

[12] 1. (a) Solve the following systems by the method indicated. *Show your work!*

$$\begin{array}{rcl} x & +3y & +2z = -1 \\ \text{i. } 2x & +6y & +8z = 2 \quad (\text{Gauss-Jordan elimination}) \\ 3x & +9y & +10z = 1 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{rcl} \text{ii. } 3p & +4q & = 1 \\ p & +2q & = 2 \quad (\text{Cramer's rule}) \end{array}$$

(b) Indicate all types of solutions for systems satisfying the following descriptions by putting "YES" or "NO" in each empty box of the table.

| The following kind of system: | Can have solutions of the following type(s) | | |
|--------------------------------------|---|-----------------|-----------------|
| | no solution | unique solution | infinitely many |
| having 3 equations in 4 unknowns | | | |
| having invertible coefficient matrix | | | |

[6] 2. Suppose A is 2×2 , B is 2×3 , C is 3×2 and D is 3×3 . If any of the following expressions is defined, write down the size of the resulting matrix. If it is not defined, put an "X" beside it.

(a) $CA + DB^T$;

(b) D^3 ;

(c) B^2 ;

(d) $AB - 3C$;

[8] 3. (a) Let $X = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 2 & 4 \\ 2 & -1 & 1 & -2 \end{pmatrix}$. Find XX^T .

(b) Suppose Y is a 2×2 matrix whose $(2, 1)$ entry is 3, and $Y + Y^T = 4I$. Find the matrix Y .

[10] 4. Let $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 2 & 5 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$

(a) Find the cofactor C_{32} associated to the $(3, 2)$ entry of this matrix.

(b) Use any method to find A^{-1} .

(c) Use your answer from (b) to solve the system $AX = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$.

5. The 3×3 matrix A can be reduced to I_3 by the following sequence of 3 elementary row operations:

Step 1: add -2 times row 1 to row 2;

Step 2: multiply row 2 by $-\frac{1}{3}$;

Step 3: interchange rows 2 and 3;

[8] Use this information to express A as a product of 3 elementary matrices.

[6] 6. A, B, C are 4×4 matrices such that $\det(A) = -3$, $\det(B) = 2$ and $\det(C) = 7$.

- (a) Given that $AB^2Y = 2C$, find the value of $\det(Y)$.
- (b) Is Y invertible? Explain briefly.

[10] 7. Let $u = (1, 2)$ and $v = (2, -1)$.

- (a) Find the components of the vector x such that $x - 2u = 3x + v$.
- (b) Find all scalars c such that $\|cu\| = 4\sqrt{3}$.
- (c) On the coordinate system given below (grid lines represent units) draw and label the follow

u , v , $u + v$, and $u - v$.

