g(0)$$

an inner product on \mathcal{D} ?

- (ii) Let $V = \text{Span}\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ -1 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$. Find the dimension of V .

Explain your answer.

9(iii) Let A be a 2×2 matrix with eigenvalues $-1 \pm 2i$. Then consider the system of differential equations,

$$\begin{bmatrix} \frac{dx_1}{dt} \\ \frac{dx_2}{dt} \end{bmatrix} = A \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix}.$$

What happens to $x(t)$ as $t \rightarrow \infty$? Show work.

9(iv) Let A be an 2×2 matrix such that $A^3 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$. Then find $\text{Ker } A$.

10 *28pts.* State true or false with justification.

10(i) If A is a orthogonal 3×3 matrix then $\det A > 0$.

10(ii) Let $W = \text{Span}\{\vec{w}_1, \vec{w}_2, \vec{w}_3\}$ and $\vec{w}_2 \in \text{Span}\{\vec{w}_1, \vec{w}_3\}$. Then $W = \text{Span}\{\vec{w}_1, \vec{w}_3\}$.

10(iii) Let $T : V \rightarrow W$ be an invertible linear transformation from a vector space V to another vector space W . If $\{v_1, v_2, v_3\}$ is a linearly independent subset of V , then $\{Tv_1, Tv_2, Tv_3\}$ is a linearly independent set in W .

10(iv) If A is a 2×2 symmetric matrix then all its eigenvalues are positive real numbers.

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