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1. (30 points: 5 each) If the statement is **always true** mark "TRUE" and provide a *brief* justification; if it is possible for the statement to be false then mark "FALSE" and provide a counterexample.

(a) Suppose that W is a nonempty subset of another set V . In other words, $W \subset V$ and W is not the empty set, $\{\}$. Then W is a *subspace* of V if the following two features are true:

- (i) for every $\mathbf{v}, \mathbf{w} \in W$, the sum $\mathbf{v} + \mathbf{w} \in W$, and
- (ii) for every $\mathbf{v} \in W$ and every $c \in \mathbb{R}$, the scalar product $c\mathbf{v} \in W$.

(b) The vectors $\mathbf{u} = (1, 2, -1)^T$, $\mathbf{v} = (3, 1, 5)^T$, and $\mathbf{w} = (8, 1, 2)^T$ are linearly dependent.

(c) The columns of the following matrix span \mathbb{R}^3 :

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 4 & -1 \\ -2 & 7 & 3 \\ 3 & 2 & -1/2 \end{bmatrix}.$$

- (d) If \mathbf{A} is an $m \times n$ matrix and the linear system $\mathbf{Ax} = \mathbf{b}$ has no free variables, then $\text{rank}(A) = n$.

- (e) Let \mathbf{A} be the following 3×3 matrix:

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -1 \\ 4 & 3 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}.$$

Then $\|\mathbf{A}\|_\infty = 7$.

- (f) It is always true that $\|\mathbf{A} + \mathbf{B} + \mathbf{C}\| \leq \|\mathbf{A}\| + \|\mathbf{B}\| + \|\mathbf{C}\|$.

2. Let $\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 0 & 5 \\ 2 & 3 & -1 \\ -2 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$.

(a) (10 points) Find a basis for the *kernel* of the columns of \mathbf{A} .

(b) (10 points) Find a basis for the *range* of \mathbf{A} .

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

(a) (10 points) What is the Frobenius norm of \mathbf{A} ?

(b) (10 points) What is the 1-norm of \mathbf{A} ?

4. Consider the matrix $\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 & 0 \\ -1 & 2 & -1 \\ 0 & -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$

(a) (10 points) Is \mathbf{A} *symmetric positive definite*?

(b) (10 points) Is $\mathbf{A}^{\mathbf{T}}$ *symmetric positive definite*?

5. (10 points) Find the angle between the following vectors using the standard dot product:

$$[2 \ -1 \ 0]^T, \text{ and } [-1 \ 2 \ -1]^T.$$