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### Ch3. (Linear Systems and Matrices)

[25%] Ch3(a): Let  $B$  be the invertible matrix given below. Write a formula for the **second entry on the fourth row** of the inverse matrix  $B^{-1}$  as a quotient of two determinants. **Do not evaluate any determinants.**

$$B = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & -2 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 2 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$$

[25%] Ch3(b): State the three possibilities for a linear system  $Ax = b$ . Determine which values of  $k$  correspond to these three possibilities, for the system  $Ax = b$  given in the display below.

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 & -k \\ 2 & k & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & -k \end{pmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{b} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

[25%] Ch3(c): Let  $A$  be a  $n \times n$  triangular matrix with diagonal entries  $\sin(2\pi j/n)$  for  $j = 1$  to  $n$ . Prove that  $Ax = \mathbf{0}$  has a solution  $\mathbf{x} \neq \mathbf{0}$ .

[25%] Ch3(d): Find the value of  $x_3$  by Cramer's Rule in the system  $Cx = \mathbf{b}$ , given  $C$  and  $\mathbf{b}$  below. Evaluate determinants by any hybrid method (triangular, swap, combo, multiply, cofactor). The use of  $3 \times 3$  Sarrus' rule is disallowed ( $2 \times 2$  use is allowed).

$$C = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & -1 & 0 \\ 1 & 3 & -2 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 4 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{b} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ -1 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

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If you solved (a), (b), (c) and (d), then go on to Ch4. Otherwise, continue here. Only four parts will be graded.

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[25%] Ch3(e): Prove that if a  $4 \times 4$  triangular matrix  $C$  is invertible, then all diagonal entries of  $C$  are nonzero.

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(a) Entry =  $\frac{\text{cofactor}(B, 2, 4)}{\det(B)} = \frac{\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 & -2 \\ 0 & -1 & 2 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \end{vmatrix}}{\det(B)}$ , because  $(-1)^{2+4} = 1$

(b) (1) no sol, (2) unique sol, (3)  $\infty$ -many sols

one frame in the sequence is  $\left( \begin{array}{ccc|c} 2 & 1 & -k & 0 \\ 0 & k-1 & k-2 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & k & 0 \end{array} \right) \parallel \begin{array}{l} k=0 \Rightarrow \infty\text{-many sols} \\ k \neq 0, k-1 \neq 0 \Rightarrow \text{unique sol} \\ k=1 \Rightarrow \text{no sol (singular eq.)} \end{array}$

(c) Because  $j=n$  given diagonal entry  $\sin(2\pi) = 0$ , then the triangular rule for determinants implies  $\det(A) = 0$ .

(d)  $x_3 = \frac{\Delta_3}{\Delta}$ ,  $\Delta = 8$ ,  $\Delta_3 = -2$

(e) An invertible matrix has nonzero determinant. A triangular matrix has determinant equal to the product of the diagonal entries. Then all diagonal entries are nonzero.

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## Ch4. (Vector Spaces)

[50%] Ch4(a): Define  $V$  to be the set of all vectors  $x$  in  $\mathcal{R}^4$  such that  $x_1 = x_3$  and  $x_1 x_4 = 0$ . Prove or disprove that  $V$  is a subspace of  $\mathcal{R}^4$ .

[50%] Ch4(b): Find a basis of fixed vectors in  $\mathcal{R}^4$  for (1) the column space of the  $4 \times 4$  matrix  $A$  below [25%] and (2) the row space of the  $4 \times 4$  matrix  $A$  below [25%]. The two displayed bases **must** consist of columns of  $A$  and rows of  $A$ , respectively.

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

If you did both (a) and (b), then go on to Ch5. Otherwise, continue here.

[25%] Ch4(c): State an RREF test and also a determinant test to detect the independence or dependence of fixed vectors  $v_1, v_2, v_3$  [10%]. Apply one of the tests to the vectors below [10%]. Report **independent** or **dependent** [5%].

$$v_1 = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \quad v_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \quad v_3 = \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ -1 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}.$$

[25%] Ch4(d): Let  $v_1, v_2$  be a basis for a subspace  $S$  of a vector space  $V$ . Let  $w_1, w_2$  be any other proposed basis of  $S$ . State a test which can decide whether or not the two bases are equivalent.

- (a) Not a subspace, because  $\vec{v}_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}$  and  $\vec{v}_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$  are in  $V$ , but  $\vec{v}_1 + \vec{v}_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}$  is not in  $V$ .
- (b) Find  $\text{rref}(A)$ , pivots = 1, 3. So the column space basis =  $\{ \text{col}(A, 1), \text{col}(A, 3) \}$   
Find  $\text{rref}(A^T)$ , pivots = 1, 2. So the row space basis =  $\{ \text{row}(A, 1), \text{row}(A, 2) \}$
- (c) Thm 1.  $v_1, v_2, v_3$  independent  $\Leftrightarrow \text{rank}(\text{aug}(v_1, v_2, v_3)) = 3$   
Thm 2. If  $A = \text{aug}(v_1, v_2, v_3)$  is  $3 \times 3$ , then  $v_1, v_2, v_3$  independent  $\Leftrightarrow \det(A) \neq 0$ .  
Because  $\text{aug}(v_1, v_2, v_3)$  has rank = 3, then independent.
- (d) Let  $B = \text{aug}(v_1, v_2)$ ,  $C = \text{aug}(w_1, w_2)$ ,  $D = \text{aug}(v_1, v_2, w_1, w_2)$ .  
Then the bases are equivalent if  $B, C, D$  all have rank 2.

