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1. No aids permitted.
2. Attempt all questions.
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4. Check that your examination booklet contains questions numbered from 1 to 10.
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- 6 1.** (a) According to the rational root theorem, what are the possible rational numbers that can satisfy the equation

$$5x^3 + 4x^2 + 4x - 1 = 0?$$

- (b) Find all roots of the equation.

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- 5 2. Find parametric equations for the line through the point  $(2, -1, 3)$  parallel to the line defined by

$$x + y - 2z = 4, \quad 2x - y + 3z = 6.$$

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- 6 3.** Find all solutions of the system of equations

$$\begin{aligned}x + y + z &= 2, \\2x - y + 3z &= -1, \\7x + y + 9z &= 4.\end{aligned}$$

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- 5 4. Use Cramer's rule to find the value of  $y$  satisfying the system of equations

$$x + 2y - 3z = 4,$$

$$2x + y = 3,$$

$$x - y + z = -1.$$

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- 3 5. You are given that the inverse of the matrix

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 2 & 3 \\ 5 & 5 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{is} \quad A^{-1} = \frac{1}{8} \begin{pmatrix} 13 & -4 & -1 \\ -15 & 4 & 3 \\ 10 & 0 & -2 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Use the inverse matrix to find the value of  $z$  satisfying the system of equations

$$\begin{aligned} x + y + z &= 3, \\ 2y + 3z &= -4, \\ 5x + 5y + z &= 10. \end{aligned}$$

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- 5 6. Determine whether the following sets of vectors are linearly dependent or linearly independent. Justify your answers.

(a)  $\langle 1, 2, -3 \rangle, \langle 4, 2, 1 \rangle, \langle -5, 1, 17 \rangle, \langle 4, 1, 6 \rangle$

(b)  $\langle 1, 3, -2 \rangle, \langle 2, 4, 5 \rangle, \langle -2, 1, 3 \rangle$

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- 8 7. The matrix of a linear transformation  $T$  is

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

- (a) Find  $T\langle 1, -2, 4 \rangle$ .
- (b) Find all eigenvalues of the linear transformation.
- (c) Find all eigenvectors associated with the smallest eigenvalue in part (b).



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- 4 8. (a) Show that if  $\lambda$  is an eigenvalue of a matrix  $A$ , then  $\lambda^2$  is an eigenvalue for the matrix  $A^2$ .  
(b) If  $\mathbf{v}$  is an eigenvector corresponding to  $\lambda$ , what is an eigenvector corresponding to  $\lambda^2$ ?

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- 10 9. In the five parts of this question, circle the correct answer.
- (a) When the determinant of the coefficient matrix of a system of  $n$  linear, homogeneous equations in  $n$  unknowns has value zero, the system has
- (i) one solution
  - (ii) no solutions
  - (iii) an infinity of solutions
- (b) The augmented matrix of a system of  $m$  equations in  $n$  unknowns has  $r$  leading ones in its RREF, where  $r < n$ . The system has
- (i) no solutions
  - (ii) one solution
  - (iii) an infinity of solutions with  $m - r$  parameters
  - (iv) an infinity of solutions with  $n - r$  parameters
  - (v) an infinity of solutions with an undetermined number of parameters
- (c) A system of  $n$  equations in  $m$  unknowns is known to have exactly one solution. The number of leading ones in the RREF of the augmented matrix for the system is
- (i)  $n$
  - (ii)  $m$
  - (iii)  $n - m$
  - (iv)  $m - n$
  - (v) none of the above
- (d)  $(3AB)^T$  is equal to
- (i)  $3A^T B^T$
  - (ii)  $3B^T A^T$
  - (iii)  $(1/3)A^T B^T$
  - (iv)  $(1/3)B^T A^T$
  - (v) none of the above
- (e) If  $A$  is an invertible matrix, then
- (i)  $(A^2)^{-1} = (A^{-1})^2$
  - (ii)  $(A^2)^{-1} = \frac{1}{A^2}$
  - (iii)  $A^2$  does not have an inverse
  - (iv)  $A^2$  has an inverse but it is not (i) or (ii)

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- 8 10. Use mathematical induction to prove that 576 divides  $5^{2n+2} - 24n - 25$  for  $n \geq 1$ .