

Quiz 3

This quiz is graded out of 10 marks. No books, calculators, notes or cell phones are allowed. You must show all your work, the correct answer is worth 1 mark the remaining marks are given for the work. If you need more space for your answer use the back of the page.

Question 1. Consider the matrix:

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 9 & 3 & 4 & 1 & 0 & 9 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 4 & 9 & 2 & 7 & 7 & 9 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 4 & 9 & 2 & 7 & 7 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 4 & 9 & 2 & 7 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 4 & 9 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 4 & 9 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 4 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, B = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{1}{3} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, C = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 2 & 3 & 2 \\ -2 & 1 & 0 & -2 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

- a. (2 marks) Compute $\det(A)$
- b. (3 marks) Compute $\det(B^{-2})$
- c. (4 marks) Compute $\det(C)$
- d. (1 mark) Find all 3×3 diagonal matrices Y that satisfy $Y^2 - 4Y - 5I = 0$.