

## MATH 54 – MOCK MIDTERM 1

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**Instructions:** This is a mock midterm, designed to give you extra practice for the actual midterm. Good luck!!!

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2		15
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1. (45 points, 5 pts each)

Label the following statements as **T** or **F**.

Make sure to **JUSTIFY YOUR ANSWERS!!!** You may use any facts from the book or from lecture.

(a) If  $A$  and  $B$  are square matrices, then  $(A + B)^{-1} = A^{-1} + B^{-1}$ .

(b) If  $T : \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$  is a one-to-one linear transformation, then  $T$  is also onto.

(c) If  $\{\mathbf{v}_1, \mathbf{v}_2, \mathbf{v}_3\}$  are linearly independent vectors in  $\mathbb{R}^n$ , then  $\{\mathbf{v}_1, \mathbf{v}_2\}$  is linearly independent as well!

(d) If  $A$  is an invertible square matrix, then  $(A^T)^{-1} = (A^{-1})^T$

(e) If  $A$  is a  $3 \times 3$  matrix with two pivot positions, then the equation  $A\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{0}$  has a nontrivial solution.

(f) If  $A$  and  $B$  are square matrices, then  $\det(A + B) = \det(A) + \det(B)$ .

(g) If  $\text{Nul}(A) = \{\mathbf{0}\}$ , then  $A$  is invertible.

(h)  $\mathbb{R}^2$  is a subspace of  $\mathbb{R}^3$

(i) If  $W$  is a subspace of  $V$  and  $\mathcal{B}$  is a basis for  $V$ , then some subset of  $\mathcal{B}$  is a basis for  $W$ .

2. (15 points) Solve the following system (or say it has no solutions):

$$\begin{cases} x + y + z = 0 \\ 2x + 2z = 0 \\ 3x + y + 3z = 0 \end{cases}$$

3. (20 points) Find the inverse of the following matrix:

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

4. (10 points) What's the next elementary row operation you would use to transform the following matrix in row-echelon form? What is the corresponding elementary matrix?

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

5. (10 points, 5 points each) Evaluate the following products if they are defined, or say ‘undefined’

(a)  $AB$ , where:

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 5 \\ 0 & 7 \\ -1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}, B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

(b)  $AB$ , where:

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 2 & -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, B = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

6. (10 points) Suppose  $T : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$  is a linear transformation which reflects points in the plane about the origin.

(a) (5 points) Find the matrix  $A$  of  $T$ .

(b) (5 points) Use  $A$  to find  $T(1, 1)$ .

7. (10 points) Find the determinant of the following matrix  $A$ :

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 42 & 536 & 789 & 4201 & 123456789 \\ 0 & 1 & 2012 & 2014 & \pi m & \text{Dolphin} \\ 0 & 0 & 2 & 0 & 4 & 5 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 3 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 4 & 0 & 2 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

8. (20 points, 10 points each)

(a) Find a basis for  $Col(A)$ , where:

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -3 & 6 & 2 & 5 \\ -2 & 3 & -3 & -3 & -4 \\ 4 & -6 & 9 & 5 & 0 \\ -2 & 3 & 3 & -4 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

(b) What is  $Rank(A)$ ? What is  $Dim(Nul(A))$ ?

9. (10 points) Find a basis for  $Nul(A)$  and  $Col(A)$ , where  $A$  is the following matrix:

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