

**Math 10B with Professor Stankova**

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Circle True or False. (1 point for correct answer, 0 for incorrect answer)

1. True    False    Changing the initial conditions for a linear homogeneous recurrence relation does not affect the bases of the exponential functions that appear in the direct formula for the relation.
2. True    False    Checking that a function  $y(t)$  is a solution to a DE may not be possible since we may not know how to solve the DE.
3. True    False    There are IVP's in which the function  $f(t, y)$  is continuous everywhere, but the solutions to the IVP cannot extend beyond a certain interval  $[0, T)$ .
4. True    False    All I.V.P.'s for second order, linear, homogeneous ODE's with constant coefficients are solvable and have a unique solution.
5. True    False    The DE  $y' = 3y^2$  will have a slope field with same slopes lined up in vertical lines because the equation is autonomous.
6. True    False    The dot product of vectors always yields a non-negative result, but it is the norm of a vector that gives its length.
7. True    False    Two vectors (of same dimensions) are perpendicular if and only if their dot product is 1.
8. True    False    There are non-square matrices  $A$  and  $B$  for which it is possible to multiply them in either order but then  $AB$  cannot equal  $BA$ .
9. True    False    As soon as we see a row like  $(000 \dots 0|0)$  during Gaussian elimination, we know that the system will have infinitely many solutions.
10. True    False    If an eigenvector  $\vec{v}$  for a matrix  $A$  corresponds to eigenvalue  $\lambda = 2018$ , then  $A^{2019}(\vec{v}) = 2019^{2018}\vec{v}$ .
11. True    False    The least-square best-fitting line for any number of data points always exists and is unique essentially because there is a (unique) shortest distance from a point to a plane in any dimensions.
12. True    False    If we use more data points to find the best-fitting line, we may increase the overall error  $S$  yet still be able to make better predictions about the data.