

Math 2550-01 - Test 1 - Fall 2024

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Directions:

Show steps for full credit.

Also so I can give you partial credit if needed.

Score			
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1. [6 points] List 3 elements from the following set.

$$S = \{ a\langle -1, 1, 2 \rangle + b\langle 2, 2, 0 \rangle \mid a, b \in \mathbb{R} \}$$

2. [9 points - 3 each] Let $\vec{a} = \langle 1, -1 \rangle$, $\vec{b} = \langle 2, 3 \rangle$,
 $\vec{c} = \langle 2, 0, -1, 3, -1 \rangle$, and $\vec{d} = \langle 1, 2, -1, 2, 0 \rangle$.

(a) Compute $2\vec{a} - 3\vec{b}$

(b) Compute the norm/length of \vec{d}

(c) Compute $\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b}$ and $\vec{c} \cdot \vec{d}$

3. [12 points - 3 each] Let

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad B = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 1 \\ 3 & -4 \end{pmatrix} \quad C = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 & 0 \\ 2 & -2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$D = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad E = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \end{pmatrix}$$

Compute the following if possible. If not possible, explain why.
Show intermediate work so I can give you partial credit if needed.

(a) $-A + 2B$

(b) BE

(c) CD

(d) C^T

More space for problem 3...

4. [8 points] Solve the following system.

$$\begin{aligned}2x + y + 3z &= 0 \\x + 2y &= 0 \\y + z &= 0\end{aligned}$$

You must use the Gaussian elimination / row reduction method we used in class to get credit.

5. [6 points] Solve the following system.

$$\begin{aligned}x &+ z - w = 1 \\y &- z + w = 0 \\w &= 2\end{aligned}$$

6. [6 points] Let A and B be 2×2 matrices.

Prove that $(A + B)^T = A^T + B^T$
