

In order to receive full credit, **SHOW ALL YOUR WORK**. Full credit will be given only if all reasoning and work is provided. Please enclose your final answers in boxes.

1. (10 Points) Define  $M_{2 \times 2}$  as the vector space of all two-by-two matrices with real entries. Let  $H$  be the set of all real matrices of the form  $A = \begin{bmatrix} a & 0 \\ c & d \end{bmatrix}$ . Is  $H$  a subspace of  $M_{2 \times 2}$ ? Justify your response.

Let  $A, B \in H$ ,  $A = \begin{bmatrix} a_1 & 0 \\ c_1 & d_1 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $B = \begin{bmatrix} a_2 & 0 \\ c_2 & d_2 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $a_1, a_2, c_1, c_2, d_1, d_2 \in \mathbb{R}$

Then

$$A + B = \begin{bmatrix} a_1 & 0 \\ c_1 & d_1 \end{bmatrix} + c \begin{bmatrix} a_2 & 0 \\ c_2 & d_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a_1 + ca_2 & 0 \\ c_1 + cc_2 & d_1 + cd_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a & 0 \\ c & d \end{bmatrix}, a, c, d \in \mathbb{R}$$

$$\Rightarrow A + cB \in M_{2 \times 2}$$

Note, Let  $a, b, c \in \mathbb{R}$  s.t.  $a \neq b \neq c = 0$ .

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \in H. \quad \Rightarrow \quad H \text{ is a subspace of } M_{2 \times 2}.$$

2. (10 Points) Which of the following matrices are diagonalizable?

$$\checkmark \quad A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \times \quad B = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \times \quad C = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix}.$$

Explain.

Eigenvalues of

A. one  $2, 2, 3 = \lambda$

B.  $\lambda = 2, 3$

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$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 & 0 \end{array} \right]$$

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$\Rightarrow x_3 = 0$   
 $x_1 = \text{free}$   
 $x_2 = \text{free}$   
 $\vec{x} = x_1 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + x_2 \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$

$\Rightarrow x_1 = \text{free}$   
 $x_3 = x_3 = 0$

Case  $\lambda = 3$

$$\Rightarrow \vec{x} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ c \end{bmatrix} x_1$$

$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right]$$

Case  $\lambda = 3$

$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} -1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\vec{x} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} x_3$$

$\Rightarrow x_1 = x_2 = 0$   
 $x_3 = \text{free}$   
 $\vec{x} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} x_3$

3. (10 Points) Given that,

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}.$$

Determine a diagonal decomposition,  $PDP^{-1}$ , of  $A$ .

$$\det(A - \lambda I) = 0 \Rightarrow (2 - \lambda)(-\lambda) + 0 = 0 \Rightarrow \lambda = 0, \lambda = 2$$

Case  $\lambda = 0$ :

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 & | & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & | & 0 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{matrix} x_1 = 0 \\ x_2 = \text{free} \end{matrix} \Rightarrow \vec{x} = x_2 \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Case  $\lambda = 2$ :

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & | & 0 \\ 1 & -2 & | & 0 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{matrix} x_1 = 2x_2 \\ x_2 = \text{free} \end{matrix} \Rightarrow \vec{x} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} x_2$$

$$\frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 2 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} =$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 4 \\ 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} =$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 0 \\ 2 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = A \checkmark$$

$$\Rightarrow P = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 2 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad D = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & \\ & 2 \end{bmatrix} \quad P^{-1} = \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

4. (10 Points) Let  $\lambda$  be an eigenvalue of the invertible matrix  $A$ . Show that  $\lambda^{-1}$  is an eigenvalue of  $A^{-1}$ .

If  $\lambda$  is an Eigenvalue of  $A$  ~~then~~ And  $A^{-1}$  exists then

$$Ax = \lambda x \Leftrightarrow A^{-1}Ax = \lambda A^{-1}x \Leftrightarrow x = \lambda A^{-1}x \Leftrightarrow A^{-1}x = \frac{1}{\lambda}x$$

$\Rightarrow \lambda^{-1}$  is an Eigenvalue of  $A^{-1}$ .