

- This exam is worth 100 points and has 7 problems.
- Show all work and simplify your answers! Answers with no justification will receive no points unless otherwise noted.
- Begin each problem on a new page.
- **DO NOT LEAVE THE EXAM UNTIL YOU HAVE SATISFACTORILY SCANNED AND UPLOADED YOUR EXAM TO GRADESCOPE.**
- You are taking this exam in a proctored and honor code enforced environment. No calculators, cell phones, or other electronic devices or the internet are permitted during the exam. You are allowed one 8.5"  $\times$  11" crib sheet with writing on one side.

0. At the top of the page containing your solution to problem 1, write the following statement and sign your name to it: "I will abide by the CU Boulder Honor Code on this exam." **FAILURE TO INCLUDE THIS STATEMENT AND YOUR SIGNATURE MAY RESULT IN A PENALTY.**

1. [2360/101525 (10 pts)] Write the word **TRUE** or **FALSE** as appropriate. No work need be shown. No partial credit given. Please write your answers in a single column separate from any work you do to arrive at the answer.

- (a) If  $\lambda = 0$  is an eigenvalue of the square matrix  $\mathbf{A}$ , then the system  $\mathbf{A}\vec{x} = \vec{b}$  must be inconsistent.
- (b) The column space of an  $n \times n$  nonsingular matrix is  $\mathbb{R}^n$ .
- (c) Given any  $m \times n$  matrix  $\mathbf{A}$ , you can always compute  $\text{Tr}(\mathbf{A}^T \mathbf{A})$  and  $\text{Tr}(\mathbf{A} \mathbf{A}^T)$ .
- (d) Every set of  $n$  vectors in an  $n$ -dimensional vector space forms a basis.
- (e) If  $\mathbf{A}$  is an  $m \times n$  matrix and  $\vec{u}$  and  $\vec{v}$  are solutions of  $\mathbf{A}\vec{x} = \vec{b}$ , then  $\vec{u} - \vec{v}$  is a solution of the associated homogeneous system.

2. [2360/101525 (18 pts)] Consider the following matrices:  $\mathbf{F} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 2 & 0 \\ 2 & -2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $\mathbf{G} = \begin{bmatrix} \cos \theta & -\sin \theta \\ \sin \theta & \cos \theta \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $\mathbf{H} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$ . Compute the following if possible, making sure to fully simplify the result. If not possible to compute, write NP.

- (a)  $|\mathbf{G}|$
- (b)  $\mathbf{H}\mathbf{F}\mathbf{F}^T$
- (c)  $\text{Tr } \mathbf{H}$
- (d)  $\mathbf{G}^T \mathbf{G}$
- (e)  $5\mathbf{F} - 8\mathbf{G}$
- (f)  $|\mathbf{H}^2|$

3. [2360/101525 (15 pts)] Use Gauss-Jordan row reduction to find the RREF and solution of the following system.

$$\begin{aligned} x_1 + 2x_2 + x_3 &= 7 \\ x_1 + x_2 + x_3 &= 6 \\ 2x_1 + 5x_3 &= 19 \\ 3x_1 - x_2 + 2x_3 &= 11 \end{aligned}$$

4. [2360/101525 (12 pts)] Find all of the eigenvalues and eigenvectors of  $\mathbf{B} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 2 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ . State the algebraic and geometric multiplicity of each eigenvalue.

5. [2360/101525 (15 pts)] This problem deals with the vector space  $\mathbb{P}_2$ .

- (a) (7 pts) Does  $\mathbb{P}_2 = \text{span} \{3t^2 - 4, 2t, t^2 - 1\}$ ? Draw your conclusion, if possible, by computing the Wronskian.
- (b) (8 pts) Without using the Wronskian, determine if the set  $\{2 + 2t^2, -1 + 4t + 3t^2, 3 - 5t - 2t^2\}$  forms a basis for  $\mathbb{P}_2$ .

**MORE PROBLEMS BELOW/ON REVERSE**

6. [2360/101525 (12 pts)] The following parts are not related.

(a) (6 pts) Let  $\mathbf{C}$  and  $\mathbf{D}$  be invertible matrices. Solve for  $\vec{\mathbf{x}}$  if  $\mathbf{C}(\mathbf{DC})^{-1}\vec{\mathbf{x}} = \vec{\mathbf{y}}$ . Simplify your answer completely.

(b) (6 pts) For which value(s) of  $k$ , if any, will the system  $\mathbf{A}^T \vec{\mathbf{x}} = \vec{\mathbf{b}}$  have a unique solution if  $\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & k \\ 0 & k & 1 \\ k & 0 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$ .

7. [2360/101525 (18 pts)] In each of the following problems, decide whether the given subset  $\mathbb{W}$  of the vector space  $\mathbb{V}$  is or is not a subspace of  $\mathbb{V}$ . Justify your answers. If not a subspace, identify at least one requirement that is not satisfied. Assume the standard definitions of vector addition and scalar multiplication in each vector space.

(a) (6 pts)  $\mathbb{V} = \mathbb{R}^2$ ,  $\mathbb{W} = \{(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 \mid y = px^2, p \in \mathbb{R}\}$ .

(b) (6 pts)  $\mathbb{V} = \mathbb{M}_{22}$ ,  $\mathbb{W}$  is the set of  $2 \times 2$  matrices of the form  $\begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ 0 & c \end{bmatrix}$  with  $a + b = c$  and  $a, b, c \in \mathbb{R}$ .

(c) (6 pts)  $\mathbb{V} = \mathcal{C}(-\infty, \infty)$ ,  $\mathbb{W}$  is the set of all negative functions in  $\mathcal{C}(-\infty, \infty)$ .