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Q1 (24 points) Answer the following statements by true or false:

- T (1) If A is an invertible matrix then A^t is invertible.
- F (2) A nonhomogeneous system which has a none zero solution must have infinitely many solutions.
- L F (3) If the square system $AX = 0$ has a nonzero solution then A is singular.
- T (4) If A, B are two square matrices and AB is invertible then both A and B are invertible.
- T (5) If A, B are two square none zero matrices and $AB = 0$ then both A and B are not invertible.
 $A \neq 0, B \neq 0 \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow |A| = 0 \rightarrow \text{Sing.}$
- L F (6) If $(A|b)$ is the augmented matrix of the system $AX = b$ where b is any column of A then the system is consistent.
 $\{A|b\}$
- T (7) If the square system $AX = 0$ has only the zero solution then $A^n X = 0$ has only the zero solution for every positive integer n .
 $n \in \mathbb{N}$
- T (8) If A is symmetric (A is symmetric means $A^t = A$) and skew symmetric (A is skew-symmetric means $A^t = -A$) then A must be zero.
 $A = -A^t$
- F (9) Let A be a square 3×3 matrix. Then $|3A| = 9|A|$.
 $3^3 |A| = 27 |A|$
- F (10) Let A be a square $n \times n$ nonsingular matrix. Then $|\text{adj} A| = |A|^{n-2}$.
 $|A^{-1}| |A| = |I| = 1 \Rightarrow |A^{-1}| = |A|^{-1}$
- T (11) A homogeneous system is always consistent.
- L F (12) If A, B are $n \times n$ matrices and $AB = 0$. Then $(A+B)^2 = A^2 + BA + B^2$.
- T (13) If $(A|b) = \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 1 & 2 & 4 \\ 1 & 1 & 2 & 1 \end{array} \right)$ is the augmented matrix of the system $AX = b$ then the system has no solution.
 $\left\{ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 1 & 2 & 4 \\ 1 & 1 & 2 & 1 \end{array} \right\} \xrightarrow{-R_1, R_2} \left\{ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 1 & 2 & 4 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -3 \end{array} \right\}$
- F (14) If the number of unknowns in a linear system exceeds the number of equations then the system has infinitely many solutions.
 $m < n$
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$|A^{-1}| |A| = |I| = 1 \Rightarrow |A^{-1}| = |A|^{-1}$

$|A|^{-n} A$

$|A|^{-n} A$

$(A+B)(A+B)$

$A^2 + BA + AB + B^2$

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- T (15) If matrix is in reduced echelon form then it is in echelon form.
- F (16) If the number of unknowns in a linear system exceeds the ~~number~~ ^{$m < n$} of equations then the system has infinitely many solutions.
- T (17) If the number of unknowns in a homogeneous linear system exceeds ^{$m < n$} the number of equations then the system has infinitely many solutions.
- T (18) The product of two elementary matrices of the same size is invertible.
- F (19) The product of two elementary matrices of the same size is elementary.
- T (20) The product of two singular matrices of the same size is singular.
- F (21) The sum of two singular matrices of the same size is singular.
- F ~~B~~ (22) Row equivalent matrices have the same determinant.
- T (23) A diagonal matrix is invertible ^{$|A| \neq 0$} iff all entries in the main diagonal are nonzeros.
- F ~~B~~ (24) If the linear system $AX = b$ has a unique solution then the system $Ax = c$ has a unique solution.

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Q2 : (11 points) Circle the most correct answer

(1) Let A be nonsingular. Then

- (a) If A is symmetric then A^{-1} is symmetric
- (b) If A is triangular then A^{-1} is triangular
- (c) If A is diagonal then A^{-1} is diagonal
- (d) All of the above

$$A \begin{pmatrix} a & c \\ 0 & b \end{pmatrix}$$

$$A^{-1} = \frac{1}{|A|} \begin{pmatrix} b & 0 \\ 0 & a \end{pmatrix}$$

$$A = A^T$$

$$A^{-1} = \frac{1}{|A|} \begin{pmatrix} b & 0 \\ 0 & a \end{pmatrix}$$

$$A \begin{pmatrix} a & c \\ 0 & b \end{pmatrix}$$

$$A^{-1} = \frac{1}{|A|} \begin{pmatrix} b & 0 \\ 0 & a \end{pmatrix}$$

(2) If A is a 4×4 matrix such that A is singular, and $b = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 3 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$, then

