

## MIDTERM: NUMERICAL COMPUTING

The Total points is **108** and the maximum you can score is **100** points.

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- (1) (2+3+3+4+4+4+4+5=25 points) Write down the output of the following commands in octave.
  - (a) `w=linspace(3,10,11)'`
  - (b) `A=diag(2:3:11).^2`
  - (c) `A=diag(2:11:3).^2`
  - (d) `B=(ones(2,4)-eye(2,4))*diag(2:5)*(ones(4,2)-eye(4,2))`
  - (e) `p=[1 0 0 0 -1]; roots(p)`
  - (f) `A=[1 2;3 4];B=[1 0;0 1]; disp(A.*B); disp(A*B)`
  - (g) `str=sprintf('pi is close to %1.3f and eps is %1.0e',pi,eps); disp(str)`
- (2) (5+4+8+8=25 points) Write down a command or a short code to achieve the following goals:
  - (a) Display real part, imaginary part and conjugate of a complex number  $z$ . Display transpose of a matrix  $A$  over complex numbers.
  - (b) Display the plot of the function  $f(x) = \sin(x) + e^x$  for  $x$  between  $-\pi$  and  $\pi$ .
  - (c) Write a function using `fprintf` to display a table consisting of 3 columns and  $n$  rows whose entries are the values of the functions  $x$ ,  $e^x + \sin(x)$  and  $e^x - \sin(x)$  for a given vector of length  $n$  as given below.

$x$	$e^x + \sin(x)$	$e^x - \sin(x)$
1	3.5598	1.8768
1.5	5.4792	3.4842
...	...	...
  - (d) Write a code to evaluate cube root of 7 correct upto five places of decimal using Newton's method.
- (3) (15 points) In the Octave code written on the attached sheet, add comments in the code to explain the lines of the code which end with a `%` symbol. Also give a short description and write a synopsis for the code. (**Remember to attach the sheet with your answer script!!**)
- (4) (20 points) Modify the algorithm of the secant method so that all the estimates lie in the given bracket. Write an Octave code for a function which approximates the roots of a function bracketted by a given vector using this new algorithm. Use absolute convergence criterion.
- (5) (8 points) Explain the difference between partial pivoting and full pivoting in the Gauss elimination method.
- (6) (15 points) Write a function whose input will be a tridiagonal matrix  $A$  and output will be the determinant of  $A$  using the special structure of the tridiagonal matrix.

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function x = GEPivShow(A,b,ptol)
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% Synopsis:
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% Input:  A,b = coefficient matrix and right hand side vector
%         ptol = (optional) tolerance for detection of zero pivot
%         Default: ptol = 50*eps
%
% Output:  x = solution vector, if solution exists

if nargin<3, ptol = 50*eps; end %.....
[m,n] = size(A);
if m~=n, error('A matrix needs to be square'); end
nb = n+1; Ab = [A b]; %.....
fprintf('\nBegin forward elimination with Augmented system:\n'); disp(Ab);

% .....
for i = 1:n-1 % loop over pivot row
    [pivot,p] = max(abs(Ab(i:n,i))); %.....
    ip = p + i - 1; % p is .....
    if ip~=i % ip is .....
        fprintf('\nSwap rows %d and %d; new pivot = %g\n',i,ip,Ab(ip,i));
        Ab([i ip],:) = Ab([ip i],:); % .....
    end
    pivot = Ab(i,i);
    if abs(pivot)<ptol, error('zero pivot encountered after row exchange'); end
    %.....
    for k = i+1:n
        Ab(k,i:nb) = Ab(k,i:nb) - (Ab(k,i)/pivot)*Ab(i,i:nb);
    end
    fprintf('\nAfter elimination in column %d with pivot = %f\n',i,pivot);
    disp(Ab);
end

%.....
x = zeros(n,1); %.....
x(n) = Ab(n,nb)/Ab(n,n);
for i=n-1:-1:1
    x(i) = (Ab(i,nb) - Ab(i,i+1:n)*x(i+1:n))/Ab(i,i);
end

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