## NO CALCULATORS!

1. a. Find the complete solution to the system:

$$\mathbf{BX} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 2 & 2 \\ 2 & 2 & 2 & 4 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \\ x_4 \\ x_5 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix}$$
12 pts

Solution: 
$$\begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \\ x_4 \\ x_5 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 2 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + x_2 \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + x_4 \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ -1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + x_5 \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ -1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

b. Find a basis for the column space of B. Then express each column of B as a combination of the basis. (Hint: B has rank 2)

Solution: 
$$\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1\\1\\2 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0\\1\\2 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$$
. Column 2 = Column 1;  
Column 5 = Column 4 = Column 1 + Column 3.

c. Find an equation  $a_1b_1+a_2b_2+a_3b_3=0$  for all vectors  $\mathbf{b}=(b_1,b_2,b_3)$  for which  $\mathbf{BX}=\mathbf{b}$  has a solution.

12 pts

Solution: 
$$2b_2 - b_3 = 0$$
. Note that  $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 2 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$  is in Nul(B<sup>T</sup>)

d. Find a basis for Nul(B) and for its orthogonal
complement.

12 pts

Solution: Basis for Nul(B): 
$$\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} -1\\1\\0\\0\\0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} -1\\0\\-1\\1\\0\\1 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$$

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Basis for  $Nul(B)^{\perp}$ :  $\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1\\1\\0\\1\\1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0\\0\\1\\1\\1 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$ 

3. a. Let  $T: \mathbb{R}^3 \to \mathbb{R}^3$  be a linear transformation such that:  $T(1,0,0) = (1,2,3), \ T(0,1,0) = (4,5,6), \ T(0,0,1) = (7,8,9).$  Find the matrix for T. Hint: Compute T(x,y,z).

Solution:  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 4 & 7 \\ 2 & 5 & 8 \\ 3 & 6 & 9 \end{bmatrix}$ 

b. Let  $T: \mathbb{R}^2 \to \mathbb{R}^3$  be a linear transformation such that:  $T(1,0)=(1,-2,3), \ T(0,1)=(-4,5,6).$  Find the standard matrix for T. Hint: Compute T(x,y).

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

4. a. Find the eigenvalues and eigenvectors of each of these matrices. Identify which are invertible and/or diagonalizable.

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

Solution:  $\lambda = 3$ , 3. Eigenvector  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$ . Invertible and not

diagonalizable.

 $B = \left[ \begin{array}{cc} 3 & -4 \\ 4 & 3 \end{array} \right]$ 

6 pts

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Solution:  $\lambda = 3 + 4i$ , eigenvector  $\begin{bmatrix} i \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $\lambda = 3 - 4i$ , eigenvector  $\begin{bmatrix} -i \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ .

Invertible and (complex) diagonalizable.

 $C = \left[ \begin{array}{cc} 4 & 2 \\ 4 & 2 \end{array} \right]$ 

6 pts

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Solution:  $\lambda = 0$ , eigenvector  $\begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $\lambda = 6$ , eigenvector  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ . Diagonalizable and not invertible.

 $D = \left[ \begin{array}{cc} 5 & 5 \\ 1 & 1 \end{array} \right]$ 

6 pts

Solution:  $\lambda = 0$ , eigenvector  $\begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $\lambda = 6$ , eigenvector  $\begin{bmatrix} -5 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ .

Diagonalizable and not invertible.

 $E = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ -17 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$ 

6 pts

Solution:  $\lambda = 3 + 4i$ , eigenvector  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 + 4i \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $\lambda = 3 - 4i$ , eigenvector  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 - 4i \end{bmatrix}$ .

Invertible and (complex) diagonalizable.

 $F = \left[ \begin{array}{cc} 2 & 1 \\ -1 & 4 \end{array} \right]$ 

6 pts

Solution:  $\lambda = 3$ , 3, eigenvector  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ . Invertible and not diagonalizable.

b. Organize the matrices A-F in disjoint sets of similar matrices.8 ptsSolution: A,F; B,E; C,D.

5. a. Find the matrix  $P_1$  that projects (x,y,z) onto the line through (1,2,2).

Solution:  $\mathbf{P}_{1} = \frac{\mathbf{v}\mathbf{v}^{T}}{\mathbf{v}^{T}\mathbf{v}} = \frac{1}{9} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 2 \\ 2 & 4 & 4 \\ 2 & 4 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$ 

b. Find three eigenvalues and three independent eigenvectors for  $\mathbf{P}_1$ .

12 pts

Solution:  $\lambda = 1$ , eigenvector  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $\lambda = 0$ , eigenvectors  $\begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $\begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ 

c. Find the matrix  $P_2$  that projects (x,y,z) onto the plane orthogonal to (1,2,2).

Solution:  $P_2 = I - P_1$ .

- 6. This problem uses least squares to find the curve  $y = ax + bx^2$  that best fits these 4 points in the plane:  $(x_1, y_1) = (-2, 2)$ ,  $(x_2, y_2) = (-1, 1)$ ,  $(x_3, y_3) = (1, 0)$ ,  $(x_4, y_4) = (2, 2)$ .
  - a. Write down 4 equations  $ax_i + bx_i^2 = y_i$ , i = 1, 2, 3, 4, that would be true if the line actually went through all four points.

-2a+4b=2Solution: -a+b=1 a+b=0 2a+4b=2

b. Now write those four equations in the form  $\mathbf{A}\begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \end{bmatrix} = \mathbf{y}$ 

Solution:  $\begin{bmatrix} -2 & 4 \\ -1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$ 

c. Now find  $\begin{bmatrix} \hat{a} \\ \hat{b} \end{bmatrix}$  that minimizes  $\|\mathbf{A} \begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \end{bmatrix} - \mathbf{y} \|^2$ .

Solution:  $\begin{bmatrix} \hat{a} \\ \hat{b} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -.1 \\ .5 \end{bmatrix}$ .

7. Consider this symmetric Markov matrix:

 $A = \begin{bmatrix} .4 & .6 \\ .6 & .4 \end{bmatrix}$ 

a. What are the eigenvalues and eigenvectors of A? 8 pts

Solution:  $\lambda = 1$ , eigenvector  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $\lambda = .2$ , eigenvector  $\begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ 

b. Find  $\lim_{k\to\infty} \mathbf{A}^k \mathbf{u_0}$  with  $u_0 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$ 

Solution:  $\begin{bmatrix} .5 \\ .5 \end{bmatrix}$ 

 $\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1+x & 1+x & 1+x \\ 1 & 1+x & y+x & y+x \\ 1 & 1+x & y+x & y+x-z \end{bmatrix}$  Find det(A).
Solution:  $-\mathbf{x}(\mathbf{y}-1)\mathbf{z}$ .

12 pts

- 9. Find the inverse of the matrix  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$ .

Solution:  $A^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -2 & 1 \\ -3 & 3 & -2 \\ 1 & -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ 

- 10. a. Find the matrix  $P_1$  that projects (x,y,z) onto the line through (2,-1,2). See Problem 5. 12 pts
  - b. Find three eigenvalues and three independent eigenvectors for P<sub>1</sub>. 12 pts
  - c. Find the matrix  $P_2$  that projects (x,y,z) onto the plane orthogonal to (2,-1,2). 12 pts
- 11.  $\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 3 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 4 & 3 & 2 \\ 5 & 1 & 4 & 3 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$

Find det(A).

12 pts

Solution: Expanding det(A) by permutations,

$$\det(\mathbf{A}) = 1 \cdot 2 \cdot 3 \cdot 4 \cdot 5 \cdot \det \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = -120$$