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### Ch5. (Linear Equations of Higher Order)

- [10%] Ch5(a): Find the general solution, given characteristic equation

$$4r^2 + 17r + 4 = 0.$$

- [15%] Ch5(b): Find the general solution, given characteristic equation

$$(r^2 + 5r)^3(r^4 - 25r^2) = 0.$$

- [15%] Ch5(c): Find the general solution, given characteristic equation

$$(r^2 + 2r + 2)^3(r^2 + 16)^2 = 0.$$

- [40%] Ch5(d): Assume a sixth order constant-coefficient differential equation has characteristic equation  $r^2(r^2 + 4)^2 = 0$ . Suppose the right side of the differential equation is

$$f(x) = x^2(1 + 2e^x) + 3x \sin 2x + x \cos 2x$$

Determine the **corrected** trial solution for  $y_p$  according to the method of undetermined coefficients. **Do not evaluate** the undetermined coefficients!

- [20%] Ch5(e): Find the steady-state periodic solution for the equation

$$x'' + 4x' + 6x = \cos(3t).$$

- (a)  $y =$  linear combination of  $e^{-x/4}, e^{-4x}$  because it factors  $(4r+1)(r+4)=0$
- (b)  $r^5(r+5)^4(r-5)=0$ ,  $r = 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, -5, -5, -5, -5, 5$   
 $y =$  l.c. of atoms in  $L = \{1, x, x^2, x^3, x^4, e^{-5x}, x e^{-5x}, x^2 e^{-5x}, x^3 e^{-5x}, e^{5x}\}$
- (c) Roots =  $-1 \pm i, -1 \pm i, -1 \pm i, 4i, 4i, -4i, -4i$   
 $y =$  l.c. of atoms in  $L = \{e^{-x} \cos x, x e^{-x} \cos x, x^2 e^{-x} \cos x, e^{-x} \sin x, x e^{-x} \sin x, x^2 e^{-x} \sin x, \cos 4x, x \cos 4x, \sin 4x, x \sin 4x\}$ .
- (d)  $y = (d_1 + d_2 x + d_3 x^2) x^2 + (d_4 e^x + d_5 x e^x + d_6 x^2 e^x) + (d_7 \cos 2x + d_8 \sin 2x + d_9 x \cos 2x + d_{10} x \sin 2x) x^2$
- (e)  $y_{ss} = -\frac{1}{51} \cos(3t) + \frac{4}{51} \sin(3t)$

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## Ch6. (Eigenvalues and Eigenvectors)

[25%] Ch6(a): Find the eigenvalues of the matrix

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

[10%] Ch6(b): Let  $A$  be a  $2 \times 2$  matrix with eigenpairs

$$\left( 2, \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} \right), \left( 3, \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} \right).$$

Display Fourier's model for the matrix  $A$ .

[15%] Ch6(c): Find a  $2 \times 2$  matrix  $A$  with eigenpairs

$$\left( -1, \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} \right), \left( -2, \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} \right).$$

[50%] Ch6(d): Test the matrix  $A$  below to see if it is diagonalizable. If it is, then display the matrix packages  $P$  and  $D$  of eigenvectors and eigenvalues.

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 3 & -9 \\ 0 & 8 & -18 \\ 0 & 3 & -7 \end{pmatrix}$$

(a)  $i, -i, 3+\sqrt{2}, 3-\sqrt{2}$

(b)  $A(c_1 \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} + c_2 \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}) = 2c_1 \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} + 3c_2 \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$

(c)  $A = PDP^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} -3/2 & -1/4 \\ -1 & -3/2 \end{pmatrix}$

(d)  $\lambda_1 = -1, \lambda_2 = 2, 2$  (multiplicity 2).

$$P = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 2 & 0 & 3 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, D = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix}.$$

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## Ch7. (Linear Systems of Differential Equations)

- [50%] Ch7(a): Apply the eigenanalysis method to solve the system  $\mathbf{x}' = A\mathbf{x}$ , given

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

- [25%] Ch7(b): Give an example of a  $2 \times 2$  real matrix  $A$  for which Fourier's model is not valid. Then display the general solution  $\mathbf{x}(t)$  of  $\mathbf{x}' = A\mathbf{x}$ .