- (a) It is possible that $AX = b$ has infinitely many solutions
- (b) The system $AX = b$ has exactly one solution
- (c) The system $AX = b$ is always inconsistent
- (d) The system is always consistent

$$AY = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 3 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$A \begin{pmatrix} a & c \\ 0 & b \end{pmatrix}$$

$$A^{-1} = \frac{1}{|A|} \begin{pmatrix} b & 0 \\ 0 & a \end{pmatrix}$$

$$A^{-1} = \frac{1}{|A|} \begin{pmatrix} b & 0 \\ 0 & a \end{pmatrix}$$

(3) If the coefficient matrix of the linear system $AX = b$ is a 3×4 then

- (a) The system is consistent
- (b) The system is inconsistent
- (c) The system has a unique solution
- (d) None **No conclusion**

$m < n$
 $AX = b$ \rightarrow **no**

(4) If A is an $n \times n$ none invertible matrix then

- (a) The linear system $AX = b$ is inconsistent for some $b \in \mathbb{R}^n$.
- (b) The linear system $AX = b$ is consistent only if $b = 0$.
- (c) The linear system $AX = b$ is consistent for every $b \in \mathbb{R}^n$.
- (d) The linear system $AX = b$ has infinite solutions for some $b \in \mathbb{R}^n$.

$$\begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$A^{-1} = \frac{1}{|A|} \begin{pmatrix} a & -b \\ 0 & a \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} a & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$A^{-1} = \frac{1}{|A|} \begin{pmatrix} a & 0 \\ 0 & a \end{pmatrix}$$

(5) If the coefficient matrix of a linear system $AX = b$ is $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 \\ 0 & 4 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ then

- (a) the system has infinitely many solutions
- (b) the system is inconsistent
- (c) the system must have a unique solution
- (d) The system is consistent only if $b = 0$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 \\ 0 & 4 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{4R_2 + R_3} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 5 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 5 \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{-R_2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 5 \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{-4R_2 + R_1} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 7 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 5 \end{pmatrix}$$

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$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{\frac{1}{5}R_3} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

(6) If $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ -3 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$ then $A^{-1} =$

$E \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ -3 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{-3R_1 + R_2} E^{-1} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

(a) $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ -3 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$

(b) $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 3 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$

(c) $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 4 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$

(d) $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ -4 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$

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(7) Let $A = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$ then the (2,3) entry of A^2 is

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

$(1 \ 0 \ 1 \ 0 \ 1) \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = (0+0+0+0+1) = 1$

(a) 1

(b) 2

(c) 3

(d) 4

(8) If $(A|b) = \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & 2 & 1 \\ -1 & 1 & -1 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & \alpha & \beta \end{array} \right)$ is the augmented matrix of the system $AX = b$ then the system $AX = b$ has no solution if

$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 2 & 1 \\ -1 & 1 & -1 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & \alpha & \beta \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{R_1+R_2, R_1+R_3} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 2\alpha & 1+\beta \end{bmatrix}$

(a) $\alpha = -2, \beta = -1$

(b) $\alpha = -2, \beta \neq -1$

(c) $\alpha \neq -2, \beta \neq -1$

(d) $\alpha \neq -2, \beta = -1$

$2\alpha \neq \beta + 1$

$\alpha = -2, \beta \neq -1$

$2 + \alpha = 0$
 $-2 = \alpha$

$1 + \beta \neq 0$

$\beta \neq -1$

(9) If $(A|b) = \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & 2 & 1 \\ -1 & 1 & -1 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & \alpha & \beta \end{array} \right)$ is the augmented matrix of the system $AX = b$ then the system $AX = b$ has exactly one solution if

(a) $\alpha = -2, \beta = -1$

(b) $\alpha = -2, \beta \in (-\infty, \infty)$

$2 + \alpha = 1 + \beta$

$\alpha \neq -2$

$\beta \in \mathbb{R}$

$2 + \alpha \neq 0$

$-2 \neq \alpha$

$\beta \in \mathbb{R}$

(c) $\alpha \neq -2, \beta \in (-\infty, \infty)$

(d) $\alpha \neq -2, \beta \neq -1$

(10) If $(A|b) = \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & 2 & 1 \\ -1 & 1 & -1 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & \alpha & \beta \end{array} \right)$ is the augmented matrix of the system $AX = b$ then the system $AX = b$ has infinitely many solution if

