

Beijing-Dublin International College



SEMESTER	I	RESIT EXAMINATION – 2017/2018

School of Mathematics and Statistics

BDIC1014J & BDIC1044J Linear Algebra

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Time Allowed: 90 minutes

Instructions for Candidates

Answer ALL questions. The marks that each question carry is written as shown.

BJUT Student ID: UCD Student ID:
I have read and clearly understand the Examination Rules of both Beijing University of
Technology and University College Dublin. I am aware of the Punishment for Violating the
Rules of Beijing University of Technology and/or University College Dublin. I hereby
promise to abide by the relevant rules and regulations by not giving or receiving any help
during the exam. If caught violating the rules, I accept the punishment thereof.
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Instructions for Invigilators

Non-programmable calculators are permitted. NO dictionaries are permitted. No rough-work paper is to be provided for candidates.

1. (10 marks) Find an appropriate elementary matrix (适当的初等矩阵) for each of the following transformations (描述下列变换):

(a)
$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \\ 5 & 6 \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 4 \\ 1 & 2 \\ 5 & 6 \end{pmatrix}$$
; (b) $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \\ 5 & 6 \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 4 \\ 3 & 4 \\ 5 & 6 \end{pmatrix}$; (c) $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \\ 5 & 6 \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 0 \\ 5 & 6 \end{pmatrix}$.

2. (10 marks) Evaluate the following determinant (计算行列式):

$$\det \left(\begin{array}{ccc} 1 & -1 & 2 \\ 3 & 0 & 7 \\ 0 & 2 & 1 \end{array} \right).$$

3. (10 marks) Use the Cramer's rule(克莱默法则)to solve the following linear system(解方程组):

$$\begin{cases} 3x + y = 2, \\ 2x - y = 3. \end{cases}$$

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4. (10 marks) Find the inverse (矩阵的逆), A^{-1} , of the following matrix, in terms of the method of row reductions (行变换):

$$A = \left(\begin{array}{ccc} 3 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & -1 & 0 \end{array}\right).$$

5. (10 marks) Find the inverse of the following matrix, A^{-1} , in terms of the method of adjoint matrix (伴随矩阵), adj A:

$$A = \left(\begin{array}{ccc} 3 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & -1 & 0 \end{array}\right).$$

6. (10 marks) Find the rank (矩阵的秩) of the following matrix:

$$\operatorname{rank} \left(\begin{array}{cccc} 2 & 3 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ -2 & 1 & 1 & 4 \\ 0 & 4 & 2 & 4 \end{array} \right).$$

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In Questions 7—9 below, consider the following matrix:

$$A = \left(\begin{array}{rrr} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{array}\right).$$

7. (20 marks) Find the eigenvalues (本征值) of A, as well as the corresponding eigenvector (本征矢量) for each eigenvalue.

8. (10 marks) Diagonalize the matrix A (对角化矩阵).

9. (10 marks) Prove (证明) the following fact:

$$A^n = 3^{n-1}A.$$