

American University of Beirut  
Math 204  
Quiz I (Fall 2013)

Time 50 minutes .

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Circle your problem solving section number below:

- Instructor: Ms Joumana Tannous

Section 1 @ 1:00 M

Section 2 @ 12:00 M

Section 3 @ 4:00 M

- Instructor: Mrs Maha Itani-Hatab

Section 4 @ 11:00 Tu

Section 5 @ 8:00 Tu

Section 6 @ 12:30 Tu

- Instructor: Ms. Michella Bou Eid

Section 7 @ 12:30 Th

Section 8 @ 2:00 Th

Section 13 @ 5:00 Th

- Instructor: Ms Najwa Fuleihan

Section 10 @ 8:00 Tu

Section 11 @ 9:30 Tu

Section 12 @ 11:00 Tu

- Answer table for Part I

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
A	C	B	D	C	A	D	B	C	A

# of correct answers : ----- # of wrong answers : -----							<u>Grade of Part I</u>	
							35%	
1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	6.	7.	<u>Grade of Part II</u>	Final Grade
							65%	

**Part I : 10 multiple choice questions with 3.5 points for each correct answer and 0.5 penalty for each wrong answer.**

**Circle the correct answer then, copy your answers as a, b, c or d on the table provided on page 1:**

Given the matrices  $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$ ,  $B = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 4 \end{pmatrix}$  and  $C = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -2 & 1 \\ 3 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$

1.  $4(B^{-1})^T + (CAC)^0$  is ....

- a. undefined      b.  $\begin{pmatrix} 5 & 0 \\ -2 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$       c.  $\begin{pmatrix} 5 & -2 \\ 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$       d.  $\begin{pmatrix} 4 & -2 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} + 1$

2.  $AC$  is .....

- a. undefined      b.  $\begin{pmatrix} 7 & -2 & 1 \\ -2 & -6 & -2 \\ 1 & -2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$       c.  $\begin{pmatrix} 7 & -2 & 3 \\ 6 & -6 & 4 \\ -1 & 2 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$       d.  $\begin{pmatrix} -6 & 0 \\ 2 & 6 \end{pmatrix}$

3. Let  $E = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ -4 & x \end{pmatrix}$ , the value of  $x$  for which  $(EI^{-1} + 2B^T) = I$  is .....

- a. -1      b. -7      c. 0      d. -4

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4. The values of  $p$  for which the system  $\begin{pmatrix} 2 & -p \\ 4 & -4 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}$  admits a unique solution are ...

- a.  $p \neq -2$       b.  $p \neq -1$       c.  $p \neq 1$       d.  $p \neq 2$
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5. If  $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & 5 \\ 0 & 9 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$  and  $B = \begin{pmatrix} -3 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 5 \\ 0 & 0 & -2 \end{pmatrix}$  then  $\det(ABA^{-1})$  is .....

- a. -4      b. -6      c. 6      d. 4
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6. Given  $A = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 & 0 & 2 \\ 8 & 5 & 2 & 9 \\ 0 & 3 & 0 & 0 \\ 4 & 7 & 0 & 5 \end{pmatrix}$  then the cofactor  $c_{32}$  is .....

- a. -4                                      b. -12                                      c. 12                                      d. 4
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7. Let  $A$  be a  $(4 \times 3)$  matrix,  $B$  a  $(3 \times 3)$  matrix and  $M$  a  $(3 \times 4)$  matrix. If  $O$  is the zero matrix and the operation  $(AB + (BM)^T)O$  can be performed then the dimension (size) of  $O$  is .....

- a. undefined                      b.  $4 \times 3$                       c. 3                      d.  $3 \times n$  where  $n$  is a positive integer
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8. Let  $\begin{pmatrix} y+4 \\ x+3 \end{pmatrix} - 2 \begin{pmatrix} 2-x \\ 3-y \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} x \\ 3y-x \end{pmatrix}$  then the values of  $x$  and  $y$  are .....

