

MATH 307D FALL 2000 TEST #2

Write clearly. Box or underline your final answers to computational questions.
All questions carry equal weight.

1. Let A be the matrix

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 1 & -1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -1 & 1 \\ 1 & 3 & 1 & 0 & 6 \end{bmatrix}.$$

- (a) Find a basis for $\text{Im } A$. (b) Find a basis for $\text{Ker } A$.

2. For the matrix

$$B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix},$$

find all matrices A such that $BA = I_2$.

3. Suppose that the vectors \mathbf{u} , \mathbf{v} , \mathbf{w} are linearly independent in \mathbb{R}^n . Show that the vectors $\mathbf{u} + \mathbf{v}$, $\mathbf{v} + \mathbf{w}$, $\mathbf{w} + \mathbf{u}$ are also linearly independent.

4. For each of the following subsets of \mathbb{R}^2 , decide whether or not the subset is a subspace. In each case, justify your answer.

(a) $S = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} \mid x - y = 0 \right\}$.

(b) $T = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} \mid x^2 + y^2 = 1 \right\}$.

(c) $U = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} \mid x \geq y \right\}$.