(a) $\alpha = -2, \beta = -1$

(b) $\alpha = -2, \beta \neq -1$

(c) $\alpha \neq -2, \beta \neq -1$

(d) $\alpha \neq -2, \beta = -1$

$2 + \alpha = 0$

$\alpha = -2$

$1 + \beta = 0$

$\beta = -1$

$2 + \alpha = 1 + \beta$

$\alpha = -1, \beta = -1$

(11) If $(A|b) = \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & 2 & 1 \\ -1 & 1 & -1 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & \alpha & \beta \end{array} \right)$ is the augmented matrix of the system $AX = b$ then the system $AX = b$ is consistent if

(a) $\alpha = -2, \beta = -1$ or $\alpha \neq -2, \beta \in (-\infty, \infty)$

(b) $\alpha = -2, \beta \neq -1$ or $\alpha \in (-\infty, \infty), \beta = -1$

(c) $\alpha \neq -2, \beta \neq -1$ or $\alpha \in (-\infty, \infty), \beta = -1$

(d) $\alpha \neq -2, \beta = -1$ or $\alpha \in (-\infty, \infty), \beta = -1$

$\alpha + 2 = \beta + 1$

$$\left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \alpha + 2 & \beta + 1 \end{array} \right]$$

~~$2 + \alpha = 0$~~

$2 + \alpha \neq 0$

$\beta \in \mathbb{R}$

$\alpha \neq -2$

$\alpha \neq -2$

$\beta \in \mathbb{R}$

~~$\beta = -1$~~

$\beta = -1$

Q3: (15 points) (a) Let A, B be symmetric matrices and $AB = BA$. Show AB is symmetric

$$\begin{array}{l} A \text{ is Symmetric} \Rightarrow A = A^T \quad \text{non-singular} \\ B \text{ is Symmetric} \Rightarrow B = B^T \quad \text{non-singular} \end{array}$$

AB is ~~is~~ Symmetric

$$\Rightarrow (AB)^T = B^T A^T = BA$$

So $AB = BA$ is true

So AB is Symmetric η

(b) Let A be a square $n \times n$ nonsingular matrix. Show that $\text{adj}(\text{adj}(A)) = |A|^{n-2} A$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{adj}(A) &= |A| I \quad A^{-1} \\ \text{adj}(A) &= |A| A^{-1} \\ \text{adj}(\text{adj}(A)) &= \text{adj}(|A| A^{-1}) \\ &= |A| A^{-1} (|A| A^{-1}) \\ &= |A|^n |A^{-1}| A |A|^{-1} \\ &= \frac{|A|^n}{|A|^2} A \\ &= |A|^{n-2} A \end{aligned}$$

Let A $n \times n$ nonsingular

$$\text{adj}(\text{adj}(A)) \Rightarrow$$

But $\text{adj}(A)$ form

$$A^{-1} = \frac{1}{|A|} \text{adj}(A)$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{adj}(A) = A^{-1} |A|$$

$$(A^{-1})^{-1} = A$$

$$\text{So } \text{adj}(\text{adj}(A)) \Rightarrow \text{adj}(A^{-1} |A|)$$

$$= (A^{-1} |A|)^{-1} |A^{-1} |A||$$

~~$$= |A|^{-1} (A^{-1})^{-1} |A| |A|$$~~

~~$$= |A|^{-1} A |A|$$~~

$$= |A|^{-1} (A^{-1})^{-1} |A|^{-1} |A|^n = |A|^{-1} A |A|^{-1} |A|^n$$

$$= |A|^{n-2} A \quad \#$$

$$|A| |B| = |I| \quad |B| \neq 0$$

$$\frac{|A|}{|B|} = \frac{|I|}{|B|} \Rightarrow |A| = \frac{1}{|B|}$$

$$|A|^{-1} |B| = |A^{-1} I|$$

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

(c) Let A, B be two square $n \times n$ matrices such that $AB = I$. Show that $B = A^{-1}$. (easy)

Let $\Rightarrow A$ $n \times n$ non-singular
 Let $\Rightarrow B$ $n \times n$ non-singular

$(AB = I)$ multiply by A^{-1} from left

$$(A^{-1}A)B = (A^{-1}I) \Rightarrow IB = A^{-1} \Rightarrow \boxed{B = A^{-1}}$$

and

and $(AB = I)$ multiply by B^{-1} from right
 $AB B^{-1} = I B^{-1}$
 $AI = B^{-1} \Rightarrow \boxed{A = B^{-1}}$

~~$AB = I \Rightarrow |AB| = |I|, |I| = 1$~~
 ~~$\Rightarrow |A||B| = 1 \Rightarrow |B| = \frac{1}{|A|}$~~