- a.  $x=2, y=1$                       b.  $x=1, y=-1$                       c.  $x=1, y=1$                       d.  $x=1, y=2$
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Given  $A = \begin{bmatrix} a & b & c \\ d & e & f \\ g & h & i \end{bmatrix}$  with  $\det(A) = 7$

9.  $\begin{vmatrix} a+d & b+e & c+f \\ 2(a+d) & 2(b+e) & 2(c+f) \\ -3g & -3b & -3i \end{vmatrix} = \dots\dots\dots$

- a. -42                                      b. 42                                      c. 0                                      d. 7

10.  $\begin{vmatrix} 2a-d & 2b-e & -4c+2f \\ -g & -h & 2i \\ -d & -e & 2f \end{vmatrix} = \dots\dots\dots$

- a. 28                                      b. -42                                      c. 42                                      d. -28
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**Part II** Answer each of the following questions in the space provided. Explain and show your work.

1) Given the matrix  $A = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 4 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & -1 \\ -1 & 3 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$ .

a. Calculate the determinant of A using the method of columns

(5 pts)

$$\begin{pmatrix} 2 & 4 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & -1 \\ -1 & 3 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{matrix} \xrightarrow{+0} \\ \xrightarrow{-6} \\ \xrightarrow{+0} \end{matrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 2 & 4 \\ 1 & 1 \\ -1 & 3 \end{pmatrix} \begin{matrix} \xrightarrow{+0} \\ \xrightarrow{+4} \\ \xrightarrow{+0} \end{matrix}$$

(10)

b. Consider the system  $\begin{cases} 4x_2 + 2x_1 = 20 \\ x_2 - x_3 + x_1 = 2 \\ -x_1 + 3x_2 = 0 \end{cases}$  Use Cramer's Rule to find only  $x_2$ .

(7 pts)

$$\begin{pmatrix} 2 & 4 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & -1 \\ -1 & 3 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 20 \\ 2 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$x_2 = \frac{|A_2|}{|A|} = \frac{\begin{vmatrix} 2 & 20 & 0 \\ 1 & 2 & -1 \\ -1 & 0 & 0 \end{vmatrix}}{10} = \frac{+20}{10}$$

= 2

2) Given  $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 4 & -3 \end{pmatrix}$  and  $C = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 2 \\ 8 & 5 \end{pmatrix}$ , Find a matrix B such that  $(A - 2I + 4B)^T = C^{-1}$ .

(6 pts)

$$A - 2I + 4B = \begin{pmatrix} -5 & 2 \\ 8 & -3 \end{pmatrix}^T$$

$$4B = \begin{pmatrix} -5 & 8 \\ 2 & -3 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 2 \\ 4 & -5 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -4 & 6 \\ -2 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$B = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 3/2 \\ -1/2 & 1/2 \end{pmatrix}$$

3) Construct the  $3 \times 3$  lower triangular matrix  $A$  whose non zero entries  $a_{ij}$  are

(6 pts) 
$$a_{ij} = \begin{cases} i+j & \text{if } i \neq j \text{ and } i \text{ is even} \\ i^2 - 2j & \text{if } i \neq j \text{ and } i \text{ is odd} \\ i+2j & \text{if } i = j \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{pmatrix}$$

lower triangular so  $a_{12} = 0$

$$a_{13} = 0$$

$$a_{23} = 0$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 3 & 0 & 0 \\ 3 & 6 & 0 \\ 7 & 5 & 9 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$a_{11} = 1 + 2 \times 1 = 3$$

$$a_{22} = 2 + 2 \times 2 = 6$$

$$a_{33} = 3 + 2 \times 3 = 9$$

$$a_{21} = 2 + 1 = 3$$

$$a_{31} = 3^2 - 2 \times 1 = 9 - 2 = 7$$

$$a_{32} = 3^2 - 2 \times 2 = 9 - 4 = 5$$

4) Given the matrices  $A = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & x & 1 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$  and  $B = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -2 \end{pmatrix}$

(7 pts)

a. Use the method of cofactors to determine in terms of  $x$  the determinant of  $A$

If we use the 1<sup>st</sup> column

$$\begin{aligned} |A| &= 3(x \times 0 - 1 \times 1) - 0 + 2(1 \times 1 - 2 \times x) \\ &= 3(-1) + 2(1 - 2x) = -3 + 2 - 4x = -1 - 4x \end{aligned}$$

b. Determine the value of  $x$  so that  $\det(2A) = \det(B)$

$$|2A| = 2^3 |A| = 8(-1 - 4x)$$

$$|B| = 2 \times 3 \times (-2) \times (-2) = 24$$

$$|2A| = |B|$$

$$8(-1 - 4x) = 24$$

$$-1 - 4x = 3$$

$$-4x = 4$$

$$x = -1$$

$$S = \{-1\}$$

5) Let  $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 & 2 \\ 2 & -1 & 2 & -1 \\ 1 & -2 & -1 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 & -2 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$ . Find  $AA^T$ . Then determine the value of the determinant of  $A$ .

