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1. Compute the determinant by the cofactor method. (15 points)

$$\begin{vmatrix} 1 & -1 & 0 & 2 \\ -1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & -2 & 0 & 1 \\ 3 & 1 & 5 & -1 \end{vmatrix}$$

2. Compute the determinant by using row operations. (10 points)

$$\begin{vmatrix} 0 & 3 & -1 & 5 \\ 1 & 0 & -2 & 4 \\ -3 & 2 & 1 & -3 \\ 0 & 5 & 2 & 3 \end{vmatrix}$$

3. Determine if the following sets are linearly independent or dependent. Justify your answers **without performing matrix calculations**. (4 points each)

a. $\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ -1 \\ 1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \\ 2 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 8 \\ -4 \\ 12 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 2 \\ -6 \\ -19 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$

b. $\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ -3 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 2 \\ -6 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$

4. Given that A and B are $n \times n$ matrices with $\det A = -7$ and $\det B = -2$, find the following. (4 points each)

a) $\det(AB)$

d) $\det(B^T)$

b) $\det(A^{-1})$

e) $\det(5A)$

c) $\det(-AB^6)$

f) $\det(A^{-1}BA)$

5. Determine if each statement is True or False. (3 points each)
- T F If matrix B is formed by multiplying a row of matrix A by -1, then $\det B = -\det A$
 - T F The equation $A\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{0}$ has only the trivial solution when there is at least one free variable.
 - T F If an $m \times n$ matrix has a pivot in every row, then the equation $A\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{b}$ has a unique solution for each \mathbf{b} in \mathbb{R}^m .
 - T F If $\{\vec{u}, \vec{v}, \vec{w}, \vec{x}\}$ is linearly independent, then $\vec{u}, \vec{v}, \vec{w}$, and \vec{x} are not in \mathbb{R}^3 .
 - T F If A and B are $m \times n$ matrices, then both AB^T and $A^T B$ are defined.
 - T F Interchanging three rows of an $n \times n$ matrix A, you will not change the determinant.
 - T F If $\{\mathbf{v}_1, \dots, \mathbf{v}_p\}$ is linearly independent, then so is $\{\mathbf{v}_1, \dots, \mathbf{v}_{p+1}\}$.
 - T F The pivot columns of a matrix are always linearly dependent.
 - T F If $\det A$ is zero, then two rows or two columns of A are the same, or a row or a column is zero.
 - T F If A and B are row equivalent, then their column spaces are the same.
 - T F The vector space \mathbb{P}_4 and \mathbb{R}^5 are isomorphic.
 - T F A linearly independent set in a subspace H is a basis for H.
 - T F If P_B is the change-of-coordinates matrix, then $\begin{bmatrix} \vec{x} \end{bmatrix}_B = P_B^{-1} \vec{x}$ for \vec{x} in V.
 - T F There are only two conditions a vector space must satisfy: it must be closed under addition and closed under multiplication.
 - T F The vector space of 2x3 matrices is isomorphic to \mathbb{R}^6 .
 - T F The nullspace of an $m \times n$ matrix A is a subspace of \mathbb{R}^m .
 - T F $(AB)^{-1} = A^{-1}B^{-1}$
 - T F The change of basis matrix is constructed from putting the basis vectors into the rows of P_B .

6. Suppose matrix A is a 7×9 matrix with 5 pivot columns. Determine the following. (12 points)

$\dim \text{Col } A =$ _____

$\dim \text{Nul } A =$ _____

$\dim \text{Row } A =$ _____

If $\text{Col } A$ is a subspace of \mathbb{R}^m , then $m =$ _____

$\text{Rank } A =$ _____

If $\text{Nul } A$ is a subspace of \mathbb{R}^n , then $n =$ _____

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7. Determine if the columns of $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 5 & 2 \\ 6 & 4 & -1 \\ -4 & -2 & 1 \\ 3 & 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$ form a linearly independent set and justify your answer. (6 points)

8. Given $T: \mathbb{R}^4 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ such that $T(\mathbf{x}) = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 - 4x_3 + x_4 \\ x_2 + 2x_3 \\ -x_1 + 5x_4 \end{bmatrix}$ answer the following.
- a. Find the standard matrix, A , such that $T(\mathbf{x}) = A\mathbf{x}$. (5 points)

- b. Is T onto \mathbb{R}^3 ? Justify your answer. (4 points)

c. Is T one-to-one? Justify your answer. (4 points)

9. Determine if the set $H = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$ forms a basis for \mathbb{R}^3 . Justify your answer. (6 points)

10. Assume that $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & -1 & 2 & 0 \\ 2 & 4 & -5 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 2 & 0 & 3 & 1 \\ 3 & 6 & -1 & 8 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ and $B = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2 & -1 & 8 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 13 & 13 & -4 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -9 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ are row equivalent.

a. Find a basis for the column space of A . (6 points)

b. Find a basis for the null space of A . (8 points)

c. Determine if $\mathbf{b} = \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 0 \\ 4 \\ -3 \end{bmatrix}$ is in Col A . Show appropriate work to justify your answer. (6 points)

11. Given the basis $B = \{1 - 2t^3, t - 2t^2, 2 - 5t + t^2, 3 - t^2 + 7t^3\}$ for \mathbb{P}_3 . Find $\vec{p}(t) = 6 + 19t - 7t^2$ in this basis. (15 points)

12. Given that $\det A^{-1} = \frac{1}{\det A}$ if A is invertible, use this fact and the fact that AB is invertible to prove that both A and B must be invertible. [Hint: use multiplication properties of the determinant and what you know about $n \times n$ identity matrices.] (10 points)

13. Prove that the following are vector spaces or show that they are not. (6 points each)

a. $H = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \end{bmatrix}, a = b + c; a, b, c \text{ real} \right\}$

b. $W = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} a & a + 2 \\ b & c \end{bmatrix}, a, b, c \text{ real} \right\}$

14. Given the bases $B = \{b_1, b_2, b_3\}$ and $C = \{c_1, c_2, c_3\}$ below, find the change of basis matrices $P_{C \leftarrow B}$ and

$P_{B \leftarrow C}$. If the B-coordinate vector for \vec{x} is as shown, find the C-coordinate vector for \vec{x} . (15 points)

$$\vec{b}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix}, \vec{b}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 6 \\ -5 \end{bmatrix}, \vec{b}_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}, \vec{c}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 7 \end{bmatrix}, \vec{c}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -3 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix}, \vec{c}_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ -1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}, [\vec{x}]_B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 8 \end{bmatrix}$$