

MATH 304 Final Examination, Sample 3-ANSWERS

**Problem 1.**

$$\text{a) } \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \\ w \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ -7 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -5 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} t + \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 6 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} s$$

$$\text{b) i) Basis of } \text{col}(A) \text{ is } \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix};$$

ii) Basis of  $\text{row}(A)$  is  $[1, 0, 2, -1]$ ,  $[0, 1, -6, 5]$ ;

iii)  $\text{rk}(A) = 2$ ,  $\text{nullity}(A) = 2$ ;

iv) Yes, the system is consistent.

**Problem 2.**

$$\text{a) } A^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} 1/2 & -1/2 & 2 \\ -1/2 & -1/2 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & -4 \end{pmatrix}$$

b) Yes, the vectors are the columns of the invertible matrix.

**Problem 3.**

$$\text{a) } A_T = \begin{pmatrix} 4 & \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \\ 4\sqrt{3} & -\frac{1}{2} \end{pmatrix}.$$

**Problem 4.** a)  $\lambda_1 = \lambda_2 = 0$ ,  $\lambda_3 = 4$ .

$$\text{b) For } \lambda = 0, \text{ basis of } E_0 \text{ is } \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ -2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\};$$

For  $\lambda = 4$ , basis of  $E_4$  is  $\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$

c) For  $\lambda = 0$ , both algebraic and geometric multiplicities are equal to 2.  
For  $\lambda = 4$ , both algebraic and geometric multiplicities are equal to 1.

d)  $A$  is diagonalizable,  $D = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 4 \end{pmatrix}$ ,  $P = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 3 \\ 0 & -2 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$

(the matrices  $D$  and  $P$  are not unique)

**Problem 5.** a) Basis of  $W^\perp$  is  $\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \\ -1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -3 \\ 2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$ .

b) Orthogonal basis of  $W$  is  $\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ -1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 2 \\ 2 \\ 2 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$ .

**Problem 6.** a) F; b) T; c) T; d) F; e) F; f) F; g) F