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Midterm 1

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To be answered: on the test paper

Duration: **110 minutes**

Total points: **20 points** + 2 extra points

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Instructions:

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- Using the calculator is not allowed (and not necessary) for this exam.
- Any work necessary to arrive at an answer must be shown on the examination paper. Marks will not be given for final answers that are not supported by appropriate work.
- Clearly indicate your final answer to each question either by **underlining it or circling it**. If multiple answers are shown then no marks will be awarded.
- 可用中文或英文作答

1. Let

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 2 & 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \text{ and } \mathbf{p} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}.$$

(a) [1pt] Find a vector in  $\text{Row}(A)$  that is nowhere zero (每一項都不是零).

(b) [1pt] Find a vector in  $\text{Col}(A)$  that is nowhere zero.

(c) [1pt] Find a vector in  $\ker(A)$  that is nowhere zero.

(d) [1pt] Find a vector in  $\mathbf{p} + \ker(A)$  that is nowhere zero.

(e) [1pt] Let

$$B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}.$$

Find a  $3 \times 3$  matrix  $E$  such that  $EA = B$ .

2. Let

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & 0 & 3 \\ 2 & -4 & 1 & 10 \\ 3 & -6 & 2 & 17 \end{bmatrix} \text{ and } \mathbf{b} = \begin{bmatrix} -4 \\ -13 \\ -22 \end{bmatrix}.$$

(a) [2pt] Find the reduced row echelon form of the augmented matrix  $[A \mid \mathbf{b}]$ .

(b) [3pt] Find  $\mathbf{p}$ ,  $\mathbf{h}_1$ ,  $\mathbf{h}_2$  such that

$$\{\mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{R}^4 : A\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{b}\} = \mathbf{p} + \text{span}(\{\mathbf{h}_1, \mathbf{h}_2\}).$$

3. Let

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 2 \\ -1 & -1 & -2 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 \\ -1 & -2 & -3 \end{bmatrix} \text{ and } \mathbf{b} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}.$$

- (a) [3pt] Find  $\mathbf{w}$  and  $\mathbf{h}$  such that  $\mathbf{b} = \mathbf{w} + \mathbf{h}$  with  $\mathbf{w} \in \text{Col}(A)$  and  $\mathbf{h} \in \text{Col}(A)^\perp$ .

- (b) [2pt] Let  $\theta$  be the angle between  $\mathbf{b}$  and  $\mathbf{w}$ . Find  $\cos \theta$ .

4. [5pt] 數學作文：請寫一篇短文來向沒修過線性代數的朋友介紹什麼是子空間 (subspace)。

請以盡量白話的敘述、或是比喻來介紹什麼是子空間？為什麼要考慮這樣的概念？並給一些能幫助他人理解的例子（正面的、反面的）；有必要的話可以加上一些圖來輔助說明。格式沒有限制，篇幅大約半面到一面。

(If Chinese is not your native language, you may use English or the language that you prefer.)

5. [extra 2pt] Let

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & 2 & 2 & 2 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 & 3 & 3 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & 4 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & 5 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{and} \quad I = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}.$$

Find a  $5 \times 5$  matrix  $E$  such that  $EAE^T = I$ .

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