- 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.
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- 1. [2360/102324 (10 pts)] Write the word TRUE or FALSE as appropriate. No work need be shown. No partial credit given.
 - (a) If A is 2×3 and B is 3×4 , then $(AB)^{T}$ is 2×4 .
 - (b) Given a vector space \mathbb{V} , any set of vectors in \mathbb{V} containing $\vec{0}$ is linearly dependent.
 - (c) If G is an $n \times n$ matrix and m is a positive integer, then $|\mathbf{G}^m| = |\mathbf{G}|^m$.
 - (d) Cramer's Rule can be used to solve $\mathbf{A}\vec{\mathbf{x}} = \vec{\mathbf{b}}$ if \mathbf{A} is 5×5 and rank $\mathbf{A} = 4$
 - (e) If A is a 10×10 matrix with $|\mathbf{A}| = 2$ and B is the matrix obtained by multiplying row 4 of A by 4, then $|\mathbf{B}| = 8$.
- 2. [2360/102324 (14 pts)] Use Gauss-Jordan row reduction to find the inverse of an appropriate matrix and use that inverse matrix to find the solution of

$$\begin{array}{rcl} x_1 + x_2 & = & 1 \\ x_1 + x_2 + x_3 & = & -2 \\ & x_2 + x_3 & = & -3 \end{array}$$

- 3. [2360/102324 (19 pts)] The following problems are not related.
 - (a) (7 pts) What does the Wronskian tell you about the linear independence of the functions $\{x, 1 + x, 2 + 3x\}$ on the real line?
 - (b) (12 pts) Determine which of the following sets of vectors form a basis for the given vector space, V. Justify your answers.

i. (4 pts)
$$\mathbb{V} = \mathbb{R}^2$$
; $\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 0\\1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 2\\0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 4\\3 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$
ii. (4 pts) $\mathbb{V} = \mathbb{R}^3$; $\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 2\\0\\1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0\\-2\\3 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 4\\1\\1 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$

iii. (4 pts) $\mathbb{V} = \mathbb{P}_3$; any set of 3 linearly independent third degree polynomials

- 4. [2360/102324 (13 pts)] Consider the matrix $\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 2 & 8 & 10 \\ -3 & -7 & -5 \end{bmatrix}$.
 - (a) (10 pts) For what value(s) of k is $\vec{\mathbf{b}} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & k & 1 \end{bmatrix}^{\mathrm{T}} \in \operatorname{Col} \mathbf{A}$?
 - (b) (3 pts) For what value(s) of k is the system $\mathbf{A}\vec{\mathbf{x}} = \vec{\mathbf{b}}$ inconsistent?

MORE PROBLEMS BELOW/ON REVERSE

5. [2360/102324 (20 pts)] Consider the following augmented matrix of the linear system $\mathbf{A}\vec{\mathbf{x}} = \vec{\mathbf{b}}$:

$$\left[\begin{array}{ccc|c}1&3&1&-1\\-2&-5&-3&-1\\5&16&4&-8\\0&-1&1&3\end{array}\right]$$

- (a) (2 pts) Is the system overdetermined, underdetermined or neither?
- (b) (10 pts) Find the general solution, that is, solve the system.
- (c) (8 pts) Find a basis for the solution space of the associated homogeneous system and find the dimension of that solution space. Your work from part (b) may prove beneficial.
- 6. [2360/102324 (12 pts)] Let $\mathbf{B} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$.
 - (a) (6 pts) Find the eigenvalues of **B** and state their algebraic multiplicity.
 - (b) (6 pts) Find a basis for the eigenspace associated with the largest eigenvalue you found in part (a). What is the geometric multiplicity of this largest eigenvalue?
- 7. [2360/102324 (12 pts)] Determine if the following subsets, W, are subspaces of the given vector space, V. Justify your answer.
 - (a) (6 pts) $\mathbb{V} = \mathbb{R}^2$, \mathbb{W} is the set of vectors of the form $\begin{bmatrix} a \\ a^2 \end{bmatrix}$ where *a* is a real number.
 - (b) (6 pts) $\mathbb{V} = \mathbb{M}_{22}$, \mathbb{W} is the set of 2×2 matrices for which the entries in each column sum to zero.