(d) Let the system $Ax = 0$ have a nonzero solution. If the system $Ax = b$ is consistent, prove that $Ax = b$ has infinitely many solutions

$$Ax = 0$$

let A non-singular

Homogeneous system

is always consistent

So A is always consistent

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$$Ax = b$$

So let $Ax = 0$

has unique solution

Because it is non-singular

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & \dots & a_{1n} \\ \vdots & & \vdots \\ a_{m1} & \dots & a_{mn} \end{bmatrix}$$

$Ax = 0$ has non-zero solution

let $Ax = 0$ solution is $\begin{pmatrix} \alpha_1 \\ \vdots \\ \alpha_n \end{pmatrix}$

$$A \begin{pmatrix} \alpha_1 \\ \vdots \\ \alpha_n \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} b_1 \\ \vdots \\ b_n \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha_1 a_1 + \alpha_2 a_2 + \dots + \alpha_n a_n = b$$

So we can write b as linear combination of A

So A has infinitely many solutions

Q4(a) : (10 points) Find LU decomposition of the matrix $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 4 & 2 \\ 1 & 5 & 2 \\ 0 & -3 & 9 \end{bmatrix}$

to find U \Rightarrow

$$\begin{pmatrix} 2 & 4 & 2 \\ 1 & 5 & 2 \\ 0 & -3 & 9 \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{-\frac{1}{2}R_1 + R_1} \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 4 & 2 \\ 0 & 3 & 1 \\ 0 & -3 & 9 \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{R_2 + R_1} \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 4 & 2 \\ 0 & 3 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 10 \end{pmatrix}$$

upper is $= \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 4 & 2 \\ 0 & 3 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 10 \end{pmatrix}$

and L is $E_2 E_1 \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 4 & 2 \\ 1 & 5 & 2 \\ 0 & -3 & 9 \end{pmatrix}$

$A = LU$

$A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ \frac{1}{2} & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 4 & 2 \\ 0 & 3 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 10 \end{pmatrix}$ lower is $\begin{pmatrix} 2 & 4 & 2 \\ 1 & 5 & 2 \\ 0 & -3 & 9 \end{pmatrix}$

(b) Use LU decomposition of the matrix A in part (b) to solve the system $AX = b$, where $b = (1, 1, 1)^t$

$AX = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$, $LU X = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$

let $y = UX$

$UX = y$

and

$Ly = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$

so $\Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & | & 1 \\ \frac{1}{2} & 1 & 0 & | & 1 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 & | & 1 \end{pmatrix}$

$y_1 = 1$, $\frac{1}{2}y_1 + y_2 = 1 \Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} + y_2 = 1$

$y_2 = \frac{1}{2}$

$-y_2 + y_3 = 1 \Rightarrow -\frac{1}{2} + y_3 = 1 \Rightarrow y_3 = \frac{3}{2}$

Solution of y is $(1, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{3}{2})$

and $UX = y$

$\begin{pmatrix} 2 & 4 & 2 \\ 0 & 3 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 10 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ \frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{3}{2} \end{pmatrix}$

$10x_3 = \frac{3}{2}$

$x_3 = \frac{3}{20}$

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$3x_2 + x_3 = \frac{1}{2}$

$3x_2 + \frac{3}{20} = \frac{1}{2} \Rightarrow 3x_2 = \frac{1}{2} - \frac{3}{20} \Rightarrow 3x_2 = \frac{10}{20} - \frac{3}{20}$

$\forall \downarrow \downarrow \downarrow$

$3x_2 = \frac{7}{20} \Rightarrow x_2 = \frac{7}{60}$

Q4:b)

$$2x_1 + 4x_2 + 2x_3 = 1$$

$$2x_1 + \frac{2}{4} * \frac{7}{60} + 2 * \frac{3}{20} = 1$$

$$2x_1 + \frac{14}{2*60} + \frac{3*6}{3*20} = 1$$

$$2x_1 + \frac{28}{60} + \frac{18}{60} = 1$$

$$2x_1 = 1 - \frac{46}{60}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 1 \\ 28 \\ 18 \\ \hline 46 \\ 50 \\ 66 \\ 46 \\ \hline 14 \end{array}$$

~~2x_2 =~~

$$2x_1 = \frac{60}{60} - \frac{46}{60} = \frac{14}{60}$$

$$\boxed{x_1 = \frac{7}{60}}$$

Solution of x is $(\frac{7}{60}, \frac{7}{60}, \frac{3}{20})$