Sample Quiz 8 Solution, MATH 54, Fall 2014

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1) Consider the matrix

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

Find a basis for the eigenspace with eigenvalue $\lambda = 1$.

2) Find the characteristic equation and the eigenvalues of the matrix

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 4 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$