Math 2418 Linear Algebra Exam #1 Oct 1, 2001 SHOW ALL WORK

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$$\begin{bmatrix} 14 \end{bmatrix} \ 1.) \ \det \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 8 & 3 & 4 \\ 5 & 0 & 10 & 4 \\ 2 & 4 & 3 & 1 \\ 3 & 0 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \underline{\hspace{1cm}}$$

[6] 2a.) The orthogonal projection of the vector (3, 5) onto the vector (1, 2) is _____

[6] 2b.) The orthogonal component of the vector (3, 5) orthogonal to (1, 2) is _____

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[12] 3.) Solve each of the following system of linear equations by using Gauss-Jordan elimination.

3a.)
$$x_2 + 4x_3 = 1$$

$$3x_1 + 2x_2 = 0$$

$$6x_1 + 5x_2 + 4x_3 = 1$$

3b.)
$$x_2 + 4x_3 = 1$$
$$3x_1 + 2x_2 = 0$$
$$6x_1 + 5x_2 + 4x_3 = 0$$

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[2] 3c.) If A = coefficient matrix in 1a, does A^{-1} exist?

[2] 3d.) If A = coefficient matrix in 1a, $\det A = \underline{}$

[1] 3d.) The answer to 1a is a hyperplane that lives in \mathbb{R}^m where $m = \underline{\hspace{1cm}}$.

[1] 3e.) The dimension of the hyperplane in 1a is _____.

[5] 3f.) An equation of the hyperplane in 1a in point-parallel vector form is

[3] 3g.) Using different numbers, an equivalent equation of the hyperplane in 1a in point-parallel vector form is

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[20] 4.) Find and use an LU factorization to solve:

$$\begin{bmatrix} 4 & 8 \\ 3 & 7 \end{bmatrix} \mathbf{x} = \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Answer: $\underline{L} =$

U =

 $\mathbf{x} =$

5.) Circle T for True or F for False.

[3] a.) Suppose a homogeneous system of 3 linear equations with 2 unknowns has exactly one solution, then any system with the same coefficients will also have exactly one solution. T

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[10] 6.) Suppose
$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 5 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -15 & -2 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -1 & 5 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}.$$

 $3x_1 - 15x_2 - 2x_3 = 10$ Solve the following system of equations using the method of inverses: $x_2 = 0$ $-x_1 + 5x_2 + x_3 = 2$

Answer 6.)

- [5] 7a.) Given the line $x_1 = 3 + 5t$, $x_2 = 1 + t$, $x_3 = 4 + 2t$, then a point on the line is _____ and a vector describing the direction of the line is _____.
- [5] 7b.) A vector perpendicular to (1, 4, 0) and (5, 2, 1) is _____.

[5] 7c.) Find an equation for the plane in point-parallel form that contains the line $x_1 = 3 + 5t, x_2 = 1 + t, x_3 = 4 + 2t$ and is parallel to the line of intersection of the planes $x_1 + 4x_2 + 1 = 0$ and $5x_1 + 2x_2 + x_3 = 0$ (Hint: use the point in 7a and the vectors in 7a and 7b.

Answer 7c.)