

Math 54: Worksheet #13

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Problem 1 (True/False). An $n \times n$ matrix A has n real eigenvalues (counting multiplicity).

Problem 2 (True/False). Every square matrix A is diagonalizable.

Problem 3 (True/False). If an $n \times n$ matrix A is diagonalizable, then A has n distinct eigenvalues.

Problem 4 (True/False). **Requires future knowledge.** For an $n \times n$ matrix A , $\det A$ is the product of the eigenvalues of A .

Problem 5 (5.2 #16). List the eigenvalues of the following matrix, repeated according to their multiplicities:

$$\begin{bmatrix} 5 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 8 & -4 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 7 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & -5 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Problem 6 (5.3 #6). Consider the matrix

$$\begin{bmatrix} 4 & 0 & -2 \\ 2 & 5 & 4 \\ 0 & 0 & 5 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 5 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 & 4 \\ -1 & 0 & -2 \end{bmatrix}.$$

This matrix is factored in the form PDP^{-1} . Use the Diagonalization Theorem to find the eigenvalues of A and a basis for each eigenspace.

Problem 7 (5.3 #14-ish). Consider the following matrix:

$$\begin{bmatrix} 4 & 0 & 2 \\ 2 & 5 & 4 \\ 0 & 0 & 5 \end{bmatrix}.$$

The eigenvalues for the following matrix are $\lambda = 5, 4$. Diagonalize the matrix, if possible.