## FIRST EXAM FOR MTH 221

Name—\_\_\_\_, Id. Num.—\_\_\_\_, Score  $\frac{1}{100}$ QUESTION 1. Let  $D = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & 0 & 1 \\ -3 & 6 & 1 & 6 \\ 4 & -8 & -2 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$  $a)(7 \text{ points}) Solve <math>DX = \begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ 2 \\ -16 \end{bmatrix}$ .

b) (5 points) Use part (a) to solve  $DX = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$ 

**QUESTION 2.** Let  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 6 & -6 \\ 2 & 5 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$ a)(8 points) Find the LU-factorization of A.

b)(8 points) Find  $A^{-1}$ .

c) (Continue Question 2) (6 points) Solve 
$$A^T X = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 0 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

d) (6 points) Write A as a product of elementary Matrices.

 $e)(6 \text{ points}) Find (A^2)^{-1}.$ 

**QUESTION 3.** (9 points) Let N be a  $2 \times 2$  matrix such that  $\begin{pmatrix} 4 & -7 \\ -3 & 5 \end{pmatrix} N^T + 3I_2)^T = 2N$ . Find N.

**QUESTION 4.** Let 
$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & a & 6 \\ -3 & -4 & -2 \\ -3 & -a & b \end{bmatrix}$$
  
1) (6 points) For what values of a, b, A is nonsingular.

2) (6 points) Consider the system 
$$AX = \begin{bmatrix} 6\\4\\c \end{bmatrix}$$
 For what values of  $a, b, c$  will the system have infinitely many solutions?

**QUESTION 5.** (4 points) Given A is a  $2 \times 2$  matrix such that  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ -5 & 1 \end{bmatrix} A = \begin{bmatrix} 6 & 2 \\ -1 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$ . Find A  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ -5 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ 

**QUESTION 6.** (9 points) Given A, B are  $3 \times 3$  matrices such that det(A) = -2, det(B) = 4. Find 1)  $det(2A^{-1}B^{T})$ 

2)  $det(A^{-1} + adj(A))$ 

3)  $det(adj(B^{-1})A)$ 

QUESTION 7. Let 
$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & -4 & 2 \\ -1 & 0 & 3 & 4 \\ 4 & 4 & 14 & -2 \\ -1 & -1 & 4 & -4 \end{bmatrix}$$

1) (6 points) Use Cramer rule to solve for  $x_3$  in the system  $AX = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -4 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$ 

2) (4 points) Without finding  $A^{-1}$  find the (2, 4)-entry of  $A^{-1}$ .

**QUESTION 8.** a) (5 points) Explain in few words why an  $n \times n$  matrix with two identical rows is singular.

b) (5 points) Let A, B be NONZERO  $n \times n$  matrices such that AB is a zero matrix. Show that A AND B are both singular matrices.

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