## Final Exam 2012

(Total: $100 \mathrm{pts}, 40 \%$ of the grade)
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1. Let $T: \mathbb{R}^{3} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^{3}$ be a transformation defined by:

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T\left(x_{1}, x_{2}, x_{3}\right)=\left(3 x_{1}+x_{2}, 2 x_{1}+2 x_{2}-3 x_{3},-3 x_{1}+x_{2}-5 x_{3}\right) .
$$

(a) Show that $T$ is a linear transformation.
(b) Find the standard matrix $A=\left[\boldsymbol{v}_{1}, \boldsymbol{v}_{2}, \boldsymbol{v}_{3}\right]$ for the linear transformation $T$.
(c) Find $\boldsymbol{v}_{1} \times \boldsymbol{v}_{2}$, where $\boldsymbol{v}_{1}$ and $\boldsymbol{v}_{2}$ are in (b).

## Points:

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(d) Let $\boldsymbol{u}_{1}, \boldsymbol{u}_{2}, \boldsymbol{u}_{3} \in \mathbb{R}^{3}$. Suppose the volume of the parallelepiped determined by $\boldsymbol{u}_{1}, \boldsymbol{u}_{2}, \boldsymbol{u}_{3}$ is 5 . What is the volume of the parallelepiped determined by $T\left(\boldsymbol{u}_{1}\right), T\left(\boldsymbol{u}_{2}\right), T\left(\boldsymbol{u}_{3}\right)$. Write a brief explanation.
(e) (i) Show that there is a linear transformation $U: \mathbb{R}^{3} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^{3}\left(\boldsymbol{x}=\left(x_{1}, x_{2}, x_{3}\right) \mapsto\right.$ $U(\boldsymbol{x})=U\left(x_{1}, x_{2}, x_{3}\right)$ such that $U\left(T\left(x_{1}, x_{2}, x_{3}\right)\right)=\left(x_{1}, x_{2}, x_{3}\right)$, i.e., $U(T(\boldsymbol{x}))=$ $\boldsymbol{x}$ and that (ii) the standard matrix of $U$ is $A^{-1}$.
(f) Find the $(2,3)$ entry of $A^{-1}$.
2. Let $A$ and $P$ be the following $4 \times 4$ matrices, and $\boldsymbol{b} \in \mathbb{R}^{4}$ given below.
$A=\left[\begin{array}{cccc}0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ -d & -c & -b & -a\end{array}\right], \quad \boldsymbol{b}=\left[\begin{array}{c}1 \\ \lambda \\ \lambda^{2} \\ \lambda^{3}\end{array}\right], \quad P=\left[\begin{array}{cccc}1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & -2 & 3 \\ 1 & 4 & 4 & 9 \\ 1 & 8 & -8 & 27\end{array}\right]$.
(a) Find the characteristic polynomial $p(x)=\operatorname{det}(A-x I)$ of $A$.
(b) Show that if $\lambda$ is an eigenvalue of $A$, then $\boldsymbol{b}$ is an eigenvector of $A$ corresponding to $\lambda$.
(c) Suppose $A P=P D$ for some diagonal matrix $D$. Determine $a, b, c, d$ and $D$.
3. Let $A, B, \boldsymbol{x}$ and $\boldsymbol{b}$ be matrices and vectors given below. Assume $A \boldsymbol{x}=\boldsymbol{b}$. (20 pts)

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A=\left[\begin{array}{ccccc}
0 & 2 & 1 & 3 & 4 \\
-2 & 2 & -3 & -2 & 2 \\
0 & -2 & -4 & 3 & 1 \\
-3 & 3 & 1 & -7 & -2 \\
1 & -1 & 2 & 3 & 0
\end{array}\right], B=\left[\begin{array}{ccccc}
1 & -1 & 2 & 3 & 0 \\
0 & 0 & 1 & 4 & 2 \\
0 & -2 & -4 & 3 & 1 \\
0 & 0 & 7 & 2 & -2 \\
0 & 2 & 1 & 3 & 4
\end{array}\right], \boldsymbol{x}=\left[\begin{array}{l}
x_{1} \\
x_{2} \\
x_{3} \\
x_{4} \\
x_{5}
\end{array}\right], \boldsymbol{b}=\left[\begin{array}{l}
3 \\
1 \\
4 \\
1 \\
5
\end{array}\right] .
$$

(a) The matrix $B$ is obtained from the matrix $A$ by applying a sequence of elementary row operations. (i) Find a matrix $P$ such that $P A=B$, and (ii) express $P$ as a product of elementary matrixes $E(i ; c), E(i, j), E(i, j ; c)$.
(b) Evaluate $\operatorname{det}(A)$. Briefly explain each step.
(c) The matrix $P$ in (a) is uniquely determined. Give your reason.
(d) Applying the Cramer's rule and express $x_{2}$ and $x_{5}$ as quotients of determinants. Do not evaluate determinants.
4. Let $A=\left[\begin{array}{ccc}0 & 1 & 0 \\ 12 & 6 & 4 \\ 0 & 5 & 8\end{array}\right]$.
(a) Show that the characteristic polynomial of $A$ is equal to the characteristic polynomial of $A^{T}$.
(b) Show that 12 is an eigenvalue of $A$.
(c) Find an eigenvector of $A$ corresponding to an eigenvalue 12 .
（d）Find all eigenvalues of $A$ ．
（e）Find an invertible matrix $P$ and a diagonal matrix $D$ such that $P^{-1} A P=D$ ．

