Math 2270 - Exam 4

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This is a 50 minute exam. Please show all your work, as a worked problem is required for full points, and partial credit may be rewarded for some work in the right direction.

1. Cofactor Matrices (20 points)

Calculate the cofactor matrix of *A*:

$$A = \left(\begin{array}{rrrr} 1 & -1 & 0\\ 1 & 0 & -1\\ -6 & 2 & 3 \end{array}\right)$$

2. *Eigenvalues* (20 points)

Find the eigenvalues and the corresponding eigenvectors of

$$A = \left(\begin{array}{rrrr} 2 & 3 & 1\\ 0 & -1 & 2\\ 0 & 0 & 3 \end{array}\right)$$

3. *Diagonalization* (20 points)

Diagonalize the matrix

$$A = \left(\begin{array}{cc} 1 & 3\\ -1 & 5 \end{array}\right)$$

4. Positive Definite Matrices (10 points)

Prove that if *R* is a matrix with independent columns then $R^T R$ is positive definite. (Hint - A matrix is positive definite if $\mathbf{x}^T A \mathbf{x} > 0$ for all $\mathbf{x} \neq \mathbf{0}$.)

5. Jordan Form (10 points)

If a matrix has eigenvalues $\lambda = 2, 2, 2, 1$ what are all the possible Jordan forms of the matrix?

6. *Singular Value Decomposition* (20 points)

Calculate the singular value decomposition of the matrix

$$A = \left(\begin{array}{cc} 2 & 2\\ 1 & 1 \end{array}\right)$$