(8 pts)

$$AA^T = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 & 2 \\ 2 & -1 & 2 & -1 \\ 1 & -2 & -1 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 & -2 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 & 2 \\ 2 & -1 & -2 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & -1 & -2 \\ 2 & -1 & 2 & -1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 10 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 10 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 10 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 10 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$|AA^T| = 10^4 \rightarrow |A| |A^T| = 10^4 \quad \text{but } |A| = |A^T|$$

$$|A| |A| = 10^4$$

$$|A|^2 = 10^4$$

6) Given  $A = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 1 & 2 \\ -1 & 2 & x \\ 3 & -2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$  Determine the value of  $x$  so that the matrix of cofactors will be

(6 pts)

$$A_c = \begin{pmatrix} 10 & 13 & -4 \\ -5 & -3 & 9 \\ 0 & -14 & 7 \end{pmatrix}$$

In the matrix  $A$ , the cofactor  $c_{11}$  is

$$c_{11} = (-1)^{1+1} M_{11} = M_{11} = \begin{vmatrix} 2 & x \\ -2 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 2 + 2x$$

In the matrix  $A_c$  we have  $c_{11} = 10$

Therefore  $2 + 2x = 10 \rightarrow 2x = 8 \rightarrow \underline{x = 4}$

7) Consider the matrix  $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 \\ -1 & -3 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$ . Find  $A^{-1}$  using the Gaussian elimination.  
 (20 pts)

Then use it to solve the system: 
$$\begin{cases} x_1 + 2x_2 + x_3 = x_3 - 1 \\ x_1 + x_3 = 2 - 2x_2 \\ x_3 + 3x_2 + x_1 = 2 + 4x_3 \end{cases}$$

$$+ \begin{matrix} \curvearrowright \\ x-1 \end{matrix} \left( \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 2 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ \textcircled{1} & 2 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -1 & -3 & 3 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right) \quad -r_1 + r_2$$

$$+ \begin{matrix} \curvearrowright \\ x-1 \end{matrix} \left( \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 2 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -1 & 1 & 0 \\ \textcircled{-1} & -3 & 3 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right) \quad r_1 + r_2$$

$$\begin{matrix} \curvearrowright \\ x-1 \end{matrix} \left( \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 2 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 3 & 1 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right) \quad -r_3 \text{ and interchange } r_2 \text{ and } -r_3$$

$$+ \begin{matrix} \curvearrowright \\ x-2 \end{matrix} \left( \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & \textcircled{2} & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -3 & -1 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -1 & 1 & 0 \end{array} \right) \quad -2r_2 + r_1$$

$$+ \begin{matrix} \curvearrowright \\ x-3 \end{matrix} \left( \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 0 & 6 & 3 & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & \textcircled{-3} & -1 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -1 & 1 & 0 \end{array} \right) \quad 3r_3 + r_2$$

$$+ \begin{matrix} \curvearrowright \\ x-6 \end{matrix} \left( \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 0 & \textcircled{6} & 3 & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -4 & 3 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -1 & 1 & 0 \end{array} \right) \quad -6r_3 + r_1$$

$$\left( \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 0 & 0 & 9 & -6 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -4 & 3 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -1 & 1 & 0 \end{array} \right) \quad A^{-1}$$

$$\begin{cases} x_1 + 2x_2 + x_3 = x_3 - 1 \\ x_1 + x_3 = 2 - 2x_2 \\ x_3 + 3x_2 + x_1 = 2 + 4x_3 \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{cases} x_1 + 2x_2 = -1 \\ x_1 + 2x_2 + x_3 = 2 \\ -x_1 - 3x_2 + 3x_3 = -2 \end{cases}$$

$$X = A^{-1}B$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 9 & -6 & 2 \\ -4 & 3 & -1 \\ -1 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} -25 \\ 12 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}$$