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## Rules:

You have one hour to complete the exam.

Partial credit will be awarded, but you must show your work.

You may have a single handwritten sheet of notes.

**Except for problem 1**, you may use technology to find the reduced echelon form of a matrix or to multiply matrices.

Turn off anything that might go beep during the exam.

Good luck!

Problem	Possible	Score
1	10	
2	10	
3	25	
4	20	
5	20	
6	15	
Extra Credit	5	
Total	100	



1. (10 points) Find the product  $AB$  for the matrices below, **by hand**.

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -2 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 4 \end{pmatrix} \text{ and } B = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & -2 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 5 & 1 \\ -3 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

2. (10 points) Let  $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 2 & -1 & 4 \end{pmatrix}$ . **Demonstrate** how to find  $A^{-1}$ .

3. (25 points) Let  $h : \mathcal{P}_2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$  by  $h(ax^2 + bx + c) = \begin{pmatrix} a \\ a + c \\ 2c \end{pmatrix}$  is a linear map.

(a) Show that  $h$  respects scalar multiplication.

(b) Find the image of  $x^2 + 4x - 2$  under  $h$ .

(c) Is  $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \\ 6 \end{pmatrix}$  in the range of  $h$ ? Justify your answer.

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Recall that  $h : \mathcal{P}_2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$  by  $h(ax^2 + bx + c) = \begin{pmatrix} a \\ a + c \\ 2c \end{pmatrix}$ .

(d) Determine the null space of  $h$ .

(e) Determine the rank of  $h$  by finding a basis for the range space of  $h$ .

(f) Is  $h$  an isomorphism? Explain.

4. (20 points) Let  $h : \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$  is a linear map with matrix representation  $H = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & -1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$

(with respect to  $\mathcal{E}_3$  in both domain and codomain)

It is a fact that  $H^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} 1/2 & 1/2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1/2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1/2 \end{pmatrix}$ .

(a) Find  $h\left(\begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 3 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}\right)$

(b) Find the inverse image of  $\begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ -2 \\ 6 \end{pmatrix}$  or state that it does not exist.

(c) Explain why the information given in the problem implies that the nullity of  $h$  is zero.

(d) Find the matrix representation of the linear map  $h \circ h$ .

(e) Is  $h \circ h$  an isomorphism? Justify your answer.

5. (20 points) Let  $B = \left\langle \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \right\rangle$  and let  $D = \left\langle \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} \right\rangle$  be two bases of  $\mathbb{R}^2$ .

(a) Write the vector  $\vec{v} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -8 \end{pmatrix}_{\mathcal{E}_2}$  with respect to basis  $B$ .

(b) Find  $Rep_{B,D}(id)$ , the change of basis matrix from basis  $B$  to basis  $D$ .

(c) Use your answer in part (b) to find  $rep_D(\vec{v})$ .



## 6. (15 points) Short Answer

(a) Let  $M$  be a  $5 \times 7$  matrix with rank 3 that represents a linear transformation  $h$  from vector space  $V$  to vector space  $W$ . Fill in the blanks:

- The dimension of  $V$  is \_\_\_\_\_
- The dimension of  $W$  is \_\_\_\_\_
- The dimension of the range of  $h$  is \_\_\_\_\_
- The dimension of the null space of  $h$  is \_\_\_\_\_

(b) Assume  $h : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$  is a linear map such that  $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \mapsto \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$  and  $\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \mapsto \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$ . Find the image of the vector  $\begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$ .

(c) Assume  $A$  is a singular  $n \times n$  matrix that represents a linear map from  $\mathbb{R}^n$  to  $\mathbb{R}^n$ . Can there exist a vector  $\vec{w}$  in the codomain that fails to be the image of any vector in the domain? Explain your reasoning.

(d) Assume  $h : V \rightarrow W$  is a one-to-one linear transformation from vector space  $V$  to vector space  $W$  and has matrix representation  $H$ . Can you conclude that the columns of  $H$  are linearly independent? Explain.

**Extra Credit** (5 points) In problem 4, the matrix  $H = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & -1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$  was the representation of a linear transformation  $h$ . Find the matrix representation of  $h$  with respect to the basis  $B = \langle \vec{e}_2, \vec{e}_3, \vec{e}_1 \rangle$  (i.e. a re-ordering of the standard basis).