- [25%] Ch7(c): Consider a  $2 \times 2$  system  $\mathbf{x}' = A\mathbf{x}$ . Assume  $A$  has complex eigenvalues  $\lambda = -2 \pm \sqrt{2}i$ . Prove that all solutions satisfy  $\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} |\mathbf{x}(t)| = 0$ .

If you solved (a), (b), (c), then go on to Ch10. Otherwise, continue here. You may select either (a) or (d) but not both. Only 3 parts will be graded. The maximum score is 75 if you select (d).

- [25%] Ch7(d): A  $3 \times 3$  real matrix  $A$  has all eigenvalues equal to zero and corresponding eigenvectors

$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ -5 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Find the general solution of the differential equation  $\mathbf{x}' = A\mathbf{x}$ .

(a)  $\vec{x}(t) = c_1 e^t \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + c_2 e^{-t} \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + c_3 e^{-t} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \lambda = 1, -1, -1$

(b)  $A = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$  Eigenvalues = 0, 0; one eigenvector  $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$   
 $\begin{cases} x' = y \\ y' = 0 \end{cases}$  has sol  $\begin{cases} x = c_1 + c_2 t \\ y = c_2 \end{cases}$

(c) Fourier's model holds. Then  $\vec{x} = c_1 e^{-2t} \cos \sqrt{2}t \vec{v}_1 + c_2 e^{-2t} \sin \sqrt{2}t \vec{v}_2$  for some real vectors  $\vec{v}_1, \vec{v}_2$ . Because  $e^{-2t} \rightarrow 0$  as  $t \rightarrow \infty$ , then  $|\mathbf{x}(t)| \rightarrow 0$  as  $t \rightarrow \infty$ .

(d)  $\vec{x} = c_1 \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} + c_2 \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ -5 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} + c_3 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$  because  $e^{0t} = 1$ .

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**Ch10. (Laplace Transform Methods)**

It is assumed that you have memorized the basic 4-item Laplace integral table and know the 6 basic rules for Laplace integrals. No other tables or theory are required to solve the problems below. If you don't know a table entry, then leave the expression unevaluated for partial credit.

[35%] Ch10(a): Apply Laplace's method to the system to find a formula for  $\mathcal{L}(y(t))$ . Find a  $2 \times 2$  system for  $\mathcal{L}(x)$ ,  $\mathcal{L}(y)$  [20%]. Solve it **only** for  $\mathcal{L}(y)$  [15%]. Do not solve for  $x(t)$  or  $y(t)$ !

$$\begin{aligned} x'' &= -y, \\ y'' &= 3x, \\ x(0) &= 0, \quad x'(0) = 0, \\ y(0) &= 0, \quad y'(0) = -1. \end{aligned}$$

[35%] Ch10(b): Solve for  $f(t)$ , given

$$\mathcal{L}(f(t)) = \left( \frac{d}{ds} (\mathcal{L}(\sin 2t)) \right) \Big|_{s \rightarrow (s+3)} + \frac{s+1}{(s-2)^2} - \mathcal{L} \left( \frac{d}{dt} (t^2 \sin 2t) \right)$$

[30%] Ch10(c): Find  $f(t)$  by partial fraction methods, given

$$\mathcal{L}(f(t)) = \frac{1-s}{s^2-2s} + \frac{2s^2-6}{(s^2-1)(s-1)}$$

If you solved (a), (b) and (c), then you have 100%. To select (d), unmark one of the previous three. Only three parts will be graded. If you did not solve (a) or (b), then the maximum score is 95.

[30%] Ch10(d): Apply Laplace's method to find a formula for  $\mathcal{L}(x(t))$ . **Do not** solve for  $x(t)$ ! Document steps by reference to tables and rules.

$$x^{(4)} - 4x'' = e^{2t}(5 + 4t + 3 \sin 2t), \quad x(0) = x'(0) = x''(0) = 0, \quad x'''(0) = -1.$$

(a)  $\mathcal{L}(y) = \frac{\begin{vmatrix} s^2 & 0 \\ 3 & 1 \end{vmatrix}}{\begin{vmatrix} s^2 & 1 \\ 3 & -s^2 \end{vmatrix}} = \frac{-s^2}{s^4+3}$

(b)  $f(t) = -t e^{-3t} \sin 2t + e^{3t} + 3te^{2t} - 2t \sin 2t - 2t^2 \cos 2t$

(c)  $\frac{1/2}{s} + \frac{-1/2}{s-2} + \frac{-1}{s+1} + \frac{3}{s-1} - \frac{2}{(s-1)^2}$   $f(t) = -\frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{2}e^{2t} - e^{-t} + 3e^t - 2te^t$

(d)  $\mathcal{L}(x(t)) = \frac{\text{top}}{\text{bot}}$   $\text{top} = -1 + \frac{5}{s-2} + \frac{4}{(s-2)^2} + \frac{6}{(s-2)^2+4}$ ,  $\text{bot} = s^4 - 4s^2$

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