

## MAU11S02 second Friday quiz, week 3 Friday 11/2/22 ANSWERS

### Rules and procedures.

**1.** Attempt 3 questions. Only *your first three answers* will be marked. **2.** Each question carries 20 marks, so the maximum quiz mark is 60. **3.** If a particular method of solution is stipulated, you get no marks if you don't use it. **4. *Show all work.*** No marks will be given for answers which do not show the calculations. **5.** Your answers should be scanned and submitted to Blackboard as a 'Monday assignment.'

**Question 1.** Using the adjoint matrix, no other method, invert

$$\begin{bmatrix} -2 & -4 & 16 \\ -3 & -6 & 25 \\ 3 & 8 & -30 \end{bmatrix}$$

**Answer.**

determinant 4

adjoint

$$\begin{array}{ccc} -20 & 8 & -4 \\ -15 & 12 & 2 \\ -6 & 4 & 0 \end{array}$$

inverse

$$\begin{array}{ccc} -5 & 2 & -1 \\ -3.75 & 3 & 0.5 \\ -1.5 & 1 & 0 \end{array}$$

**Question 2.** Let  $P, Q, R$  be the columns of the two matrices below. In each case, determine whether  $O, P, Q, R$  are coplanar.

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 3 & 5 \\ 3 & -10 & -17 \\ 2 & -4 & -6 \end{bmatrix}$$

**Answer.**

$$\begin{array}{ccc} -1 & 3 & 5 \\ 3 & -10 & -17 \\ 2 & -4 & -6 \end{array}$$

Determinant =  $\$(-1, 3, 5) \cdot (-8, -16, 8) = 0\$$ .

Yes

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-1 -1 -5
-1 -3 -9
1 -1 1
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Determinant =  $(-1, -1, -5) \cdot (-12, -8, 4) = 0$

Yes.

**Question 3.** Find the first two minors in the cofactor expansion on the 2nd row of the following matrix.

$$\begin{bmatrix} -1 & 2 & 2 & -2 \\ 2 & -5 & -4 & 6 \\ 3 & -9 & -6 & 11 \\ 1 & -1 & 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

**Question 4.** Find the second two minors, along the 2nd row, and hence calculate the determinant of the matrix.

**Answer.**

cofactor expansion along row 2

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-1      2      2      -2
 2     -5     -4      6
 3     -9     -6     11
 1     -1      0      2
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-1      2      2      -2
 2     -5     -4      6
 3     -9     -6     11
 1     -1      0      2
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2 1 minor 2 cofactor -2

2 2 minor 10 cofactor 10

2 3 minor 5 cofactor -5

2 4 minor 6 cofactor 6

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**Question 5.** Calculate the adjoint of the following matrix. Can it be used to invert the matrix?

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 5 \\ 1 & 1 & 3 \\ -3 & -12 & -18 \end{bmatrix}$$

**Answer.**

determinant 0; inverse undefined; adjoint (CORRECTED)

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18      -6      4
 9      -3      2
-9       3     -2
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